

The Business Rules Approach

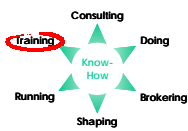
Business-driven IT

Course Objective After the course, a participant understands the basic philosophy of the Business Rules Approach and is able to beneficially apply the approach in its own business environment.

Target Audience Business people, business consultants, IT specialists

Prerequisites Some experience in large business-oriented IT-projects and basic knowledge in business engineering and/or IT specification techniques is advantageous.

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Introduction

- Motivation for business rules
- Basics of the Business Rules Approach
- The Zachman Framework
- Business processes and business rules
- Typical applications of the Business Rules Approach

Business Rules Analysis

- Propositions, facts, and fact types
- Developing the Fact Model
- Defining business terms
- Types of business rules
- Finding business rules
- Rule sets and rule maps
- Volatility analysis
- Business rules and decision tables
- Management of business rules

Business Rules Implementation

- Classification of business rules technologies
- Typical business rules architectures
- Evaluation criteria for business rules technologies
- Architectural considerations
- Implementing business rules using BR & conventional technology
- Organizational aspects

Teaching Method Presentations and paper-based exercises based on a common case study
Distribution of various checklists

Duration 2 days

Participants max. 12

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