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Agile Development

Topic 4:
Roles, Skills and Team Structures


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Topic 4 Coverage

This topic will cover:

- How do teams work?
- Team size and style
- Agile roles and responsibilities




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Group Exercise - How do Teams Work?

- You are now going to be put into groups.
- Once in your groups you need to decide on a group name and come up with at least three things that you feel you would need to know to work effectively as a team.





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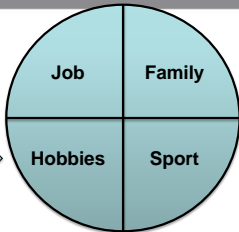



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Group Exercise - How do Teams Work?

You now need to find out something **unique** about your group.

- Draw a circle and split in into 4 quadrants and label them as shown.
- Fill this in as a group to identify things you have in common.
- Can you find something that is **unique** about your group?



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DSDM Agile Teams

Agile teams are:


- Self-directed
- Small
- Composed of users and developers with equal responsibility
- Subject to re-structuring if team is not working
- Underpinned by a team success approach/no blame culture

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Team Roles and Responsibilities



Project team:


- Project Manager
- Business Sponsor
- Technical Co-Ordinator
- Business Visionary
- Team Leader


Solution Development Team:

- Business Ambassador
- Solution Developer
- Business Analyst
- Solution Tester

External Support:

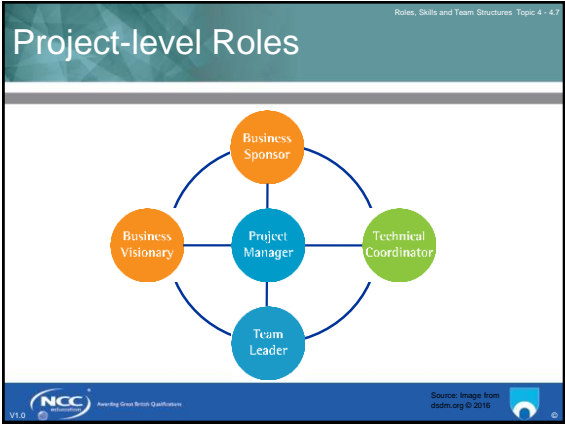
- Business Advisor
- Workshop Facilitator

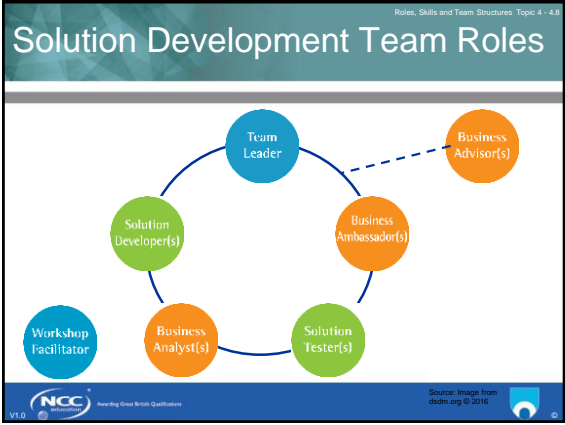
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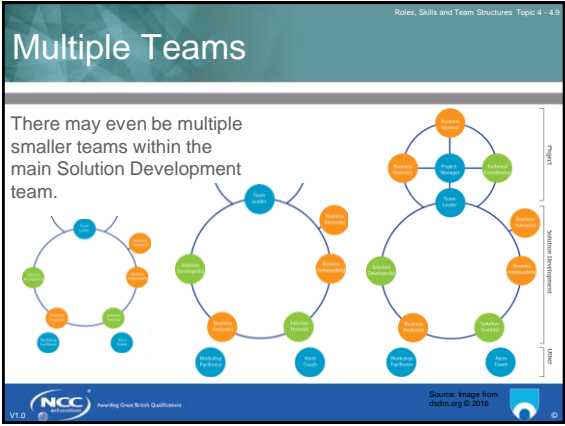
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Specialist Roles – 1

Specialists may be brought in as required, including but not restricted to:

- Business consultants
- Technical consultants
- Specialist in human factors
- Configuration manager
- Quality manager

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Specialist Roles – 2

- Systems integrator
- Operations co-ordinator
- Support and maintenance specialists

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Summary of Roles, Skills and Responsibilities – 1

How do teams work?

- Self-directed
- As equals
- With communication

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Summary of Roles, Skills and Responsibilities – 2

Team size and style

- Will vary from project to project
- Likely to work in small teams feeding into the overall project

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Summary of Roles, Skills and Responsibilities – 3

Agile roles and responsibilities:

- Project Manager
- Business Sponsor
- Technical Co-Ordinator
- Business Visionary
- Team Leader
- Business Ambassador

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Summary of Roles, Skills and Responsibilities – 4

- Solution Developer
- Business Analyst
- Solution Tester

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