

## Conference Schedule

Sunday, November 13

Registration Desk Hours—7:30am–10:00am

7:30 am to 10:00 am

Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

Integrating Test with a DevOps Approach (2-Day)

Bryan Batty

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Software Tester Certification—Foundation Level (3-Day)

Dawn Haynes

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Agile Tester Certification (2-Day)

Rob Sabourin

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Certified ScrumMaster Training (2-Day)

Bob Payne

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Product Owner Certification (2-Day)

Sanjiv Augustine

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Leading SAFe—SAFe Agilist Certification Training (2-Day)

Roland Cuellar

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Lunch

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Training Classes Continue— 1:00pm–5:00pm

1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Registration Desk Hours—4:00pm–6:00pm

4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Monday, November 14

Registration Desk Hours—7:00am–4:30pm

7:00 am to 4:30 pm

Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

Tutorial MA Configuration Management: Robust Practices for Fast Delivery

6.50

Bob Aiello

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Tutorial MB Great Product Design with User Story Mapping **NEW**

6.50

Jeff Patton

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Tutorial MC Creating a Continuous Delivery Pipeline: A Hands-On Workshop

**NEW**

3.25

Ken Mugrage

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial MD Fostering Sustained Agility **NEW**

3.25

Tricia Broderick

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial ME IoT Testing Workshop **NEW**

1.00  
Jennifer Bonine  
8:30 am to 12:00 pm

## Tutorial MF Principles and Practices of Lean Software Development

3.25  
Ken Pugh  
8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Lunch  
12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

## Tutorials Continue (1:00pm–4:30pm)

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial MG Docker Fundamentals Jumpstart NEW

Aater Suleman  
1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial MH Planning to Learn and Learning from Delivery: Scrum, Kanban and Beyond

3.25  
David Hussman  
1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial MI Acceptance Test-Driven Development

3.25  
Ken Pugh  
1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial MJ Help Retain Knowledge: Increase Engagement to Achieve Learning

NEW  
3.25  
Tricia Broderick  
1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Registration Desk Hours—Closes at 4:30pm

4:30 pm

Tuesday, November 15

Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

Registration Desk Hours—7:30am–5:00pm

7:30 am to 5:00 pm

Multi-Day Training Classes Continue—8:30am–5:00pm

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Tutorial TA Continuous Delivery: Rapid and Reliable Releases with DevOps  
6.50

Bob Aiello

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TB Essential Patterns of Mature Agile Leaders

3.25

Bob Galen

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TC What DevOps Means for Testers NEW

3.25

Jeffery Payne

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TD How to Make Better Choices for You, Your Team, and Your Projects

NEW

3.25

Andy Kaufman

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TE Writing Agile User Story and Acceptance Test Requirements NEW

3.25

Robin Goldsmith

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TF Measurement and Metrics for Test Managers

3.25

Mike Sowers

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TG Thinking Inside the Box – Root Cause Analysis with The Six Boxes

NEW

3.25

James Waletzky

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Tutorial TH The Tester's (New) Role in Agile Development

NEW

3.25

Rob Sabourin

8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Lunch

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Tutorials Continue (1:00pm–4:30pm)

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TI How to Improve the Mobile User Experience (UX)

NEW

3.25

Philip Lew

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TJ Agile Project Failures: Root Causes and Corrective Actions

3.25

Jeffery Payne

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TK Scrum: Answering the Tough Questions

NEW

3.25

Ryan Ripley

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TL Advanced Test Automation in Agile Development

3.25

Rob Sabourin

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Tutorial TM Producing Products and Coaching Agility: Make Agile Practices Matter

3.25

David Hussman

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial TN Plan, Architect, and Implement Test Automation within the Lifecycle

3.25

Mike Sowers

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Tutorial TO Lean/Agile Metrics for the Rest of Us NEW

3.25

Larry Maccherone

1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

## Welcome Reception—4:30pm–5:30pm

4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

Wednesday, November 16

## Registration Desk Hours—7:30am–5:00pm

7:30 am to 5:00 pm

## Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

## Keynote K1 Lead Teams that Deliver the Goods

1.00

Andy Kaufman, Institute for Leadership Excellence and Development, Inc.

8:30 am to 9:30 am

## Keynote K2 Building Product Development Communities: From Startups to the Enterprise

1.00

David Hussman, DevJam

10:00 am to 11:00 am

## Networking Break in the Expo—11:00am–11:30am

11:00 am to 11:30 am

## Concurrent Sessions—11:30am–12:30pm

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session AW1 The Business of Agile: Better, Faster, Cheaper

1.00

Ryan Ripley, Independent Consultant

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionAW2 Agile Measurement Within and Across Teams

1.00

Scott Aucoin, Intuit

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionAW3 User-Centered Design Using Personas

1.00

Fadi Khoury, Ford Motor Company

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBW1 Managing Technical People and Teams: You Can Do It Well

1.00

AshLea Allberry, Nanonation, Inc.

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBW2 In Their Shoes: Understanding Your Mobile Users' Point of View

1.00

Steve Moses, Applause

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBW3 A New Approach to Software Safety, Risk, and Vulnerability Analysis

1.00

Gregory Pope, Lawrence Livermore National Labs, Vicki Pope, Lawrence Livermore National Laborator

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionDW1 From Ops to DevOps—and Beyond

1.00

Adam Serediuk, xMatters, Inc.

11:30 am

## Concurrent SessionDW2 Fear and Loathing in Systems Administration

1.00

Harold “Waldo” Grunenwald, Independent Consultant  
11:30 am

Industry Technical Presentation ITP1 Secure Code at the Speed of DevOps  
Vinod Vasudevan, Paladion Networks  
11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Lunch in the Expo—Meet the Speakers  
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm

Concurrent Sessions— 1:30pm–2:30pm  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionAW4 Unconventional Agility: Beyond Dogma  
1.00  
Brandon Carlson, Lean TECHniques, Inc.  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionAW5 Five XP Practices for Agile Development  
1.00  
David Bernstein, To Be Agile  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionAW6 Agile Requirements—From Breadth to Depth  
1.00  
Ken Pugh, Net Objectives  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionBW4 Enable Your Workers ... You’ll Be Amazed What They  
Can Do  
0.50  
Bob Jarvis, Quality Enablement, LLC  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionBW5 Tools and Techniques for Testing Mobile Apps  
1.00  
Tom Chavez, Independent Consultant  
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Concurrent SessionBW6 SEBTE: Simple Effective Experience-Based Test  
Estimation



1.00

Rob Sabourin, amibug.com

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent Session DW3 DevOps Is More than Dev and Ops: It's about Tearing Down Walls

1.00

Lee Eason, lpreo

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent Session DW4 Make Your Continuous Deployment Pipeline as Fast as Possible

1.00

Abraham Marin-Perez, Equal Experts

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Industry Technical Presentation ITP2 The Data Gap: The (Next) Final Frontier of DevOps

Adam Bowen, Delphix

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent Sessions—2:45pm–3:45pm

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session AW7 Introduction to the Scaled Agile Framework (SAFe)

1.00

Anthony Crain, Blue Agility, LLC

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session AW8 Develop Your Agile Planning Playbook

1.00

Satish Thatte, Independent Consultant

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session AW9 Agile Snafus: When Good Teams Go Bad

1.00

James Waletzky, Crosslake

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session BW7 Evangelize for Your Project, Team, or Cause—No Matter

## What Role You Play

1.00

Jonathan Silva, Axosoft

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session BW8 Testing Transformation in the IoT Era

Jennifer Bonine, tap|QA

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session BW9 Leading a Testing Center of Excellence

1.00

Susan Schanta, Cognizant Technology Solutions

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session DW5 DevOps and Continuous Delivery: What's It All About?

1.00

Ken Mugrage, ThoughtWorks

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Concurrent Session DW6 Transform Organizational Culture for DevOps Success

1.00

Al Wagner, IBM

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Industry Technical Presentation ITP3 Ensuring IoT Software Quality in the Wild

Arthur Hicken, Parasoft

2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

## Networking Break in the Expo—3:45pm–4:15pm

3:45 pm to 4:15 pm

## Concurrent Sessions—4:15pm–5:15pm

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

## Concurrent Session AW10 Step-by-Step Guide to Leading a Large-Scale Agile Transformation

1.00

Mike Cottmeyer, LeadingAgile, LLC

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

## Concurrent Session AW11 The Agile Dojo: Shiny Toy or Best Idea Ever?

1.00

Francie Van Wirkus, Francie Van Wirkus

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session AW12 Your Agile Team Needs a Therapist

1.00

Robb Pieper, Responsive Advisors

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session BW10 Build Adaptable Teams: The Marine Corps Way

0.50

Anne Steiner, DevJam

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session BW11 Avoid Critical Mobile UX Mistakes

1.00

Philip Lew, XBOSoft

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session BW12 Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Testing: The Future Is Now

Alexander Andelkovic, King/Midasplayer AB

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session DW7 Testing and Measurement in DevOps: Find Solutions—  
Not More Problems

1.00

Andreas Grabner, Dynatrace

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Concurrent Session DW8 Agile ALM: Using DevOps to Drive Process  
Improvement

1.00

Bob Aiello, CM Best Practices Consulting

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Industry Technical Presentation ITP4 ZAPTEST – The Game Changer!

Alex Chernyak, ZAPTEST

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Expo Reception—5:30pm–6:30pm

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

Thursday, November 17

Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

Registration Desk Hours—8:00am–5:00pm

8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Keynote K3 Solve Everyday IT Problems with DevOps

1.00

Sherry Chang, Intel

8:30 am to 9:30 am

Concurrent Sessions—10:00am–11:00am

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent SessionAT1 The Past, Present, and Future of Scrum

1.00

Dave West, Scrum.org

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent SessionAT2 Managing Agile Software Projects under Uncertainty

1.00

Philip Lew, XBOSoft

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent SessionAT3 Developing Reliable UI Test Automation in Agile Development

1.00

Michael Durrant, Everquote

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent SessionBT1 Stop Saying No ... Start Saying Throwdown

1.00

Anthony Crain, Blue Agility, LLC

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent SessionBT2 Continuous Delivery of Microservices: Patterns and Processes

0.50

Anders Wallgren, Electric Cloud

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent Session BT3 Exploratory Security Testing in the Browser

1.00

Abraham Marin-Perez, Equal Experts

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Concurrent Session DT1 Demystifying DevOps: Capital One's Journey toward Continuous Delivery

Adam Auerbach, Capital One

10:00 am to 11:00 pm

Concurrent Session DT2 Optimizing Performance across the DevOps Lifecycle

1.00

Amit Patel, Total Performance Consulting

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Industry Technical Presentation ITP5 Improve your Mobile Testing Strategy with Continuous Delivery

Earl Adona, Mobile Labs

10:00 am to 11:00 am

Networking Break in the Expo— 11:00am– 11:30am

11:00 am to 11:30 am

Concurrent Sessions— 11:30am– 12:30pm

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Concurrent Session AT4 Scaling Agile: Remembering Tolstoy's Unhappy Family Analogy

1.00

Mariya Breyter, Dun & Bradstreet

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Concurrent Session AT5 Experience Agile Emergence through Sketch Comedy

1.00

John Krewson, Sketch Development Services

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session AT6 Agile Test Automation Patterns: From the Inside Out

1.00

Paul Merrill, Beaufort Fairmont

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session BT4 Teamwork Tools: Movement Games for Collaboration and Creativity

1.00

Andrew Smith, Innovative Software Engineering

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session BT5 Them's the Rules: Using a Rules Engine to Wrangle Complexity

1.00

Micah Breedlove, iostudio

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session BT6 Simplify Performance Testing with Production Data

1.00

William Hurley, Astadia

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Concurrent Session DT3 Teach by Doing: Conversation-Driven Development with ChatOps

Raj Indugula, LithSpeed, LLC, Robert Brown, Booz Allen Hamilton

11:30 am

## Concurrent Session DT4 Continuous Integration of Innovation and Quality

1.00

Stacy Kirk, QualityWorks Consulting Group, LLC

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Industry Technical Presentation ITP6 Whip your WIP

Rhyd Lewis, Equal Experts Inc.

11:30 am to 12:30 pm

## Lunch in the Expo—Meet the Speakers

12:30 pm to 1:30 pm

## Concurrent Sessions— 1:30pm–2:30pm

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionAT7 The Agile Product Owner: Beyond the Books and Classrooms

1.00

Alicia Cyrus, Enterprise Knowledge

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionAT8 Scrum, Kanban, or Scrumban: Which Is Right for You?

1.00

Heidi Araya, BrightLogic

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionAT9 The Three Pillars Approach to an Agile Testing Strategy

1.00

Bob Galen, Zenergy Technologies

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBT7 Requirements Are Simply Requirements—or Maybe Not

1.00

Robin Goldsmith, Go Pro Management, Inc.

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBT8 Take Control! Managing Your Time and Commitments

1.00

Andy Kaufman, Institute for Leadership Excellence and Development, Inc.

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionBT9 Conquer the Murky Waters of Test Automation

1.00

Brian Saylor, Scripps Networks Interactive

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionDT5 Integrate DevOps Release Automation with Cloud and Container Management

1.00

Chris Haddad, Karux, LLC

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

## Concurrent SessionDT6 The Tester's Role in a DevOps World

1.00

Marianne Hollier, IBM

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Networking Break in the Expo—2:30pm–3:00pm

2:30 pm to 3:00 pm

Concurrent Sessions—3:00pm–4:00pm

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session AT10 The Lean Agile Portfolio

1.00

Jamie Makes, LEAP Consulting

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session AT11 Agile at the Intersection of Mobile, Cloud, and the Internet of Things

1.00

Don MacIntyre, Scrum Etc.

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session AT12 Removing the Silos: When Agile, Lean, and DevOps Aren't Enough

1.00

Betty Zakheim, Tasktop

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session BT10 Identify Business Value before Business Requirements

1.00

Lisa Calkins, Amadeus Consulting

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session BT11 Don't Ask "Can You Hear Me Now?" Start Listening Instead

0.50

Judith Mills, Judith Mills Consulting

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Concurrent Session BT12 Build Fail-Proof Tests in Any Browser with Selenium

Kevin Berg, Sauce Labs

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm



## Concurrent Session DT7 Use the Cloud to Enable Continuous Delivery

1.00

Esteban Garcia, Nebbia Technology

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

## Concurrent Session DT8 Evolving from Automated to Continuous Testing

1.00

Arthur Hicken, Parasoft

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

## Keynote K4 Agile Metrics: Make Better Decisions with Data

Larry Maccherone, AgileCraft

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

## Agile Leadership Summit Reception—5:30pm–7:30pm

5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

## Agile Leadership Summit

5:30 pm to 4:00 pm

Friday, November 18

## Registration Desk Hours—7:30am–2:30pm

7:30 am to 2:30 pm

## Summit Continental Breakfast—7:30am–8:30am

7:30 am to 8:30 am

## Agile Leadership Summit—8:30am–4:00pm

8:30 am to 4:00 pm

## Leadership Summit Session SMT1 On Leading Leaders: A Transition Journey

1.25

Blake Nyquist, Liquid Web

8:45 am to 10:00 am

## Leadership Summit Session SMT2 Games for Learning about Conflict Resolution

Ellen Grove, Independent Consultant

10:20 am to 11:50 am

## Leadership Summit Session SMT3 Leaders at All Levels

1.00

Esther Derby, Independent Consultant

1:00 pm to 2:15 pm

Leadership Summit Session SMT4 Six Things to Avoid in Software Testing on Agile Projects

1.00

Madhumita Das, Great-West: Financial Empower Retirement

2:30 pm to 3:30 pm

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