PMI-ACP Prep Class

The PMI’s new Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)SM exam brings Prometric testing rigour and trusted recognition to agile certification. The ACP exam tests professionals on concepts and techniques from today’s leading agile approaches to create a comprehensive evaluation of agile knowledge and skills.

Train for the examination with this 3 day, accelerated learning exam preparation class taught by Mike Griffiths, one of the PMI-ACP Steering Committee members and designer for the examination. Get the inside scoop on all of the PMI-ACP Domains, Knowledge & Skills areas, and Tools & Techniques needed to pass the exam.

Learn through hands on exercises, exploring case studies, and class based instruction. Each class member receives a workbook of slides, exercises and sample exam questions, along with a USB stick containing agile tools, templates, white papers, and further exam preparation resources.

HOW YOU WILL BENEFIT
- Gain all the Agile, Lean, and Kanban knowledge needed to pass the PMI-ACP exam
- Drastically reduce your study time by focussing on the right coverage for each topic
- Get details of the unique “PMI-isms” regarding agile terms, and exam topics covered
- Gain all 21 contact hours of agile training required to qualify for the PMI-ACP exam
- Get insider tips on question formats, terminology, scores and example questions

YOU WILL LEARN
- In depth coverage about the six PMI-ACP Domains of:
  - Value Driven Delivery
  - Boosting Team Performance
  - Problem Detection and Resolution
  - Stakeholder Engagement
  - Adaptive Planning
  - Continuous Improvement
- Agile practices from XP and Scrum, Lean and Kanban
- Soft skills leadership, emotional intelligence and agile coaching
- PMI question formats, relationship between domains, knowledge areas, Tools and Techniques
- Gaps in your knowledge and a tailored study plan

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING CREDITS
21 PDUs, 2.1 CEUs, 21 Contact Hours of agile related training

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
- Project Managers, Team Leads, Scrum Masters, Program Managers, PMO Staff, Technical Leads, QA Leads, BA Leads.

SKILL LEVEL
- Intermediate

COURSE OUTLINE
After providing a context for the course and a breakdown of the PMI-ACP exam scoring structure, the course modules mirror the PMI-ACP Domain structure and book sequence, as follows:

1. Course Introduction and Context
2. PMI-ACP Exam Outline and Scoring model
3. Value Driven Delivery
4. Stakeholder Engagement
5. Boosting Team Performance
6. Adaptive Planning
7. Problem Detection and Resolution
8. Continuous Improvement
9. Exam taking tips
10. Summary and further resources

Each module is supported by case studies and exercises and backed up by sample exam questions.

ABOUT THE TRAINER
Mike Griffiths is the author of the best selling "RMC PM-ACP Exam Prep" book and a Steering Committee Member of the PMI-ACP Exam Group who created the PMI-ACP certification. He is a co-founder of the PMI Agile Community of Practice and has been teaching agile project management courses for the PMI as part of the PMI SeminarsWorld program since 2005. Mike is a frequent presenter at PMI Global Congress conferences, is a contributor to the PMBOK v3, v4 and v5 Guides and is currently helping write the new "Software Extension to the PMBOK Guide".

In addition to his work with the PMI, Mike is very active in the agile community. He helped create DSDM in 1994 and has been working exclusively with agile methods for the last 19 years. Mike served on the board of the Agile Alliance and the Agile Project Leadership Network (APLN). He trains and consults on agile methods worldwide and writes for the publications: Projects@Work, Ganttthead, ProjectManagement.com and Cutter.