

## Preparation for Professional Scrum Product Owner™ I (PSPO I) – Including Exam

Duration: 2 Days    Course Code: SCRUM-PO    Delivery Method: Virtual Learning

### Overview:

There are many myths and misconceptions about the role of the Product Owner. The accountabilities of the Product Owner, however, go well beyond managing the Product Backlog and writing User Stories. The Product Owner is pivotal to bridging business strategy and product execution in order to help the **organization** create valuable products.

In this two day class\* students will develop and solidify their knowledge of the Scrum framework and the accountabilities of being a Product Owner through instruction and team-based exercises. Students learn techniques that they can use to help them overcome the challenges that are often encountered on a day-to-day basis. They will do this while learning better ways to **collaborate** and **engage** with the **users** and **customers**, **stakeholders**, **their team(s)** and **organization** to provide greater value in the product being delivered.

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### Virtual Learning

This interactive training can be taken from any location, your office or home and is delivered by a trainer. This training does not have any delegates in the class with the instructor, since all delegates are virtually connected. Virtual delegates do not travel to this course, Global Knowledge will send you all the information needed before the start of the course and you can test the logins.

### Target Audience:

This course is appropriate for students in any industry where teams are working to solve complex problems. The Professional Scrum Product Owner course is for:

- Product Managers wanting to up-skill their agile proficiency
- Professionals interested in advancing their Product Ownership skills
- Product Owners with some experience in the role that are looking to improve their understanding or improve their use of Scrum and the Product Owner accountabilities
- Scrum Masters wishing to improve how they can coach Product Owners

While this course covers an introduction to the Scrum framework, it's primarily from the perspective of Product Ownership. Therefore, it's best if the students come to the course with an understanding of the fundamentals of Scrum, ideally as demonstrated by passing the Scrum Open.

### Objectives:

- When a student leaves the classroom they will have improved skills to impact their products and organizations by:
- Improving value created by staying focused on value and outcomes
- Increasing organizational learning validating sooner rather than later which will also reduce costs
- Achieving better business outcomes by aligning initiatives with business strategy through shared vision and aligning people toward clear goals
- Increasing business agility by being data informed and empirical

### Prerequisites:

- Basic understanding of Scrum framework and Agile principles is recommended.

### Testing and Certification

- **Professional Scrum Product Owner I (PSPO I)**

## Content:

- Understand that Product Ownership includes Product Management performed with an Agile mindset
- Recognize the value of a product over project mindset
- Learn how to bridge business strategy to product development tactics
- Experience ways to align the team around the business strategy, product vision, Product Goal and Sprint Goal
- Find ways to effectively communicate the business strategy, product vision and Product Goal
- Discover techniques to collaborate with users, customers, stakeholders and members of the Scrum Team
- Identify metrics that can be used to track value creation and successful product delivery
- Learn how quality and the Definition of Done support long term product viability and reduce time to market
- Understand the Scrum Principles and Empiricism
- Understand the Product Owner accountabilities on the Scrum Team
- Learn techniques for Product Backlog Management, Release Management and Forecasting

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## Additional Information:

### Why Scrum.org?

Scrum.org training provides a hands-on, activity-based learning experience using a consistent set of materials around the world no matter which of our Professional Scrum Trainers (PSTs) is teaching the course. Each course explores real-world challenges to help students apply what they learn in their roles once back at work.

The maintenance of Scrum.org courseware is based on feedback from the overall PST community who are delivering each class. They all teach from the same content, bringing great consistency, but also feedback from the real-world to drive incremental improvements and high quality.

On their path to becoming a PST, they must have several years of Scrum experience. Once PST candidates apply, they then go through an extensive process that includes: interviews, validation of knowledge, training, peer reviews and more.

PSTs bring their own style and experiences with a consistent delivery of Scrum.org training around the world, so you know each course we teach is aligned with Professional Scrum, and all of your teammates are learning from the same course materials.

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## Further Information:

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