

KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER

Function: Operations

Product: Lean Leader®

Lean Leader®: Drive Lean initiatives using proven tools and true Lean roadmaps.

Benefits:

By turning a project manager into a Lean Leader® (the equivalent of a Black Belt level), your organization can leverage the true advantages of a Lean initiative.

Immediate results (and potential future returns) through training-focused Kaizen Events. Train-Do-Train-Teach.

Individual Lean implementation plans for every major area of your business.

Duration:

Four weeks of classroom training
Two-One week-long Kaizen Series

Participants:

High-potential future leaders

Location:

Participants' Site

Consultants:

Bios and references provided at time of engagement.

In today's business environment, maintaining a competitive edge is the only way to stay in business. From local to global competition, company managers are looking for ways to remain competitive, increase innovative thinking and stay profitable. A Lean-driven initiative can result in reducing costs and cycle time, improving customer satisfaction and delivering better quality. Lean eliminate all forms of non-value added items while enhancing customer value.

Project managers who are armed with the right tools, true Lean roadmaps, implementation knowledge and real-world, hands-on experience can drive Lean into the operations side of the business. Taking knowledge transfer to a new level, Lean Leader® turns Lean project managers into exceptional performers.

First: The Tools

The course starts off with the strength of Lean methodology: a concentration on the Lean tool kit. Here participants will gain insights into the powers and proper use of Lean tools. This key lesson is followed by the preparations for a Kaizen event that includes problem statement definition, scope, baseline measurements, goals and objectives and Kaizen team on-boarding.

Hands-On, Real-World Experience

Once there is an understanding of the Lean tools, the participants take what they have learned into practice. First, an SBTI Consultant will lead the team through a Kaizen event. After debriefing, the team takes the reins of their own Kaizen, with the SBTI Consultant acting as a facilitator. Finally the participants will concentrate on Value Stream Mapping, gap analysis, project identification and selection and the management of Lean projects.

Week 1 Lead by SBTI, classroom training starts with a concentration on Lean tools, including simulations, 5S, OEE, Takt Time and Lean Assessment.

Week 2 Further concentration on special tools and Kaizen prep including project statement definition, scope, baseline measurement, goals and objectives.

Kaizen Series 1 First Kaizen event lead by participant team and facilitated by SBTI Consultant, usually allowing for three events.

Week 3 Debriefing on Kaizen event, sustaining metric and the Control Phase, FMEA, process control and management. Prep for next Kaizen.

Kaizen Series 2 Second Kaizen event facilitated by participant team and supported by SBTI Consultant acting as their full-time coach and advisor.

Week 4 Post-Kaizen debriefing. Finalize Control plans to properly assimilate into organization. Focus on Lean Implementation Design and Value Stream Mapping.

A balance between the right tools, proper preparation and proven procedures will help the Lean Leader® achieve the greatest returns.



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