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Training

INTRODUCTION TO CMMI FOR DEVELOPMENT v1.3 (CMMI-DEV)

Official SEI-authorized Training



ANNOUNCEMENT

Accelerated Quality Improvement, an SEI Partner, is pleased to announce its next training class for **Introduction to CMMI-DEV Ver. 1.3** from **April 4-6, 2012** at the Sheraton Bucks County Hotel in Langhorne, PA (30 minutes from Princeton, NJ and Philadelphia, PA).

Course Instructor is **Henry Schneider**, a SEI-authorized SCAMPISM High Maturity Lead Appraiser and an SEI-authorized Introduction to CMMI Instructor.

Course Description

This three-day course introduces managers and practitioners, appraisal team members, and process improvement teams to CMMI® fundamental concepts. The CMMI® for Development (CMMI-DEV) model is a tool that helps organizations to improve their ability to develop and maintain quality products and services.

The course is composed of lectures and class exercises with ample opportunity for participant questions and discussions. After attending the course, participants will be able to describe the components of the CMMI-DEV model and their relationships, discuss the process areas in the CMMI-DEV model, and locate relevant information in the model.

Successful completion of this course requires that participants actively participate in classroom discussions and exercises in all three days, not missing any classroom time.

This course fulfills a prerequisite requirement for many courses requiring an official SEI Introductory CMMI® course (e.g., Intermediate Concepts of CMMI, CMMI Level 2 for Practitioner, CMMI Level 3 for Practitioners, SCAMPI Lead Appraiser Training, and Understanding CMMI High Maturity Practices). This course also fulfills a prerequisite if you want to be a member of a CMMI-DEV SCAMPI appraisal team.

Target Audience

Product developers, Process implementers, Appraisal team members, anyone interested in learning about CMMI-DEV

Objectives

- Describe the components of the CMMI-DEV model and their relationships
- Discuss the process areas
- Describe the model content

Topics

- Introduction
- Model-Based Process Improvement
- Overview of CMMI Components
- Institutionalization
- Process Areas of CMMI-DEV
- Structure of the Continuous and Staged Representations

Included with this Workshop

- CMMI-DEV book (CMMI for Development Third Edition, Addison Wesley)
- Student notebook containing the course slides and exercises.
- **FREE** Copy of *Six Sigma Software Quality Improvement – Success Stories from the High Tech Industry*, McGraw Hill, 2011 (**a \$70 value!**)

Students who successfully complete the class will also receive an **official SEI certificate** of completion.

About the Instructor

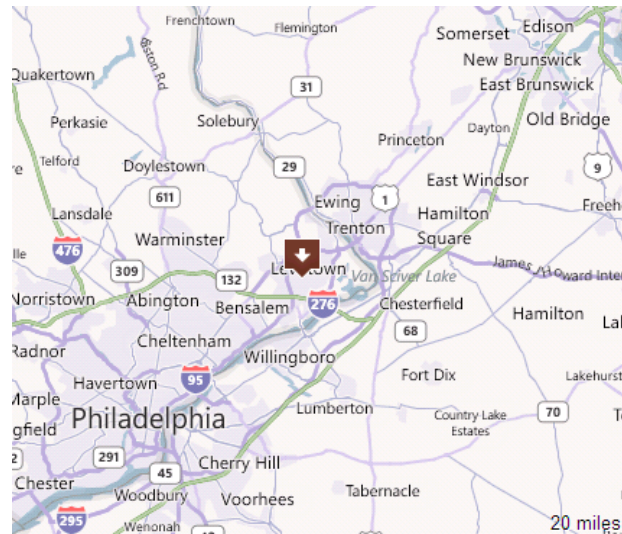


Henry Schneider is a Senior Principal Consultant with over 30 years experience in delivering services as a systems engineer, project manager, developer, trainer, consultant, and assessor (ISO 9000/TickIT, SW-CMM, and CMMI). His background includes more than 20 years in project management, software quality, and process improvement services (Quality Circles, TQM, ISO 9000, CMM, and CMMI). He is an SEI-authorized SCAMPISM High Maturity Lead Appraiser and an SEI-authorized Introduction to CMMI Instructor. Henry's consulting services experience encompasses commercial, government, aerospace, product software, finance, insurance, health care, data communications, and telecommunications organizations for both large and small organizations. He has trained software professionals domestically and internationally on Requirements Engineering, Configuration Management, Reviews and Inspections, Measurement and Analysis, Project Management, Risk Management, Process Engineering, Quality Assurance, and Testing. Henry is a member of the SEI Partner Advisory Board's High Maturity Working Group and the Track Chair for SCAMPI Appraisals at the 2012 North American SEPG Conference.

Location



Sheraton Bucks County Hotel
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Course Fee & Discounts

Course Fee	\$1,295
ASQ Member Discount Rate	\$1,195
Special Early Bird Discount Rate (Deadline: March 7)	\$1,150

Note: *If you have 6 or more students from your company, AQI can also offer this course as a private class. Please contact us for details.*

Registration

Please pre-register ASAP at NO CHARGE to hold your spot.

NON-ASQ Members: <http://www.aqionline.com/aqimain/asqnot.html>

ASQ Members: <http://www.aqionline.com/aqimain/asq.html>

All pre-registered students will be contacted for formal registration & Course Payment. To take advantage of EARLY BIRD Discount, Course Fee must be received by the deadline date.

Student Feedback

[Here is what past students are saying about Henry's unique teaching style and CMMI expertise!](#)

Henry has a great passion for teaching and making sure everyone is comfortable with the material.

Henry is a thorough and patient instructor!

Henry gave excellent examples from his own experience in areas closely related to my work and business.

Henry made dry topics interesting!

The CMMI was new to me and a "dry" subject. Henry did a great job of presenting the information that kept me and the class engaged. One of the best instructors I have had. Great knowledge of the subject and great presentation.

Henry was enthusiastic about the material and wanted to help us understand it.

I appreciated Henry's explanation of the exercises as we presented our charts. It helped us have a better understanding of the material.