GLOBAL AGILE ASSURANCE®

COURSE OVERVIEW

AGILE PROFESSIONAL

GLOBAL DIGITAL ASSURANCE®

Australian Institute of Project Management

ENDORSED COURSE

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GLOBAL AGILE ASSURANCE® - PROFESSIONAL

Developed in partnership with leading government agencies and industry recognised agile advocates, the Global Agile Assurance Professional accreditation is achieved by successfully completing the world's first agile assurance accreditation, which offers experienced assurance reviewers professional accreditation in assuring agile delivered projects.

Global Agile Assurance Professional accreditation, provides industry leading assurance reviewer training and accreditation, to enable consulting professionals, service delivery professionals and public sector employees, the ability to provide high value independent assurance review services, to support organisations and government agencies with their delivery of agile projects.

The Global Agile Assurance Professional accreditation certifies that agile assurance review professionals are globally recognised and meet industry best practice standards for the assurance of agile projects and digital programs.

COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE CONTENT:

- 5 learning modules
- 32 self-paced lessons
- 30 progressive knowledge tests
- 1 online examination
  - 3 scenarios
  - 22 questions

SUPPORT MATERIALS:

- Global Agile Assurance® reviewer guide
- 5 Global Agile Assurance® individual AAR guides
- Global Agile Assurance® model
- Global Digital Assurance® members dashboard
- Global Agile Assurance® Master's eligibility

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Understand the principles and best practices methods for delivering agile assurance reviews
- Understand the differences between conventional assurance reviews and agile assurance reviews
- How to adopt agile working approaches when delivering agile assurance reviews
- How to deliver agile assurance reviews within "high-delivery-velocity" environments
- Understand each project life-cycle assessment review point for assuring agile projects
- How to lead and be part of an agile assurance review team
- How to assess and evaluate agile projects in "low documentation" environments
- Understand the roles and responsibilities of project participants, stakeholders and review teams in an agile project assurance review
- How to manage challenges and conflicts that may arise during an agile assurance review.

TARGET AUDIENCE

- Independent consultants
- Agile practitioners
- Service delivery organisations
- Public sector employees
- Public sector agencies and business areas
- Assurance professionals
- Program managers
- PMO managers and teams
- Risk professionals
- Agile project teams
- Agile project managers
- SCRUM masters
- Procurement professionals
- Product owners
- Senior business owners

PRE-COURSE

The recommended pre-reading for this course includes:

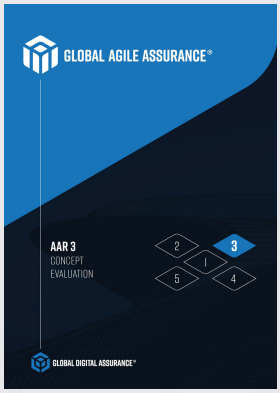
- Global Agile Assurance® reviewer guide
- Global Agile Assurance® individual agile assurance review (AAR) guides
  - AAR 1 - Preliminary evaluation
  - AAR 2 - Discovery evaluation
  - AAR 3 - Concept evaluation
  - AAR 4 - Pre-go-live readiness
  - AAR 5 - Benefits evaluation

Although there is no prerequisite for this course, we strongly recommend that learners attempting this course have sound understanding and familiarity with agile concepts, methods and processes, as well as general project assurance knowledge and experience.

EXAMINATION INFORMATION

- Online examination
- Accessed via the Global Digital Assurance® dashboard (only)
- Exam must be completed in a single session
- Unlimited examination time (common effort required is 1.5 hours)
- Scenario based and multiple choice questions/answers
- 100% pass mark required for accreditation
- Real-time marking and results
- Candidates who fail the exam on three (3) consecutive attempts, must retake the course, prior to resitting the examination.

SUPPORTING COURSE GUIDES



COURSE ONLINE ACCESS

STEP I	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5	STEP 6	STEP 7
Login to the Members Dashboard	Select your accreditation training program	Securely pay for your training program	Complete your self-paced training modules (including knowledge tests)	Complete and pass your online examination	Receive your accreditation badge	Start your CPD journey to re-accreditation

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DIGITAL BADGE AWARDED

COURSE MODULES & LESSONS

MODULE I. - OVERVIEW & INTRODUCTION

Lesson 1: An introduction to agile digital assurance
Lesson 2: Helping agile projects succeed
Lesson 3: Expected learning outcomes
Lesson 4: The agile assurance method
Lesson 5: The principles of agile assurance
Lesson 6: Applying the agile assurance principles
Knowledge: Five (5) module based questions

MODULE 2. - PHASES OF AGILE ASSURANCE REVIEWS

Lesson 1: An introduction to the phases agile assurance
Lesson 2: AAR 1 - Preliminary evaluation
Lesson 3: AAR 2 - Discovery evaluation
Lesson 4: AAR 3 - Concept evaluation
Lesson 5: AAR 4 - Pre-go-live readiness
Lesson 6: AAR 5 - Benefits evaluation
Knowledge: Five (5) module based questions

MODULE 3. - SUCCESSFUL DELIVERY OF AGILE ASSURANCE REVIEWS

Lesson 1: Key elements, timeline and planning of reviews
Lesson 2: Key steps to undertaking agile assurance reviews
Lesson 3: Step 1 - The review initiation
Lesson 4: Step 2 - The planning meeting
Lesson 5: Step 3 - The on-site review
Lesson 6: Tips for conducting successful interviews
Lesson 7: Step 4 - Agile assurance review report
Lesson 8: Tips for producing a successful report
Knowledge: Ten (10) module based questions

MODULE 4. - ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF AGILE ASSURANCE REVIEWS

Lesson 1: Roles and responsibilities for agile assurance reviews
Lesson 2: Role of agile assurance review team leader
Lesson 3: Role of the agile assurance review team member
Lesson 4: Role of the business owner
Lesson 5: Role of the project manager
Lesson 6: Role of the agile project team
Lesson 7: Role of agile project stakeholders
Lesson 8: Role of service providers
Lesson 9: Role of the internal assurance review unit
Lesson 10: Role of other participants
Knowledge: Ten (10) module based questions

MODULE 6. - CONCLUSION

Lesson 1: Benefits of the agile assurance review and summary

MODULE 7. - EXAMINATION

Section 1: Examination overview, preparation and instructions
Section 2: Three (3) scenarios
Section 3: Twenty-two (22) multiple choice questions

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