Using Agile Product Delivery Concepts to Drive Your SAFe Transformation

What does your CFO think about the SAFe transformation today?





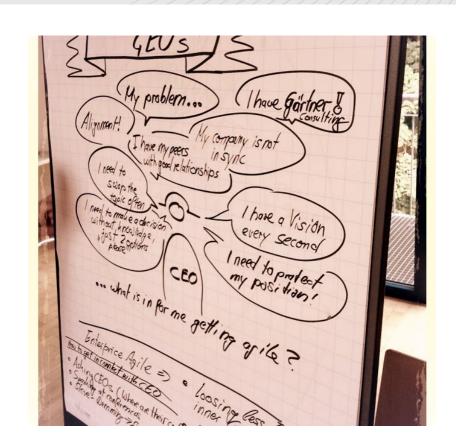
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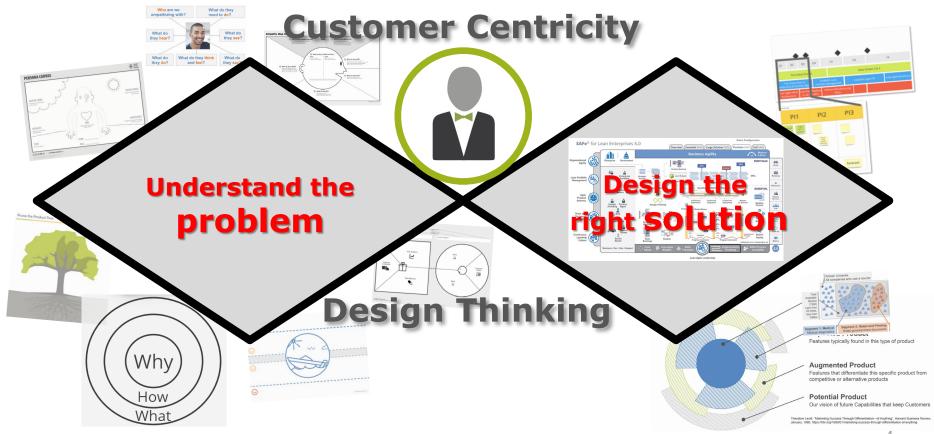
Do we solve the right problems? Speak the right language?

- ▶ Highly skilled SAFe coaches
- Great approaches for changing the organization
- People doing their best
- ▶ Lot's of guidance out there ..

Why do we see so many challenged SAFe transformations?

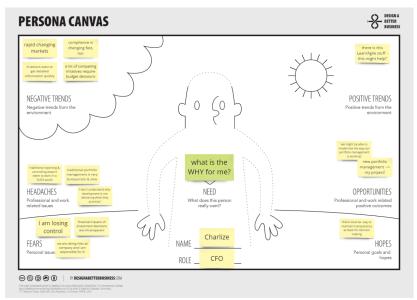


Customer centricity helps to address these challenges



Who is your customer?

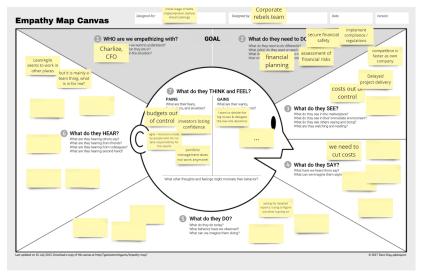
- Identify your key stakeholders ("customers")
 - The real customers
 - CxOs, middle management, innovators/engineers
 - Dev Teams, Business Teams
- Use the personas thinking tool to build understanding and consider their perspective
- Challenge the persona periodically, update as required



https://www.designabetterbusiness.tools/tools/persona-canvas

What does your customer think? Feel?

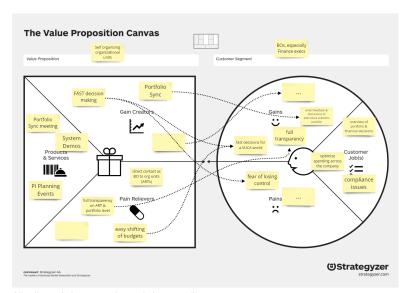
- Use the Empathy Map thinking tool to deepen your understanding for a specific context/situation
 - Early in the SAFe implementation
 - As part of the first ART launches
 - When expanding the scope (Launch more ARTs & Value Streams)
- ▶ How does Charlize feel during the SAFe transformation?



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What creates real value for your Customers?

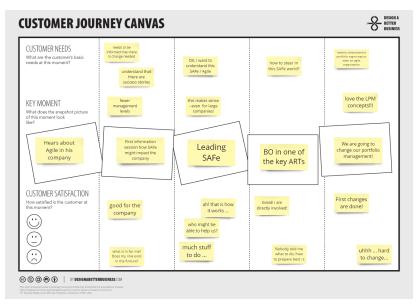
- Use the Value Proposition Canvas thinking tool to explore how value is perceived by your customer
 - Your value proposition (SAFe / Business Agility) as seen by your customer (segment)
- ▶ Does your solution (SAFe) help the customers to get their job done?
- Which pains do you address with your transformation?
- What does the customer gain with the transformation?



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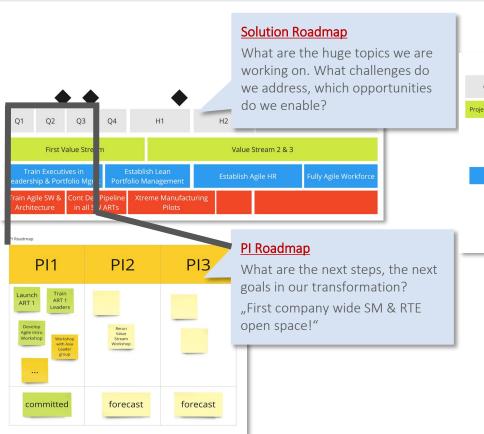
How does change feel for them?

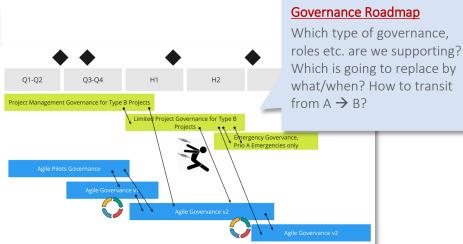
- What do customers/stakeholders think about the change during critical key moments?
 - Early stage
 - Moments in which stakeholders are involved in person
- ▶ Find ways to strengthen positive outcomes, minimizing customer dissatisfaction
- ▶ Interview your customers to validate



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Use Roadmaps to forster transparency & alignment



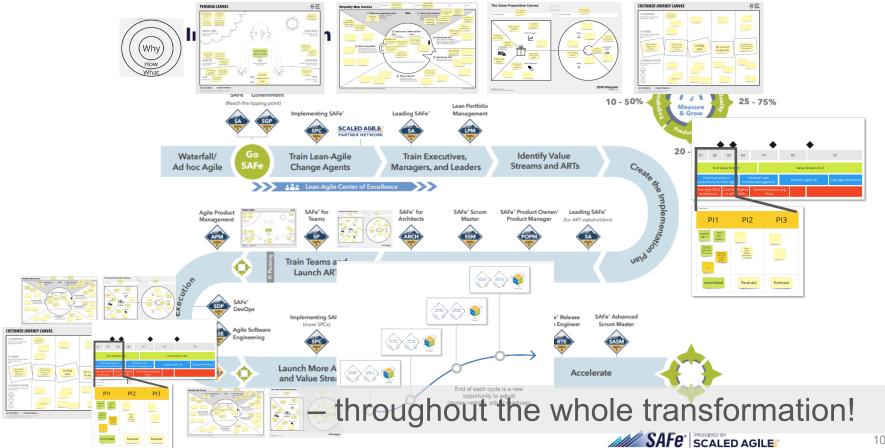


Prune the Product Tree

What is on the mind of our stakeholders?

Which topics first, which later?
Which investments are required?

Keep the thinking tools alive



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