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ACP	Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP) Prep Course	3	21	\$1,495
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DESCRIPTION

The recently announced PMI Agile certification (PMI-ACP) recognizes skill in using Agile tools and techniques to successfully navigate complex projects towards satisfactory outcomes. This course covers all topics listed in the PMI-ACP Examination Content Outline and may be used to satisfy the 21 contact hours of agile education required for certification.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Although this course is designed for students pursuing the PMI-ACP, it is appropriate for anyone who wants to understand or utilize agile techniques to better leverage the benefits. Project or program managers, team members, resource or line managers, and technical resources will all benefit from this course. If you already hold a certification with the Project Management Institute, this course may be used to satisfy up to 21 PDUs.

TOPICS

▶ Introduction to Agile	▶ Framework and Terminology	▶ Roles and Teams
▶ Leadership and Soft Skills	▶ Project Strategy Planning	▶ The Product Backlog
▶ Requirements Analysis	▶ Estimation	▶ Release Planning
▶ Iteration Planning and Execution	▶ Metrics and Reporting	▶ Retrospectives
▶ Project and Product Quality	▶ Risk Analysis and Mitigation	▶ Contracting Methods

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- ▶ Understand the Agile framework and benefits of the Agile methodology
- ▶ Learn the origins of Agile and understand the Agile manifesto
- ▶ Utilize Agile techniques for scope analysis and design
- ▶ Estimate time and cost in an agile environment
- ▶ Learn techniques for effective communication
- ▶ Learn how to engage stakeholders and manage their expectations
- ▶ Learn techniques to plan, monitor, and adapt in an Agile environment
- ▶ Utilize strategies to manage and integrate product quality
- ▶ Utilize soft skills for effective negotiation and team development
- ▶ Learn how to create and maintain a collaborative team environment
- ▶ Understand and utilize value stream analysis
- ▶ Manage risk in the agile environment
- ▶ Leverage value-based prioritization techniques
- ▶ Utilize techniques for effective decision making
- ▶ Learn strategies for value driven delivery
- ▶ Utilize techniques to deliver products incrementally
- ▶ Learn how to detect problems and remove impediments preventing delivery
- ▶ Develop and interpret performance metrics
- ▶ Learn how to establish an environment for continuous improvement

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