# Mark Kilby

Agile Coach at Orlando, Florida Area, FL, US Agile Coach

## **Biography**

Agile software project mentor helping organizations achieve profound productivity, increased quality, and intense customer loyalty to rapidly adapt and thrive in today's marketplace. Interests include organizational change breakthrough methods, collaboration techniques and technologies for distributed and co-located teams as well as automation of software construction to allow developers to focus on craftsmanship and quality.

## Availability

Keynote, Moderator, Panelist, Workshop, Host/MC, Author Appearance, Corporate Training

## **Industry Expertise**

Non-Profit/Charitable, Corporate Leadership, Computer Software

### **Areas of Expertise**

Agile Methodologies, Change Management, Teams

### Affiliations

APLN, Scrum Alliance, Agile Alliance, IEEE (+ Computer Society), ACM

### Sample Talks

What Does Your Team Value?

Building high performance teams can sometimes feel like moving mountains or at least building bridges between mountains. When the team starts ?storming? to high performance, different types of conflict arise. Some conflict is surmountable, but the greatest challenges are conflicts over values that can lead to heated debates, dysfunction, and collaboration collapsing. This talk will explore different types of conflict on teams and some ways you can prepare and navigate the conflict successfully.

**Event Appearances** 

Answered: Project Managers Most Common Agile Questions Tampa PMI Symposium

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Agile - A Quest for Better Rally Roadshow

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What Does Your Team Value? Agile2013 Conference

What Does Your Team Value? Tampa Bay Agile Meetup

Collaboration through Conflict Orlando Code Camp

#### **Education**

University of Florida MS Electrical Engineering

University of Florida BS Electrical Engineering

University of Central Florida MS Computer Science

### Accomplishments

Agile Coach Rally Software Development

ScrumMaster (Gestalt Mission Services, Federal) Accenture ScrumMaster/Project Manager Gestalt LLC

Technical Lead / Sr. Software Engineer SAIC

**Technical Architect** Breakaway Solutions

Web development manager Tribune Interactive

Research Associate, Digital Media Lab University of Central Florida

**Principal Investigator** Institute for Simulation and Training

Sr. Software Engineer Dynacs Engineering

**Co-Author - Book - Agile for Business** 

Describes agile transitions and techniques in plain language. Authored coaching, facilitation and conflict management sections of the book to be published Fall 2012. Previews of the book are available at the website listed http://www.rallydev.com/agile-for-business-book

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