# **Appian Foundations**

Course Duration: 24 hours

### **Course Description:**

This course is designed for business users who are working to gather requirements and plan applications. They will learn how to communicate effectively with Appian Developers throughout the application lifecycle. You'll learn the terms, tools, and objects that make up an app and see how to leverage Appian for mocking-up user interfaces and diagramming business workflows.

# **Course Objectives:**

In this course, you will -

- Recall Appian terminology
- Identify the key benefits and uses of Appian
- Distinguish best use cases for Appian
- Describe a simple application lifecycle
- Identify the purpose of each main Appian design object
- Evaluate organizational opportunities to use Appian
- Communicate application requirements to design teams
- Recall common Agile ceremonies and roles of each non-technical member

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#### Module 4: Initiate and Build Appian Applications for Analysts

- Gathering Requirements
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#### Module 5: BPMN and Modelling Processes

- Define Business Process Model and Notation (BPMN)
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#### Module 6: UI Design Best Practices

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