Patterns of Agile Enterprise Architecture

Rebecca Parsons

http://www.thoughtworks.com

Thursday, May 12, 2011
Past Survey
Well-Defined?

> 90%

I was impressed and surprised
Succeeding?

< 5%

Very sad
Agile will not succeed without addressing legitimate concerns of EAs
define the terms
Agile will not succeed without addressing legitimate concerns of EAs
Agile will not succeed without addressing legitimate concerns of EAs.
Agile will not succeed without addressing legitimate concerns of EAs.
How, what, and why
How to get work done?
Seagull
Pair on critical stories
Think delusionally
Alignment
Pattern 1: Member of the Team
What to deliver?
Documents from on high
Technical Stories
Acceptance tests
Enterprise Re-Use Framework
Harvested Components
End-point Integration Tests

Thursday, May 12, 2011
Pattern 2: Communication in Project Context
How to decide?
Us and them
Stakeholder Negotiation
All or nothing
Informed risk taking
Pattern 3: Project Decisions in Enterprise Context
Recap of patterns
Pattern 1: Member of the Team
Pattern 2: Communication in Project Context
Pattern 3: Project Decisions in Enterprise Context
Necessary but not sufficient
Questions?

http://www.thoughtworks.com
http://rebeccaparsons.com