# **BA** Chicagoland

### **March 2020**

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# **March Meeting**

#### What is an Agile DoJo, and why should BAs care?

The traditional "DoJo" is a hall or space dedicated to immersive learning or meditation. During this session, Business Agility Consultant Dan Miklusicak will share his personal experiences related to helping individuals and teams become more agile in the context of Dojo style learning and practicing. He will explain how the ideas from the "DoJo" approach used in Karate are emulated to establish Lean-Agile-DevOps DoJos in Corporate America to facilitate and accelerate transformation to the very different way of working, and away from traditional Project Management approaches.

Dan will discuss how BAs play a key role in Agile techniques like Journey mapping, visioning, design thinking, systems thinking, and more. He will also talk about how BA's are helping teams by playing the "Glue Role", bringing and keeping many different roles together to accomplish big things, and how sharpening these skills in the context of the DoJo makes everyone better.

#### Presenter

Dan Miklusicak is a highly sought-after consultant/speaker/instructor & DevOps-Lean-Agilist with 25+ years in areas including Big5 Mgt Consulting, Prog Mgt, leading major F500 transformations & programs in traditional & Lean-Agile-DevOps. He has coached, taught, mentored thousands of Business & IT alike. A life-long learner, Dan's earned certs include SAFe Program Consultant [SPC5], DevOps, PMP, CDA, TOGAF, ITILv3, CSM, DSDM, e-Commerce, RTE & Lean6SigmaBB.

# Elections 2020

Nominations are closed for the following and voting is open for the following offices:

- **President:** David Phillips •
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Voting takes place March 1 through March 31. Vote on-line at *chicago.iiba.org*. New officers will serve from April 1, 2020 – March 31, 2022.

If you have questions, ask at the meeting or contact *elections@chicago.iiba.org* 

# Looking ahead: April Meeting

#### **Expanding your Business Architecture Toolkit with Information** Mapping

Join your fellow business analysis and architecture peers as we discuss the activities and techniques leveraged to perform Information Mapping within an organization as a practice of the business architecture craft!

#### Date & Time

Wednesday, April 1, 2020 5:30 - 8:00 pm

#### Location

**Daugherty Business Solutions** 1 Tower Lane Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

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#### Date & Time

Wednesday, March 4, 2020 5:30 - 8:00 pm

#### Location

AIM Specialty Health 8600 W. Bryn Mawr Ave Chicago, IL 60631

#### **Meeting Agenda**

5:30 - 6:00	Registration, Networking,
	and Light Dinner
6:00 - 6:15	Announcements & Chapter
	Business
6:15 – 7:30	Evening Presentation
7:30 - 8:00	Closing and Door Prizes

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"More than 300,000 cybersecurity jobs in the U.S. are unfilled, and postings are up 74% over the past five years\*"

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- Securing the Layers
- Data Security
- User Access Control
- Solution Delivery
- Operations

Learning modules are available for purchase at www.iiba.org/standards-and-resources/cybersecurity-analysis

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As a volunteer, you will be eligible to claim CDUs so you can keep your IIBA Certifications current. Talk to any officer or fill in your information on the evaluation form.

#### Be a part of the Core Team

Join the Chicagoland Chapter Core Team. The Core Team works together to plan and deliver Chapter activities. We usually meet the third or fourth Wednesday of the month, 6:30 – 7:30 pm, via a dial-in web meeting.

#### Be an Ambassador

The IIBA Chicagoland Chapter Ambassador Program is designed to improve chapter outreach by recruiting individuals willing to distribute chapter news and other valuable Business Analysis resources to their colleagues.

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