

# SAFe® for Architects

Architecting for continuous value flow with SAFe®

Enable continuous value flow by aligning technical strategy with business goals, communicating that strategy to development teams, and applying Agile architecture practices.

Attendees can improve collaboration and alignment in a SAFe Lean-Agile enterprise when they become a SAFe® 5 Architect. The SAFe® for Architects course prepares System, Solution, and Enterprise Architects to engage across the organization as effective leaders and change agents who collaboratively deliver architectural solutions. During this three-day course, attendees will explore the roles, responsibilities, and mindset of Agile Architects, and appreciate how to align architecture with business value and drive continuous flow to large systems of systems while supporting SAFe program execution.

With SAFe® 5 Architect certification





### SAFe® for Architects

With SAFe® 5 Architect Certification Based on version 5.0 of SAFe



#### Who will benefit?

- System, Solution, and Enterprise architects
- Architects in supporting technical disciplines
- Experienced software developers
- Technical managers making architectural decisions
- Product leaders collaborating with architects



#### **Prerequisites**

Those who attend this course should be familiar with Agile principles and practices and must have attended at least one SAFe course prior to attending this one.



#### **Topics covered**

- Exemplifying Lean-Agile architecture
- Architecting for DevOps and Release on Demand
- Aligning architecture with business value
- Developing Solution Vision, Solution Intent, and Roadmaps
- Preparing architecture for Program Increment (PI) Planning
- Coordinating architecture throughout PI Planning
- Supporting Continuous Delivery during PI execution
- Supporting new Strategic Themes and Value Streams
- Leading as an architect during a Lean-Agile transformation

SAFe® for Architects helps architects of all levels and disciplines support and enable continuous value flow in the Lean Enterprise. Through this highly interactive, scenario-based learning experience, you'll explore your role in SAFe, identify key partners, customers, and collaborators in the organization, practice making architectural decisions based on economic trade-offs, and experience guiding architectural concepts through the entire value stream using Lean-Agile techniques.

"SAFe" for Architects gave me the practical understanding and tools to not only effectively lead throughout a SAFe engagement but to align architecture with business value."

**JEREMY TREVATT,** Transformation Leader/SPC, BrightEdge Partners



#### What you get

Class registration includes:

- Attendee workbooks
- Eligibility to take the SAFe<sup>®</sup> 5
   Architect (ARCH) exam
- One-year membership to the SAFe Community Platform
- Course certificate of completion



#### What you'll learn

To perform the role of a SAFe Architect, you should be able to:

- Architect using SAFe principles
- Align architecture with business value
- Develop and communicate architecture vision and intent
- Plan architectural runway to enable delivery success
- Architect for continuous delivery and Release on Demand
- Lead and coach architects and team members during Program Increment (PI) Planning and execution
- Provide leadership during a Lean-Agile transformation

# Professional Development Units (PDUs) and Scrum Education Units (SEUs)

- Attendees may be eligible to apply for 24 PDUs toward their continuing education requirements with the Project Management Institute (PMI) for PMP, PgMP, and PMI-ACP certifications
- Attendees may be eligible to apply for SEUs under category C, toward earning or renewing their CSP through Scrum Alliance

## SAFe® curriculum

The extensive and evolving Scaled Agile curriculum is a cornerstone for implementation success and a key part of an overall transformation. Our full portfolio of world-class courseware helps organizations unlock business results, retain teams, and attract new talent. And our in-demand certifications help individuals thrive as key players within a SAFe organization and advance throughout their career in practicing, consulting, or training others in the Framework.



#### SAFe courses and certifications include:

- Implementing SAFe® with SAFe® 5 Program Consultant certification
- Leading SAFe<sup>®</sup> with SAFe<sup>®</sup> 5 Agilist certification
- SAFe® for Teams with SAFe® 5 Practitioner certification
- SAFe® Scrum Master with SAFe® 5 Scrum Master certification
- SAFe® Advanced Scrum Master with SAFe® 5 Advanced Scrum Master certification
- SAFe® Release Train Engineer with SAFe® 5 Release Train Engineer certification
- SAFe® Product Owner/Product Manager with SAFe® 5 Product Owner/Product Manager certification

- SAFe® DevOps with SAFe® 5 DevOps Practitioner certification
- SAFe® for Government with SAFe® 5 Government Practitioner certification
- Agile Software Engineering with SAFe\* 5 Agile Software Engineer certification
- SAFe® for Architects
  with SAFe® 5 Architect certification
- Lean Portfolio Management
  with SAFe\* 5 Lean Portfolio Management certification
- SAFe® Agile Product and Solution Management with SAFe® 5 Agile Product and Solution Management certification



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