



Scott M. Graffius Delights Audiences Around the World

Scott M. Graffius delights audiences around the world with talks and workshops on AI, Innovation, Agile, Project Management, High Performance Teams, Video Game Development, Tech Leadership, Strategic Alignment, and more. He uses everyday language and vibrant custom visuals to make complex topics clear and understandable, and he provides audiences with practical information they can use. His sessions are highly rated by attendees and organizers alike.

Conference organizers, businesses, professional associations, governments, and universities around the world invite Scott to speak. He's presented 89 talks and workshops at conferences and other events (public and private/corporate) across 25 countries.

Example Session:

“Navigate the Phases of Team Development with Speed and Agility”

(Note: Title and details are subject to change)

Speaker	Scott M. Graffius
Title	Navigate the Phases of Team Development with Speed and Agility
Description	Help your teams go farther, faster! Perhaps you're heard about the phases of team development: Forming, Storming, Norming, Performing, and Adjourning. But are you aware of the unique behaviors specific to each phase? What exactly should you do during each phase to help the team (Agile or otherwise) tackle challenges, make progress, and become successful? If you are a leader (or aspire to be one), a member of a team (or may be in one in the future), or are just looking to develop your skills, this talk (with a fresh angle: 0% theory, 100% real-world-based) will give you a practical framework with actionable tips for working in and leading teams successfully. You'll learn about the five phases—Forming, Storming, Norming, Performing, and Adjourning—including detailed descriptions of each along with

	<p>proven strategies for addressing challenges or issues which may occur along the way. You'll understand how to use the model to your advantage by effectively navigating all of the phases with speed and agility, from team set-up to the after-party! The presentation draws on the speaker's first-hand, real-world experience, with his guidance supported by additional research, recommendations, and coverage from the Project Management Institute, IEEE, Google, NASA, and others.</p>
<p>How You Will Benefit (Key Learning Objectives)</p>	<p>This talk will help you develop and enhance the contributions you make to your organization by being able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the five stages of team development: Forming, Storming, Norming, Performing, and Adjourning. • Learn the characteristics of each phase. • Apply proven strategies to help handle challenges or issues experienced by the team. By doing so, you'll advance the team's happiness, productivity, and success.
<p>References/Bibliography</p>	<p>The presentation draws on Scott's first-hand, real-world experience, with his guidance supported by related standards, best practices, and recommendations from the Project Management Institute, IEEE, Google, NASA, and others.</p>
<p>Total Run Time</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For sessions with up to 100 attendees, total time (including a 5-minute break at the midpoint, and Q&A) is typically 60 minutes. • For sessions with more than 100 attendees, additional time is indicated. Inquire.
<p>CEU / PDU / SEU Credit</p>	<p><i>The following is based on the total time of 60 minutes, described above.</i></p> <p>Attendees may be eligible to receive continuing education unit (CEU) credit, equivalent to 1.00 hour.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For reporting with the Project Management Institute, it's 1.00 professional development unit (PDU), under the Power Skills (formerly Leadership) category. • For reporting with the Scrum Alliance, it's 1.00 Scrum educational unit (SEU), under either the Learning category or the Events category. • For reporting with other organizations, refer to their respective instructions.
<p>Speaker Bio</p>	<p><i>The following speaker bio has 201 words (1,526 characters including spaces).</i></p> <p>Scott M. Graffius, PMP, SA, CSP-SM, CSP-PO, CSM, CSPO, SFE, ITIL, LSSGB is an Agile project management practitioner, consultant, thinker, creator, multi-award-winning author, and international public speaker. Founder of Exceptional PPM and PMO Solutions™ and subsidiary Exceptional Agility™, he has generated over \$1.9 billion of business value in aggregate for Global Fortune 500 businesses and other organizations he has served. Businesses and industries range from consumer products to e-commerce, entertainment (music, streaming/OTT video, television, film, and games), financial services, government, advanced technology (including AI), and more. Graffius and content from his books, talks, workshops, and more have been featured and used by businesses, professional associations, governments, and universities around the world. Examples include Microsoft, Oracle, Broadcom, Cisco, Adobe, Gartner, Project Management Institute (PMI),</p>

	IEEE, National Academy of Sciences (NAS), United States Department of Energy (US DoE), Amsterdam Public Health Research Institute, Boston University, United States National Park Service, Bayer, London South Bank University, Warsaw University of Technology, Hasso Plattner Institute, American Management Association, University of Galway Ireland, Yale University, and others. He delights audiences around the world with dynamic and engaging talks and workshops. He's presented sessions at 89 conferences and other events across 25 countries. Visit https://ScottGraffius.com to learn more.
Speaker Bio (Abridged)	<p><i>The following abridged speaker bio has 100 words (687 characters including spaces).</i></p> <p>Scott M. Graffius is an Agile practitioner, consultant, award-winning author, and international public speaker. Founder & CEO of Exceptional PPM and PMO Solutions and subsidiary Exceptional Agility, he has generated over \$1.9 billion for organizations he has served. Businesses range from AI to e-commerce, consumer products, music, streaming video, video games, and more. Graffius and content from his books, talks, and more have been featured and used by Microsoft, Oracle, IEEE, PMI, US DoE, Yale University, and others. He delights audiences with dynamic and engaging talks and workshops. He's presented 89 sessions across 25 countries. Visit https://ScottGraffius.com to learn more.</p>
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