



TR043 Discovering Essential Business Requirements

Individual Student Cost: **\$575**

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Training Coordinators: Enroll 4 students and the 5th is free!

Duration: 3 days

Audience:

This course is designed for business analysts, quality assurance specialists, project managers, and technical personnel that want to learn to create effective business requirements and validate those requirements.

Prerequisites:

Introduction to Business Systems Analysis ([TR001](#)) and Modeling Essential Business Data ([TR012](#)) courses are recommended

Description:

This course presents a methodology for creating and validating all types of business requirements that accurately and effectively reflect the essential activities of some portion of a business. This course covers the discovery, creation, documentation, and validation of business, functional, nonfunctional and stakeholder (user) requirements. The techniques of fact-finding and effective listening are discussed and the implementation of Joint Application Development (JAD) workshops to enhance fact-finding is presented. The concept of a Use Case is presented for validating business requirements. Hands-on workshops using a JAD format are used to reinforce concepts.

Objectives:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student should be able to:

- Define and identify effective business requirements that are essential to a successful information system.
- Identify, document, and validate business, functional, non-functional and stakeholder requirements.
- Perform effective and efficient requirements management.
- Define seven fact-finding techniques and apply them to finding business requirements.
- Create a Use Case and Decision Table and be able to use them to validate business requirements.
- Create a Requirements Traceability Matrix