

## /// Black Belt Training

### The *X-Stream Leadership* Approach to Lean Six Sigma... *Taking the Evolutionary into the Revolutionary!*

Everyone knows that learning statistics and data analysis can be boring, scary, and even frightening. Who wants to sit and look at slides and listen to a monotonous instructor all day...Right?!

*X-Stream* has taken the traditional Black Belt Course and updated the information with more hands-on activities and exercises and fewer slides to help you better understand how the different tools work. They have also incorporated the latest Minitab program to do MOST of the statistics for you as well! We “blend” Lean, Six Sigma, and Theory of Constraints to provide you with the most robust and effective methodology in the world today! Each approach can result in dramatic improvement, but by utilizing all three methodologies, you will rapidly identify waste, control variation and increase repeatability and reproducibility, and decrease Cycle Time to execute your processes faster than your competition! **THAT** is a solid competitive advantage directly related to the bottom line of your company!



*X-Stream* keeps the information basic and simple to understand combined with their unique teaching styles, making the classes more informative and enjoyable.

Our *X-Stream* Instructors are very involved with each student every step of the way! Their passion to see each student succeed shines through in the time they take to make sure EVERY student understands each principle before moving on to the next subject.

*X-Stream Leadership Group* training uses an adult-based interactive set of tools and exercises to drive home this message. In the Black Belt Course, the level of detail is designed to ensure you develop a solid understanding of the fundamentals of LEAN, Six Sigma, and Theory of Constraints. We will work with your team to develop specific examples from your business and tailor the exercises and scenarios for your organization.

*X-Stream Leadership Group* will show during the Black Belt Course how these principles are utilized to develop a new process that meets delivery schedules, produces defect-free output, and delivers the lowest cost to ensure the greatest possible ROI.

Once the Lean principles are fully explained, the training moves into the structure used to support the principles of Customer Value, Value Stream, Flow, Pull, and Perfection. We also fully integrate and implement the DMAIC process of Define, Measure, Analyze, Improve, and Control.



The *X-Stream Leadership Group* training course also discusses what will be required of your Black Belts to implement, support, drive, and fully sustain process improvements.

There are multiple reasons for any organization to push for the cultural change required to achieve a waste-free, variation-free system of work. Any organizational change will become less strenuous if the leadership team understands both the personal and professional motivation to make change happen and why people resist that change. This is why we incorporate Change Management and Understanding Resistance to Change, to our training program. This provides you with a stronger understanding of how to successfully implement ANY new change initiative in your organization!

The entire program is set in the Adult Based Learning Style which provides for all learning styles including visual, auditory, reflective, and kinesthetic. **X-Stream Leadership Group** advocates participatory training, so the students are encouraged to ask questions, share experiences, or provide feedback during each session. This course incorporates dynamic and engaging simulations that allow your Black Belt candidate to experience the tools and techniques in a way to help them fully understand the application of how to use what they will be learning. This will NOT be “Death by PowerPoint! This course also includes 3 specific coaching sessions to help your Black Belt with his or her real-world project to benefit your organization! These sessions are invaluable to help your Black Belt fully understand how to fully implement and utilize all of the tools and techniques they will be learning in the academic sessions.

**Lean Six Sigma can dramatically improve your productivity, cost, and quality of service.**

Typical LST results in the manufacturing environment range from 20-60%.  
When we also engage your business-operation/office functions, results spike to 50-85%.

Contact us TODAY to learn more about how we can help you solve your unique business issues at [info@x-slg.com](mailto:info@x-slg.com) or by calling **484-941-3877**