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Version 1



The Love and Lives of an Epic Owner

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Epic

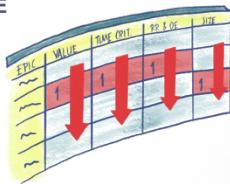
Lean Business Case

Cost of Delay

Impact of time on outcome.
Ask: "What will we NOT get if we don't deliver this?"
CoD= BV + TC + RR or OE

WSJF

Enterprise Epics
Portfolio Epics
Network of Teams Epics
Features
WSJF= CoD / Size



Artefacts & Events

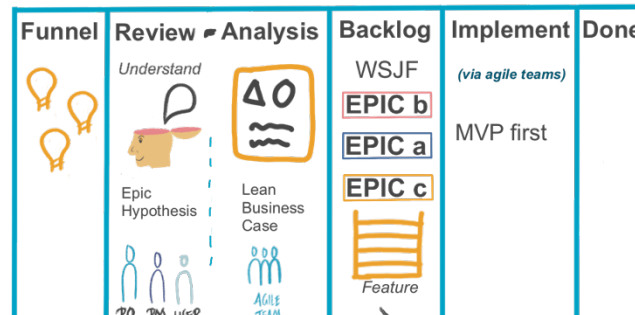
LBC, Feature, Epic,
EH, Arch. Roadmap
Workshop 1 (review)
Workshop 2 (analysis)

Magic Estimation.

Value assessment



Epic Lifecycle



Epic Owner

Coordinates a significant development initiative that requires analysis, a Lean Business Case, and a person who doesn't 'own' his/her own agile team. Often the Epic spans multiple value streams. The Epic is Done when the Epic's hypothesis is (dis)proven.

Can you give priority to this Epic?

Role

Activity

- Plays a key role in moving large development initiatives through/across portfolios
- Coordinates the advancement through the Epic Lifecycle (kanban board)
- Facilitates workshops with all relevant stakeholders and prioritize using CoD and WSJF
- Negotiates with Product Management (incl. Product Owners)
- Creates Lean Business Case and presents LBC to Lean Portfolio Management
- Decomposes Epic & works on MVP with agile team(s). Evaluate Bus. Outcome Hypothesis
- Follows up on progress and new dependencies. Reports the progress of MVP to key stakeholders and LPM
- Works with Agile Teams to initiate the development activities necessary to realize the epic's business outcome hypothesis.
- Joins Participatory Budgeting events
- Co-ordinates epic-related activities with sales, marketing, and other business units

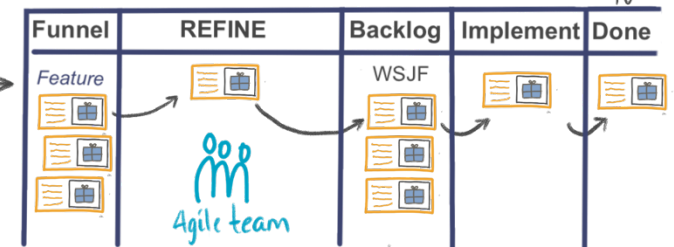
Agile Lean Leadership

Adapt your org. to contemporary ways of working. Agile Lean Leadership is a way of scaling Agile, Lean and Scrum OUT in the whole network based organisation. Consists of patterns for organisational learning and Leadership.



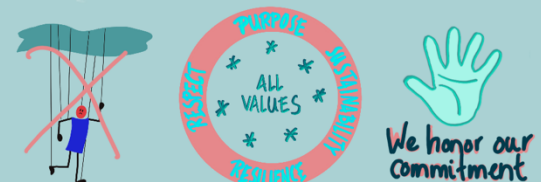
Here you are

Feature Lifecycle



ALL is beneficial when organizing for customer value

- Complex challenges and high uncertainty
- Changing environment
- Quick decisions
- Innovation, transparency, accountability
- Alternatives to Command and Control is needed
- No single person should dictate terms; no coercion



We honor our commitment

Credit

CoD: Don Reinertsen
JTBD: Dr. Clayton Christensen
Psych. Safety: Amy C. Edmondson
Agile Lean Leadership: AgileLeanHouse

Psychological Safety

