

Project and Program Management

Agile has proven that it is here to stay. Does this mean that you should forget traditional project management and start talking scrum? Not necessarily. We believe that both Agile and traditional project management techniques have tremendous merit. The right choice for your company is dependent upon many factors, including the type of project, the culture of your organization, and the key drivers of your projects. Our team can help you choose which methodology, or strategic combination, will work best for you and scale it to your company's unique needs.



Agile Methodologies

Our pragmatic and scalable approach to Agile adoption has been crafted over years of real-world use and ensures that a tailored process maximizes our customers success. Our iterative and incremental methods have been helping our customers continuously deliver real, measurable results on a variety of projects.

- ▶ We use Agile methodologies to build relationships by growing internal champions and empowering teams. Our smooth transition model allows organizations to deploy process changes at a comfortable pace.
- ▶ We immerse ourselves with project stakeholders and teams. As senior technical consultants, we understand the challenges teams face and can help them navigate around project pitfalls.
- ▶ We firmly believe in robust and flexible architecture as a solid foundation and in the value of tools to facilitate collaboration and communication across a project team, whether co-located or distributed.
- ▶ We conduct retrospectives throughout the engagement to promote continuous reflection and adaptation.

Traditional Methodologies

Our traditional methodology is based on the framework found in the Project Management Book of Knowledge (PMBOK), the internationally accepted standard published by the Project Management Institute. Because it is a process or framework, it is scalable and customizable to the needs of the specific project or program.

- ▶ We make strong use of standard tools and techniques to support the efficient management of a project.
- ▶ We encourage rigorous project planning, progress reporting, change control, and risk control processes to ensure that communication between implementation teams and the customer is effective and efficient.
- ▶ We emphasize that building and maintaining relationships is critical to any project's success. The project team, users, vendors, and management must be involved in a cooperative effort to reach project goals.
- ▶ We recognize that program management is required for companies with numerous concurrent projects or large, complex projects. Our program managers provide this overarching layer of oversight and proactive risk mitigation support.

The Value of Salient CRGT

Since 1992, our Commercial IT Services team has been helping companies successfully select and implement best-in-class systems and technologies. Our professionals work with the leaders of organizations to support all phases of the solutions lifecycle.

- ▶ Our various industry knowledge enables us to build a strong rapport with the user community, while our systems background permits us to communicate effectively with IT professionals.
- ▶ Our project and program management methodologies are scalable, repeatable, and proven successful.
- ▶ Our professionals are accomplished managers of large-scale technology projects and possess clear leadership.