Quiz 4 – Scrum Team Accountabilities 1a

1. The scrum team consists of a number of roles. What are they?
   (This was discussed in lecture 'Scrum Team Accountabilities')
        a. Scrum Master, Product Owner, Design Team, Tech Team.
        b. Scrum Master, Product Owner, Developers.
        c. Scrum Master, Product Owner, Project Team.
   Correct Answer: Option b - Scrum Master, Product Owner, Developers

2. Which of the following is true about the number of developers in a scrum team?
        a. Scrum does not prescribe the number of developers, only advises on the number of people in the scrum team.
        b. The number of developers must be between 3 and 7.
        c. The number of developers must be between 3 and 9.

   Correct Answer: Option a - Scrum does not prescribe the number of developers, only advises on the number of people in the scrum team.

3. Which role is responsible (among other things) for maximizing the product's value?
   (This was discussed in lecture 'Scrum Team Accountabilities')
        a. The Development team should be doing this themselves.
        b. The Scrum Master.
        c. The Product Owner.
   Correct Answer: Option c - The Product Owner.

Quiz 5 – Scrum Team Accountabilities 1b

1. Which of the following statements is FALSE:
        a. The team is accountable for managing the product backlog.
        b. The product owner is accountable for managing the product backlog.
        c. The scrum master helps the product owner to find techniques for effective product backlog management.
   Correct Answer: Option a – The team is accountable for managing the product backlog.
   Explanation:
   Option a – Well done, it is FALSE: The Product Owner is the sole person accountable for managing the Product Backlog. Though he can delegate activities to ensure this is done.
   Option b – Incorrect answer. The statement is true. The scrum guide states that the Product Owner is the sole person accountable for managing the Product Backlog.
   Option c – Incorrect answer. This is actually a true statement. The scrum master helps not only the team but the product owner to find ways to improve (including backlog management)

2. Which of the following is FALSE?
        a. The product owner should consider others while prioritizing the product backlog.

b. Scrum is designed such that the senior stakeholders must make the final call on product decisions.

c. The product owner's decisions must be respected by the organization.

Correct Answer: Option b - Scrum is designed such that the senior stakeholders must make the final call on product decisions.

Explanation:

Option a – Incorrect answer. Please try again. The statement is true because the product owner considers the stakeholders when prioritizing the product backlog.

Option b – Correct answer. The statement is false. For the Product Owner to succeed, the entire organization must respect his or her decisions.

Option c – Incorrect answer. The statement is true! For the Product Owner to succeed, the entire organization must respect his or her decisions.

3. Which of the following is NOT an essential action for a scrum team?
    a. It MUST consist of Product Owner, Scrum Master and Developers.
    b. Scrum teams work to deliver a product increment each sprint.
    c. Scrum teams MUST use software tools to be at their best.

Correct Answer: Option c - Scrum teams MUST use software tools to be at their best.

Explanation:

Option a – Incorrect answer. Product Owner, Scrum Master and Developers are the only 3 accountabilities in a scrum team! See the scrum guide.

Option b – Incorrect answer. Iterative and incremental delivery in sprints is part of the foundation of scrum defined in the Scrum Guide

Option c – Good job! Tools often help and it is often the best decision to use them, but are NOT essential in a scrum team.

4. What is the recommended size of a Scrum Team?
    a. Typically 10 or fewer people.
    b. Typically between 3 and 9 people.
    c. Typically between 1 and 5 people.

Correct Answer: Option a – Typically 10 or fewer people.

Quiz 6 – Scrum Team Accountabilities 1c

1. The Scrum Master understands the scrum rules and framework, however which of the following groups does he have the authority to coach:
    (This was discussed in lecture 'Scrum Team Accountabilities')
    a. The developers only
    b. Anyone in the organization
    c. The entire scrum team only

Correct Answer: Option b – Anyone in the organization.

Explanation: The scrum master has the authority to coach anyone in the organization

2. Which of the following statements is TRUE regarding the developers:
    (This was discussed in lecture 'Scrum Team Accountabilities')

a. The Developers can consist of any role necessary to deliver the potentially releasable increment. The only exception is the testers who help the developers but are part of the test team.
b. The Developers can consist of any role necessary to deliver the potentially releasable increment. The exception is the Designers who are the only members of the Scrum Team considered to be outside of the Developers.
c. The Developers consists of any role necessary to deliver the potentially releasable increment. There are no sub-teams.

Correct Answer: Option c - The Developers consists of any role necessary to deliver the potentially releasable increment. There are no sub-teams.

Explanation: Scrum has only 3 Accountabilities. Product Owner, Scrum Master and Developers.

3. You are the scrum master asked to advise on the size of the scrum team. Which team size is outside a typical team size for a scrum team:
(This was discussed in lecture 'Summary - Scrum Team Accountabilities')
   a. 5
   b. 7
   c. 11

Correct Answer: Option c – 11

Explanation: Typical Scrum Team size is 10 or fewer. Scrum finds that smaller teams communicate better and are more productive.