

# 7 Things BA's need to know about agile Exercises

## 1. agile is not a methodology

What are some ways to focus on outcome over output?



Write your ideas on Post-It notes, one idea per Post-It, as many ideas as you want. Wait for further instructions.

## 2. There's more to agile than just Scrum

Which frameworks does your team use?	Do those frameworks seem right for your context?

## 3. Analysis is still relevant

What items are included in your definition of ready, or would you expect in your definition of ready?

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## 4. agile alone will not get you better faster cheaper

**What are your decision filters?**

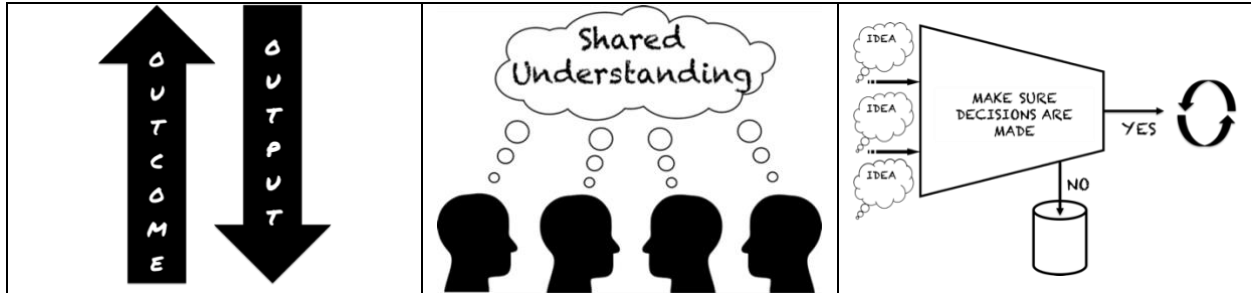
### 5. Writing and slicing user stories is not the whole story

**Create and describe a product backlog item meeting our definition of ready that addresses the following situation:**

You've been asked to come up with a way to collect feedback from people attending a conference and provide that information to conference organizers and speakers. Conference organizers want feedback about sessions at their conferences so they know what sessions to schedule next year. Speakers want feedback about their sessions so they can improve their presentations. Both organizers and speakers want a large amount of actionable feedback. Attendees want to be able to provide feedback while they still remember the session and don't want to take a lot of time.

### 6. BA's can be product owners

Habits of effective product people:



Which habit(s) can you build upon?	Which habit(s) should you refocus on?

### 7. BA's don't have to be product owners

Which role are you best suited for?