DAY ONE • Wednesday 14 May

AGILE MANCHESTER

08:45 Conference Registration

RISE AND SHINE

09:45 Welcome to Agile Manchester Day One

10:00 KEYNOTE • 60 MINUTES

Becoming a Service Organisation

Kate Tarling THE SERVICE ORG GROUP

11:00 Morning Break

RISE AND SHINE	BUZZ	WORK	GROW	BUILD
11:30				
TALK • 45 MINUTES **Turning ambition into action: what to do when there's no strategy in place** **Randy Silver** OUT OF OWLS	TALK • 45 MINUTES **The people side of transformation** **Sara Bowley** DEPARTMENT FOR WORK AND PENSION	WORKSHOP • 90 MINUTES **Building team connections and empathy, quickly** **Emily Webber** TACIT	WORKSHOP • 90 MINUTES **Making the invisible visible: Gaining clarity in software development** **Woody Zuill** FREELANCE AGILE GUIDE	
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12:25				
TALK • 45 MINUTES **Jobs to be done: Turning insights into action** **Nicola Dunlop** NATWEST	CASE STUDY • 45 MINUTES **Creating flow: Developing agility for a concrete world** **Peter Faulks** SCOTTISH WATER **Cameron Leask** CALBA			

13:10 **Lunch Break / Improv Games** in Win

14:00				
TALK • 60 MINUTES **Going 'green': Practical action for building more environmentally sustainable digital services** **Ned Gartside** DEFRA **Rachael Robinson** GOVERNMENT DIGITAL SERVICE	TALK • 60 MINUTES **Beyond diversity: Crafting inclusive cultures for agile excellence** **Esther Aluko** ESTHERA COACHING LTD	WORKSHOP • 60 MINUTES **Do you know your error rates? Why measure, and how to measure data quality as we head into AI** **Caroline Jarrett** EFFORTMARK LTD	WORKSHOP • 120 MINUTES **Introduction to visual thinking** **Marcus de Vale** WORKVISIBLE	WORKSHOP • 120 MINUTES **Living play: Learning about failure and improvisation from the art of clowning** **Daniel Susser** GDS & EMBODIED AGILITY **Ollie (Leaf) Yates** DAFTELATION
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15:10				
CASE STUDY • 60 MINUTES **Show me the money: Transforming internal platforms into products** **Denys Popov** **Liza Watts** **Shane Ryan** CO-OP	TALK • 60 MINUTES **To accessibility… and beyond!** **Stéphanie Krus** INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR	WORKSHOP • 60 MINUTES **Would I lie to you? Understanding bias in qualitative research** **Hope Bristow** **Colette Marshall** INFORMED SOLUTIONS		

16:10 Afternoon Break

RISE AND SHINE

16:30 ENDNOTE • 45 MINUTES

It should be about change, not product

Neha Datt PRODUCT & CHANGE CONSULTANT, MERCURIAL PHOENIX

17:15 **Social Evening** - Join us at Ramonas for Pizza

DAY TWO • Thursday 15 May

AGILE MANCHESTER

09:00 Conference Registration & Coaches Corner

RISE AND SHINE

09:50 Welcome to Agile Manchester Day Two

10:00 KEYNOTE • 60 MINUTES

Staying agile in the age of AI

Catherine Breslin KINGFISHER LABS

11:00 Morning Break

RISE AND SHINE	BUZZ	WORK	GROW	BUILD
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TALK • 45 MINUTES **How to support teams building novel AI-powered products** **Ben Collins** 15GIFTS	TALK • 45 MINUTES **Building quality in: A framework for engineering teams** **Jitesh Gosai** BBC	WORKSHOP • 90 MINUTES **Exploring the DORA core capabilities with dialogue sheets** **Stephen Mounsey** DWP	WORKSHOP • 90 MINUTES **Retrospective workshop** **Aino Vonge Corry** METADEVELOPER	WORKSHOP • 90 MINUTES **Dynamic discovery and planning** **Wouter Lagerweij** **Suzanne Lagerweij** LAGERWEIJ CONSULTING AND COACHING
SWITCHOVER	SWITCHOVER			
12:25				
TALK • 45 MINUTES **The convergence: How AI is changing agile roles, teams and practices** **Stuart Munton** AND DIGITAL	TALK • 45 MINUTES **Continuous compliance in agile: Ensuring quality and regulatory adherence at pace** **Dan Ashby** ADA HEALTH			

13:10 **Lunch Break / Lightning Talks** in Rise and Shine

14:00				
TALK • 45 MINUTES **How to be agile with critical national priorities** **Anna Sherrington** **Nick Smith** GOVERNMENT DIGITAL SERVICE	CASE STUDY • 45 MINUTES **Tech debt and legacy code: Silent roadblocks to product innovation** **Madhwan Misra** BOOKING.COM	WORKSHOP • 100 MINUTES **Product showdown at the Dragon's Den!** **Munish Malik** **Mohit Chandna** EQUAL EXPERTS	WORKSHOP • 100 MINUTES **Building neuroinclusive spaces: A LEGO® SERIOUS PLAY® experience** **Jenny Martin** COLLABORATE SOLUTIONS LTD	
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14:55				
TALK • 45 MINUTES **Why your team is underperforming** **Ceri Shaw** THISTLE LABS LTD	CASE STUDY • 45 MINUTES **Shaping teams for sustainable co-design** **Imran Hussain** **Kelly Lee** GOVERNMENT DIGITAL SERVICE			

15:40 Afternoon Break

RISE AND SHINE

16:00 ENDNOTE • 60 MINUTES

It's all just as bad as you think it is: a message of hope in turbulent times

Ceri Newton-Sargunar INTERACTIONS SPECIALIST, MONDO MEDIA LTD

17:00 Conference Close

17:10 End of Conference - gather locally for a post event refreshment!