

AUDITING AND GOVERNANCE RISK AND COMPLIANCE | COURSE BROCHURE

# Agile Internal Auditing

5 days | Classroom training | English

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## Why attend

Agile methods help internal audit deliver faster, more relevant assurance with greater stakeholder involvement. This course shows how to apply agile to auditing: agile principles, audit sprints, backlogs and prioritisation, daily stand-ups, iterative reporting, collaboration with auditees and adapting audit methodology and quality standards.

Traditional audits can be slow and produce outdated findings. You will learn agile practices that make auditing more responsive.

## Professional Problems This Course Is Designed to Solve

• Difficulty translating subject knowledge into practical workplace decisions.
• Inconsistent approaches to the activities covered in the course outline.
• Lack of a structured plan for applying and reviewing new skills.

## Course methodology

Agile audit simulations, sprint planning exercises, case studies and methodology workshops.

## Course objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:
• Explain agile principles in an audit context
• Plan audits as sprints
• Manage audit backlogs and priorities
• Run stand-ups and retrospectives
• Report iteratively to stakeholders
• Adapt methodology while meeting standards

## Target audience

This course is suitable for:
• Internal auditors
• Audit managers
• Heads of internal audit
• Audit methodology leads
• Quality assurance staff



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## Target competencies

Participants will develop competencies in:

- Agile planning
- Sprint management
- Collaboration
- Iterative reporting
- Methodology adaptation

## Course outline

### Day 1: Agile Auditing

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| **09:00–10:08** | Why agile |
| **10:08–11:00** | Principles |
| **11:00–11:30** | **Coffee break** |
| **11:30–11:45** | Principles (continued) |
| **11:45–12:53** | Myths |
| **12:53–14:00** | Exercise |

### Day 2: Planning

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| **09:00–10:08** | Audit backlogs |
| **10:08–11:00** | Sprint planning |
| **11:00–11:30** | **Coffee break** |
| **11:30–11:45** | Sprint planning (continued) |
| **11:45–12:53** | Prioritisation |
| **12:53–14:00** | Workshop |

### Day 3: Execution

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| **09:00–10:08** | Stand-ups |
| **10:08–11:00** | Kanban boards |
| **11:00–11:30** | **Coffee break** |



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| **11:30–11:45** | Kanban boards (continued) |
| **11:45–12:53** | Collaboration |
| **12:53–14:00** | Simulation |

## Day 4: Reporting

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|---|---|
| **09:00–10:08** | Iterative reporting |
| **10:08–11:00** | Stakeholder reviews |
| **11:00–11:30** | **Coffee break** |
| **11:30–11:45** | Stakeholder reviews (continued) |
| **11:45–12:53** | Retrospectives |
| **12:53–14:00** | Exercise |

## Day 5: Methodology

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|---|---|
| **09:00–10:08** | Standards and documentation |
| **10:08–11:00** | Scaling |
| **11:00–11:30** | **Coffee break** |
| **11:30–11:45** | Scaling (continued) |
| **11:45–12:53** | Roadmap |
| **12:53–14:00** | Action plan |

The timings provided are estimates and may vary depending on the number of participants and the discussions taking place during the sessions. They are indicative only and do not constitute a binding commitment.



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## Dates, venues and fees

Current published course plans. Fees are per participant in GBP, excluding unconfirmed taxes.

| Venue | Start date | End date | Fee (GBP) |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rome<br>Confirmed dates | 23 Nov 2026 | 27 Nov 2026 | **£2,450.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 23 Nov 2026 | 27 Nov 2026 | **£1,250.–** |
| Paris<br>Confirmed dates | 14 Dec 2026 | 18 Dec 2026 | **£2,860.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 14 Dec 2026 | 18 Dec 2026 | **£1,250.–** |
| Frankfurt<br>Confirmed dates | 18 Jan 2027 | 22 Jan 2027 | **£2,650.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 18 Jan 2027 | 22 Jan 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| London<br>Confirmed dates | 1 Feb 2027 | 5 Feb 2027 | **£2,450.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 1 Feb 2027 | 5 Feb 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Dubai<br>Confirmed dates | 22 Feb 2027 | 26 Feb 2027 | **£3,150.–** |



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| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 22 Feb 2027 | 26 Feb 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Istanbul<br>Confirmed dates | 15 Mar 2027 | 19 Mar 2027 | **£2,650.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 15 Mar 2027 | 19 Mar 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Cape Town<br>Confirmed dates | 5 Apr 2027 | 9 Apr 2027 | **£1,890.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 5 Apr 2027 | 9 Apr 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Vienna<br>Confirmed dates | 26 Apr 2027 | 30 Apr 2027 | **£2,940.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 26 Apr 2027 | 30 Apr 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Kuala Lumpur<br>Confirmed dates | 10 May 2027 | 14 May 2027 | **£1,450.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 10 May 2027 | 14 May 2027 | **£1,250.–** |



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| Barcelona<br>Confirmed dates | 31 May 2027 | 4 Jun 2027 | **£2,840.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 31 May 2027 | 4 Jun 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Dubai<br>Confirmed dates | 21 Jun 2027 | 25 Jun 2027 | **£3,150.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 21 Jun 2027 | 25 Jun 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Cape Town<br>Confirmed dates | 12 Jul 2027 | 16 Jul 2027 | **£1,890.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 12 Jul 2027 | 16 Jul 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Amsterdam<br>Confirmed dates | 2 Aug 2027 | 6 Aug 2027 | **£2,540.–** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 2 Aug 2027 | 6 Aug 2027 | **£1,250.–** |
| Cape Town<br>Confirmed dates | 16 Aug 2027 | 20 Aug 2027 | **£1,890.–** |



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| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 16 Aug 2027 | 20 Aug 2027 | **£1,250.-** |
| Vienna<br>Confirmed dates | 6 Sept 2027 | 10 Sept 2027 | **£2,940.-** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 6 Sept 2027 | 10 Sept 2027 | **£1,250.-** |
| London<br>Confirmed dates | 27 Sept 2027 | 1 Oct 2027 | **£2,450.-** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 27 Sept 2027 | 1 Oct 2027 | **£1,250.-** |
| Dubai<br>Confirmed dates | 18 Oct 2027 | 22 Oct 2027 | **£3,150.-** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 18 Oct 2027 | 22 Oct 2027 | **£1,250.-** |
| Rome<br>Confirmed dates | 8 Nov 2027 | 12 Nov 2027 | **£2,450.-** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 8 Nov 2027 | 12 Nov 2027 | **£1,250.-** |



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| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 22 Nov 2027 | 26 Nov 2027 | **£1,250.-** |
| Rome<br>Confirmed dates | 13 Dec 2027 | 17 Dec 2027 | **£2,450.-** |
| Online<br>Confirmed dates | 13 Dec 2027 | 17 Dec 2027 | **£1,250.-** |

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