Lean Boot Camp

In three days, this class examines individual and organizational lean leadership concepts and practices. This 24-hour class extends lean leader’s basic lean knowledge and understanding to include how to establish and develop a strong lean culture, enhance individual and organizational accountability and responsibility, create a more in-depth understanding of systems and processes, improve and nurture an environment that supports ongoing problem solving to the root cause level, establish leader standard work, and identify wastes that impede organizational excellence.

Participants expand their understanding and knowledge of basic lean operations by learning about value-added aspects of lean leadership and implementation. Value stream mapping is introduced and experienced as participants create VSMs to identify waste and obstacles and to develop improvement options. Effective and efficient problem solving approaches in a lean environment are also explored and practiced.

As lean is based on broad-based involvement of all employees, this class examines the lean culture and how the lean concepts add value throughout an organization. Lean workforce development concepts and practices such as TWI and performance management are also explored.

Topics included in this class

- Lean leadership fundamentals: building an organization without waste
- Lean principles and practices for pointing the way for all organizations
- The lean culture: establishment and development through accountability and responsibility
- Improvement and Coaching
- Value stream mapping to eliminate waste & increase velocity
- Problem solving approaches in a lean environment: PDCA, Eight-step and A3-thinking
- Lean speed improvement practices such as “Quick changeover”
- Coaching, mentoring, and team building in lean environments
- Training within industry (TWI) practices and performance management practices
- Lean leadership standard work practices

Course Fee: $599

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