

Re: agile development and frameworks

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Mike Gaab wrote:

> "Ilja Preuß" <it@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
> news:43820dfe@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
>> Mike Gaab wrote:
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>>> My tendency is to use those things that I already know
>>> work. I am always looking for a better way but if I have something
>>> that is
>>> sufficient, I
>>> usually go with it.
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>> That reduces the risk of getting a solution that is worse than the
>> known one, but also has the risk of not finding that revolutionary
>> better solution your competitor might find. Those two risks need to
>> be balanced, and I think finding that balance isn't trivial. And
>> it's even a recursive problem, because you have to decide wether to
>> go with the balance you are used to, or try to shift it a bit to see
>> what happens... One way to shift the balance is to find ways to make
>> experimentation
>> more safe, so that you aren't screwed up when it fails. Techniques
>> to do that include spikes (controlled, time boxed experiments),
>> having Slack, keeping your options open so that you can switch to a
>> known-to-be-good solution, trying different approaches in parallel,
>> etc.
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> Well I don't see myself implementing the entire agile process anytime
> soon.

I'm confused. Did anything of what I said imply to you that you had too?

Ilja

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