

Agile Project Management and Scrum at BC Libraries

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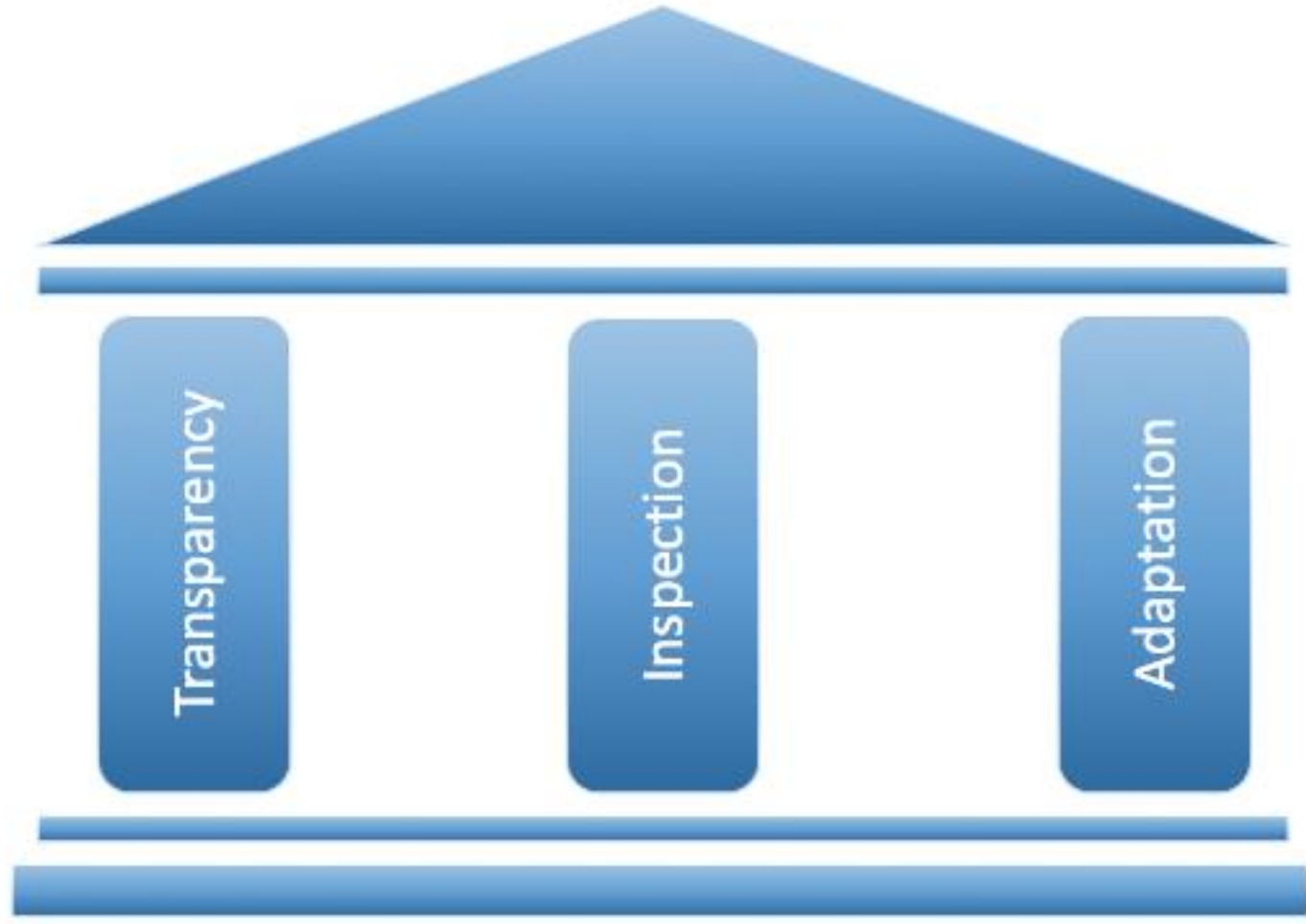
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These slides available @ <https://bit.ly/BLC2019Scrum>

Scrum vs.(?) Agile

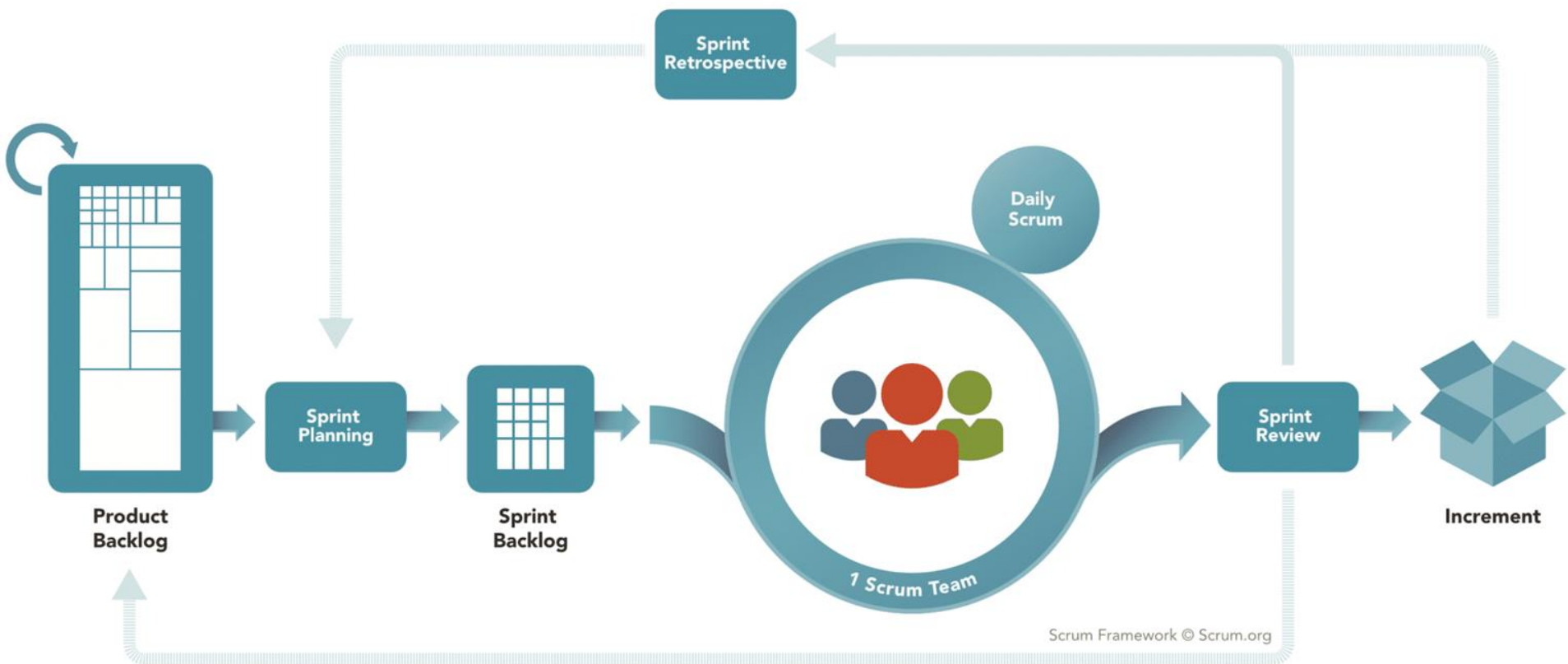




Transparency

Inspection

Adaptation



BC's implementation

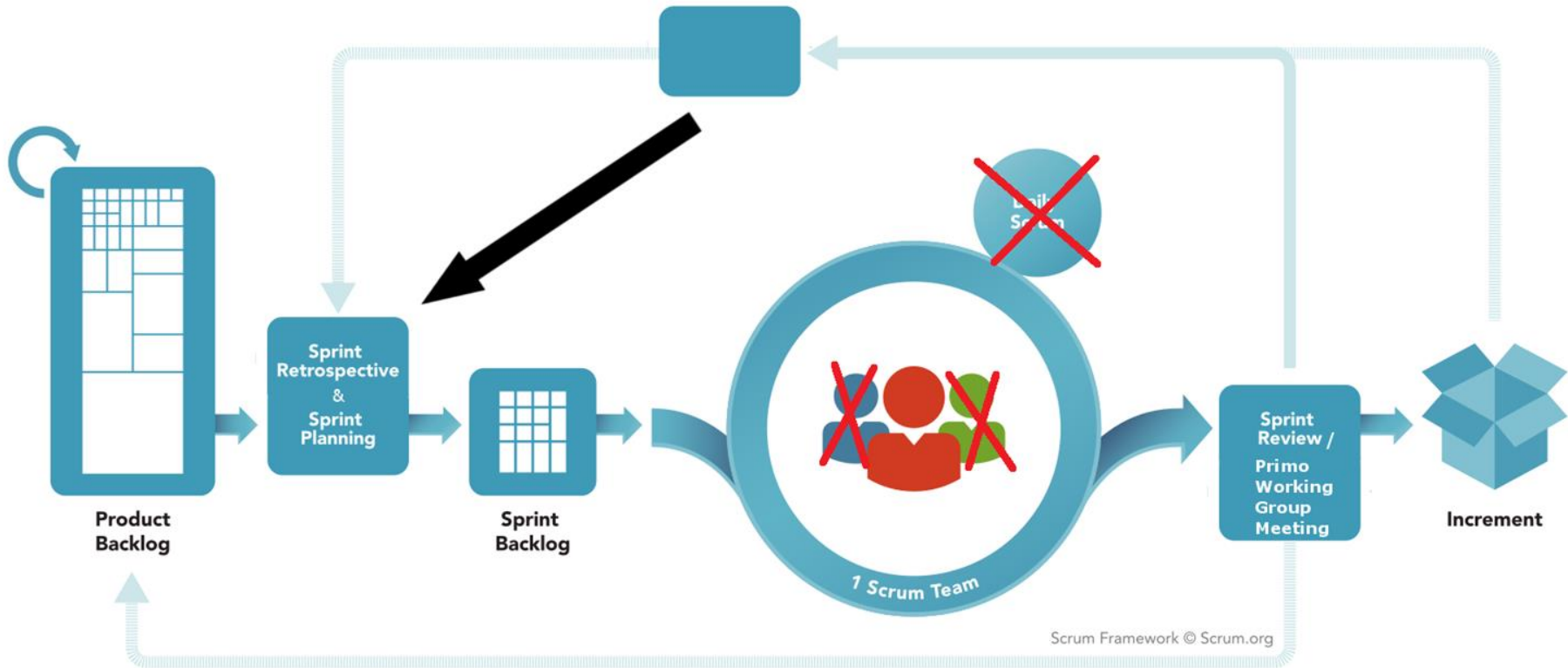


Primo Working Group

- Scrum only presents to stakeholders during “Sprint Review”
- PWG *is* the stakeholder group
 - Reps from metadata, digital repositories, access services, law library, archives/special collections, liaison librarians
- Meets monthly (1 month long sprints)
- Also play a semi-product owner role

Why?

- Only one Primo developer - very pressed for time
- Multiple and mutually exclusive change requests from different departments
- Desire to make changes quickly with higher risk tolerance



Lessons Learned

- Keep meetings to 1 hour - good facilitation is key
- No more than 3 people on a development team without daily scrum meetings
- Ask group members to submit issues for consideration before the meeting

Resources

- These slides:
<https://bit.ly/BLC2019Scrum>
- [Agile Manifesto](#)
- [Scrum Guide](#)
- [Mountain Goat Software](#)
- *Scrum Mastery: From Good To Great*
Servant-Leadership by Geoff Watts

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