



DSDM ATERN

Atern is the latest version of DSDM, the proven Agile Project Delivery Framework. Atern works for projects of all types and helps to deliver results quickly and effectively. It concentrates on strategic goals and incremental delivery of real business benefits while keeping control of cost, risk and quality. Business Agility is enabled through self-directed, empowered teams working together in a supportive and collaborative manner. Atern can be applied to a wide range of projects from small developments all the way up to full scale business process change.

DSDM Atern is free to view online at www.dsdm.org and free to use within your own organisation.

DSDM ATERN AWARENESS

This course provides an introduction to DSDM Atern. It explores the benefits and risks of using this approach in comparison with more traditional waterfall approaches to solution development projects. It will enable delegates to see the advantages of this approach for early delivery of business benefit. It also addresses the fact that many projects are evolutionary; **results cannot be defined fully at the outset and the project must embrace change and manage this.**

Course Objectives

This course will enable delegates to:

- Understand the concepts and benefits of Agile development
- Understand why many projects are evolutionary
- Understand the philosophy, approach and principles of DSDM Atern
- Recognise the DSDM Atern lifecycle and products
- Appreciate the roles and skills needed in a DSDM Atern project team
- Recognise the techniques available for collaborative working
- Understand the concepts of timeboxed planning and prioritisation
- Appreciate how DSDM Atern leads to delivery on time, in budget, every time

Who Should Attend

Those wishing to gain an appreciation of Agile projects, and the DSDM Atern approach and benefits. These will include:

- Business Managers
- Project Sponsors
- Project Managers
- Business Analysts
- Solution Analysts, Designers and Implementers
- User Representatives and subject matter experts
- Quality Assurance and Quality Control personnel

Course Duration: 1 day

Course Code: DSATA

Detailed Course Content

Philosophy, Approach and Principles

What is DSDM Atern?
Background and evolution of DSDM Atern
Philosophy, approach and principles
Flexibility of requirements, 80/20 approach
Prioritisation and MoSCoW
Benefits of DSDM Atern

Framework and Products

Framework and lifecycle overview
Optional products
Elements and plug-ins
Implementing agility with the products

Roles and Responsibilities

Governance issues
Roles and skills
Agility and team structures

Techniques and Tools

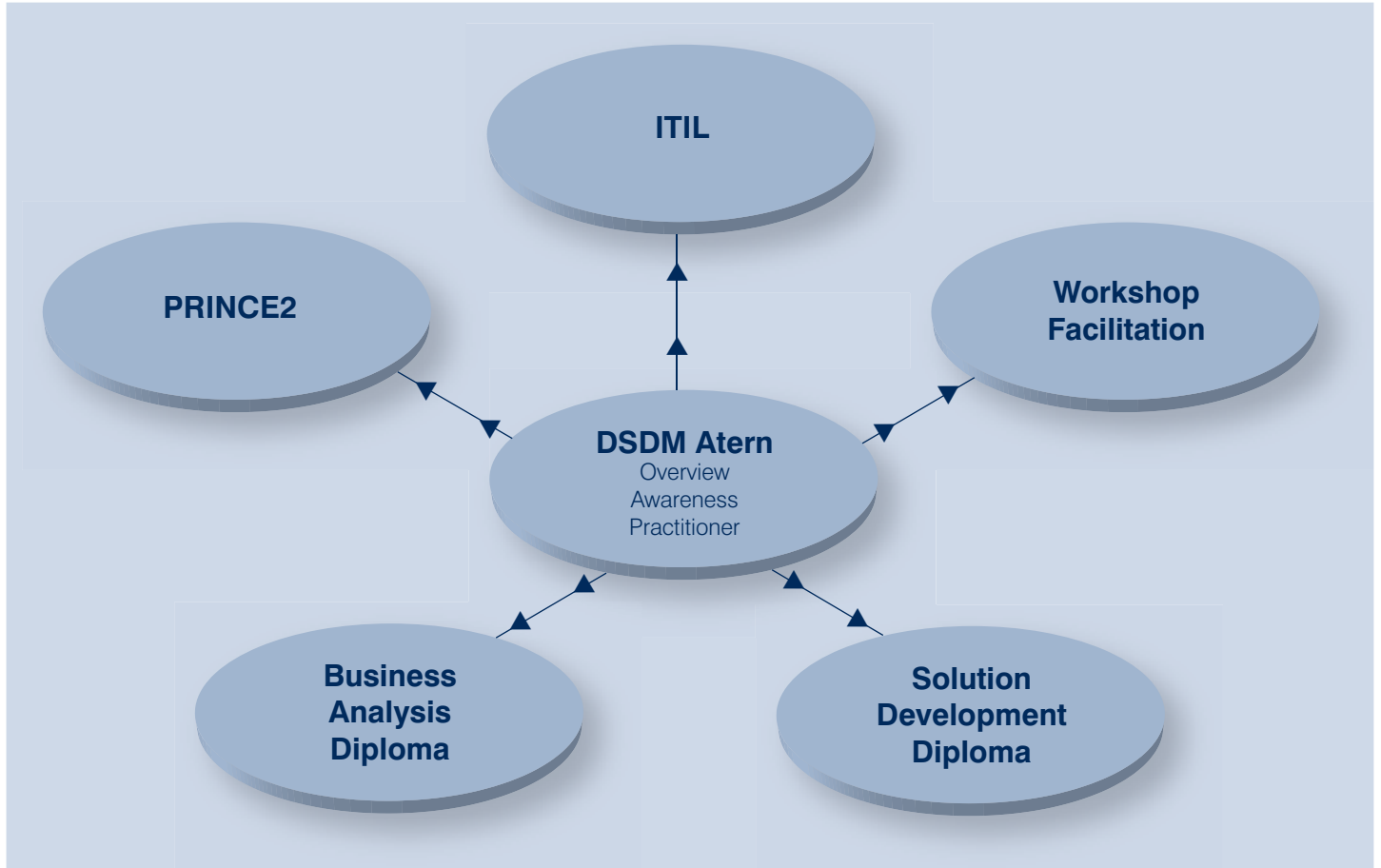
Facilitated workshops
Modelling and prototyping
Requirements management
The MoSCoW rules
Timeboxing and estimating
Timebox planning

Pre-requisites and evening study

There are no pre-requisites for the course, although delegates may wish to familiarise themselves with the method by reading the Atern pocketbook or accessing the full DSDM Atern method online at www.dsdm.org.



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More Information

If you would like to discuss anything further, please email us at contact@tcc-net.com

For upcoming dates on our public schedule and prices, please visit our website at www.tcc-net.com

If you have four or more people to train and would like this course run in-house, please **call us** for further details.