

Private: Rich User Interfaces using Flex

Audience Rich User Interfaces using Flex Course

This course is designed for experienced Web developers who want to use Adobe Flex for developing Rich User Interfaces in Web Applications.

Prerequisites Course Rich User Interfaces using Flex

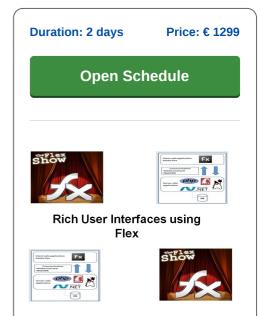
Knowledge and experience in developing Web Applications and a scripting language like Javascript is required to join this course. This training will not focus on creating Flash applications, but on the Flex environment and Flex UI.

Realization Training Rich User Interfaces using Flex

The course is a hands-on course. The theory is treated on the basis of presentation slides and demos and is interspersed with practical exercises. The Eclipse-based development environment Flash Builder is used. The course times are from 9.30 up and to 16.30.

Certification Rich User Interfaces

Participants receive an official certificate Rich User Interfaces using Flex after successful completion of the course.



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This course teaches you how to use the Flash Builder development environment for rapid development of Rich Internet Applications (RIA) using Flex Framework components. You will learn how to design interactive forms where CSS stylesheets and themes are applied and where the components are given skins. You will learn to make use of the markup language MXML. Also discussed is enhancing the interactivity of the applications by using ActionScript 3.0. The data types and the object model of the ActionScript 3.0 language are covered and there is ample attention to the handling of events for the flow of the application and the validation of data. Also the subject data binding where the contents of the Flex components is linked to internal or external sources such as a Web server is addressed. Herewith the Flex Data Services such as the HTTP Service are discussed. Finally attention is paid to how robust and scalable Flex RIA applications can be written based on the MVC (Model View Controller) pattern.



Modules Private: Course Rich User Interfaces using Flex

Module 1 : Flex Overview	Module 2 : Flex Basics	Module 3 : Layout and Styles
Traditional Webapps Problems	Minimal Flex Application	Definition of Layout
Rich Internet Applications	Flex Containers	Layout Phases
RIA Benefits	Wine Cellar Demo	Invalidation triggers
What is Flex?	UI Wine Cellar Demo	measure function
Flex Framework	Flex Components	updateDisplayList function
Flex Class Library	Custom Components	Different kinds of size
Flex Architecture	Binding between Components	Size related properties
How Flex works	Application Structure	Size related methods
Flex Product Line	Component Properties	Styles
Flex Compiler	Component Methods	Styles for sub components
FlashBuilder		Skins
ActionScript 3		
Flash Player		
MXML		
Module 4 : ActionScript 3.0	Module 5 : MXML	Module 6 : Event Handling
What is ActionScript?	What is MXML?	Flex Event Model
Where is ActionScript used	ActionScript classes to MXML tags	Listeners
Design Goals	MXML Language	Event Listeners Examples
Flash 9 Features	MXML to ActionScript	Handling Button Clicks
ActionScript Basics	MXML Visual Tags	Inline ActionScript
ActionScript variables	MXML Miscellaneous tags	Best Practice Handling Events
ActionScript data types	MXML Data Binding	ActionScript functions
Functions		Adding listeners
Classes and Objects		The event object
Packages and Classes		Types of Events
Visibility Modifiers		Event bubbling
Accessing Properties		Stopping the bubble
Event Model		
Displaylist		
XML handling		
Module 7 : Data Services		

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Flex Data Services

XML Data Access

Connect to data using HTTP Service

Setup HTTPService

Using lastResult property

Handle Result using Event Object

event handler in script

Debugging

Handling faults

Fault Class Alert Class

Cross Domain Access