



Lean-Agile Center of Excellence Workshop

Drive enterprise adoption of Lean-Agile practices and business results



The LACE is a small, dedicated team of leaders and change agents who are responsible for driving real and lasting organizational change.

An effective Lean-Agile Center of Excellence (LACE) is a critical success factor differentiating organizations fully committed to adopting Lean-Agile practices and achieving significant business results from those practicing Agile in name only.

The challenge is that most of the people qualified to drive change have full-time responsibilities in their current roles. While a significant portion of their time can perhaps be devoted to supporting the change, a smaller, more dedicated group of people is needed to drive SAFe® adoption throughout the organization.

During this one-day workshop, you will explore proven SAFe adoption patterns (as well as common pitfalls) and how they apply to your context, in order to:

- Create the mission statement and charter for the LACE
- Understand and learn how to carry out the responsibilities of the LACE
- Determine the organizational model for the LACE (centralized, decentralized or hub-and-spoke)
- Set up the LACE as an Agile team
- Build your initial SAFe Implementation Roadmap
- Learn how to prepare to launch your first Agile Release Train (ART)



Who will benefit?

- Executive sponsors
- Change agents
- Certified SAFe® Program Consultants (SPCs)
- Agile coaches



Prerequisites

- All participants must have attended an Implementing SAFe or Leading SAFe class
- Completion and socialization of a Value Stream Workshop

What you'll learn and accomplish

- Proven SAFe adoption patterns described in the SAFe Implementation Roadmap
- Which LACE organizational model is best for your organization
- LACE roles and responsibilities, and the key practices the LACE can leverage to drive enterprise adoption
- An action plan for generating the short-term wins critical to organizational change
- A roadmap and Kanban system to sustain and expand on early successes
- Fostering Release Train Engineer (RTE) and Scrum Master Communities of Practice (CoPs)
- Extending SAFe to Lean Portfolio Management, Human Resources, and Finance

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- **Value Stream Workshop**

Organize for value

- **SAFe® ART Quickstart**

Accelerate your SAFe transformation

- **SAFe® Lean Portfolio Management Workshop**

Focus and align productivity to strategic goals

- **Inspect and Adapt Workshop**

Optimize the quality of your implementation through relentless improvement

For more information