Advanced Project Management

Agile Concepts & Techniques

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- All participants will be on mute
- Questions are welcome
  - Please use the questions box to ask questions
  - The moderator will select questions
  - All questions will be answered today or by email at info@projectinsight.net
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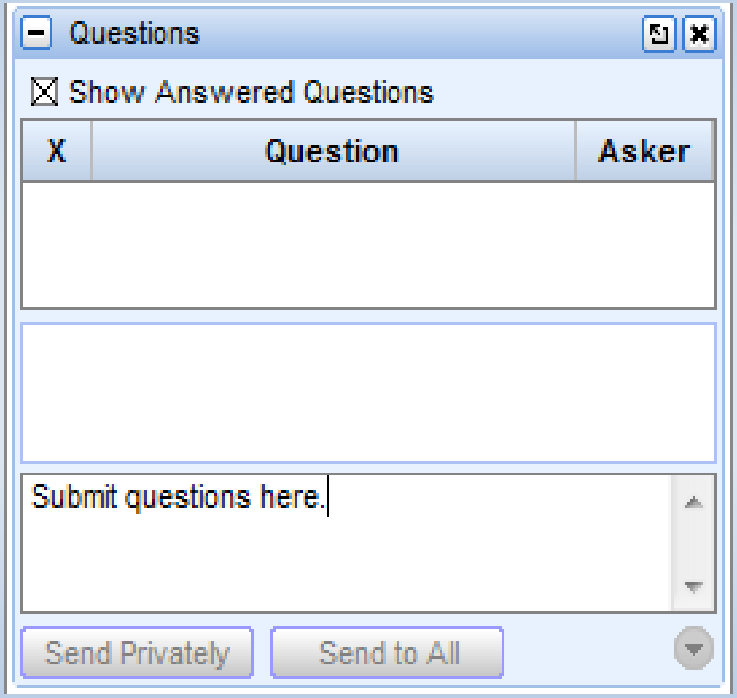

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Poll: Who Is on the Call?

- Are you:
  - A Project Manager without your PMP certification?
  - A PMP in the role of a Project Manager?
  - A program manager?
  - Just looking for ways to use Project Insight more effectively?

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Goals of the Advanced Series

- Expand your knowledge of more complex tools and techniques
- Build leadership skills to manage people more effectively
- Identify practical ways to begin using advanced techniques
- Explore other methodologies or techniques that enhance project management competency

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Objectives of the Webinar

- At the end of this webinar, you will be able to:
  - List the basic principles of agile project management
  - Differentiate between agile and basic project management
  - Define the value of agile project management to an organization
  - Identify ways to implement agile techniques for global teams

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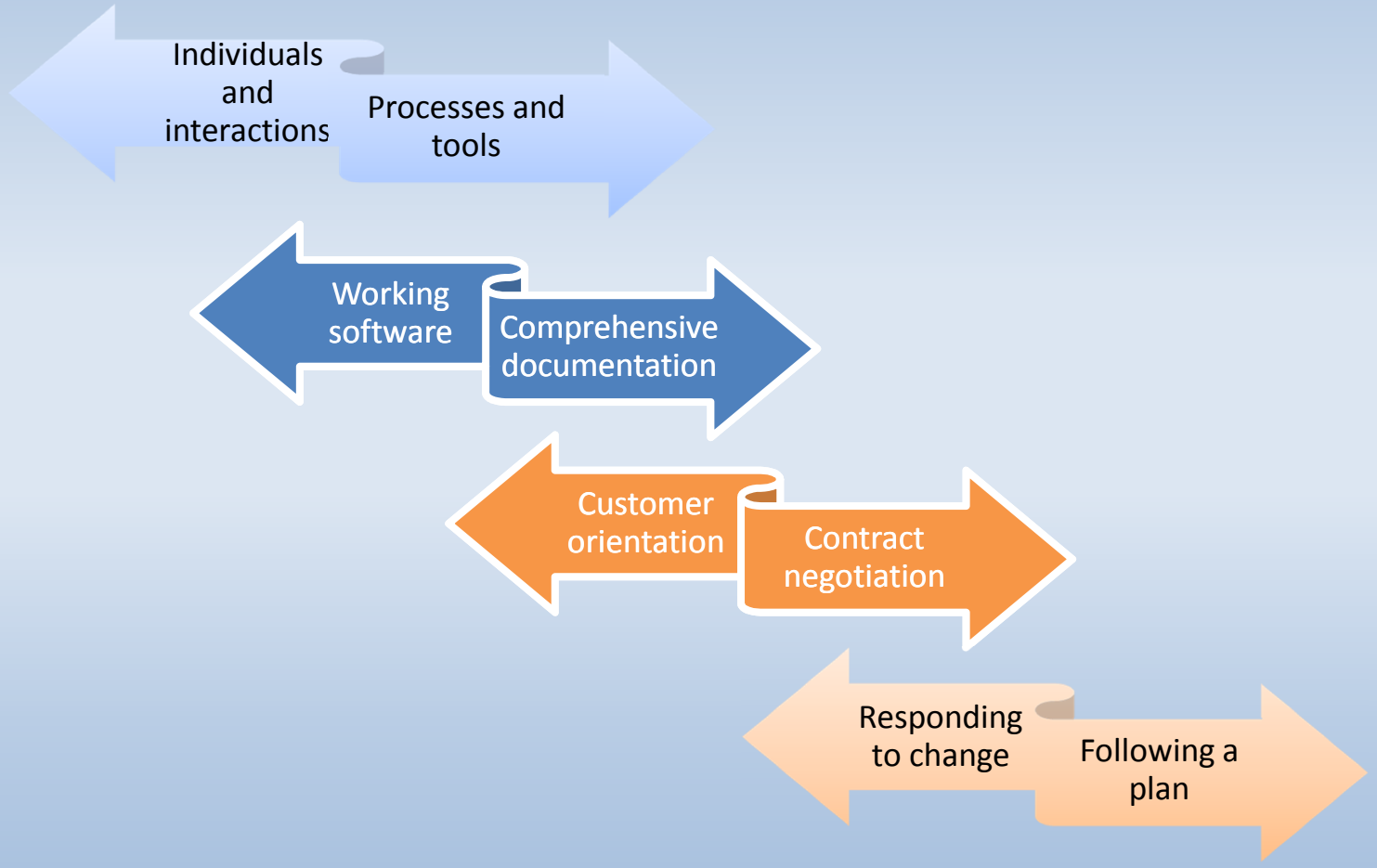
Agile Manifesto - Principles



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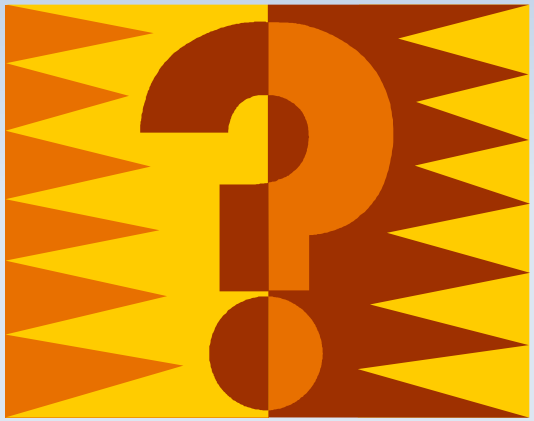
Poll: How Are You Using Agile?

- Full implementation
- A few people are applying the concepts
- We're getting ready to try it
- Are you kidding? Not there yet!



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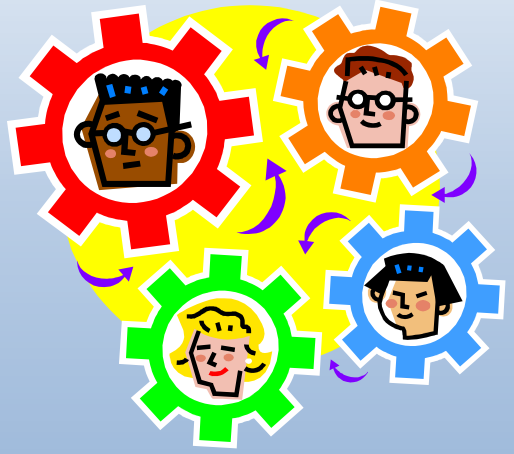
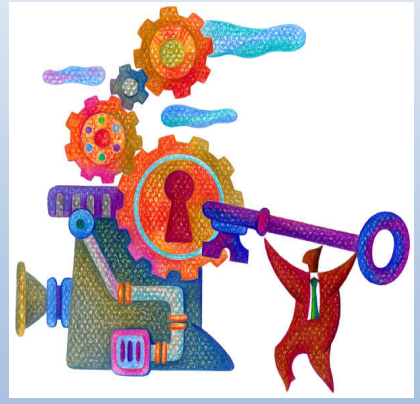
Principle #1 Agile vs. Standard PM

Interactions & Individuals	Processes & Tools





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Question for YOU

- How can you focus more on interactions and individuals?
- What's holding you back?

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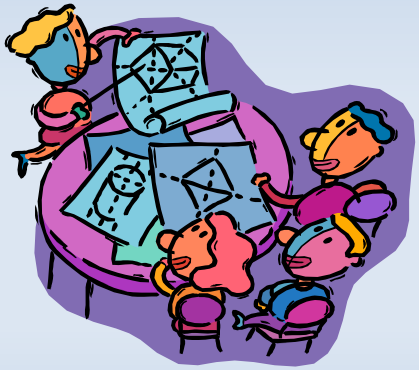
Principle #2 Agile vs. Standard PM

Working Software/Components	Comprehensive Documentation



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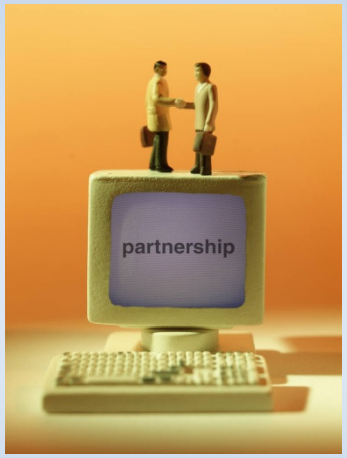
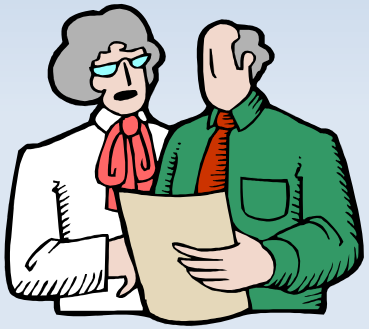
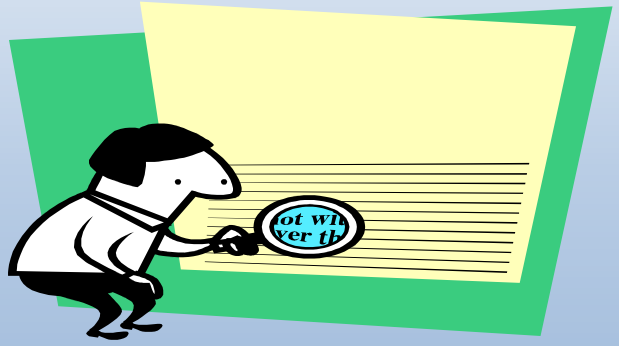
Principle #3 Agile vs. Standard PM

Customer Orientation



Contract Negotiation





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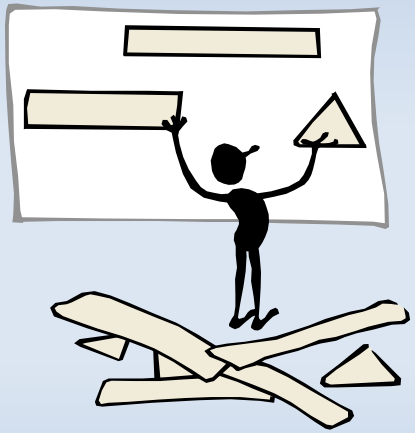
Principle #4 Agile vs. Standard PM

Responding to Change	Following a Plan



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Question for YOU

- How do you respond to change?

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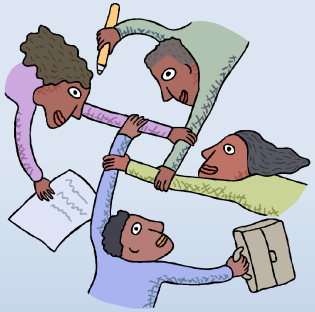
Value of Agile to an Organization



- Aligns all members of organization
- Focus on customer value & quality
- All stakeholders actively involved
  - Clients
  - End users
  - Functional departments
  - Others
- Shorter deliverable time
- Reporting is more simple

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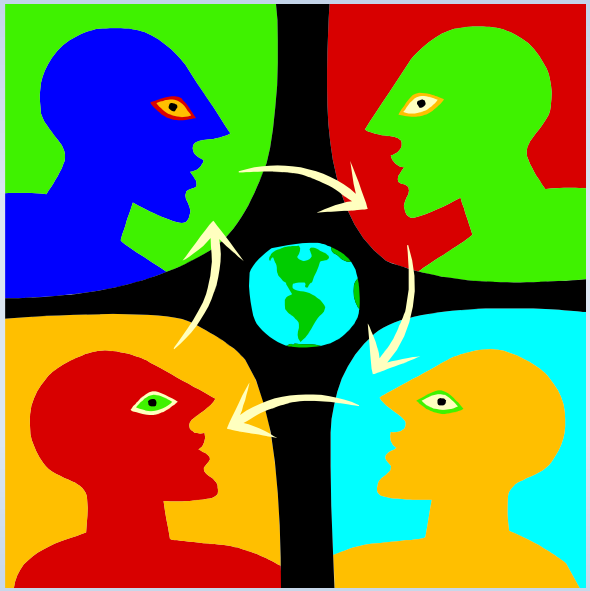
Practical Agile Techniques

- Communication is the cornerstone
- Teams meet daily
- 3 questions
  - What are you working on today?
  - What did you work on yesterday?
  - Are there any impediments?



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Using Agile with Global Teams

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Sample Question

Question	Answers
The definition of **done** helps the team to understand the meaning of:	**A.** Test complete. **B.** Code complete. **C.** Approval by the product owner. **D.** When an assigned task is complete.

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Review of Objectives

- List the basic principles of agile project management
- Differentiate between agile and basic project management
- Define the value of agile project management to an organization
- Identify ways to implement agile techniques for global teams
- ***Questions and answers???***

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Books for Credentials

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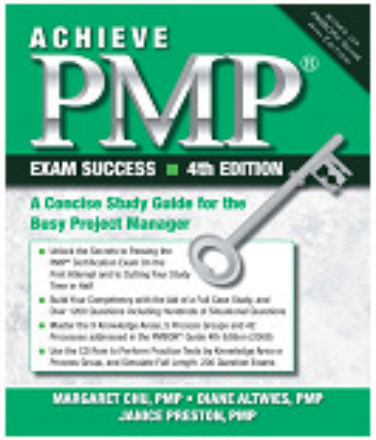
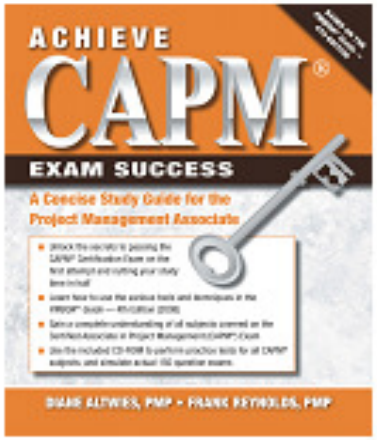
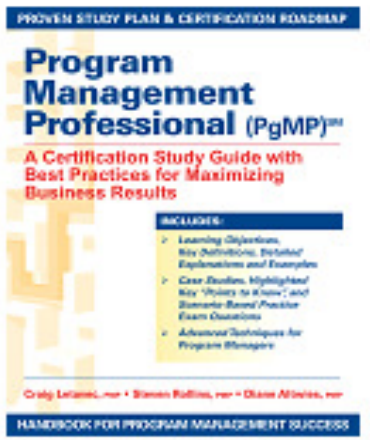
- *Program Management Professional (PgMP ®) Study Guide*







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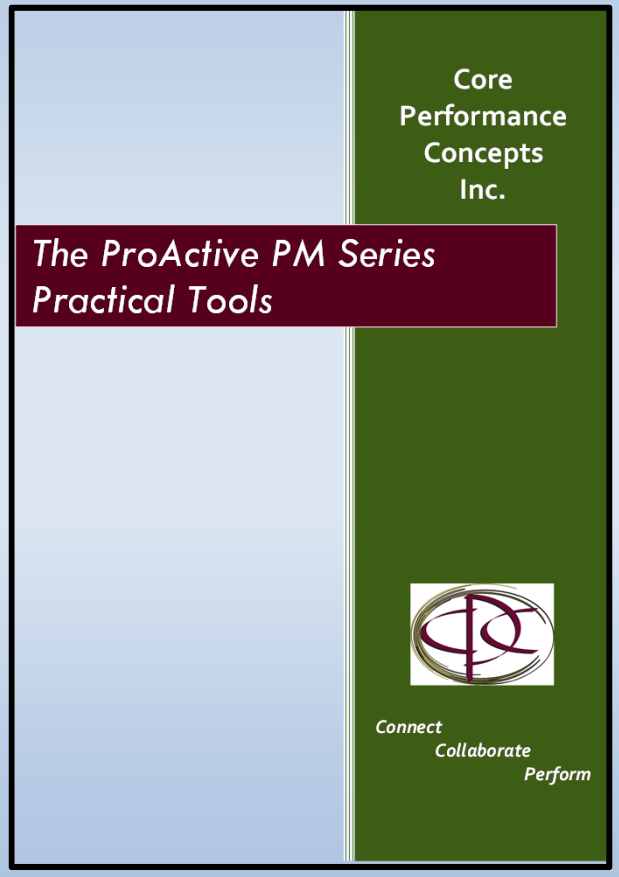

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- **Topics**

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- Feb – Agile Project Management: What It Is and Isn't (NEW!)
- Mar – Creating Use Cases
- April – Validating Requirements
- May – Collaborating within the Politics (NEW!)
- June – Asking the 4 Questions Many Leaders Overlook (NEW!)
- July – Creating Test Plans
- Aug – The Art of Negotiating (NEW!)
- Sept – More Agile News (NEW!)
- Oct – Meeting Effectiveness (NEW!)
- Nov – Managing Business Networking (NEW!)
- Dec – No webinar; enjoy the holidays!

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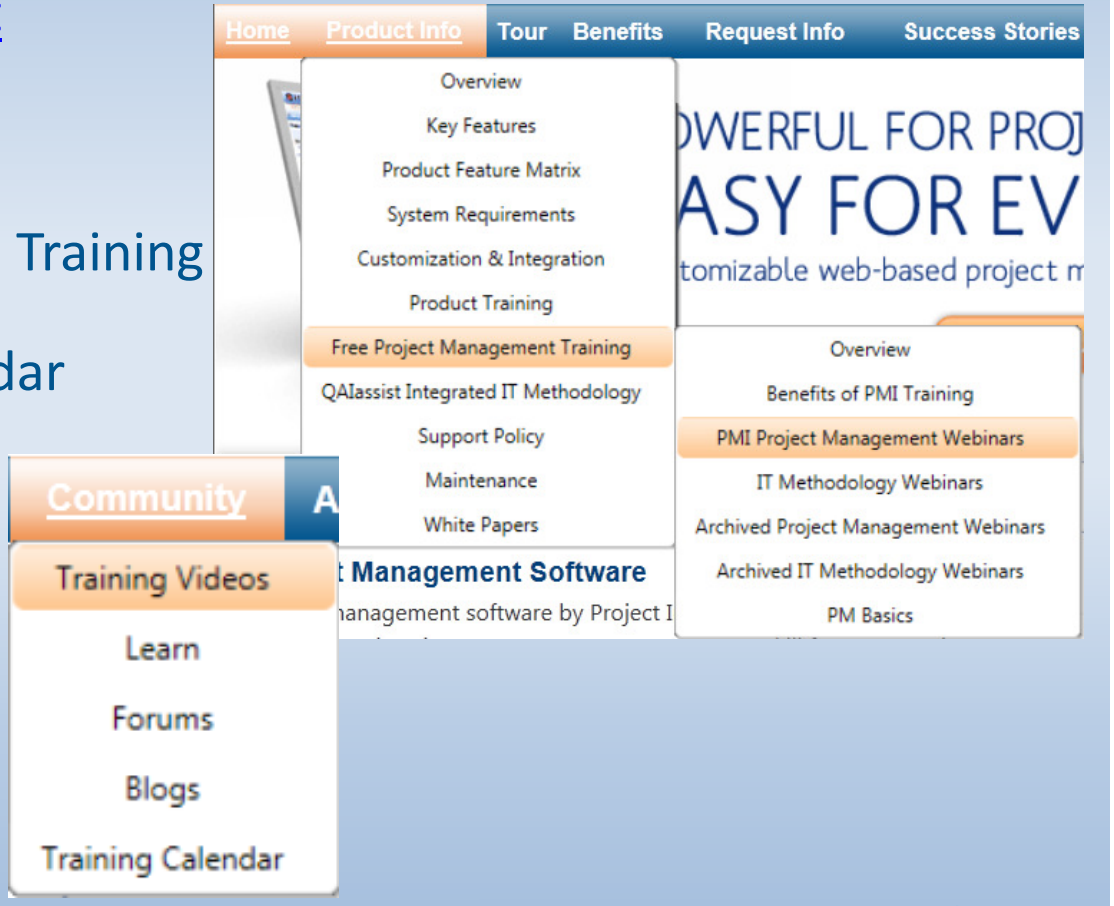
  - Training & Webinar Calendar



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