

What is Scrum and how does it work?



LECTURE
SUMMARY

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Explaining the Scrum methodology

- ▶ There are two Agile development methodologies:
Scrum and Kanban

Scrum is the most common and it works like this:

- 1. The sprint planning meeting

- you take the most important features from the top of your product backlog and you move it to the sprint backlog
- you talk about what needs to be done in order to implement it
- you put the work into a project management software, and into tickets

- 2. The start of the developing process

- a sprint usually takes 2 weeks
- your team works on the tickets by taking them off the top of the sprint backlog and moving them to "In progress" and then to "Done"
- at the end of the 2 weeks, you should have completed everything in the sprint backlog; if not, they go into the next sprint

● 3. Standup meetings

- daily meetings held in the mornings
- people remain standing during the meeting, in order for it to remain brief and concise
- every team member makes a summary of their work

● 4. Retrospective meetings

- you meet with your team at the end of each sprint
- you talk about 3 main things: the last sprint, what went well and what didn't, any questions people have

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