How to Leverage SAFe® 5.0 For Your Enterprise Cloud Strategy

Connecting Strategy to Execution









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AGENDA



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02 THE CHALLENGE

DEMOCRATIZING TECHNOLOGY /
CLOUD TRANSFORMATION
FRAMEWORK

O4 CONNECTING CLOUD STRATEGY TO EXECUTION IN SAFE 5.0

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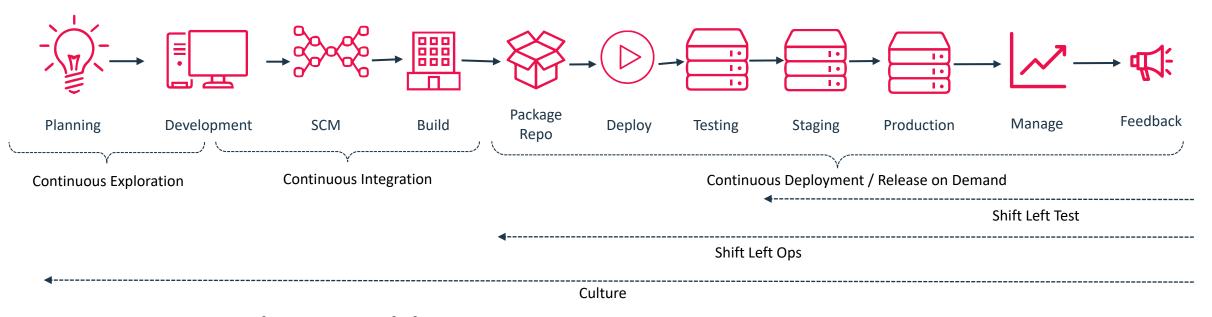
OBJECTIVES

- Explore key components of Cloud, DevSecOps and Data Strategies
- Illustrate how to leverage SAFe 5.0 to develop coherent enterprise strategy that is effectively implemented
- Examine key technical practices, across the SAFe 5.0 framework, that allow you to effectively execute your strategy





ENTERPRISE GOALS: CLOUD, DEVSECOPS, DATA



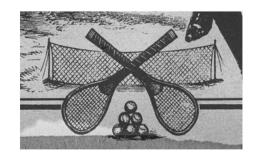
Enterprises are striving to:

- 1. Improve the Application/System being delivered
- 2. Improve the platform on which it is delivered
- 3. Improve the processes by which it is being delivered
- 4. Improve the culture of the organization delivering it





DEMOCRATIZATION OF TECHNOLOGY



1874 - Solid Wood



1947 - Laminated Wood



1968 – Steel Racquet



1993 – **Graphite Racquet**



2008 – Aerodynamic Racquet

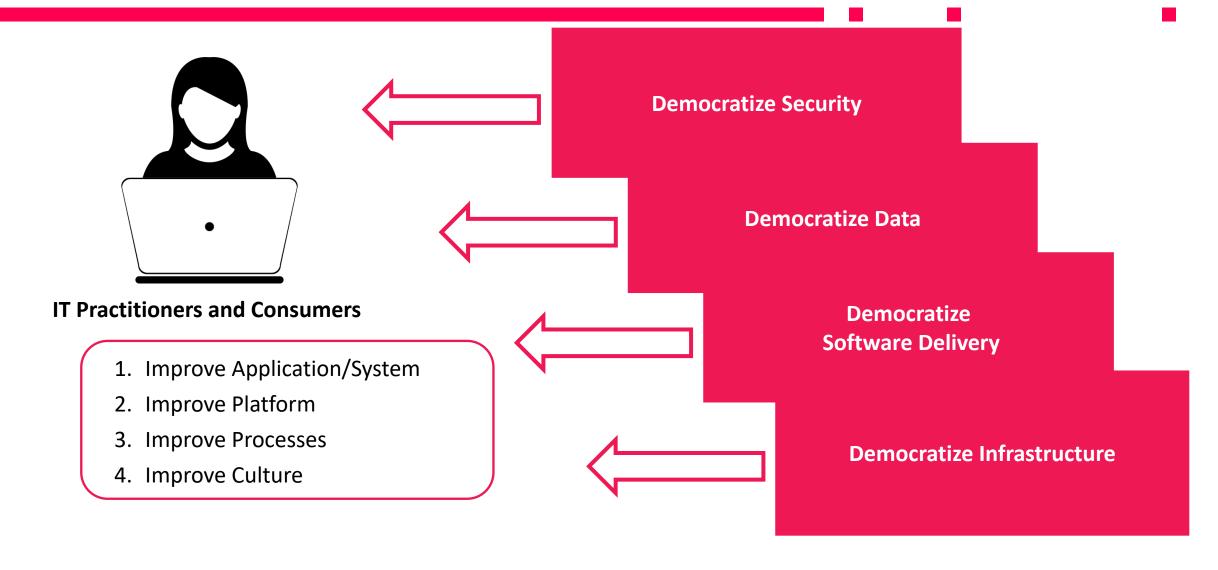




TENETS OF IT SERVICES DEMOCRATIZATION

- 1. Self-service
- 2. Permission to act
- 3. Guardrails
- 4. Trust

DEMOCRATIZING IT CAPABILITIES





ADOPTING THE CLOUD

Cloud Transformation Framework

1. Cloud Definition:

Define Cloud Service and Consumption Models

2. Cloud Architecture:

 Define Cloud Use Cases, Service Catalogs, Reference Architectures, Tooling, and SLAs

3. Governance, Security and Compliance (GRC):

Define Governance, Risk Management, and Compliance Model

4. Cloud Operations:

Define Cloud Operations Playbook, with defined roles,
 RACIs, DevSecOps Toolchains and Service Management/SRE operational models

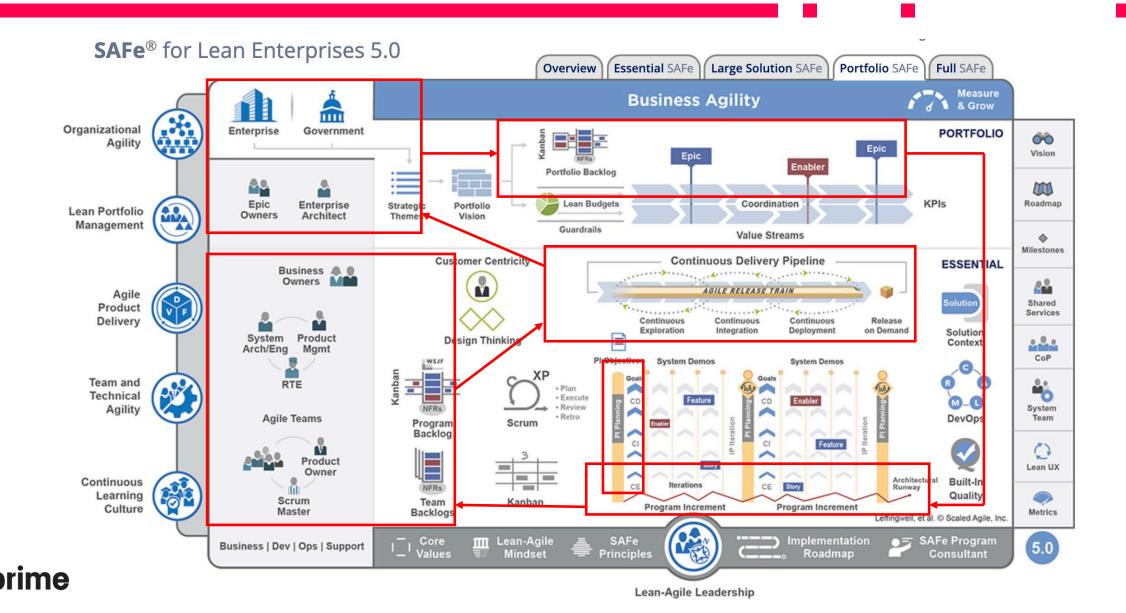


BUSINESS CONTEXT

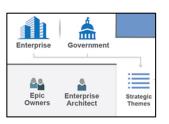
- Business: Online Retailer
- Annual Revenue: \$5B+
- Technology:
 - Heavy reliance on legacy systems
 - Hundreds of disconnected applications with overlapping capabilities
 - Disparate data sources; difficult to mine for intelligence



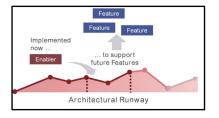
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CONNECTING CLOUD STRATEGY TO EXECUTION







Strategic Themes:

- Reduce operating costs by 40% by end of 2021
- Improve up-sell, cross-sell revenue by 25% by end of 2021

Business Epics:

- Cloud-Enable Point of Sale (POS) Systems
- Cloud-Enable Supply Chain Systems

Enabler Epics:

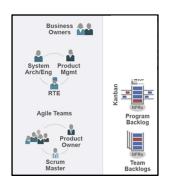
- Establish Cloud Reference Architecture: Services catalog, Data Strategy, toolchain, SLAs, etc.
- Create Cloud Adoption/Readiness Playbooks: Key roles/responsibilities, etc.
- Note: Security and Compliance addressed within each Enabler Epic

Agile Architecture Concepts:

- Intentional Architecture: Purposeful guidance to set guardrails
- Emergent Design: Teams evolve design within guardrails
- Architecture Runway: Physical implementation of design to enable business value realization



CONNECTING CLOUD STRATEGY TO EXECUTION (CONT.)

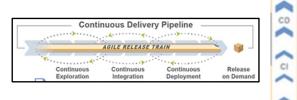


Enabler Features/Stories:

- E: Cloud Ref Arch -> F: MVP Ref Arch > S: Story 1
- E: Cloud Ref Arch -> F: MVP Ref Arch > S: Story 2

Business Features/Stories:

- E: POS-> F: Pricing (MVP) > S: Story 1
- E: POS-> F: Pricing (MVP) > S: Story 2
- E: POS-> F: Pricing (MVP) > S: Story 3 ...
- E: Supply Chain -> F: Inventory > S: Story 1
- E: Supply Chain -> F: Inventory > S: Story 2
- E: Supply Chain -> F: Inventory > S: Story 3



Key Points:

- DevOps (DevSecOps) is an organizational competency, not a specific team(s)
- The System Team can help enable Automation aspect of DevSecOps and is primarily focused on continuous integration (both at team and ART levels)
- Deployment is continuous, Release is on-demand and aligned to business need
 - MVPs: Pricing -> Strangler Pattern; Inventory Control -> Lift/Shift



CLOSING THE LOOP: PORTFOLIO SYNC

Purpose

- Manage Portfolio Intake and Flow
- Track Progress toward realized
 Value against Strategic Themes

STRATEGY & INVESTMENT FUNDING AGILE PORTFOLIO OPERATIONS

Attendees

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Monthly (generally)

- APMO Leader; Portfolio Managers, Business Owners, Enterprise Architect(s), Epic Owners
- Solution/Product Management,
 Solution/System Architects, RTEs/STEs as needed

Outputs

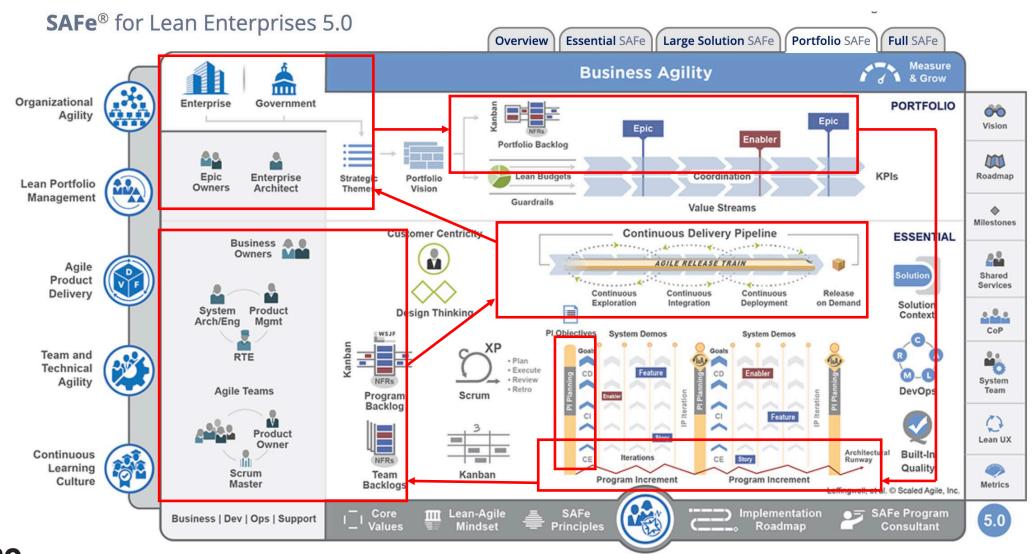
- Pivot/Persevere decision on existing Epics
- Disposition new Epics

Inputs

- Results from MVPs, New Epics for approval, etc.
- Tie back to Strategic Themes
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SUMMARY



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KEY TAKEAWAYS

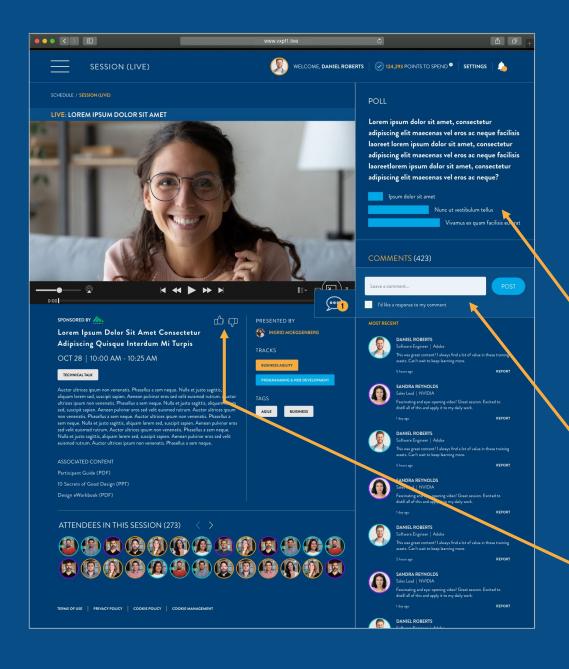
- Ensure you consider all aspects of Cloud Strategy and have a solid plan in place as you start down your journey
- Empower the organization by democratizing the key capabilities required to transformation and de-centralize decision making
- Leverage key concepts within SAFe to ensure you have the right players involved at the right time
- Leverage the Lean Startup Cycle to evolve slowly, using real feedback from your market to determine next steps



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