

TEACHING PACK

The Practice of Enterprise Architecture: A Modern Approach to Business and IT Alignment

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Introduction

The teaching pack represents a collection of materials that might be helpful for organizing full-fledged enterprise architecture teaching programs based on the book *The Practice of Enterprise Architecture: A Modern Approach to Business and IT Alignment*. The teaching pack is closely linked to the structure and contents of the book and often provides explicit references to relevant book chapters and sections.

Contents of the Teaching Pack

The teaching pack includes:

- 19 lectures as MS PowerPoint presentations corresponding to the chapters of the underlying book
- 19 tests with ten single and multiple choice questions for each lecture
- Four teaching cases covering various aspects of enterprise architecture practice

For Whom the Teaching Pack Is Intended

The teaching pack is intended for everyone involved in teaching enterprise architecture including, but not limited to:

- Academic lecturers teaching undergraduate or postgraduate enterprise architecture courses in universities
- Professional trainers preparing enterprise architecture practitioners in organizations
- Senior practicing architects educating their less senior or aspiring colleagues

Why the Teaching Pack Is Needed

Due to a number of reasons, enterprise architecture teaching programs in various universities and organizations have often been shallow, inconsistent and disconnected from the practical realities. For example, many of these programs range from superficial overviews of existing enterprise architecture frameworks to traditional system architecture courses scaled up to the enterprise level. However, such programs fail to provide an adequate explanation of enterprise architecture to aspiring practitioners. The teaching pack intends to address this problem and offer a sound foundation for enterprise architecture education, which is systematic, evidence-based, up-to-date and aligned with practice.

Distribution of the Teaching Pack

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