SCALED AGILE

ESSENTIAL PRACTICES

- **S**caling agile is the current challenge for many organisations that are wanting to gain the full benefit of agile. This workshop extends your knowledge and experience applying agile at the team level by examining the practical use and shared experiences of scaling techniques, frameworks and associated roles.
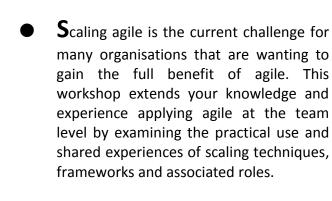
- The principles, challenges and most common agile scaling frameworks are discussed and the key scaling practices (Kanban portfolio, roadmaps, etc) are explored in more detail.

- Five hands-on group activities and six real-world case studies aim to cement the understanding of scaling agile.

- This course is a one-day training session designed for technical and team leaders and product, dev & project managers. It can also be tailored to meet specific training requirements.

Scaled Agile Fundamentals:
- Scaling principles
- Collaboration
- Continuous delivery
- Systems thinking 👥
- Queuing theory
- Roles & interactions

Scaling Challenges:
- Retro (Nexus style) 🌍
- Distributed teams
- Cross-team coordination
- Planning/forecasting 🌍
- Agile KPIs / metrics

Common Scaled Frameworks:
- Nexus
- SAFe
- LeSS
- Disciplined Agile (DA)
- Pros & cons

Key Practices:
- Roadmaps 🌍 👥
- Kanban portfolio 👥
- Agile modeling 🌍
- T-shirt sizing 👥
- Burn-up charts 🌍
- Nexus Sprint Planning 👥
- Test-Driven (system level) 🌍

Practical Sessions:
- 🌍 Real-world case studies are reviewed to give further insight into the applied use of key techniques and concepts

- 👥 Interactive group sessions are held to demonstrate a range (and combination) of fundamental agile techniques