



IT Project Management

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Über mich

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- 44 Jahre
- IBM Deutschland GmbH
- Projekt Management mit Schwerpunkt *Business Transformation* und *System Integration*
- Certified PMP
- Certified IBM Senior PM



Themen des Vortrages

- Was ist wichtig bei Projekten?
- Praxisbezogene Beispiele
- Wie läuft PM bei IBM
- Transformation von IT Projekt Management zur Hochzeitsplanung
- Wichtigste PM Focus Areas



Ziel des Vortrages

- Verinnerlichen der Bandbreite von Project Management
- Project Manager als Profession
- Komplexität von PM vermitteln
- Interesse wecken (praxisnahe Tipps)



Project

What is a project ? :

WWPMM (WorldWide Standard Project Management Method) supports both of the following common and equivalent definitions:

- A temporary endeavor undertaken to produce an unique product or service.
 - Operations (such as manufacturing) and projects differ primarily in that operations are ongoing and repetitive, while projects are temporary and unique (from PMI / Project Management Institute)

- A unique process, consisting of a set of coordinated and controlled activities with start and finish dates, undertaken to achieve an objective conforming to specific requirements, including the constraints of time, cost and resources (from ISO 10006)

Project Management

What is project management ?

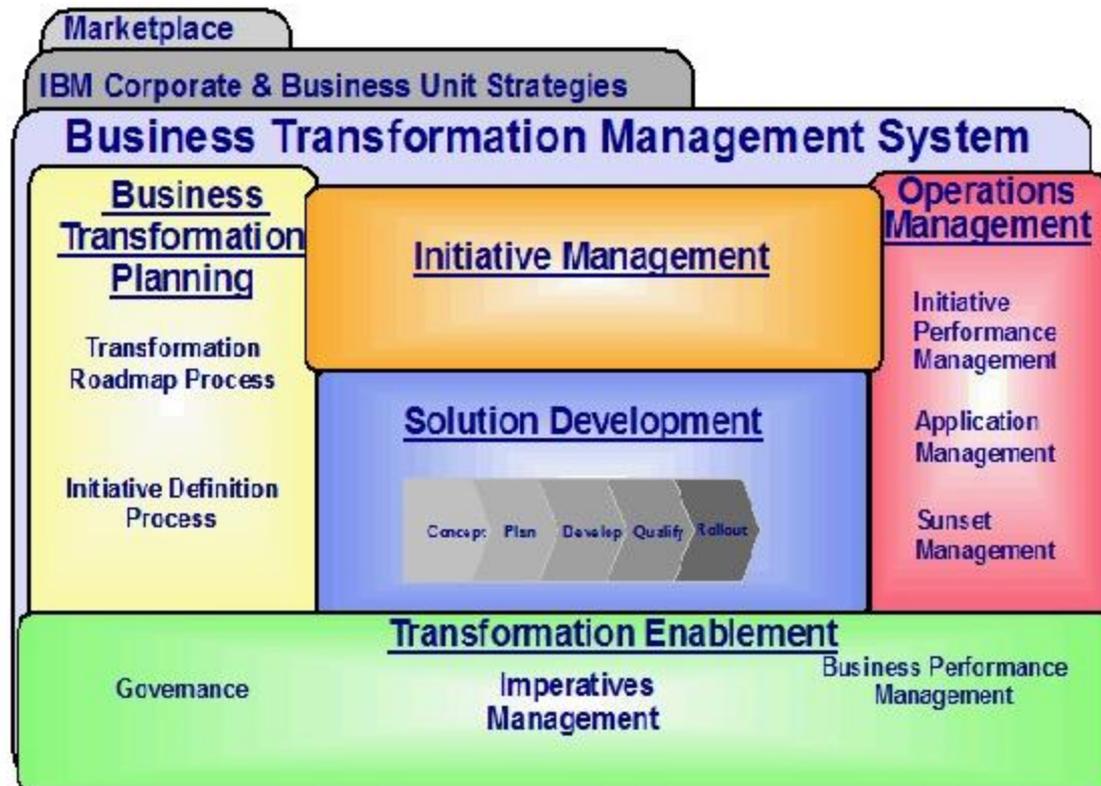
- The application of knowledge, skills, tools, and techniques to project activities for the purpose of meeting or exceeding stakeholder objectives and expectations (from PMI)
- The planning, organizing, monitoring, and controlling of all aspects of the project in a continuous process to achieve its objectives (from ISO 10006)

Methodology

BTMT = Business Transformation Management Tool

BTMS = Business Transformation Management System

<http://w3-03.ibm.com/transform/cio.nsf/main/BTMS>



Selection of Engagement Methodology

Why do we use Engagement Models?



BTOP



ASAP



GS Method

CRM

SE&A

.... plenty of others

Feasibility Study

High-Level

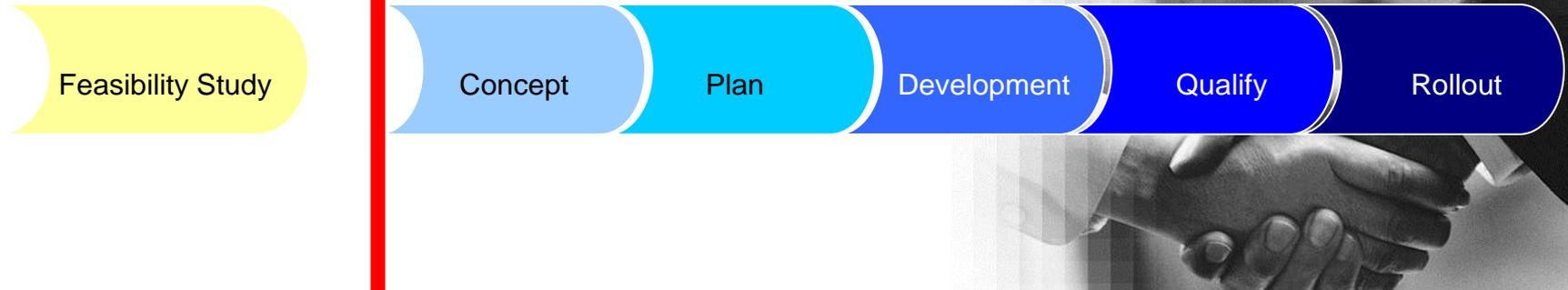
- Business Case
- Timeline
- Architecture Analysis
- Expert evaluation
- Experiences
- Assumptions
- etc.



Project Authorization

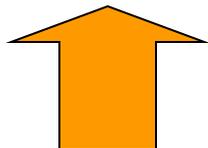
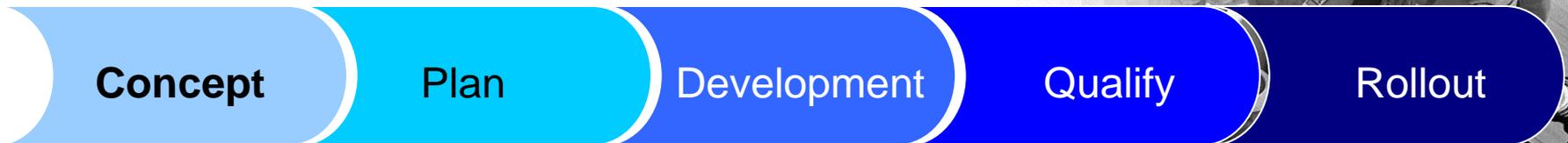
Project Charter

- Responsible Executives
- Objective
- High Level business scope / Timeline
- Project Team
- Project Communication
- IPMT Acceptance and Authorization
(Integrated Portfolio Management Team)
- Budget Source / Project Funding
- Project Charter Signatures



Concept Phase

- Objective Definition
- Kick-off Meeting
- Project Team Charter
 - Team Behaviors
 - How to communicate
- Roles & Responsibilities
- Detailed Communication Plan
 - Purpose of Meetings, Schedule, Owner
- Architecture Proposal
- Stakeholder / Sponsor Definition Session
- Risk / Issue / Assumption Analysis
- Tool Definition
- Business Requirement Definition
- Definition of Key Milestones / Timeline
- Cost estimate (ROM sizing = Rough Order Magnitude)

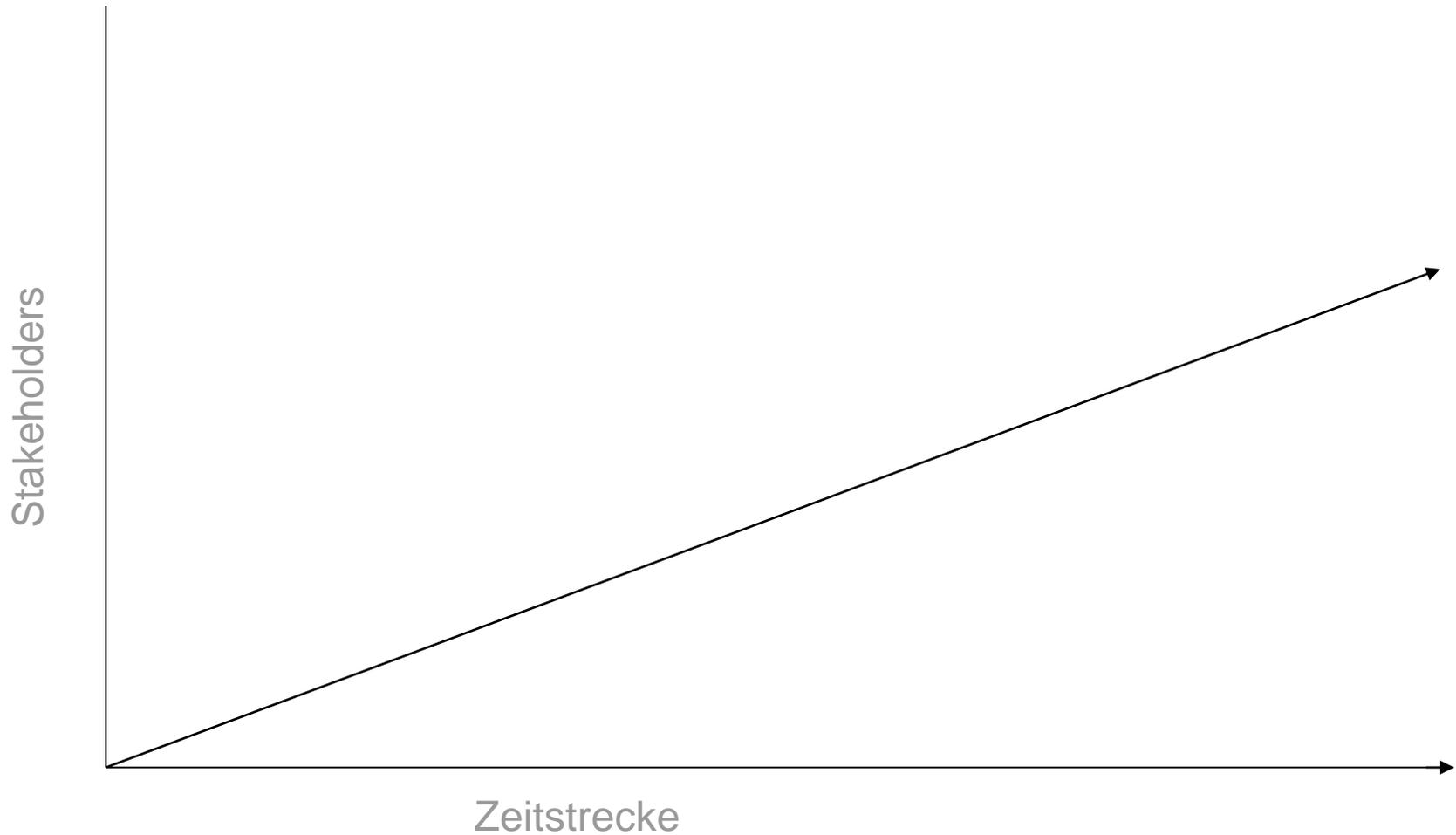


Stakeholder Management

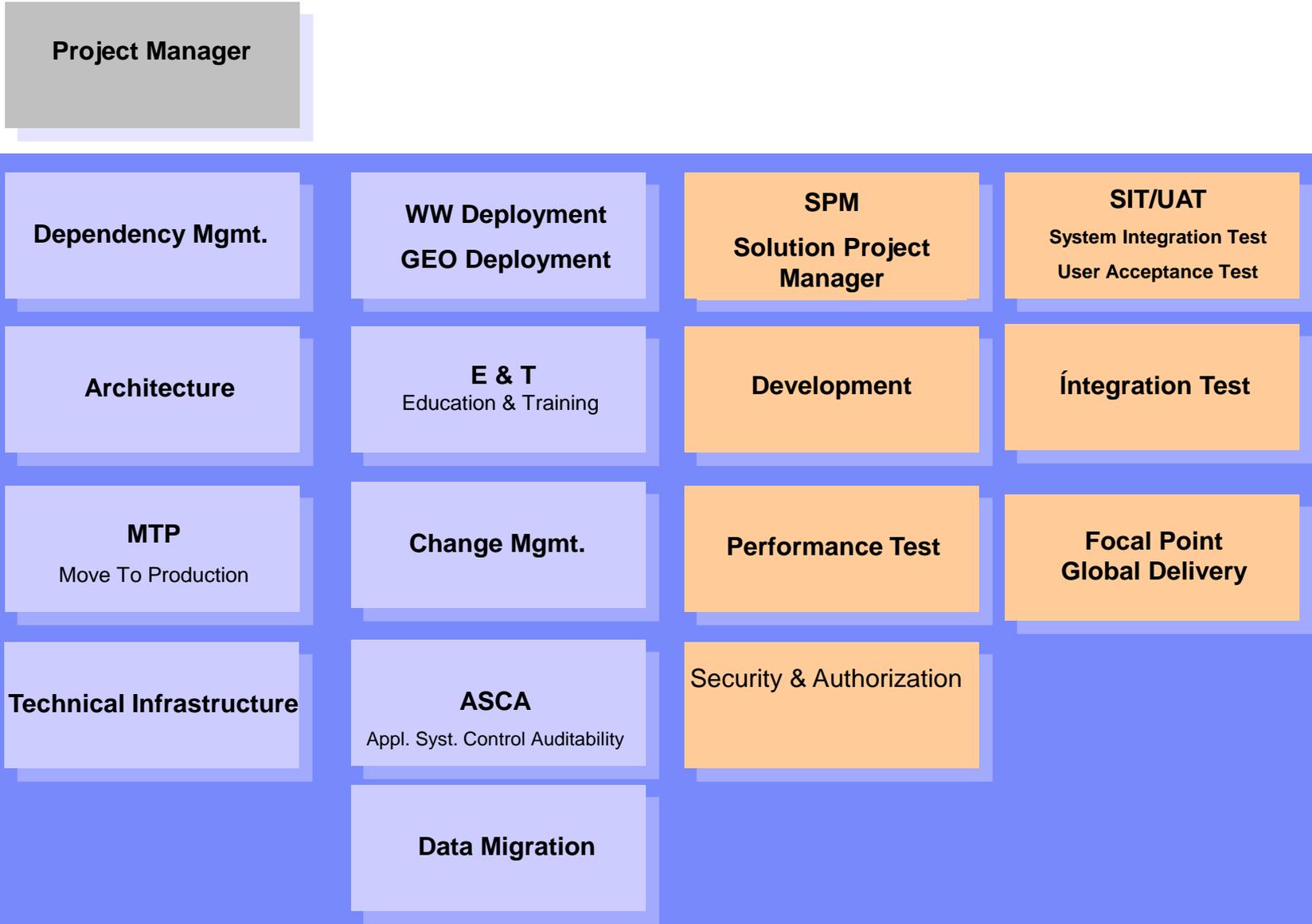
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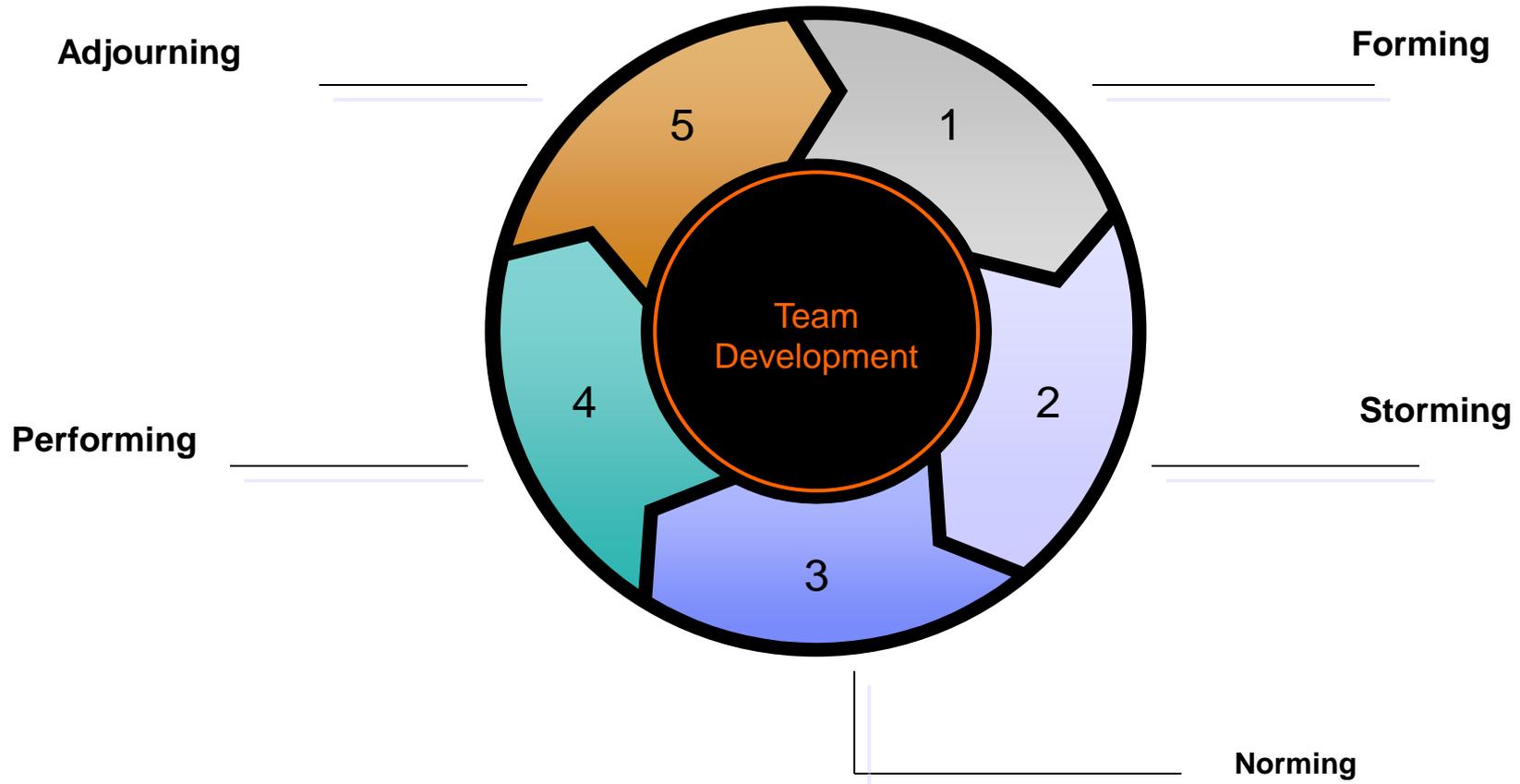
Stakeholder Communication



Example of Project Team



Team Development Model nach Bruce Tuckman



In Storming phase Leader = Coach !



= gut zuhören und Probleme erkennen



= aufmerksam beobachten



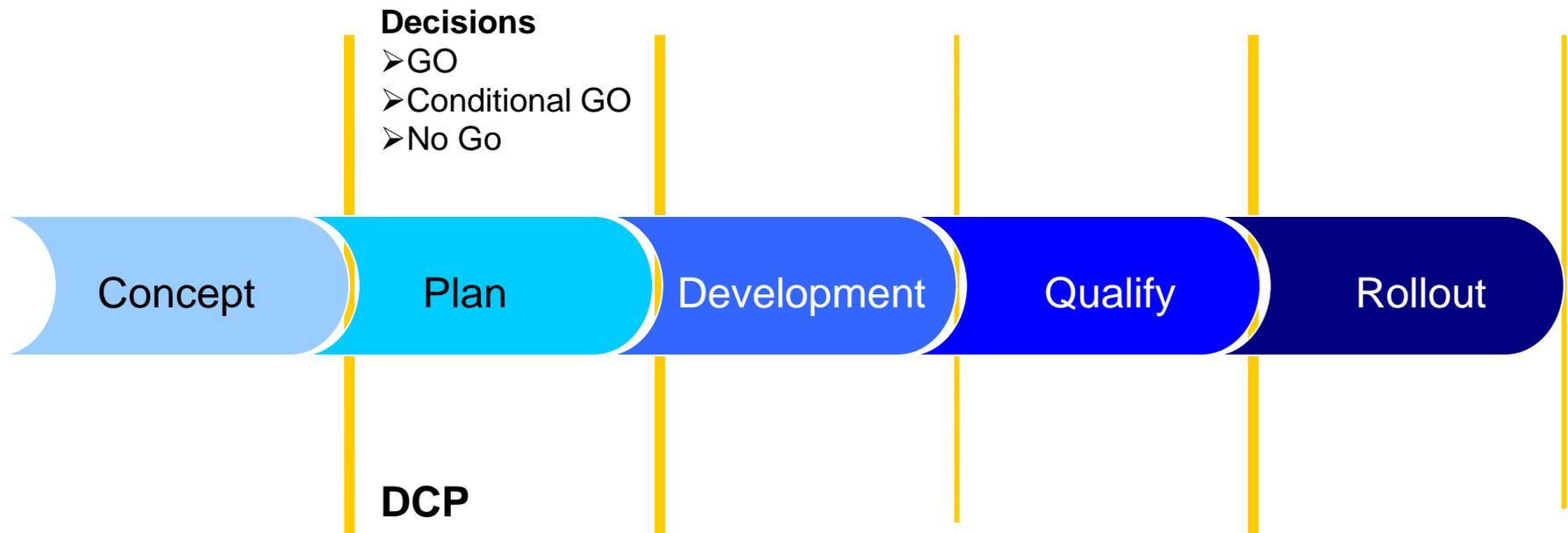
= nur einschreiten, wenn unbedingt notwendig

Decision Control Points (=DCP)



Checkpoint for :

- Scope
- Financials
- Timeline
- Project Health
- Key Issues
- Key Risks

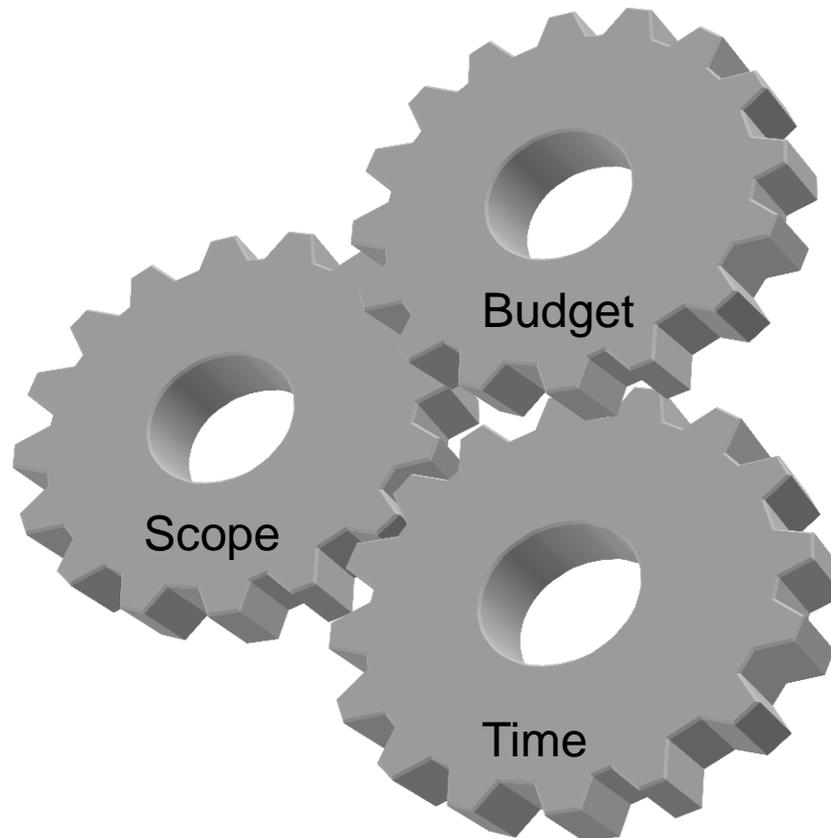


Plan Phase

- Transforming Business requirement to technical requirements
- Final Scope Definition (report card)
- Detailed MSP Plans
 - Definition of WBS (**W**ork **B**reakdown **S**tructure)
 - Resource assignments
- Developing Mitigation Plans for key risks and monitoring of minor risks
- Verify assumptions and transform into possible risks
- Architecture Definition
- Final Dependency Interlock
- Final Code Drop Dates / Test windows / MTP date
- Early Readiness Review
- Contracts (SOW, DOU)
- Communication → Change Management started
- Final Definition of Key Milestones
- Stakeholder / Sponsor Walkthrough
- Education Planning



Triple Constraints



EVM

Earned Value Method

Examples of measurements

BAC = Budget at completion

CPI = Cost Performance Indicator

SPI = Schedule Performance Indicator

EV = Earned Value

Concept

Plan

Development

Qualify

Rollout

Development Phase

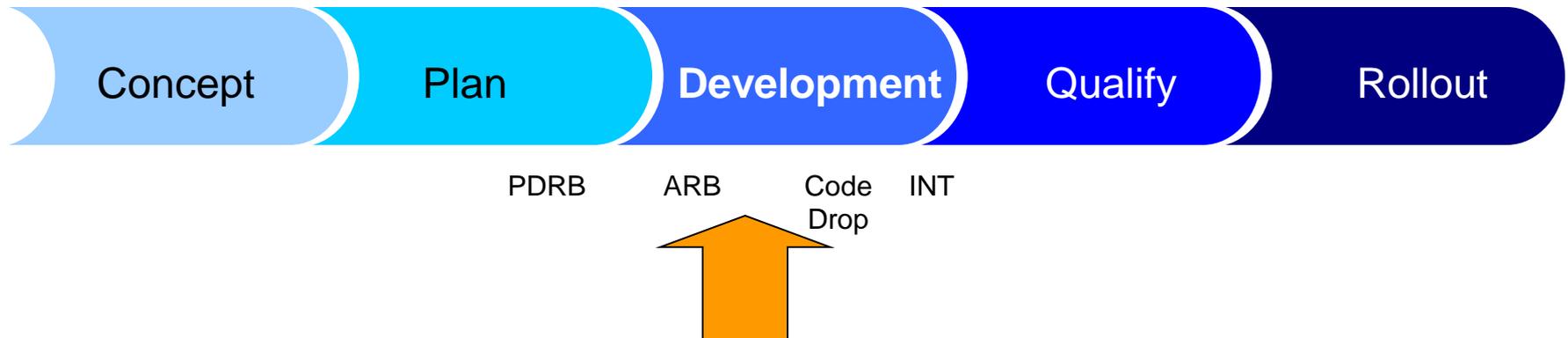
- Solution Design (Plan Phase)
- PDRB = Process Definition Review Board (Plan Phase)
 - ASCA
 - Deployment
 - Partners
 - Stakeholder
- ARB = Architecture Review Board
- Code Development
- Code Drop
- Documentation
- Integration Test (INT)



Dependency Mgmt.



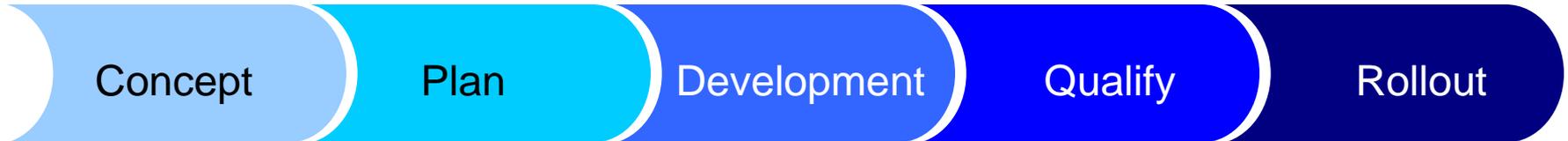
Education & Training



Development Phase

Interlock, especially by late deliverables

Code Drop \leftrightarrow Test Start



Qualify Phase

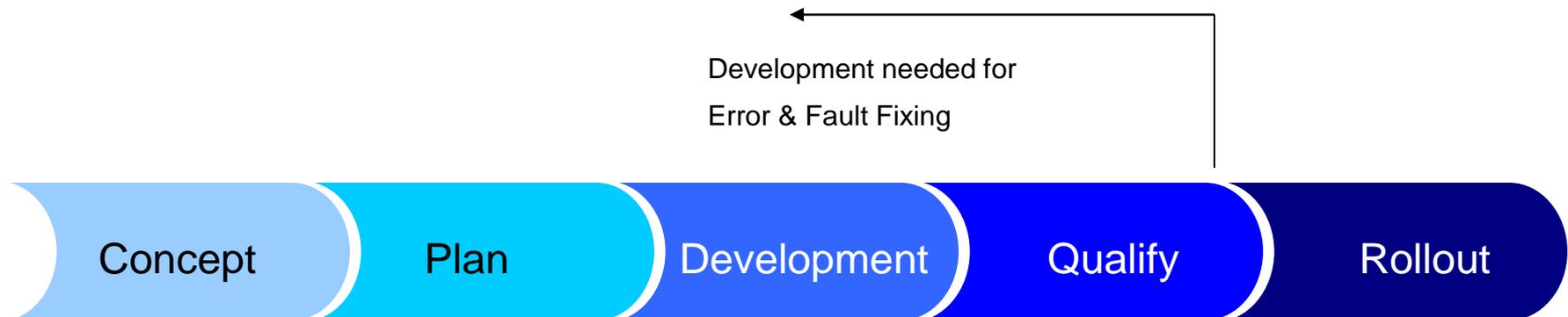
- Test Data Mgmt.
- Ongoing Development support for Error & Fault fixing needed
- Regression Test
- System Integration Test (End to End Testing)
- Performance Test
- User Acceptance Test
- Education & Training



End of Qualify Phase

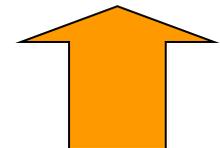
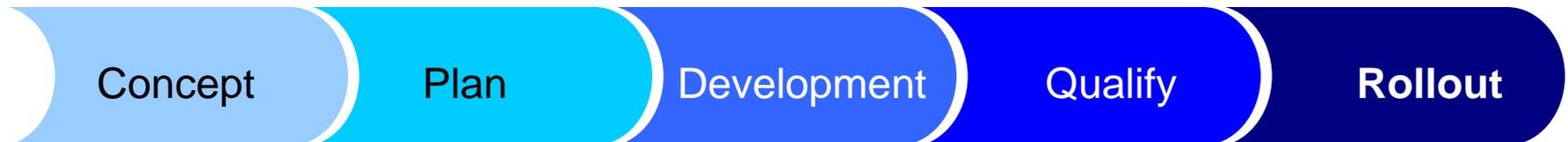
Very critical time point within a project, because you have to manage all possible deploys and that's end up very often in weekend work!

Emergency list of test, development and system support resources



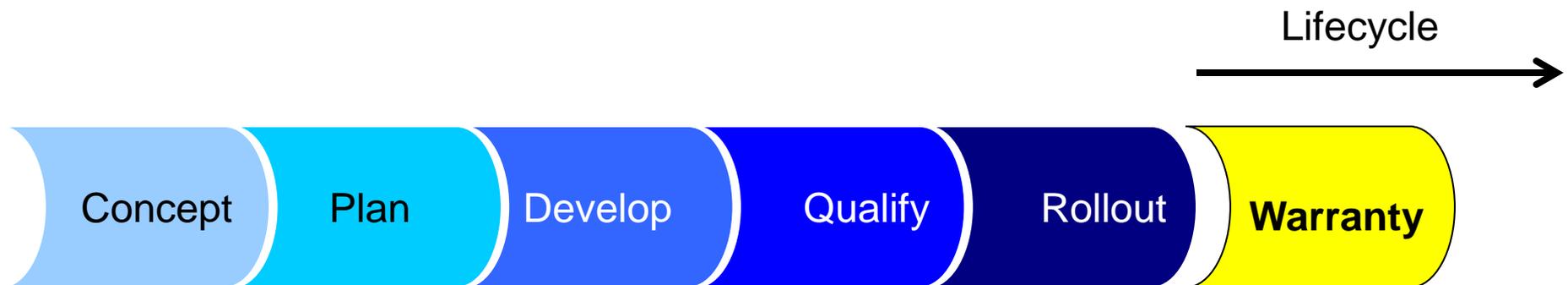
Rollout Phase

- ASCA Review
- Go Live Assurance Review
- Move to Production (MTP) activities (Go / No Go Calls)
- Go Live
- Contract closing
- Lessons Learned



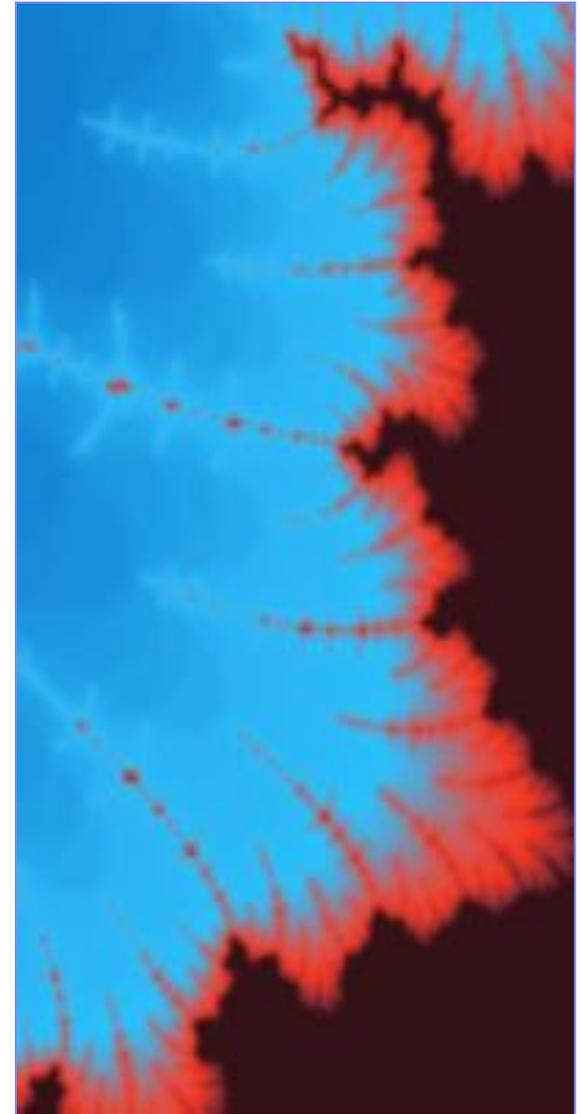
Lifecycle / Warranty

- 90 days warranty (ManageNow fixing)



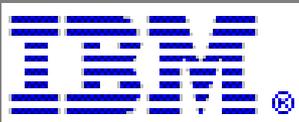
Eigene Erfahrung

- Walking around
- Betroffene Einbeziehen
- Schnelle Entscheidungen 6 aus 10 Richtige
- Aufgabe und Verantwortung übertragen



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How to become a certified Project Manager ?

Project Management Institute (PMI)

Independent Organization

Getting PMP certified

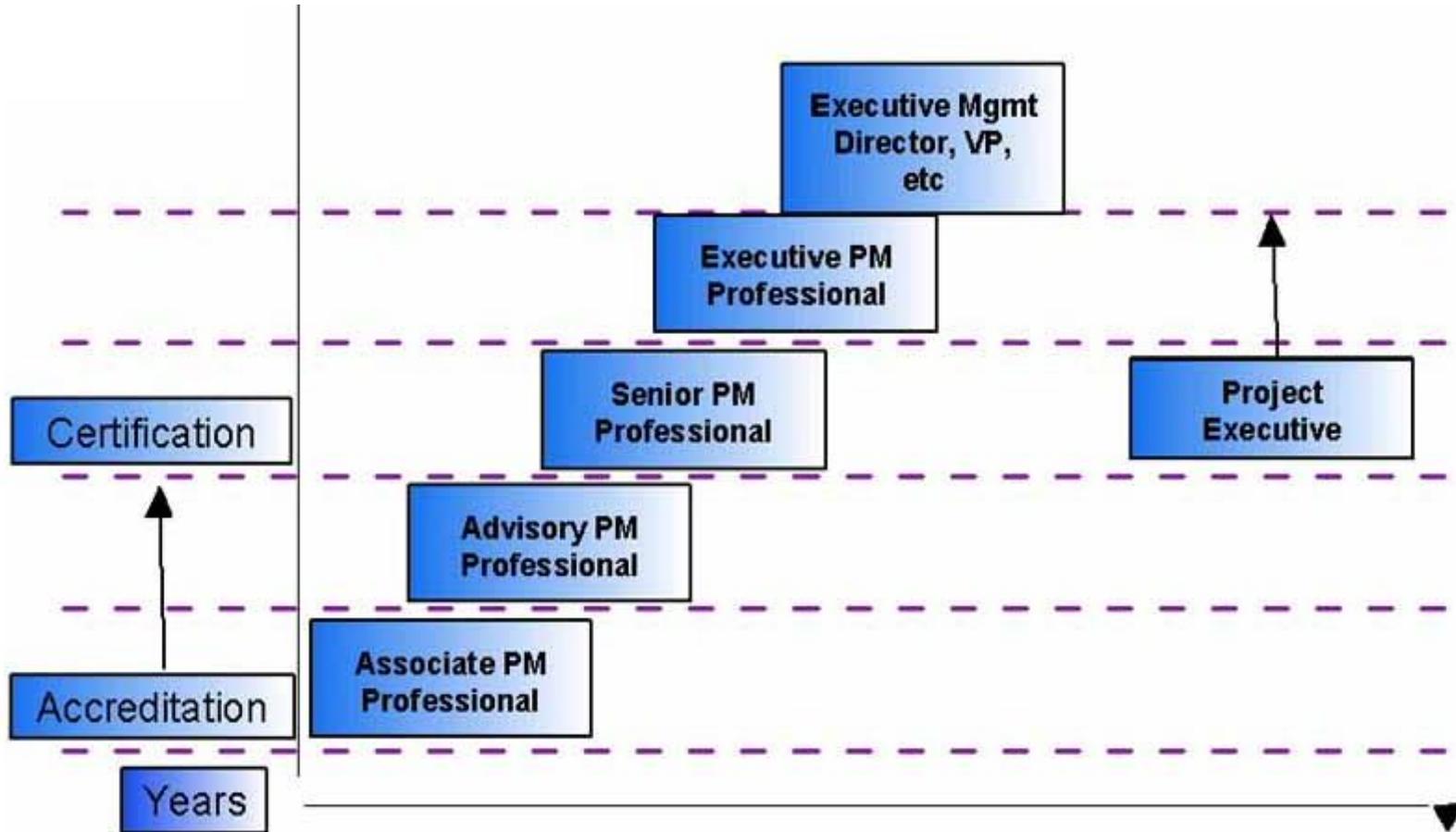
- Membership
- Curriculum vitae (CV) – online
- Learning, learning, learning...
- Exam



IBM guided curriculum

PMP = Project Management Professional
<https://www.pmi.org/MyPMI/Pages/Default.aspx>

IBM Certification / Accreditation



IBM Accreditation

Advisory Project Manager

Proj. Mgmt. Tier 1 classes – Advisory Level

Pre-requisites

- Nomination / Mgmt.
- Package (one in detail described project)
- 3 years of experience

IBM Certification

Certified IBM Senior Project Manager

Proj. Mgmt. Senior Level

Pre-requisites

- Nomination / Mgmt
- PMI Certification
- Package (three in detail described project)
- Review Board + 3 interviews
- Definition of specificity
- 3 years of experience
- Mentor (Certified Senior Proj. Manager)

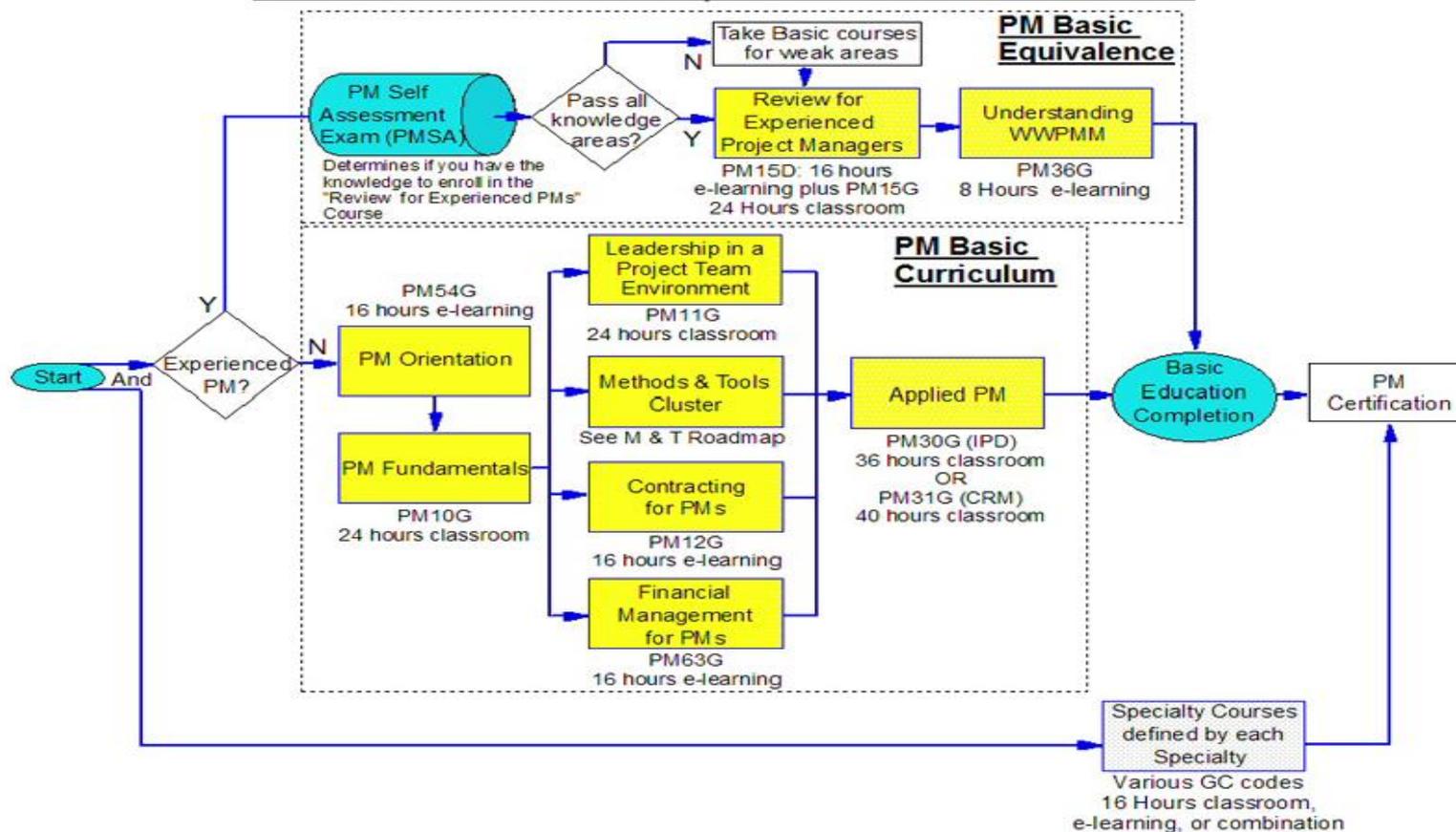
Project Management Education / Training recommendation

- Participate in Proj.Mgmt. Communities
- PPD (Professional Potential Development)
- Rotations
(Project Office Development, Test, Helpdesk, Operation)
- Project Management Fundamentals
- Seven Keys to success
- Earned Value Method (EVM)
- Rational Portfolio Manager (RPM)
- Project Control Book (PCB)
- MSP
- Lean Six Sigma (Yellow belt)



Certification IBM Senior Project Manager

Education Roadmap for PM Certification

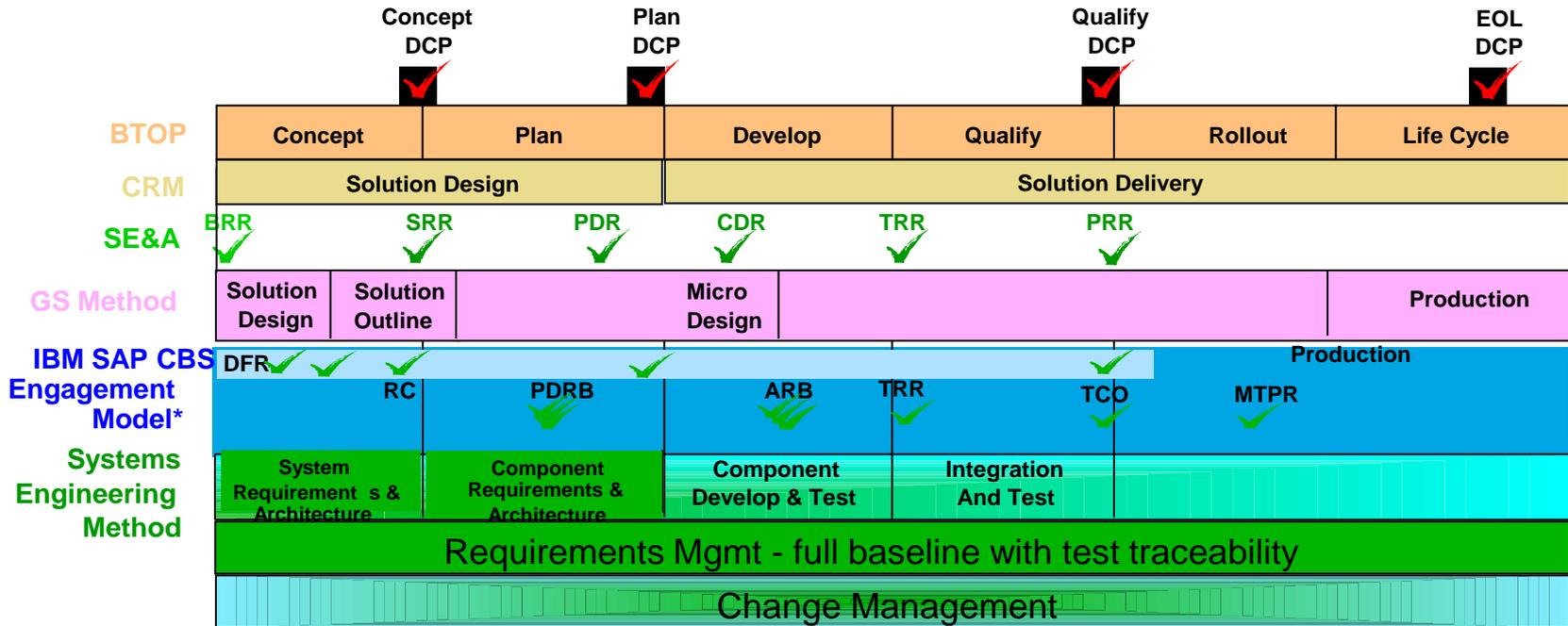




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Backup Slides

Methodology



- Gather Requirements
 - Analyze Requirements and Define System Level Architecture
 - Allocate Requirements
 - Define Component Architecture
 - Analyze and Allocate System Requirements to components
 - Design
 - Develop
 - Test
 - Sys Int Test
 - Perf & Stress Test
 - User Accept Test
 - Move to Production
 - Service Management
- Systems Engineering Lead ■ Systems Engineering Support

Formal Reviews ✓

- DFR - Design Flow Review (level 1-5)
Owned by Business Process Owner
- RC - Report Card Sign-off
- PDRB - Process Design Review Board
- ARB - Architecture Review Board
- TRR - Test Readiness Review
- TCO - Test Close Out
- MTPR - Move to Production Review
- BRR - Business Requirements Review (optional)
- SRR - System Requirements Review
- PDR - Preliminary Design Review
- CDR - Critical Design Review
- TRR - Test Readiness Review
- PRR - Production Readiness Review

*Based on the Boston Consulting Group and the AMS MS, Global Service Method an SAP Development and Deployment Engagement Model has been established

Example of Communication Plan (Schedule)

CET	EST	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:00						
09:00						
09:30					CBS AP deployment call	
10:00			Overall CBS Dep Call			
12:00						
12:30						
13:00						
13:30	07:30					
14:00	08:00		CBS Core Team	Xcc Program Office	CBS Plan Owner Mtg	
14:30	08:30	CBS zEST AP PDT				zEST System & Perf. Executive Review (sponsor)
15:00	09:00		CBS Partner Test Interlock		CBS program PDT call	
15:30	09:30			CBS program Test PDT call		
16:00	10:00	zEST PDT	CBS Change Mgt	Wkly BTR Meeting		
16:30	10:30					
17:00	11:00		PSL Meeting	Wkly Project Status Update	SAP Ldg E2E Mgt	
17:30	11:30				CBS Americas Deployment Call	
18:00	12:00		SAP Ledger PDT			E2E BT Council
18:30	12:30					
19:00	13:00					
19:30	13:30					
20:00	14:00					
20:30	14:30					
21:00	15:00					
21:30	15:30					
22:00	16:00					
		Denotes Xcc		Denotes CBS		Denotes zEST
				Denotes finance funded		Denotes SCT

Example of Communication Plan (Meeting Content Description)

Monthly CBS Overall Dependency Status

- **Purpose:** information on future CBS plans, issues, and challenges
- **Day/Time:** Tuesday, 10:00-10:30 (EST)/16:00-16:30 (CET)
- **Duration:** 30 minutes
- **Feeding Meetings:** none
- **Runs the Meeting:** John McCaig – CBS Dependency Manager
- **Attendees:** Geo deployment reps, reps from partner applications
- **Information to be displayed:** discuss any specific topics and concerns, and to discuss any ideas and suggestions of relevance to the CBS program.

Infrastructure



Development System

Test System

Pre-Prod system

Production system

Category	Item within category	Associate	Advisory (APM)	Senior (SPM)	Executive (EPM)	Executive Management
1 Skills	Basic PM Skill Template (proficiencies met)	Associate	Advisory	Senior	Executive	Executive
	PM specialty skills templates (proficiencies met)	-	Optional	One specialty	One specialty	Two specialties
2 Résumé	Curriculum vitae (CV), résumé	Required	Required	Required	Required	Required
3 Experience	Project management	-	1 year	3 years	5 years	5 years
	Technical/ industry/ business	2 years	3 years	3 years	3 years	Letter of sponsorship from IBM VP or GM
4 Education	Basic project management	Project Management Fundamentals The "Methods and Tools" cluster	Basic PM Curriculum (completed)	Basic PM Curriculum (completed)	Basic PM Curriculum (completed)	Basic PM Curriculum (completed)
	Specialty	-	16 hours/specialty (optional)	16 hours/specialty	16 hours/specialty	16 hours/specialty
	Currency	-	-	40 hours (can include Basic and Specialty education)	40 hours (can include Basic and Specialty education)	40 hours (can include Basic and Specialty education)
5 Knowledge	PMI Project Management Professional (PMP) examination	-	-	Pass	Pass	Pass
7 Projects	Number as project manager	-	1	3	4	4
8 Giveback		-	-	Two instances of Giveback	Two instances of Giveback	Two instances of Giveback