

AGILE & DESIGN THINKING
CERTIFICATION



Course Overview

This dynamic certification course merges Agile project management with Design Thinking methodologies to drive innovation, user-centricity, and faster product delivery. Participants learn to empathize with users, define problems clearly, ideate creatively, prototype rapidly, and manage projects with Agile techniques. Perfect for professionals across industries, this program builds the critical skills needed to lead digital transformation, enhance collaboration, and deliver impactful solutions.

Learning Objectives

- Apply Agile principles and Design Thinking methodologies
- Conduct user research and create actionable personas
- Frame user-centered problem statements effectively
- Generate, prototype, and test creative solutions
- Manage Agile projects using Scrum and Kanban practices
- Scale innovation across teams and measure impact

Duration, Modes of Training, Course Fee

Duration	Mode of Training
5 Days	Classroom, Online, On-site

Who Should Attend

- Project managers and product owners
- UX designers and innovation strategists
- Business analysts and solution architects
- Professionals leading digital transformation initiatives



Course Outline

Module 1: Introduction to Agile and Design Thinking

- Understanding Agile principles and the Agile Manifesto
- Overview of Design Thinking methodology
- The synergy between Agile and Design Thinking
- Case studies of successful integration

Module 2: Empathize – Understanding User Needs

- Conducting effective user research and empathy interviews
- Creating user personas
- Identifying pain points and user challenges

Module 3: Define – Framing Problems Effectively

- Synthesizing research data
- Crafting clear and actionable problem statements
- Aligning cross-functional teams around user needs

Module 4: Ideate – Generating Creative Solutions

- Brainstorming techniques for idea generation
- Encouraging divergent and convergent thinking
- Prioritizing ideas using feasibility-impact matrices

Module 5: Prototype - Rapid Solution Building

- Techniques for creating low-fidelity prototypes
- Iterative design and prototyping cycles
- Tools and platforms for rapid prototyping

Module 6: Test – Validating and Refining Solutions

- Planning and conducting user testing sessions
- Gathering, analyzing, and applying feedback
- Refining prototypes and solutions based on user insights

Module 7: Agile Project Management Fundamentals

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- Introduction to Scrum and Kanban
- Managing product backlogs and user stories
- Sprint planning, stand-ups, reviews, and retrospectives

Module 8: Scaling and Sustaining Innovation

- Scaling Agile and Design Thinking practices across teams
- Building a culture of continuous innovation
- Measuring success: KPIs and impact tracking

Training Methodology

Participants experience a hands-on, action-driven learning approach blending instructor-led sessions, group-based design sprints, real-world case study analysis, and simulation exercises. Agile ceremonies, prototyping workshops, and user testing simulations ensure participants practice what they learn. Whether paced over weeks or delivered as an intensive bootcamp, the course ensures deep skill application.

Our Instructors

Our instructors are certified Agile practitioners and Design Thinking facilitators with extensive experience leading innovation programs across industries. They blend theory with real-world applications, helping participants build actionable skills for immediate workplace impact. Detailed trainer profiles will be shared post scheduling.



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