

## Lesson 1.1: Module 1 Introduction

# DEVOPS CULTURE AND MINDSET

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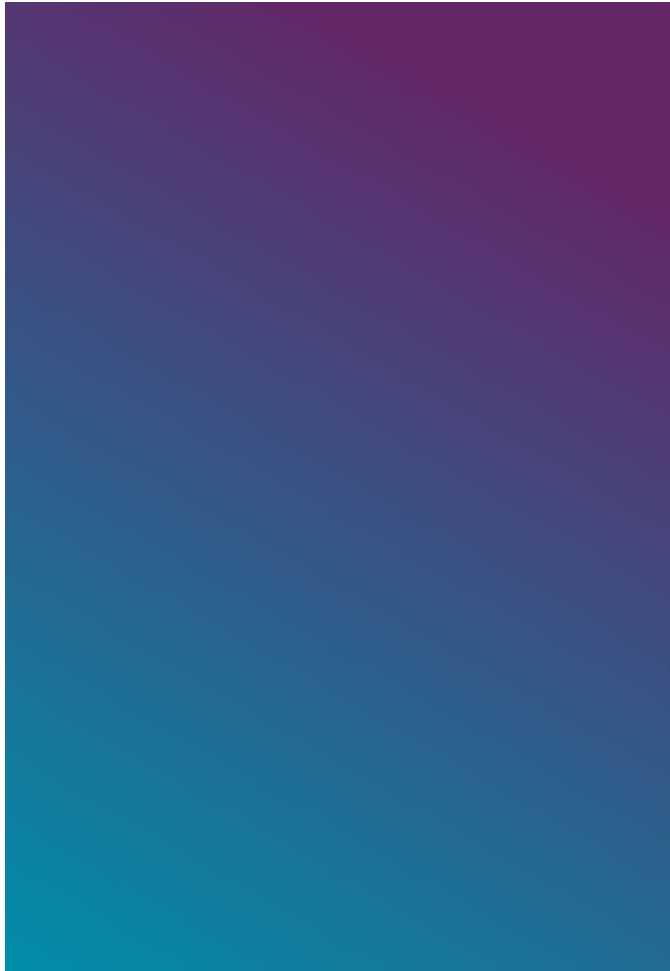


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## Module 1: DevOps Fundamentals

- Define DevOps

- Discuss key DevOps principles

- Discuss DevOps as extension of Lean

- Map Lean principles to the software industry

- Explain each of the “Three Ways” in DevOps



## Lean Values in DevOps

Break down historic silos

Improve **collaboration** between  
**Development** and **Operations**

Streamline and **improve work** in key ways

Cultural focus: **Deliver value** to customer

## Key DevOps Acronyms

### CAMS

**C**ulture

**A**utomation

**M**easurement

**S**haring

### CALMS

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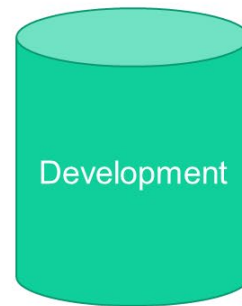
## Defining DevOps

“DevOps is about **humans**. DevOps is a set of practices and patterns that turn **human capital** into high-performance **organizational capital**.”

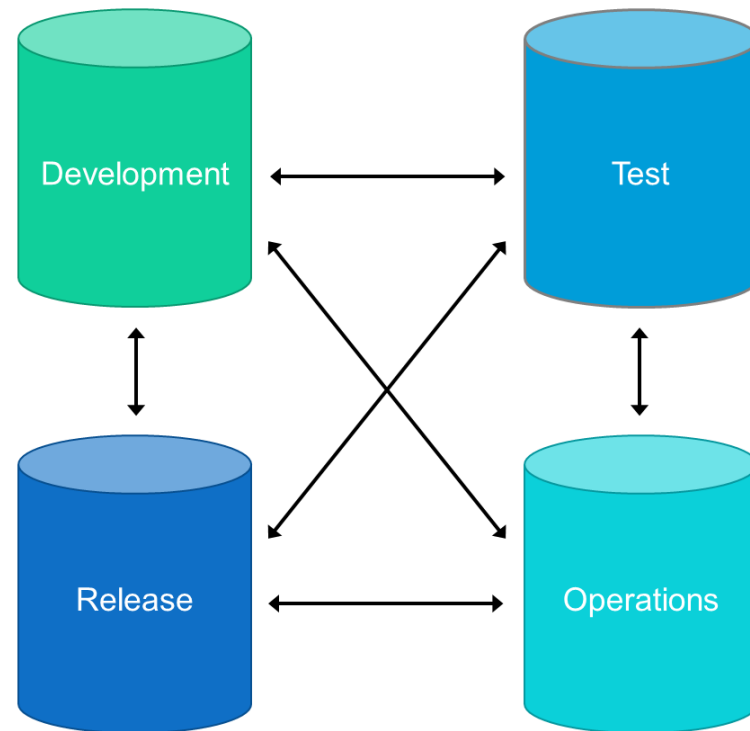
– *John Willis*



## From 4 Silos into 1 Team



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## **Introducing The Three Ways**

1. Systems thinking
2. Amplifying feedback loops
3. A culture of continuous experimentation and learning

Developed by Gene Kim and Mike Orzen





## Systems Thinking

Emphasizes **performance** of entire system

**Collaboration** across functional lines

Focuses on IT-enabled **value streams**



## **Amplifying Feedback Loops**

### **Feedback Loop:**

A process that allows for reflection on its own output before determining the next steps that need to be completed



## A Culture of Continual Experimentation and Learning

**Create** that culture!

Encourage **risk-taking** & **failing forward**

Affirm that **repetition** in practice is a **prerequisite to mastery**



## **Addressing the Biggest Challenge**

Figure out how to protect capacity

When pressure's on delivery trumps experimentation and learning

Leaders who balance capacity with experimentation and learning are key



## Consider Chaos Engineering

Check out the Netflix **Chaos Monkey**

Use **Resilience Engineering** to prepare for outages

Create culture where it's **safe to take risks**



## **Principle #1:** **Eliminate Waste**

Don't code more features than needed



## **Principle #2:** **Build Quality In**

"Quality is everyone's responsibility."

*- W. Edwards Deming*

Verify that quality is built into the product  
and process



## **Principle #3:** **Create Knowledge**

AKA: Amplifying learning

Development is constant learning





## **Principle #4:** **Defer Commitment**

Make decisions at the right time

After analysis and consideration

Delay decisions until you have more info



## **Principle #5:** **Deliver Fast**

Ensure feedback received early & often

Allow for course correction

Smaller batches allow you to deliver faster



## **Principle #6:** **Respect People**

Lack respect for people in your culture?

Lean and DevOps falls apart



## **Principle #7:** **Optimize the Whole**

Employ systems thinking