## micro.P3.express

minimalist project management system for micro-projects





This slide deck is in the public domain and everyone can adapt and use it for commercial or non-commercial purposes without asking for permission.

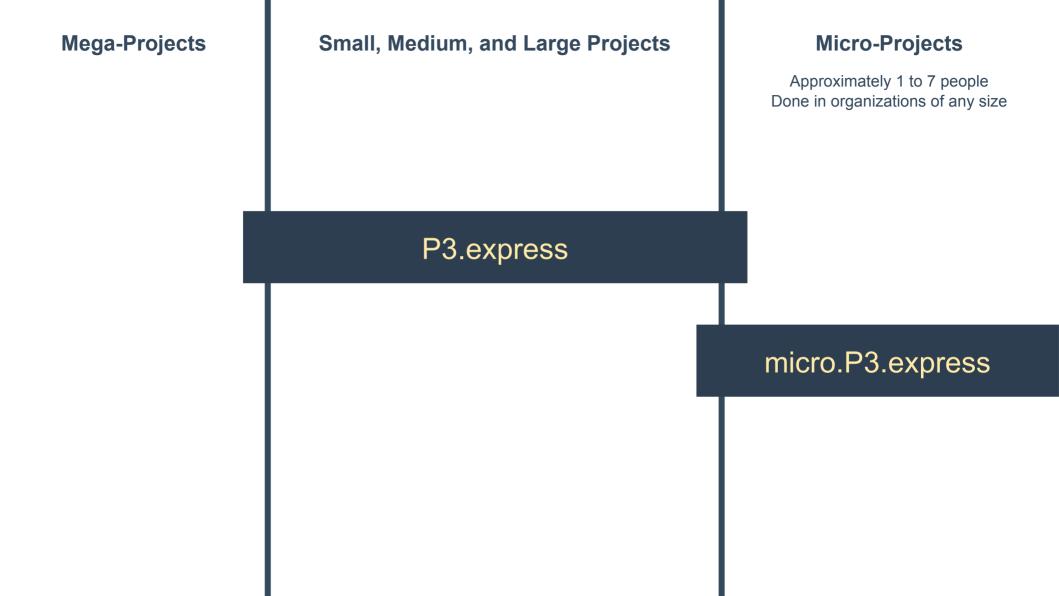
(CC0 1.0 Universal Public Domain Dedication)

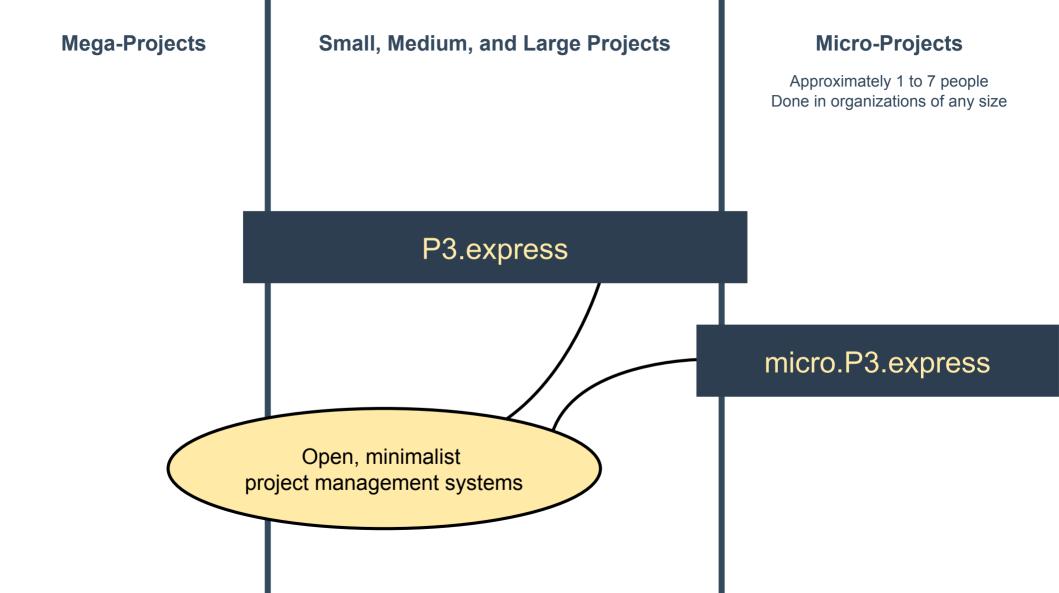
micro.P3.express can be adapted and used by everyone for commercial and non-commercial purposes without asking for permission, as long as appropriate attribution is given.

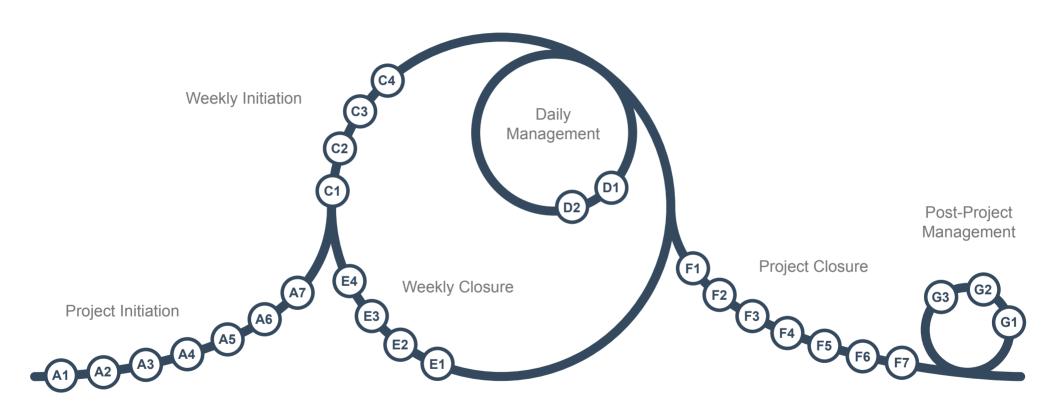
(CC-BY International License)



- High-level overview
- 2 Full review
- **3** NUPP
- 4 Tailoring

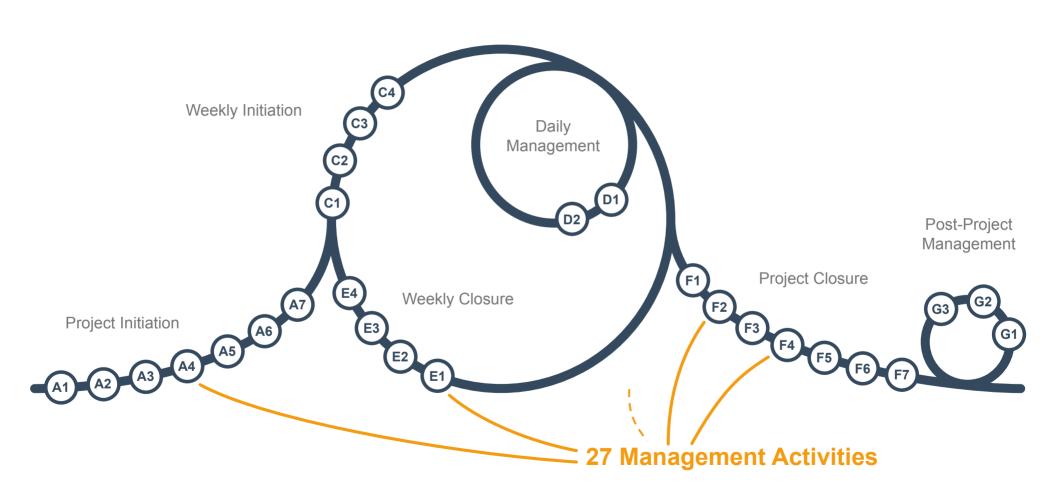


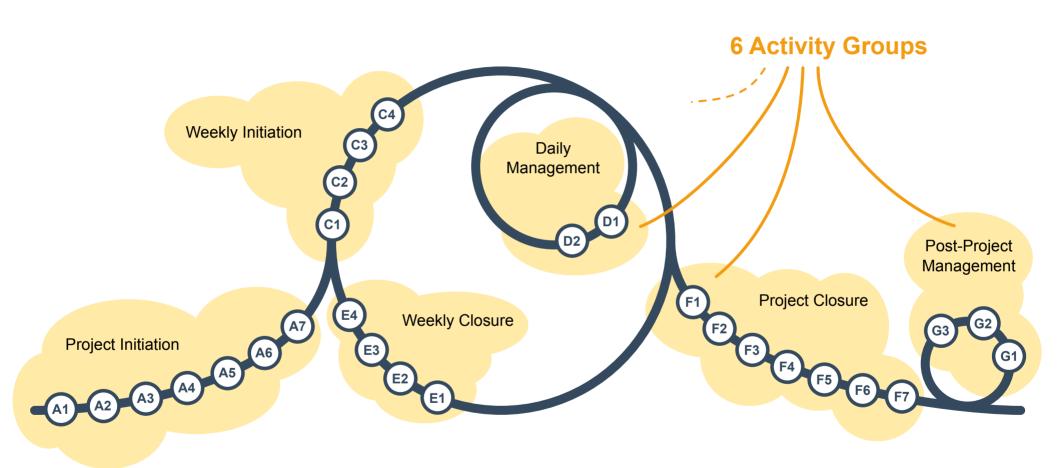


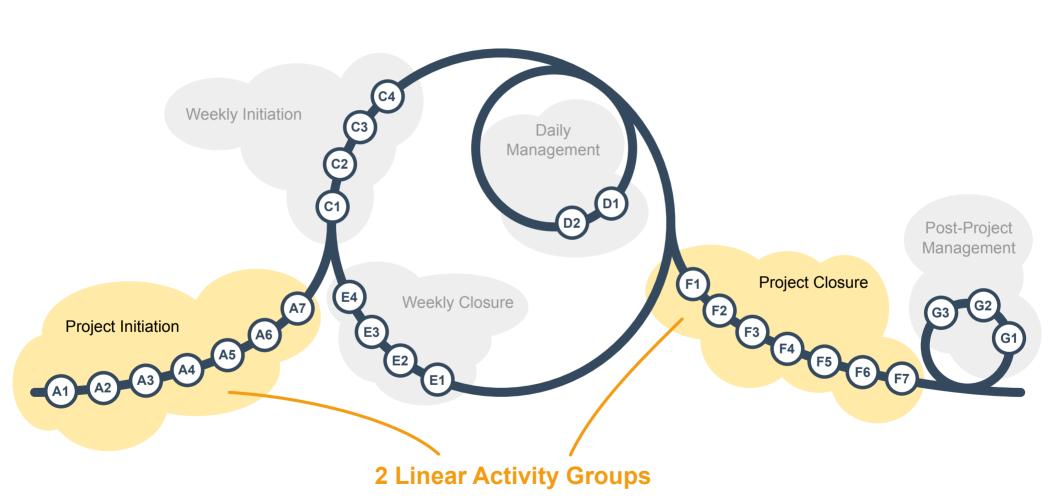


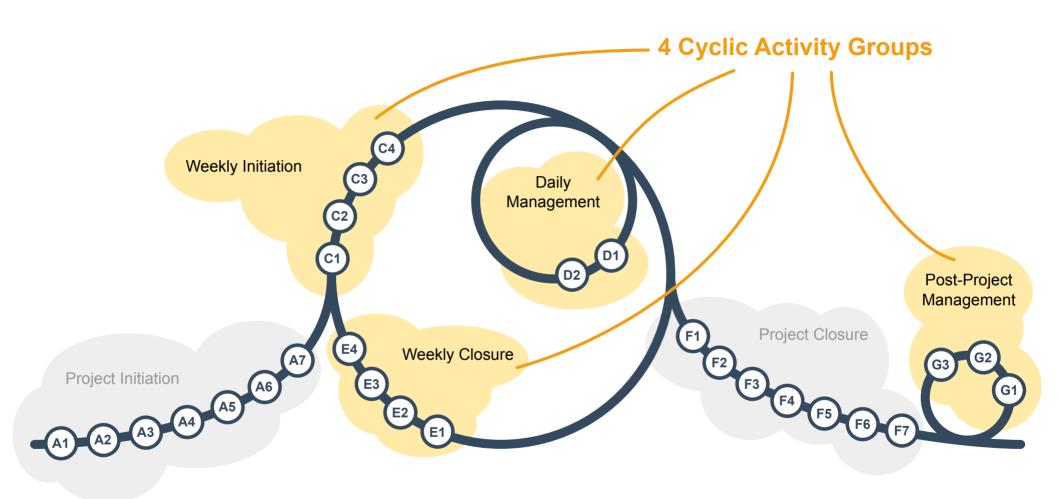
## **The Process**

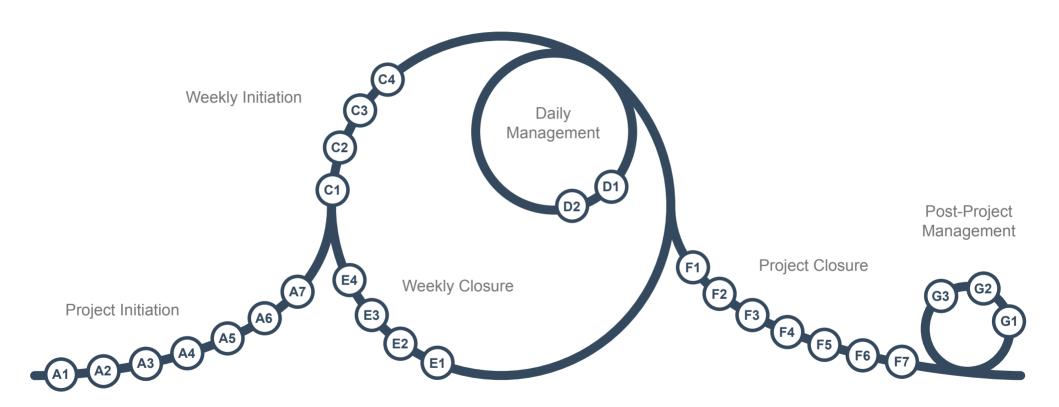


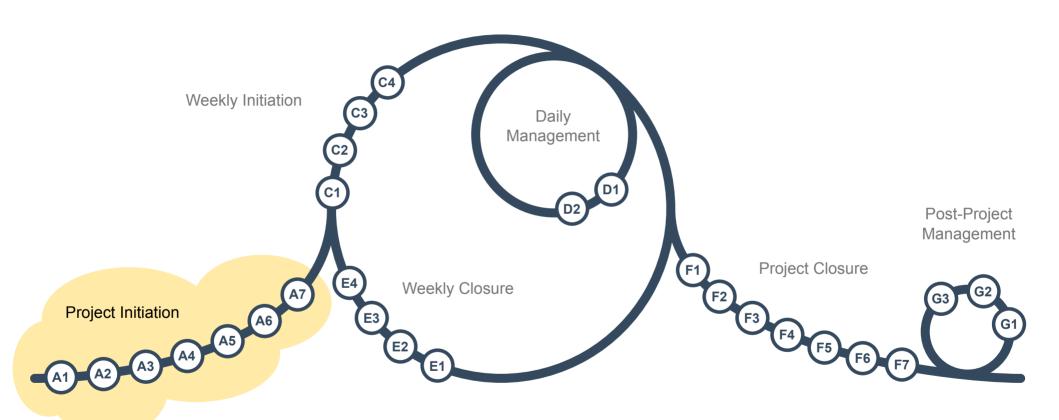




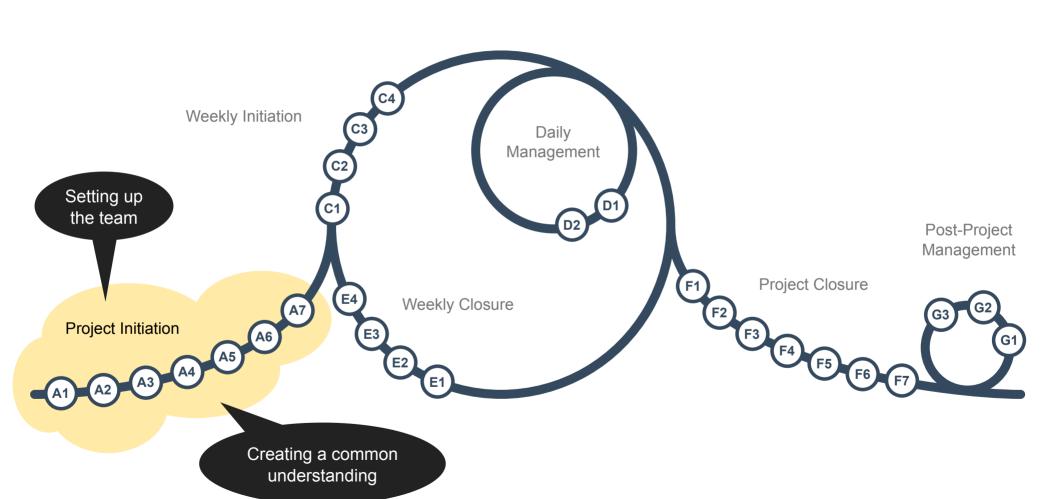


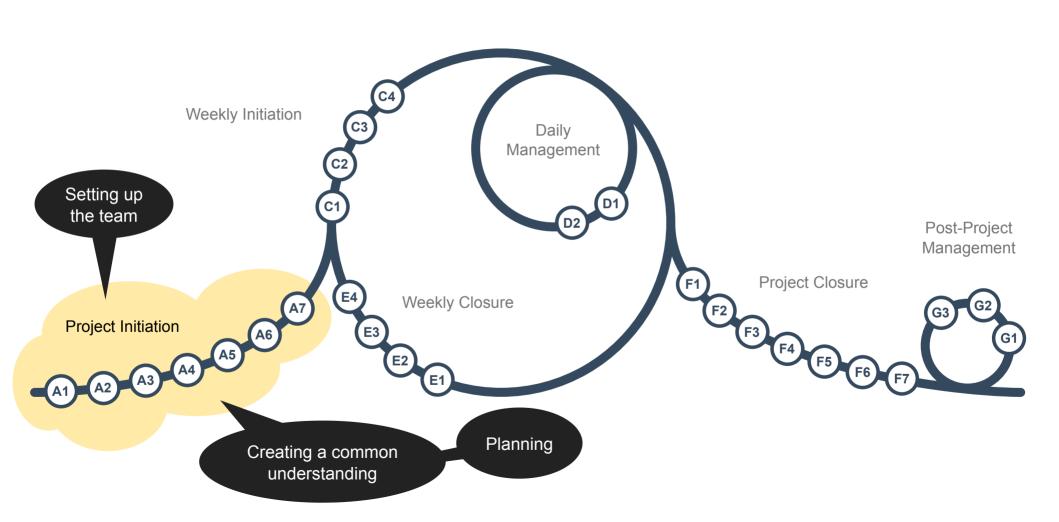


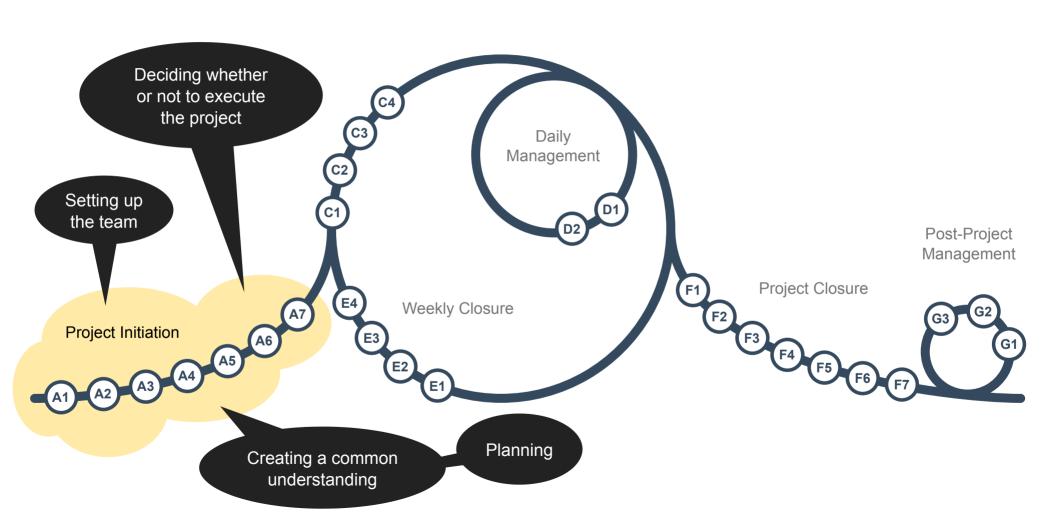


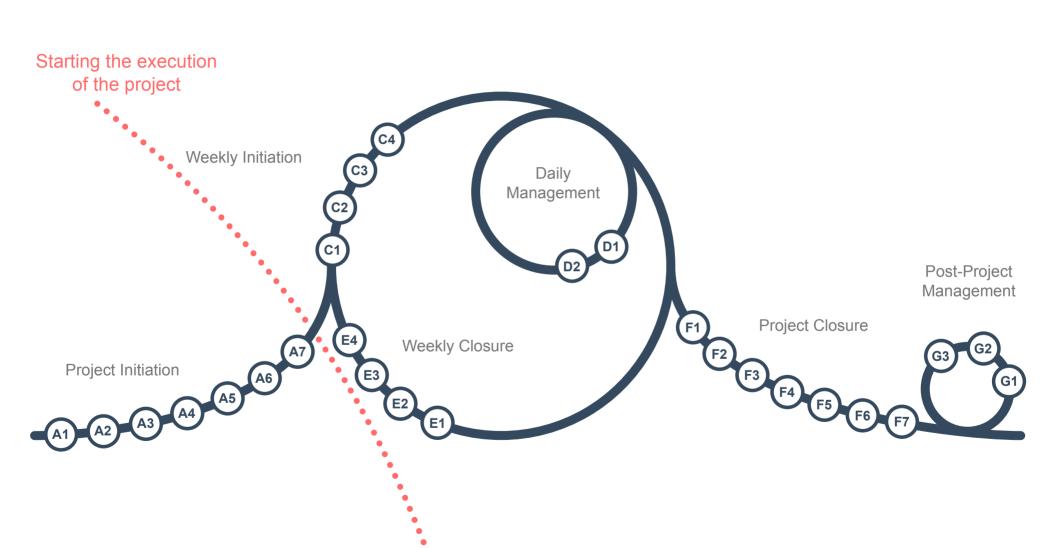


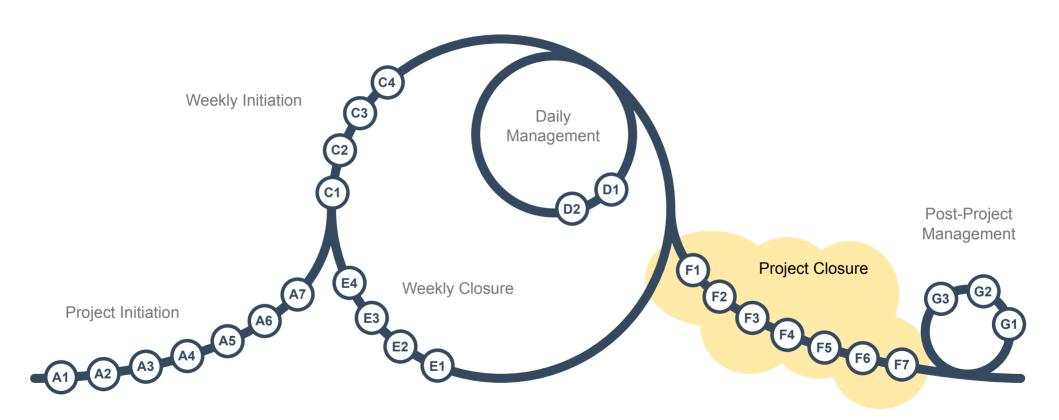


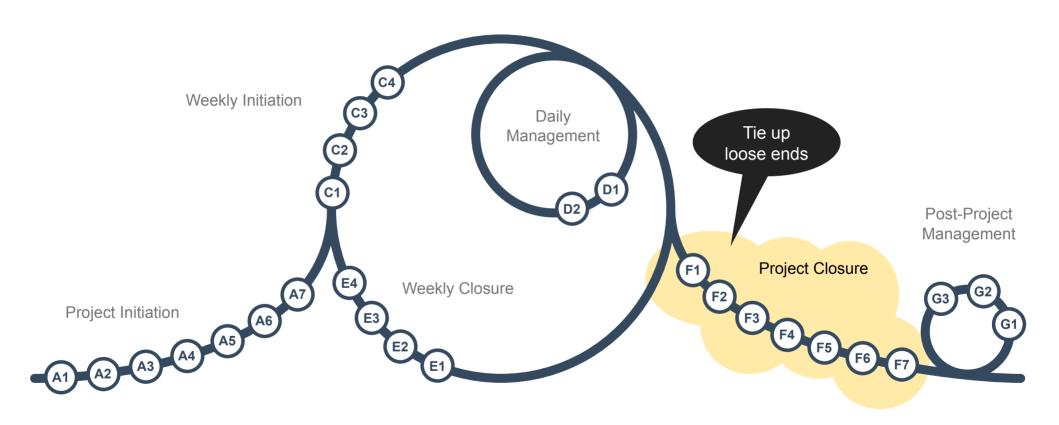


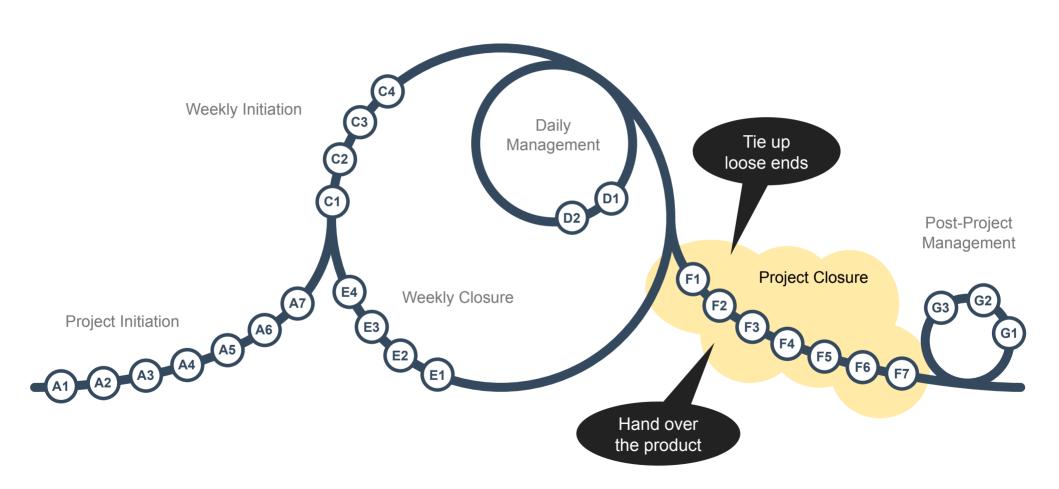


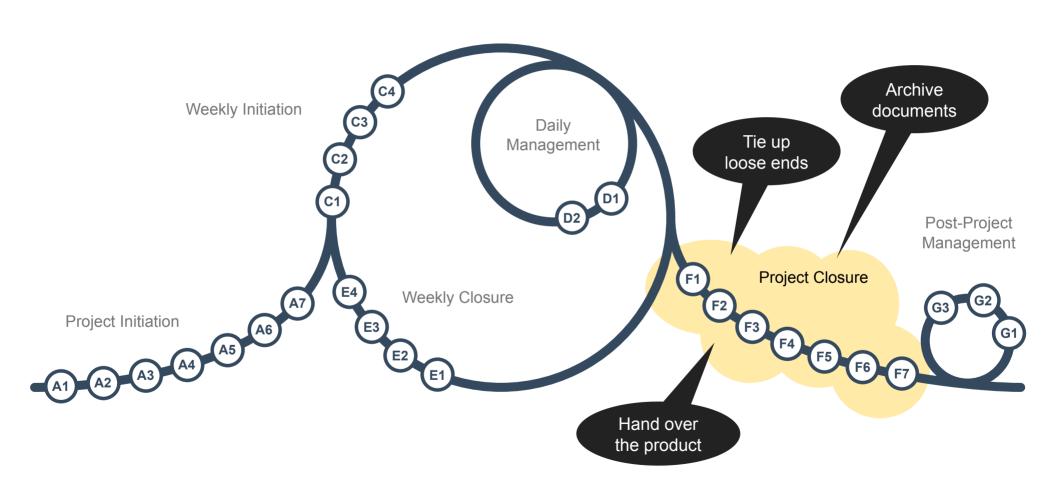


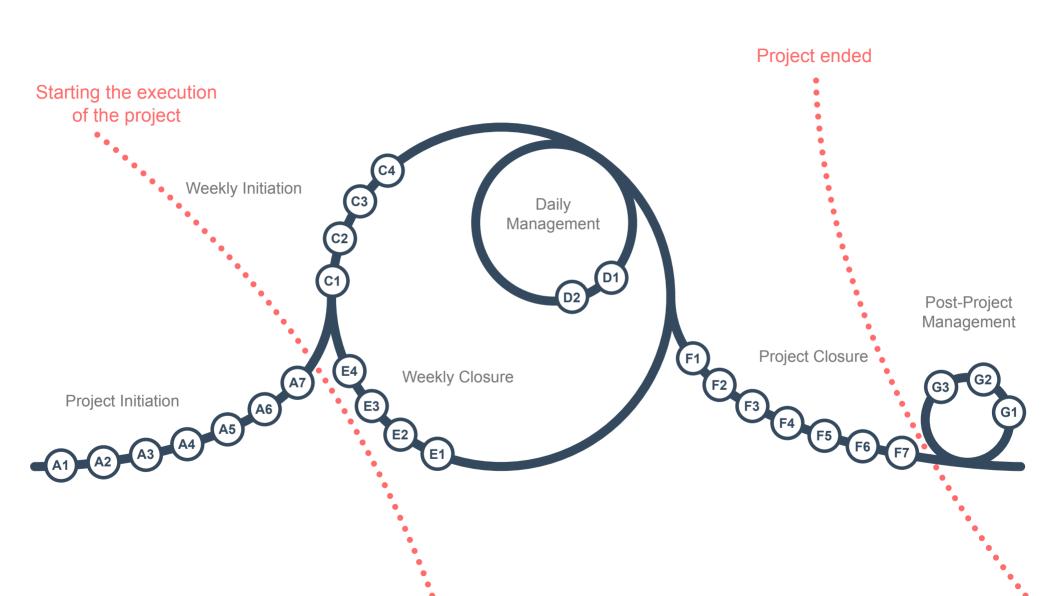


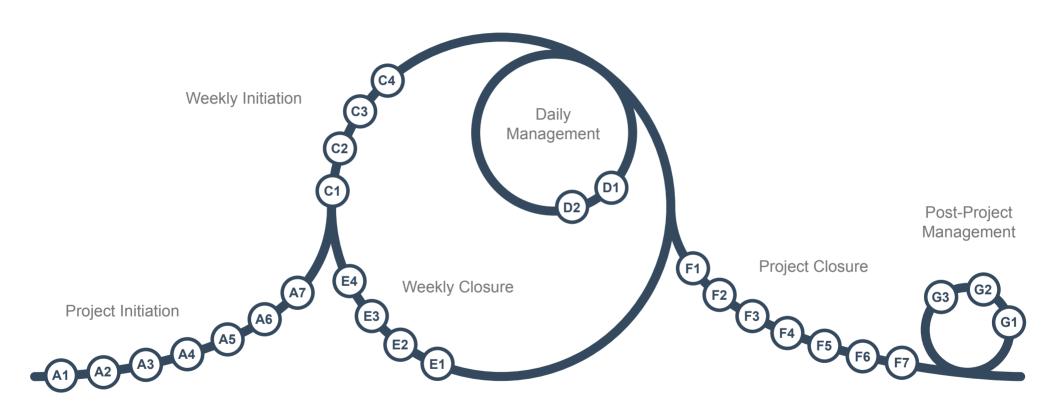




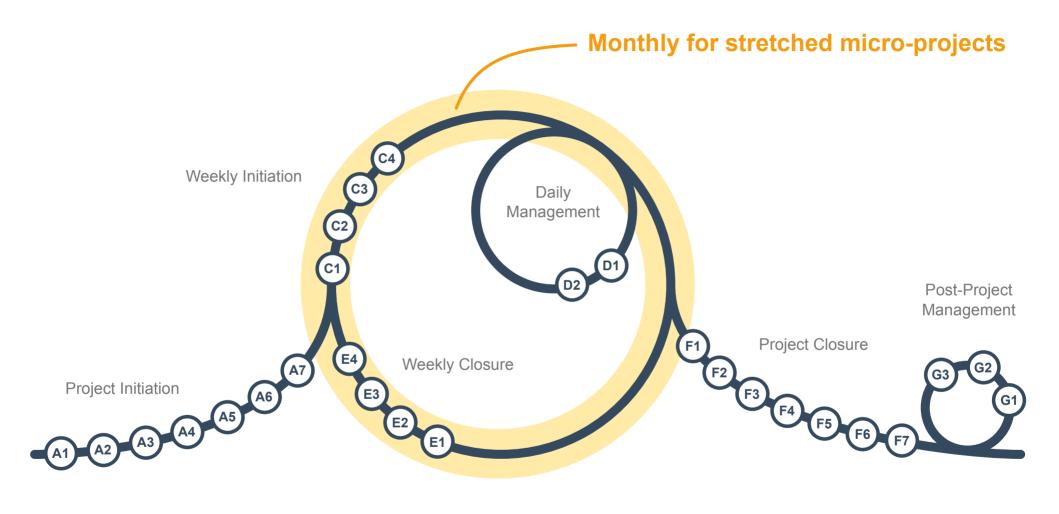


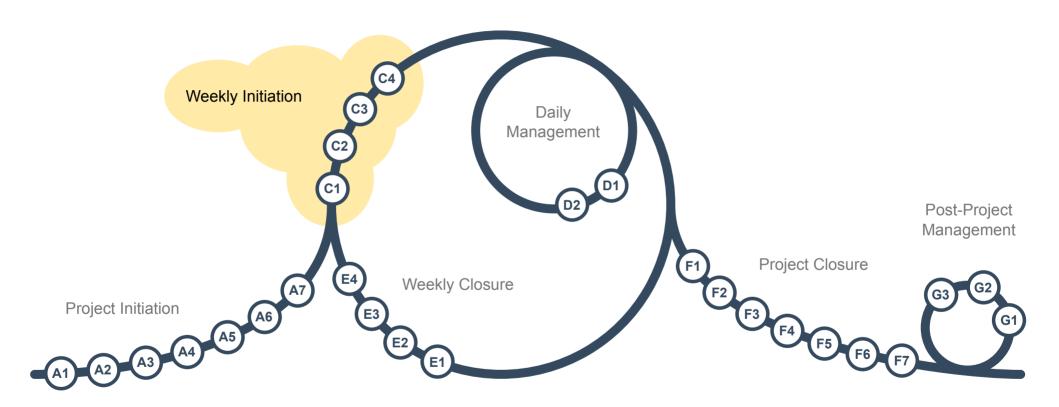






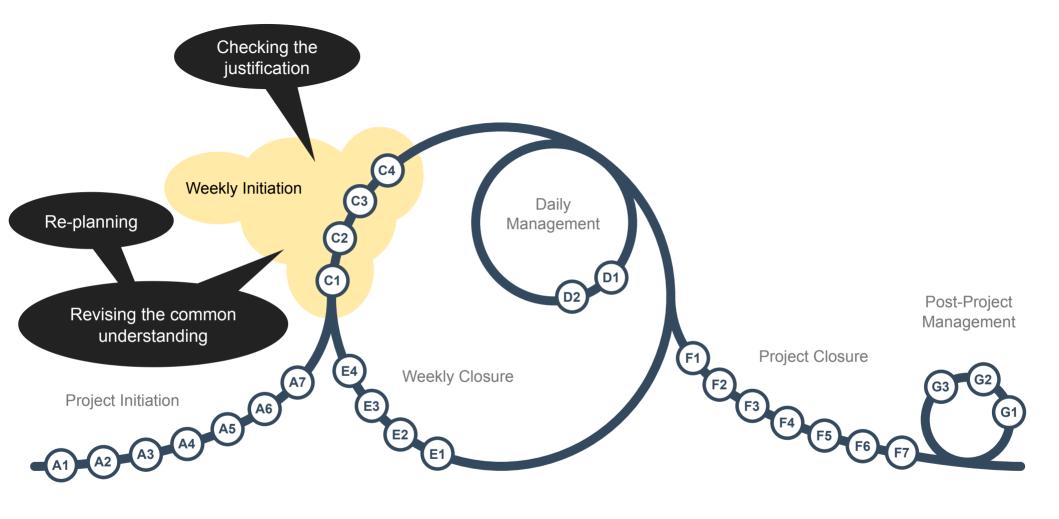


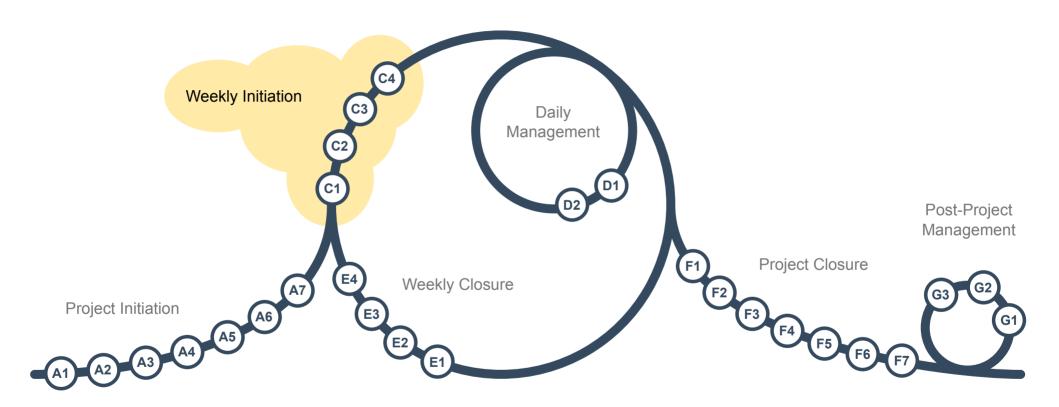


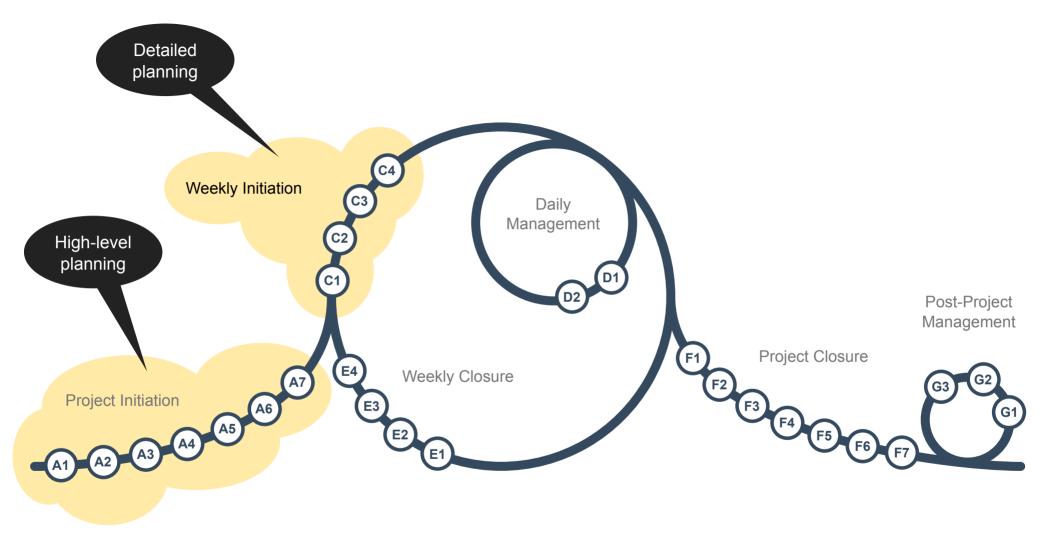


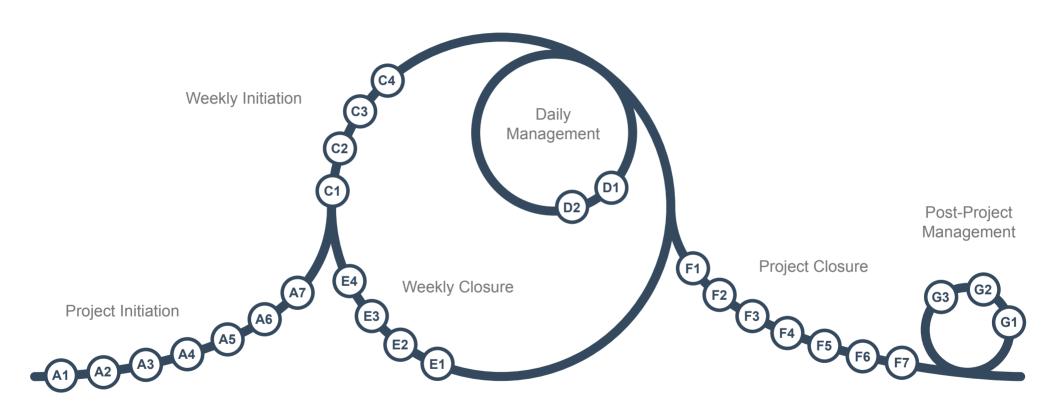


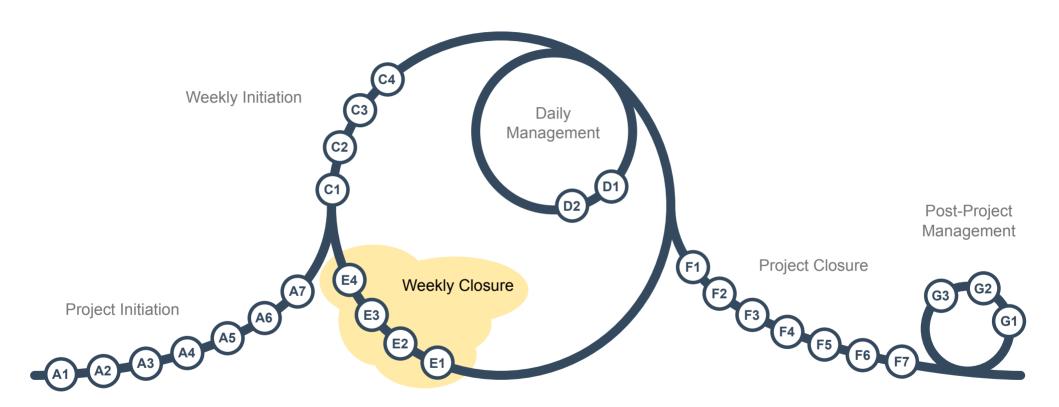


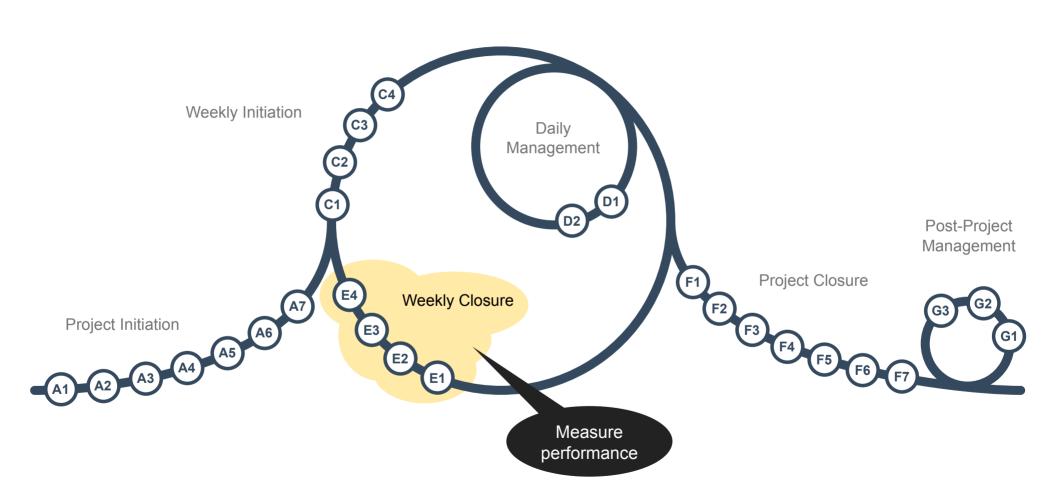


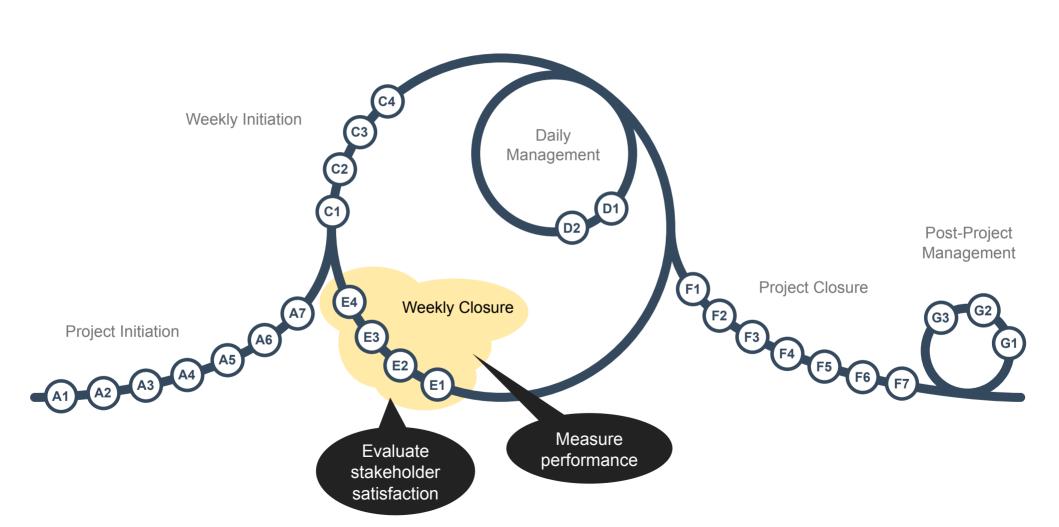


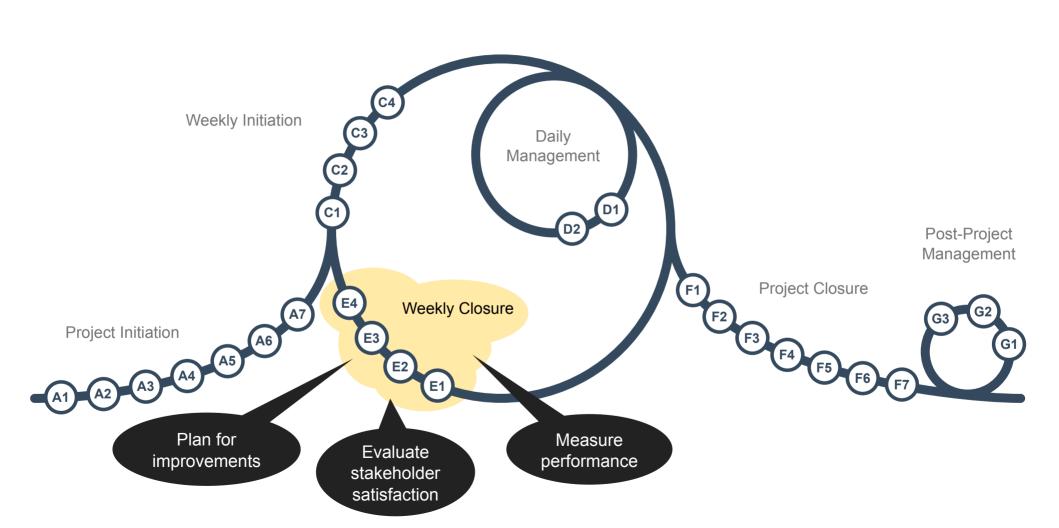


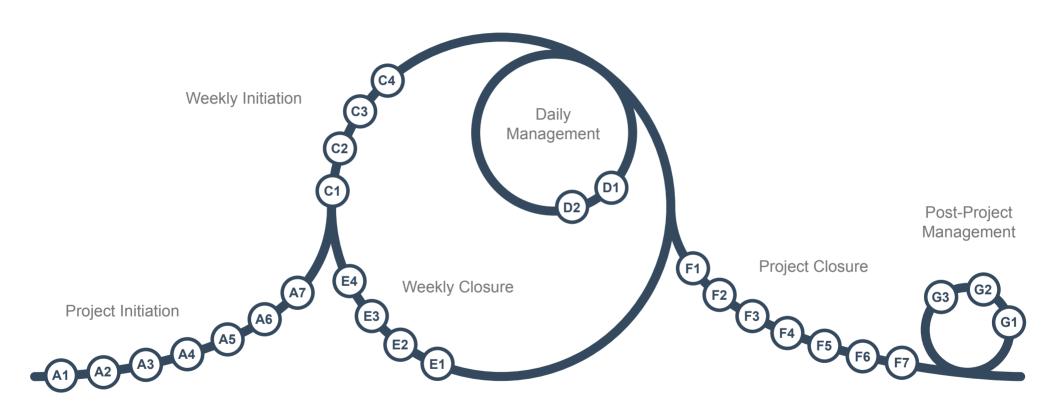


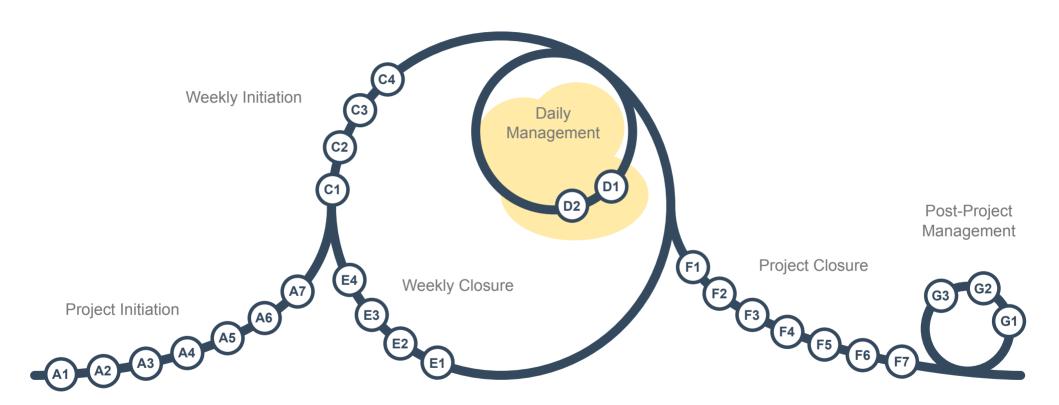


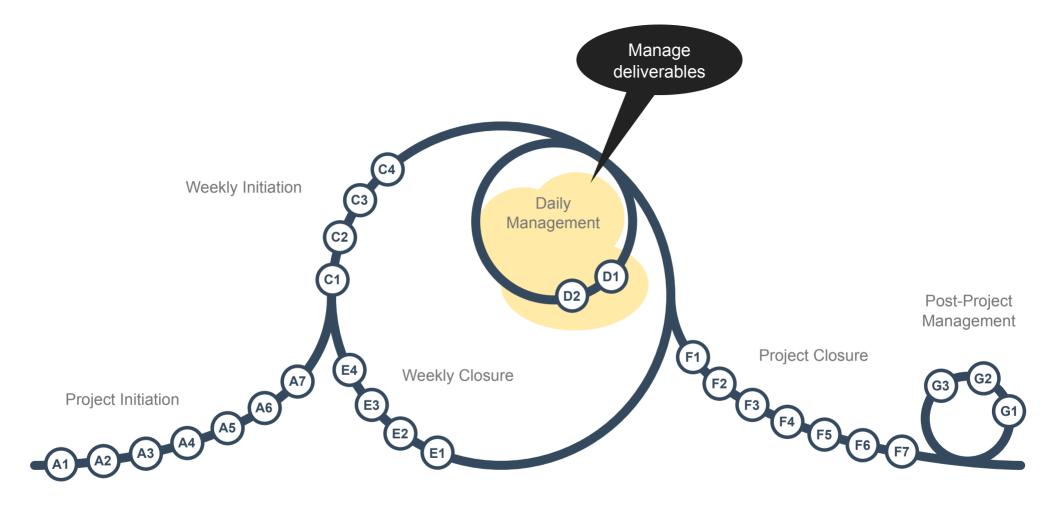


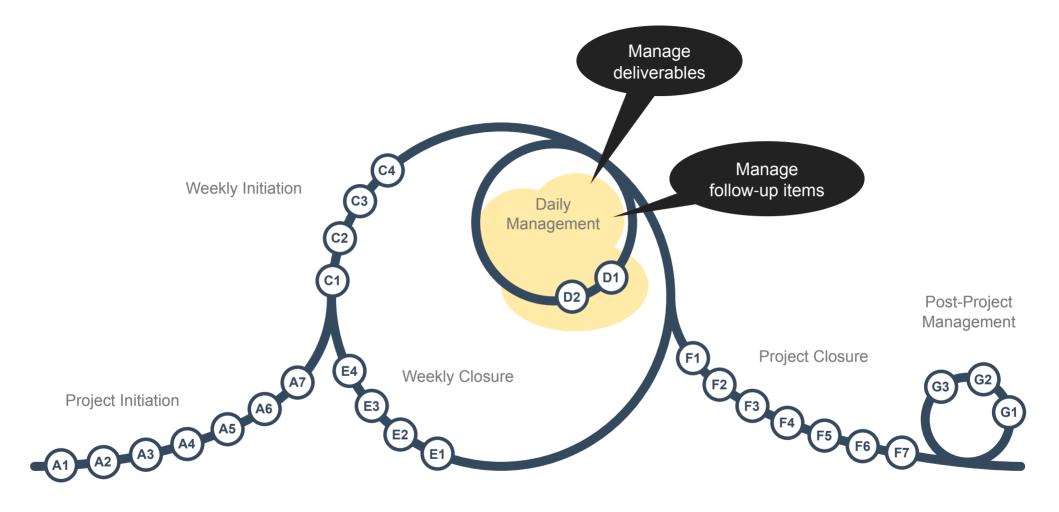


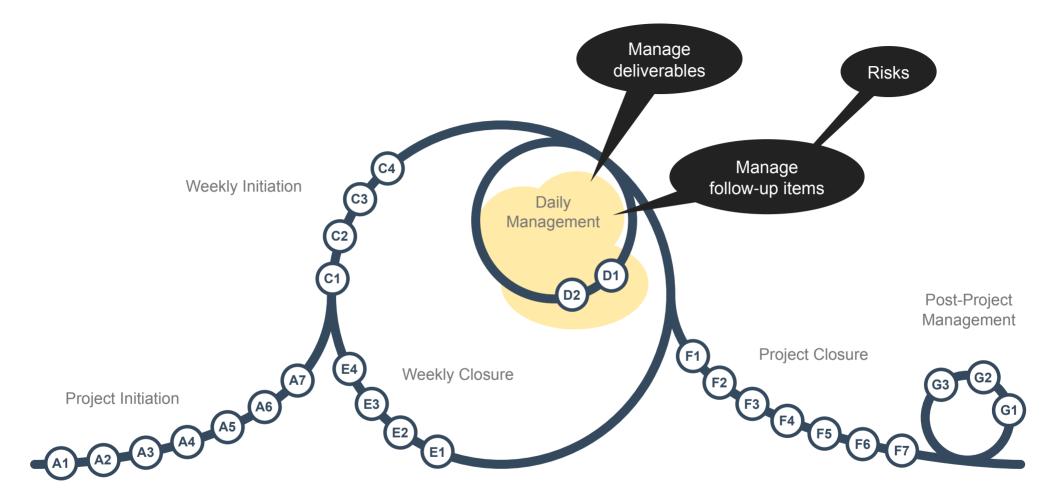


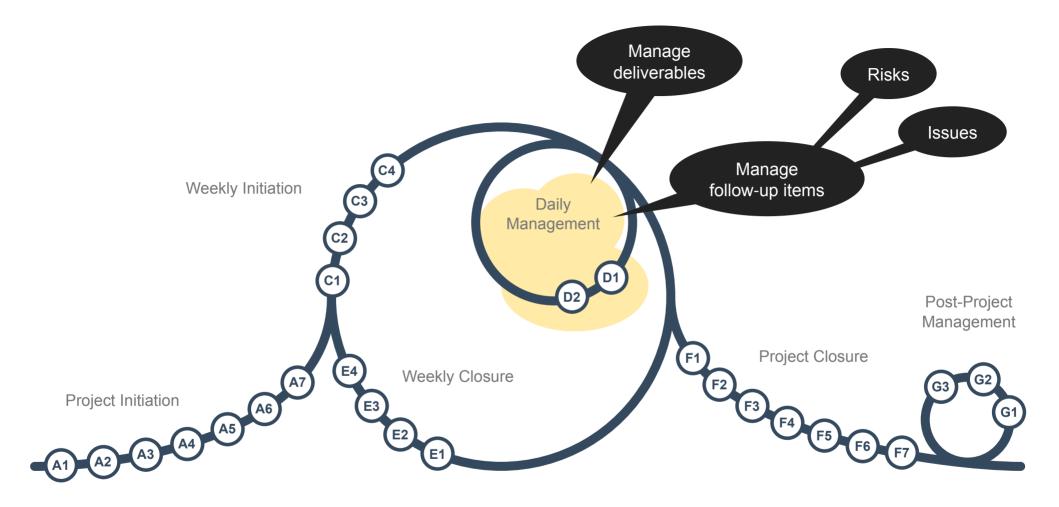


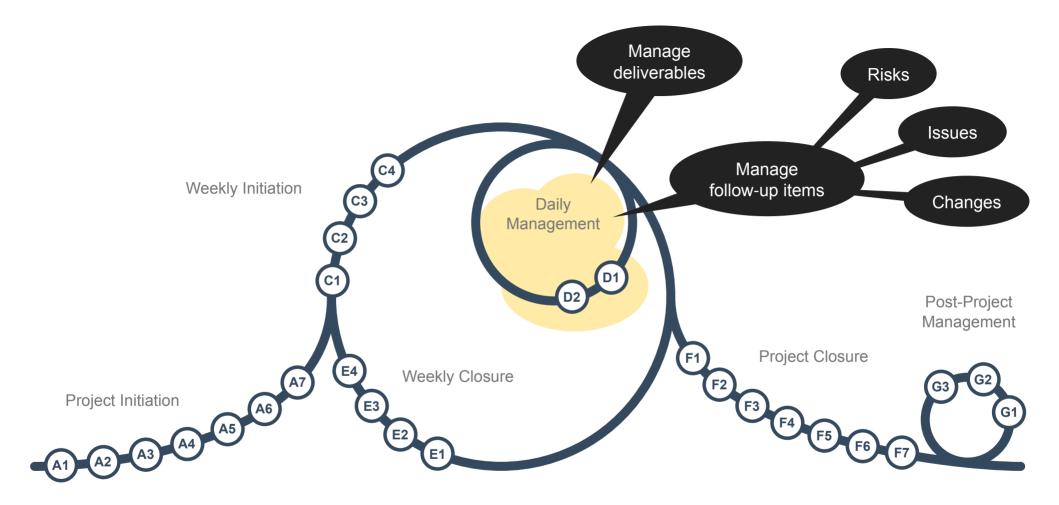


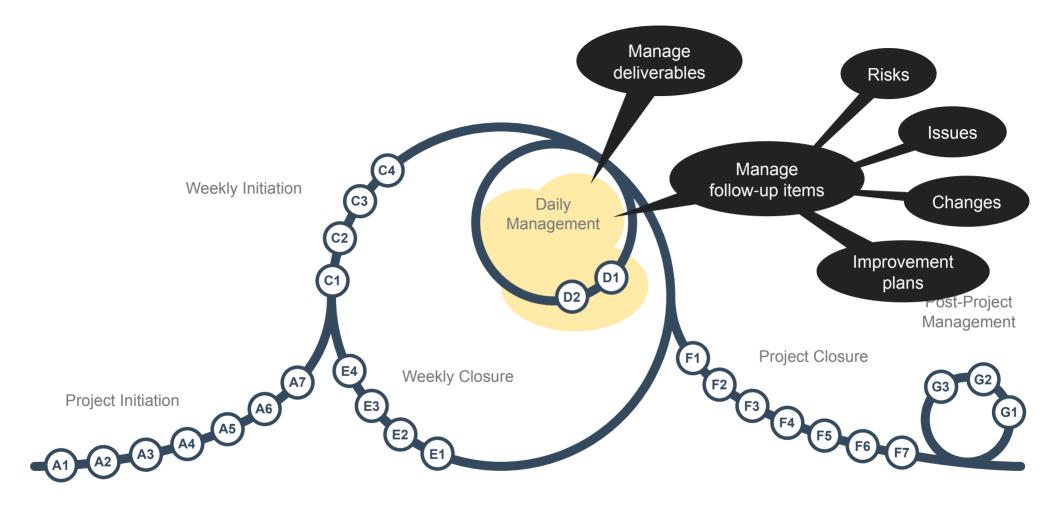


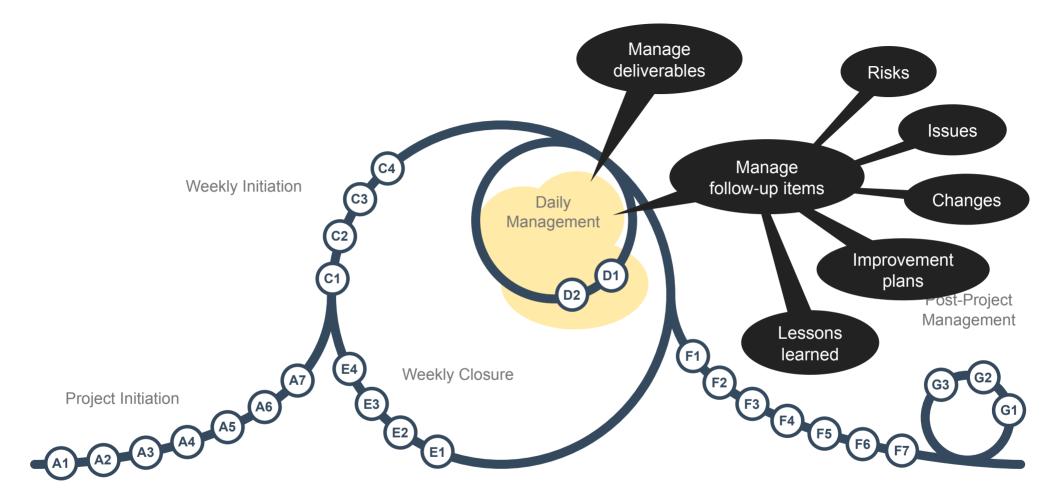


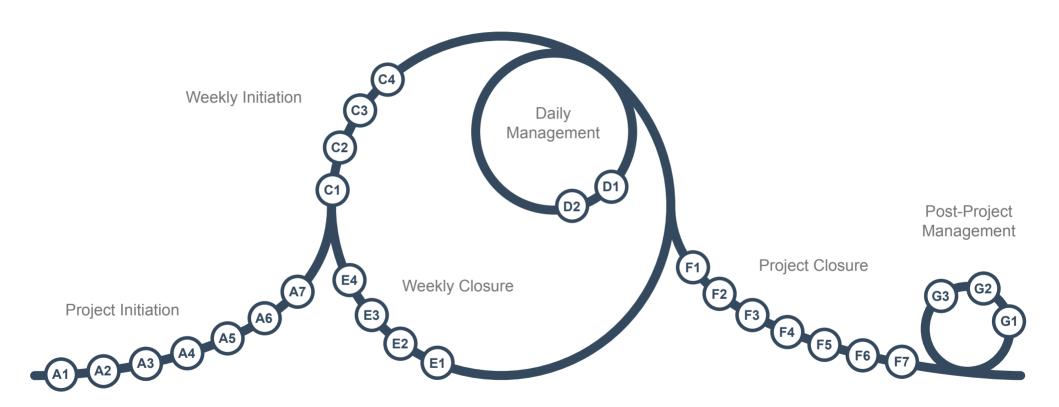


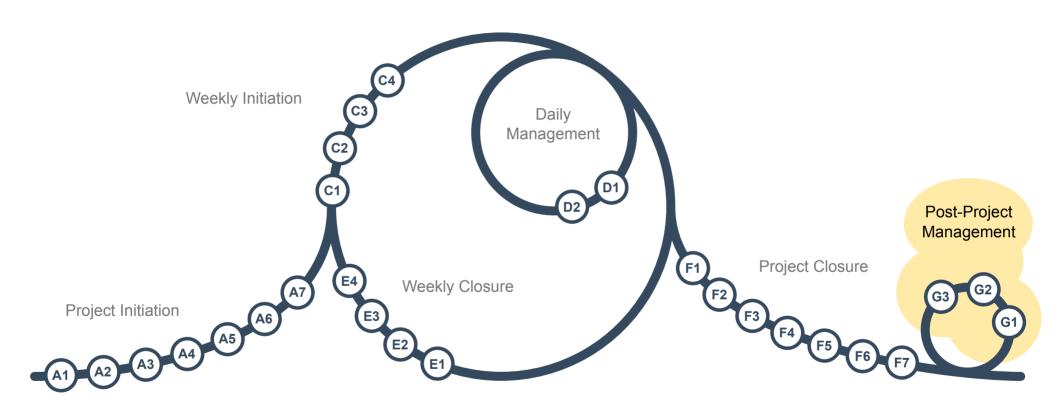


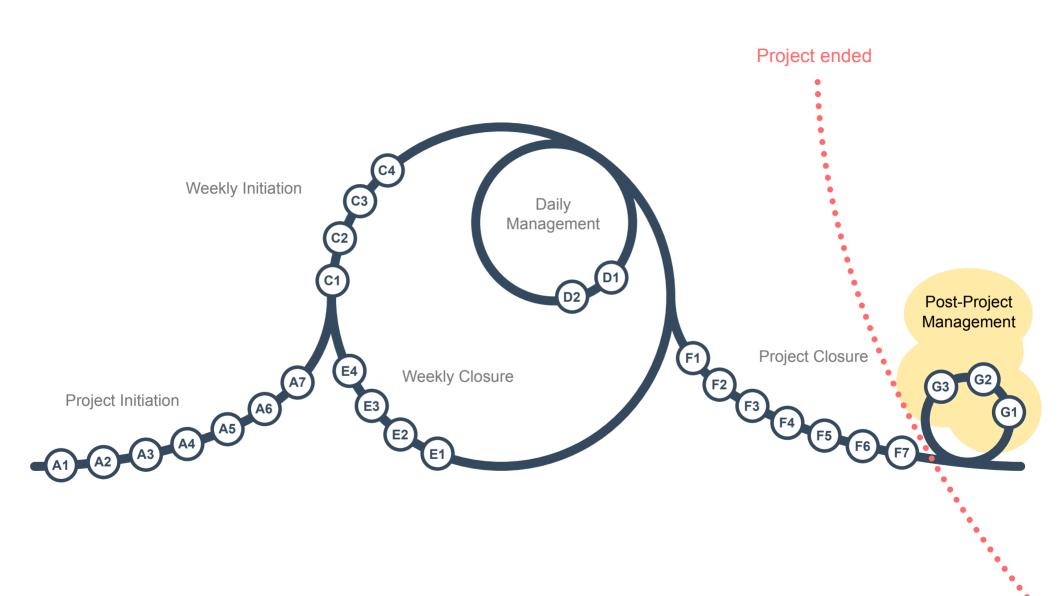


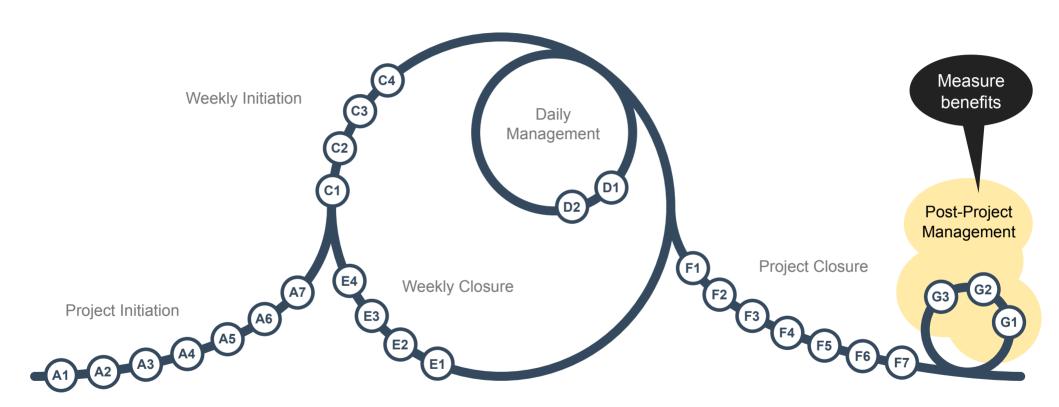


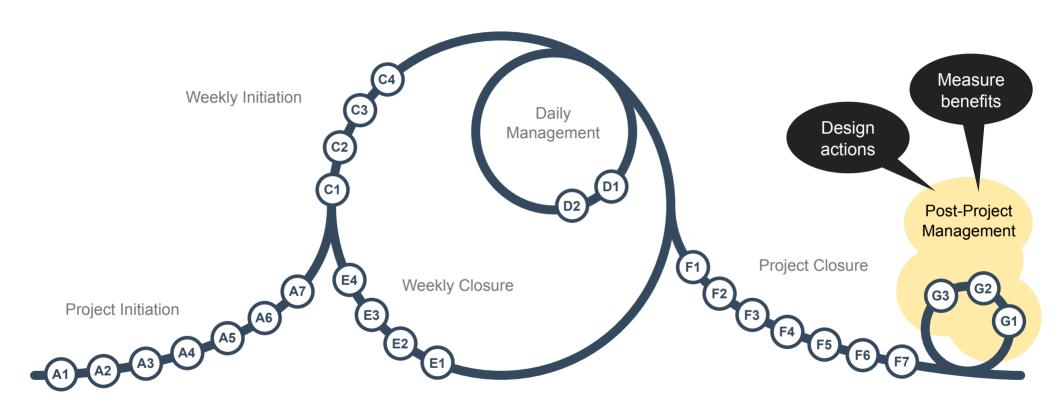


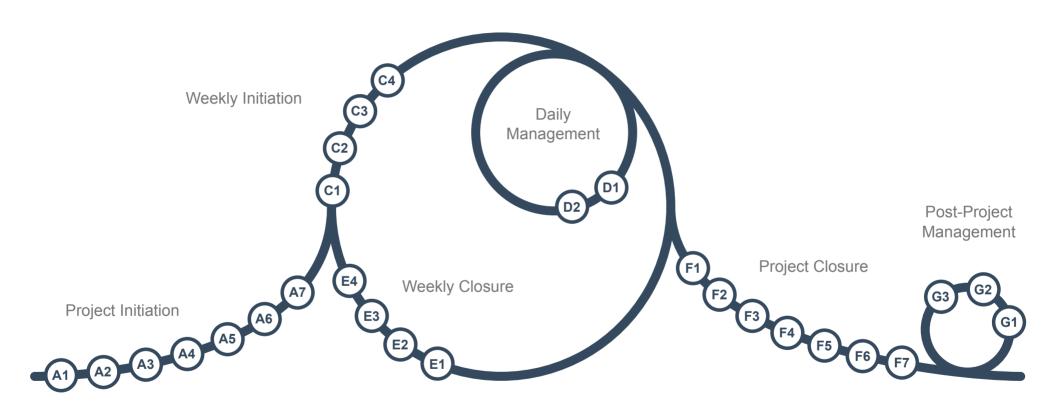












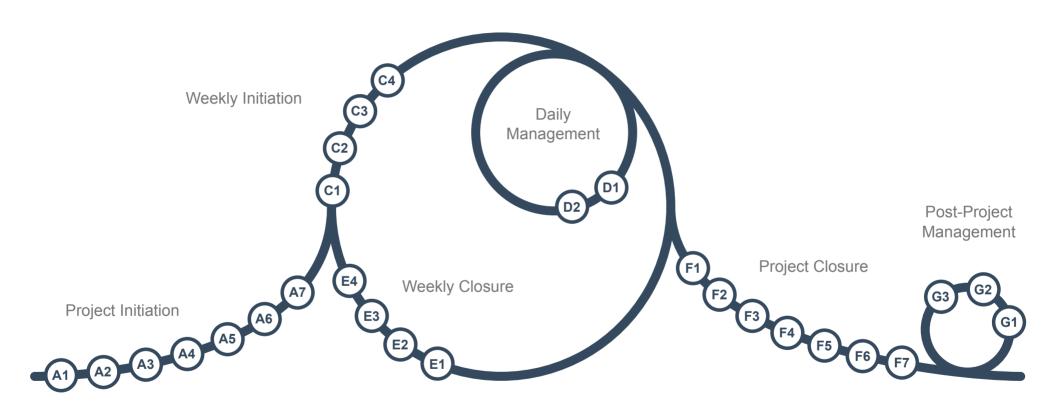
4 High-level overview

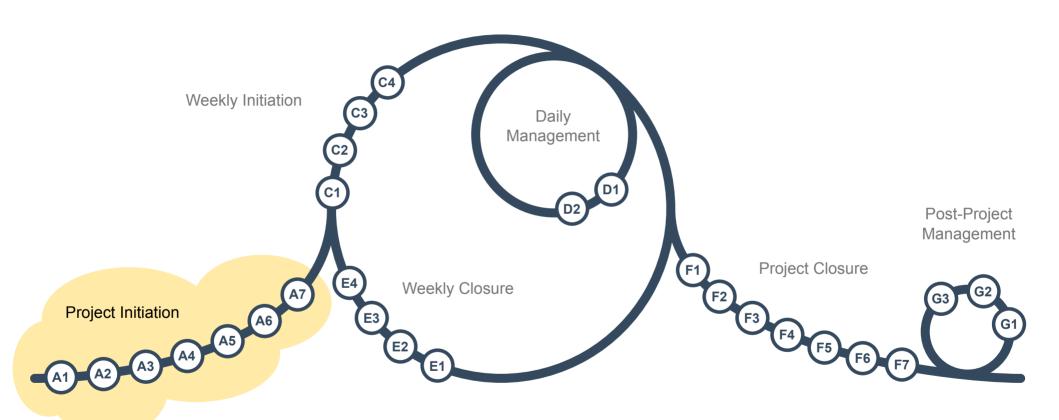


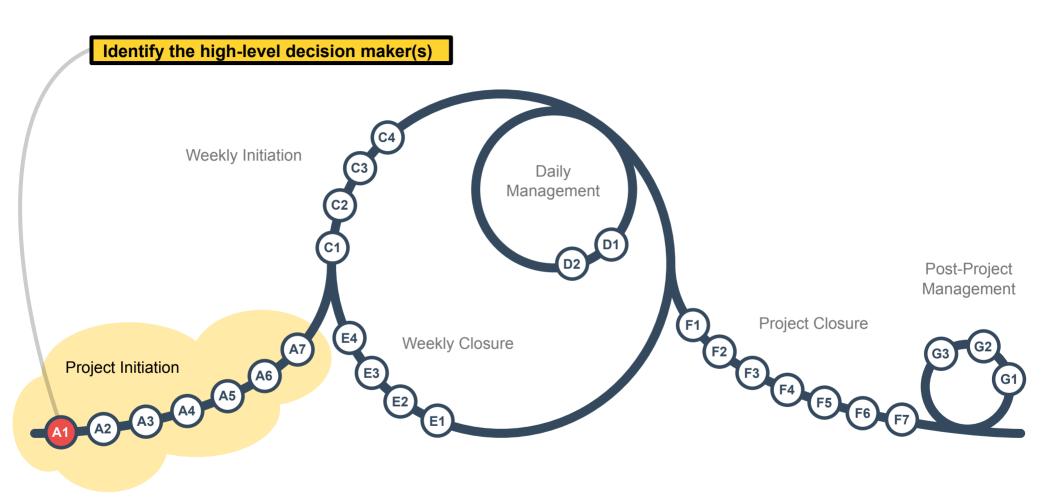
2 Full review

**3** NUPP

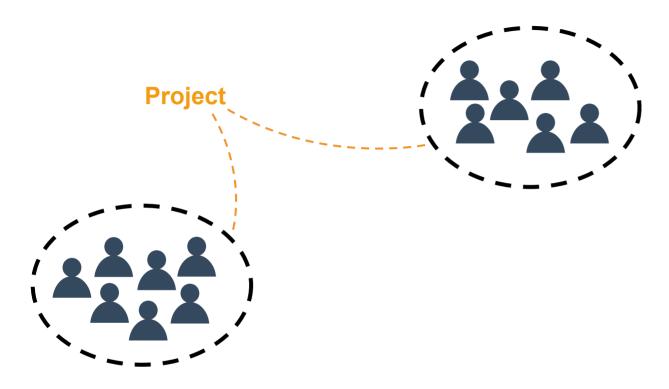
4 Tailoring

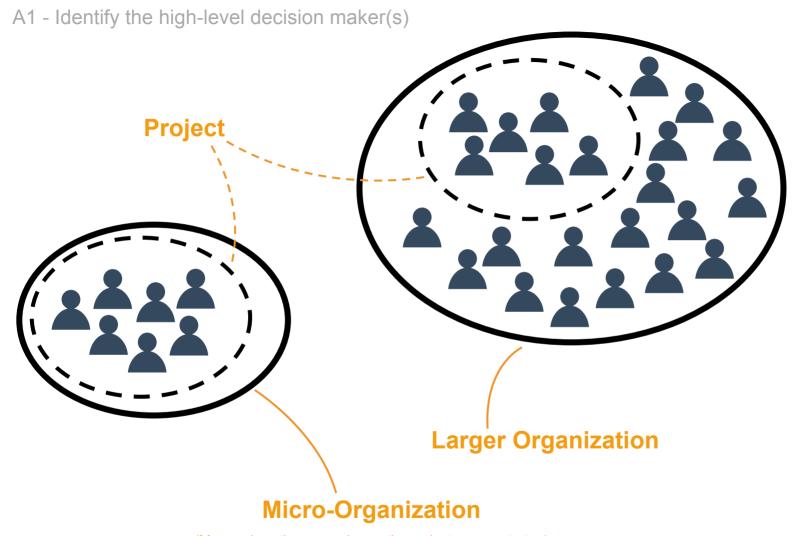


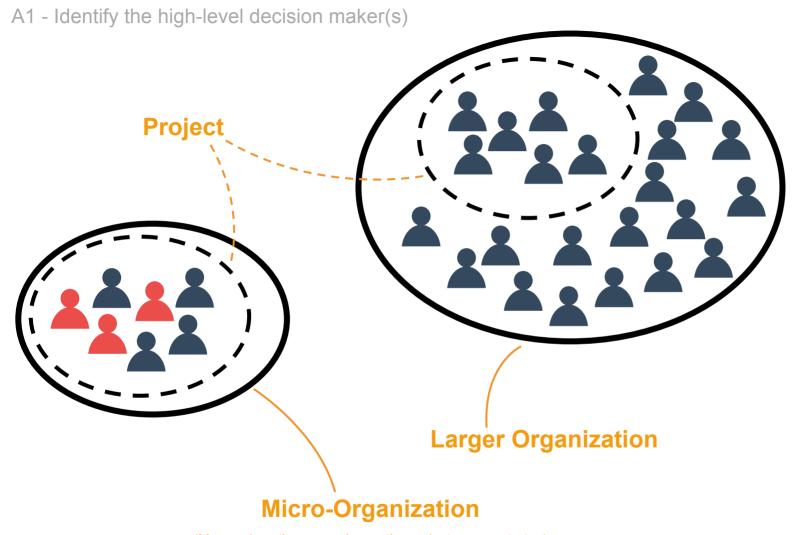


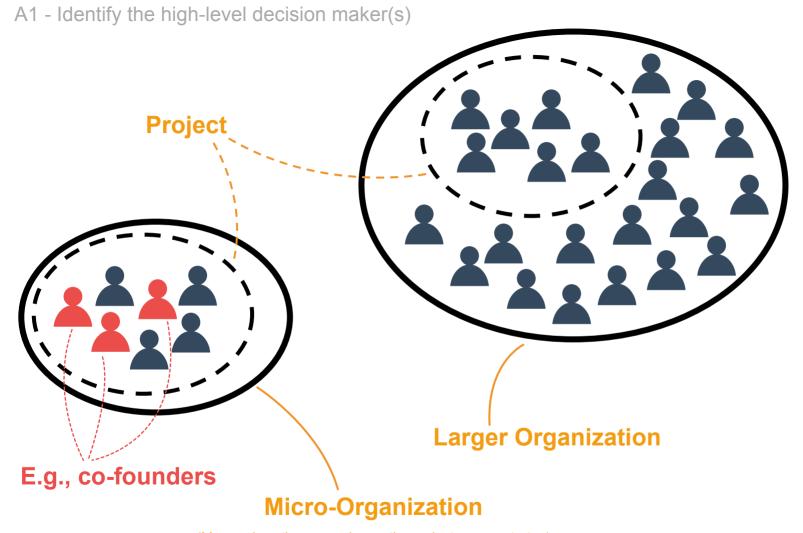


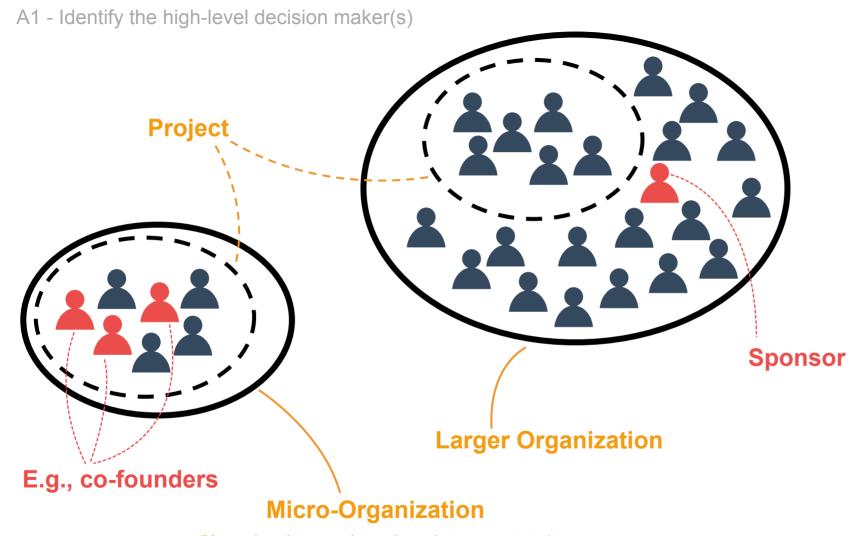
A1 - Identify the high-level decision maker(s)

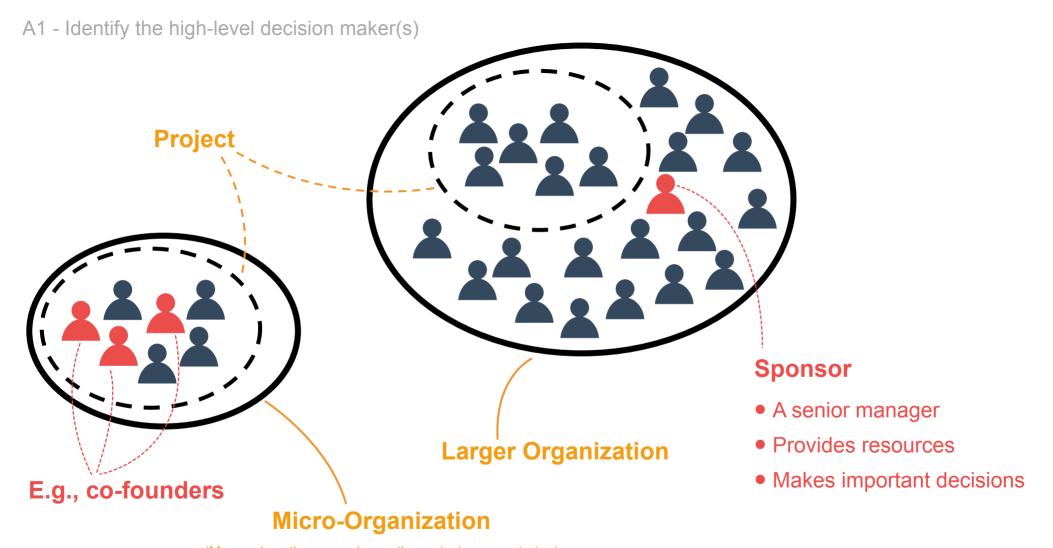




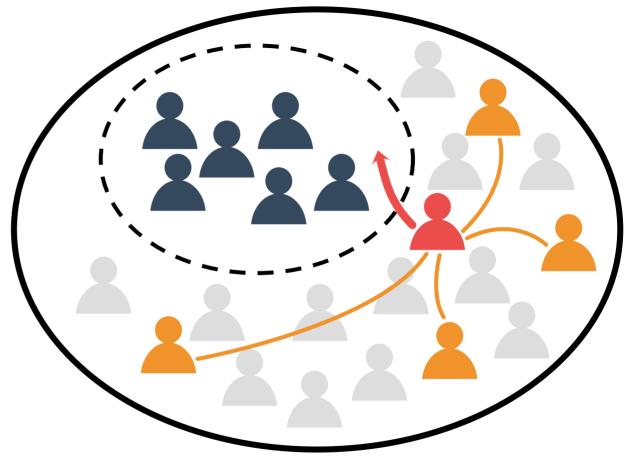








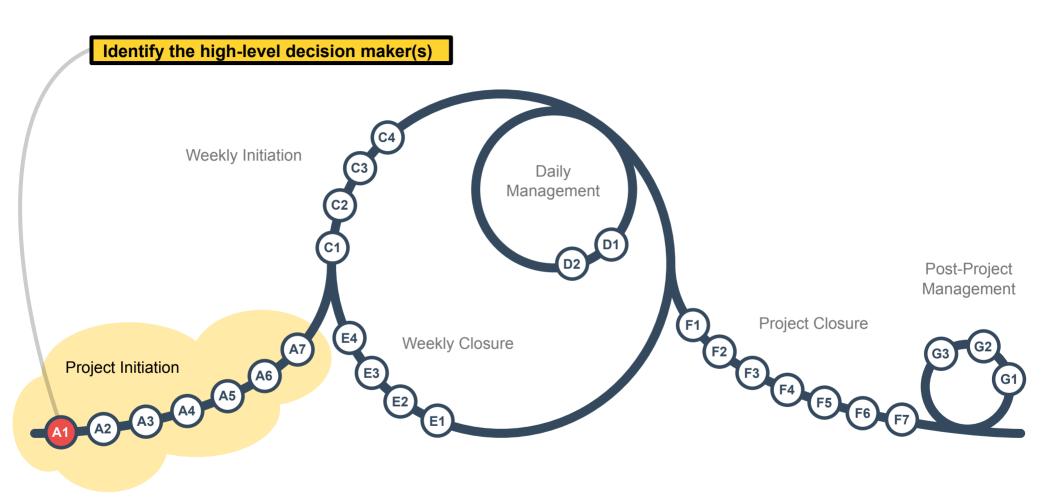
A1 - Identify the high-level decision maker(s)

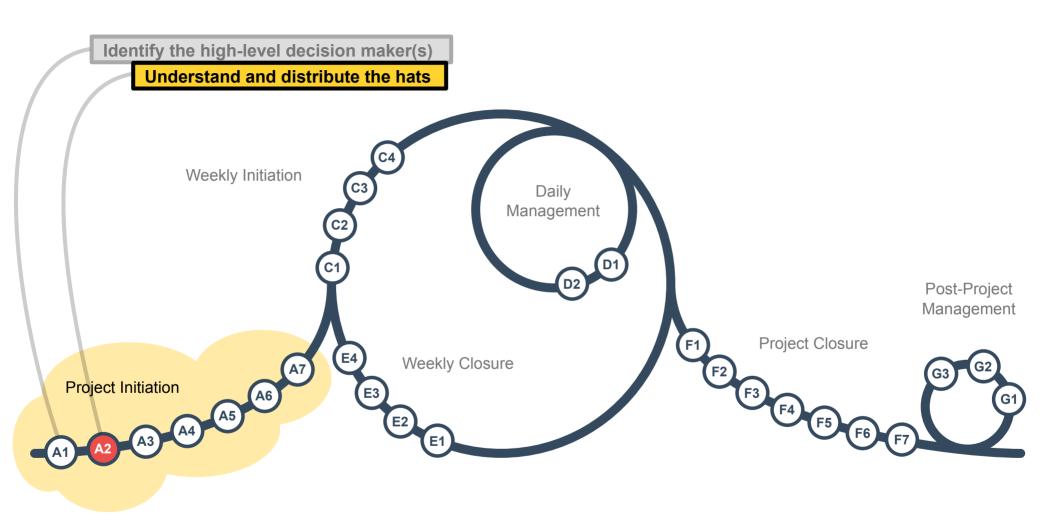


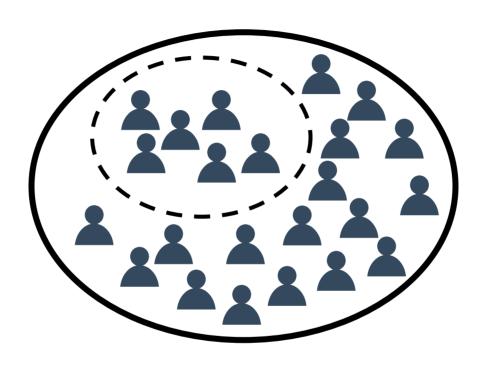
For decisions,

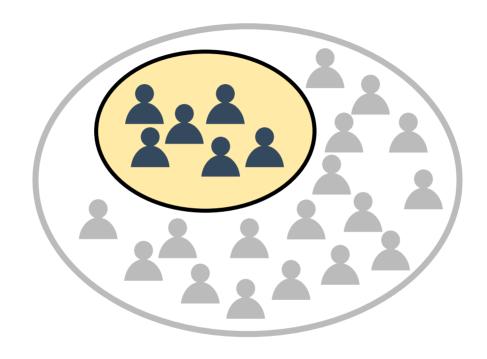
the team is only in touch with the sponsor.

(If more people should to be involved, the sponsor will take care of that.)









Team members should be officially appointed to the project.

(Instead of appointing tasks to departments)





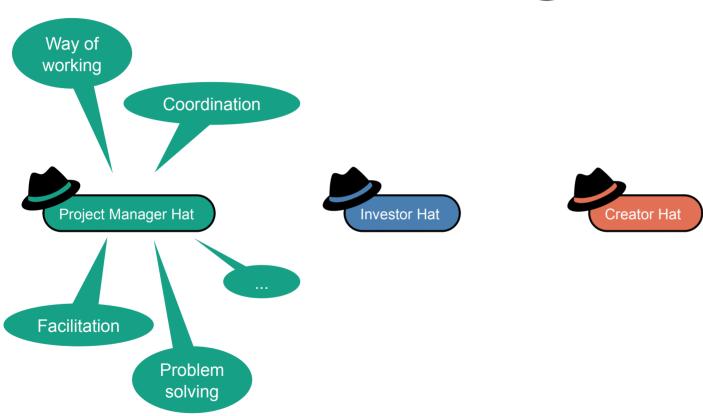






A2 - Understand and distribute the hats



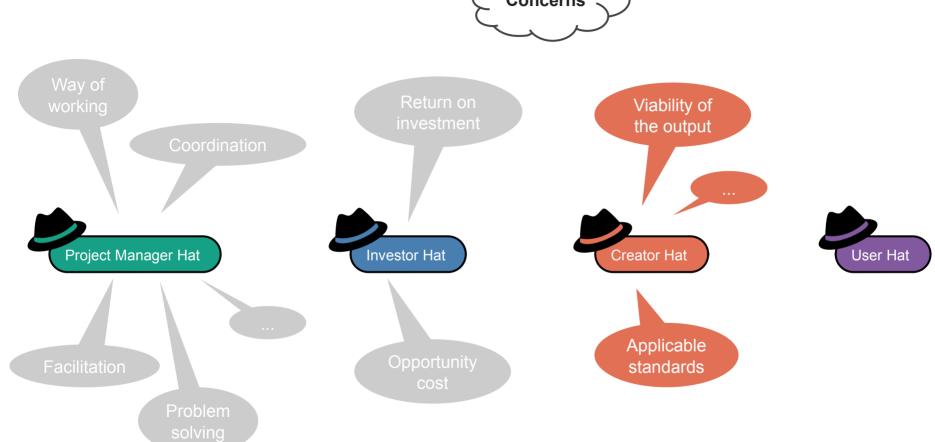




A2 - Understand and distribute the hats Concerns Return on investment Project Manager Hat Investor Hat Creator Hat User Hat Opportunity cost

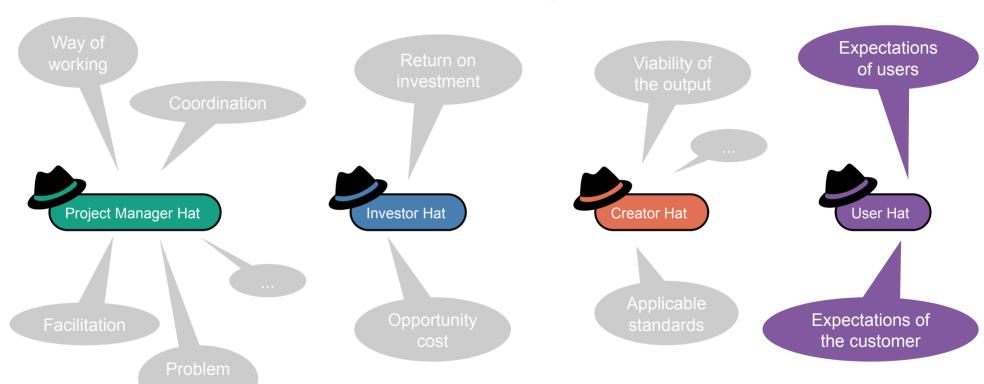
A2 - Understand and distribute the hats





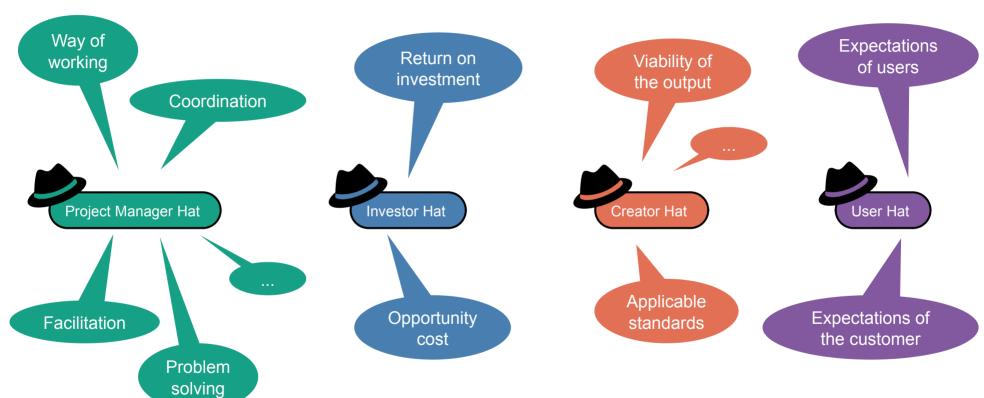
A2 - Understand and distribute the hats





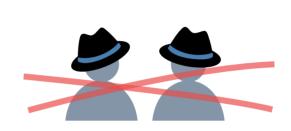
A2 - Understand and distribute the hats



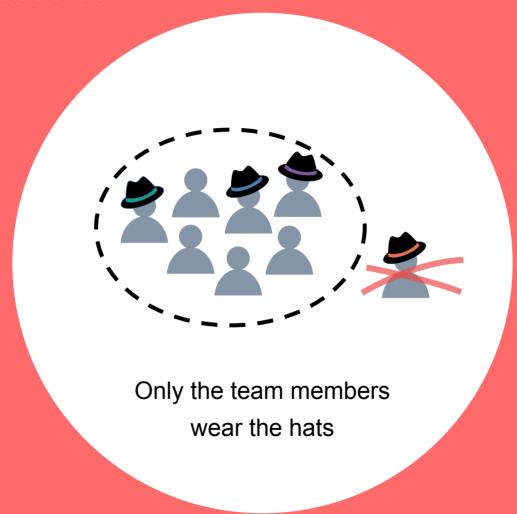


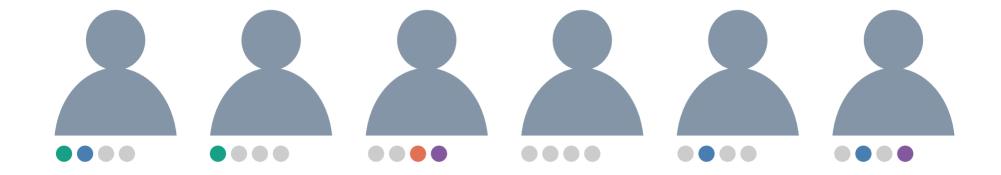


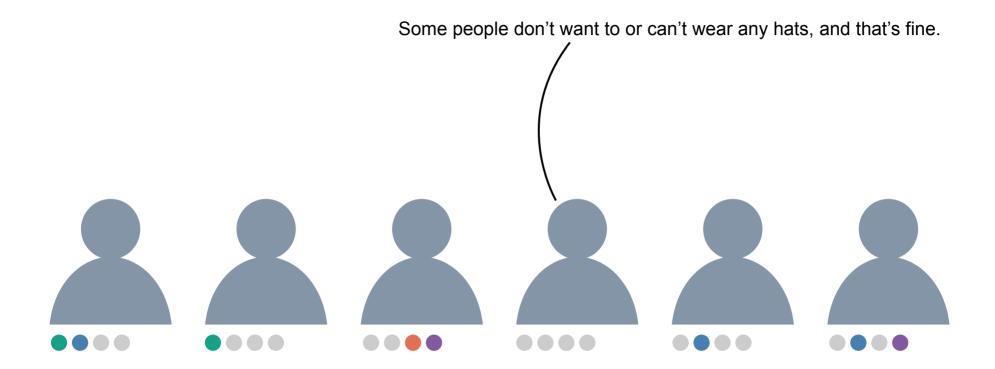


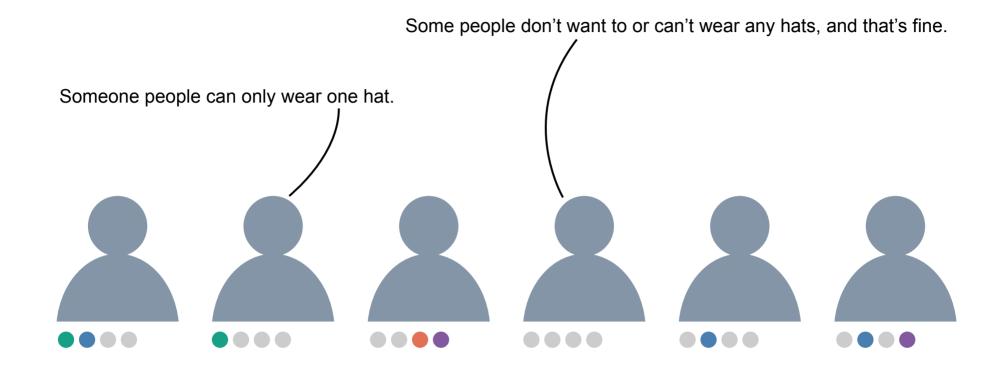


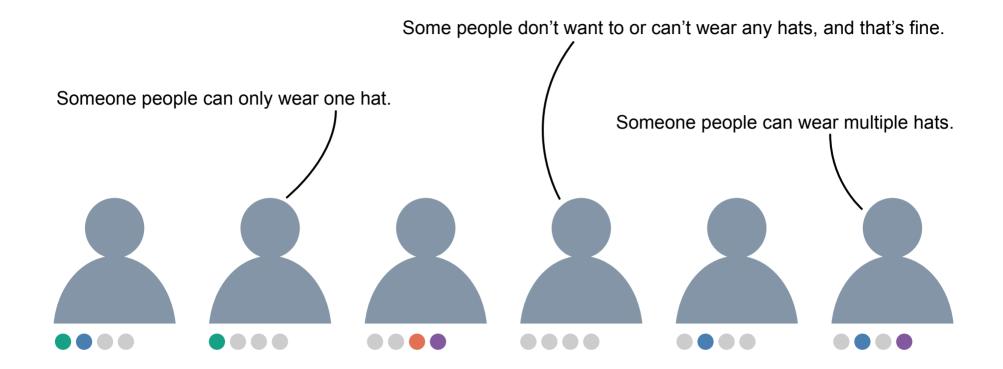
Only one person wears the hat at any one time.

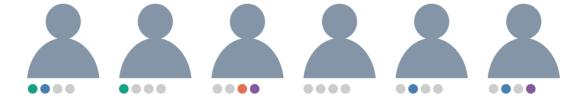










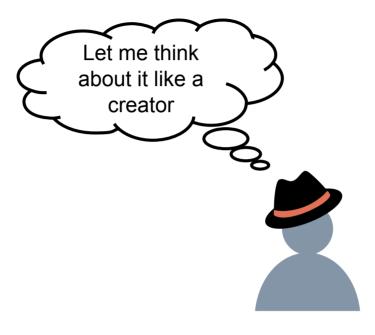


We prefer to swap hats frequently, if possible.



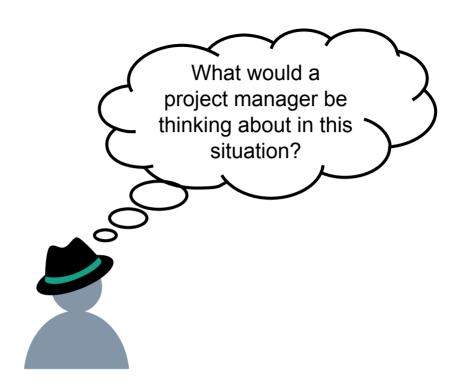


In a single-person project, the person has to wear all the hats...



A2 - Understand and distribute the hats

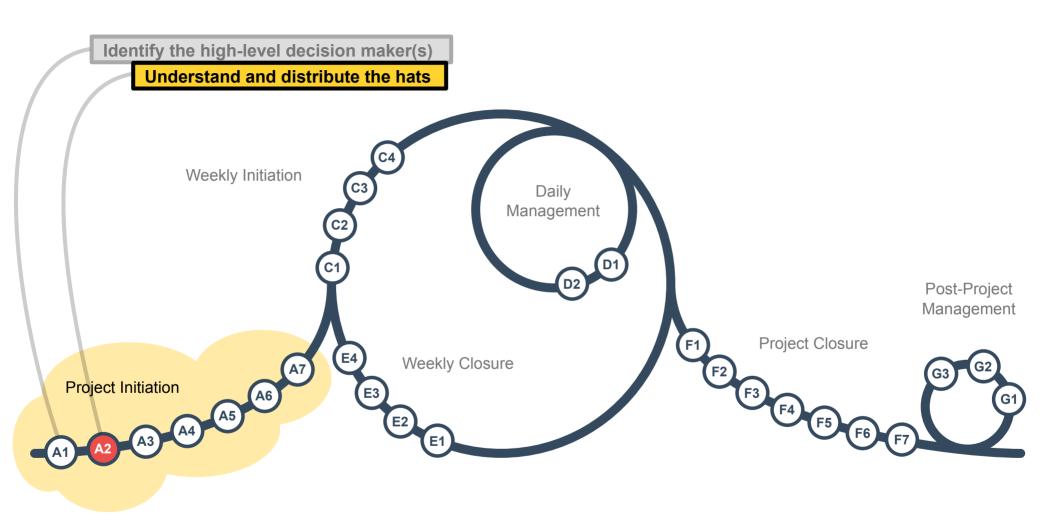


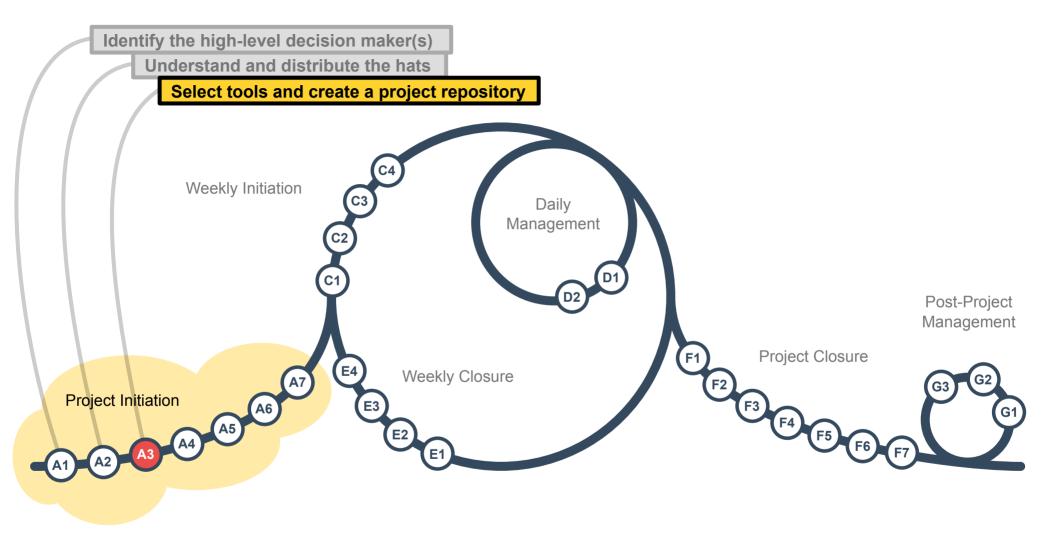


A2 - Understand and distribute the hats





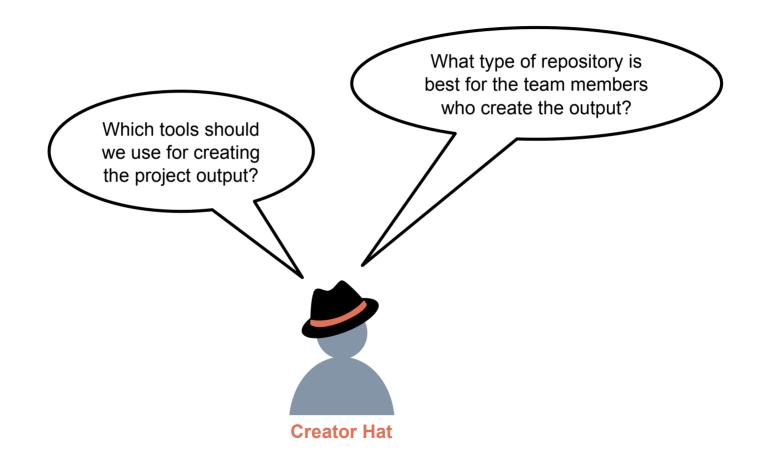




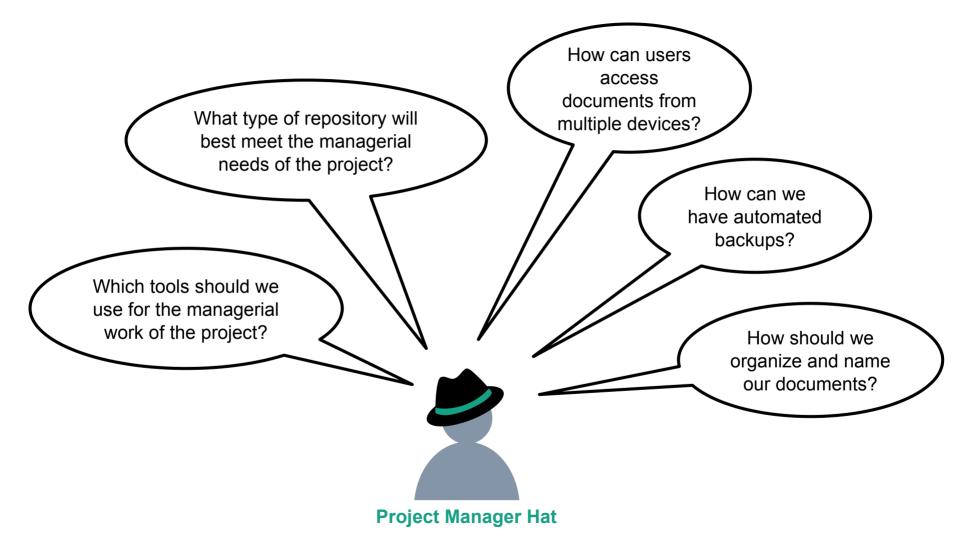
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?

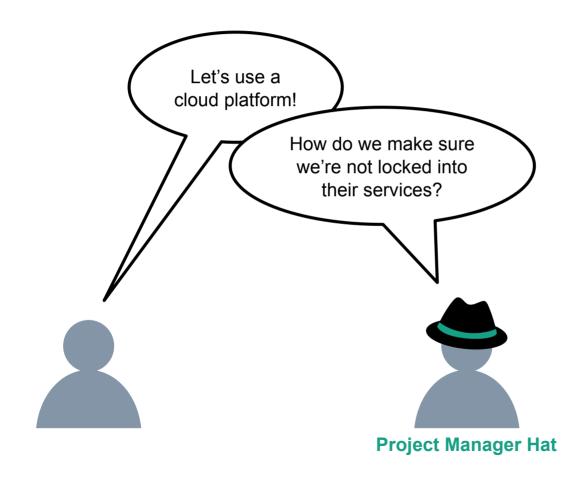






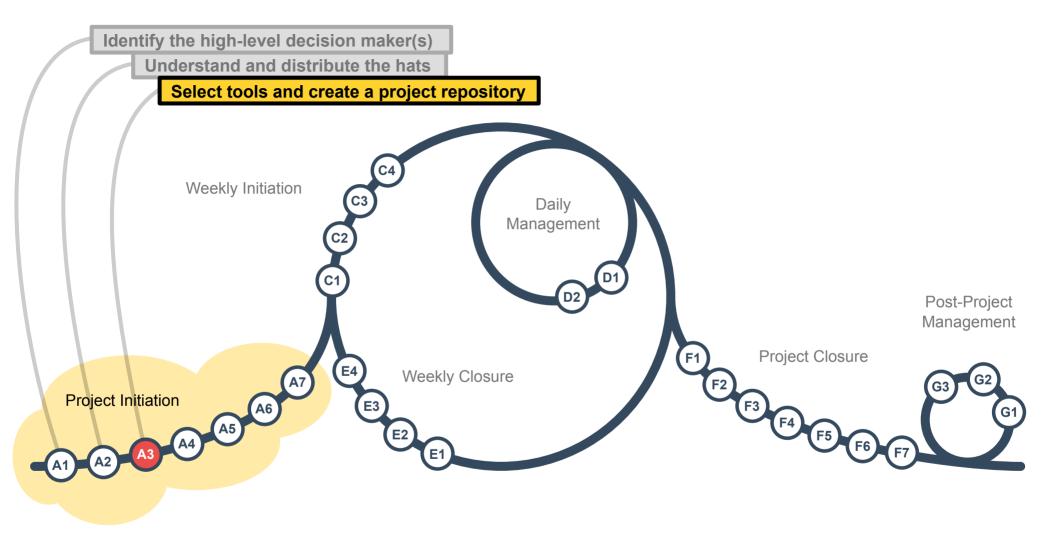
A3 - Select tools and create a project repository

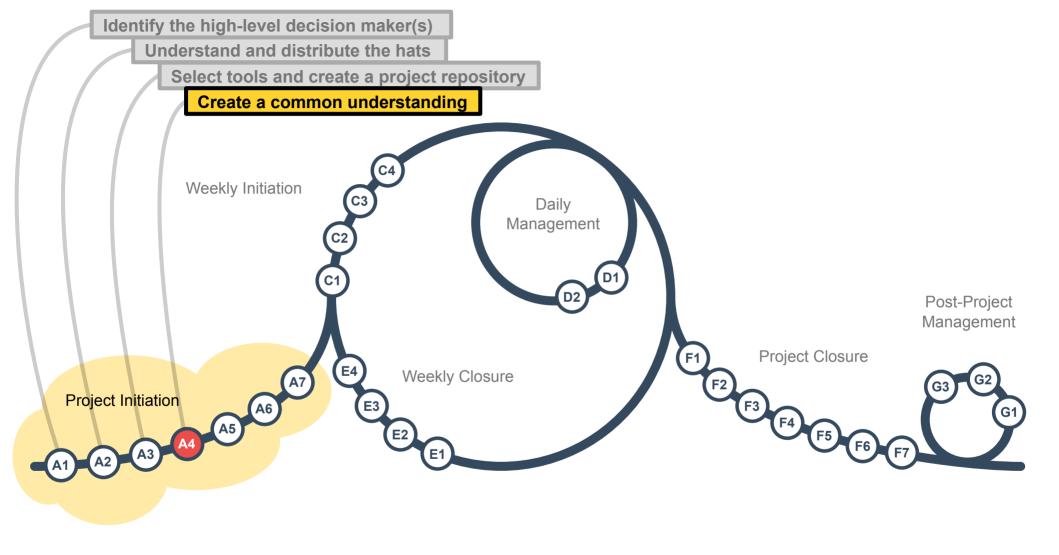




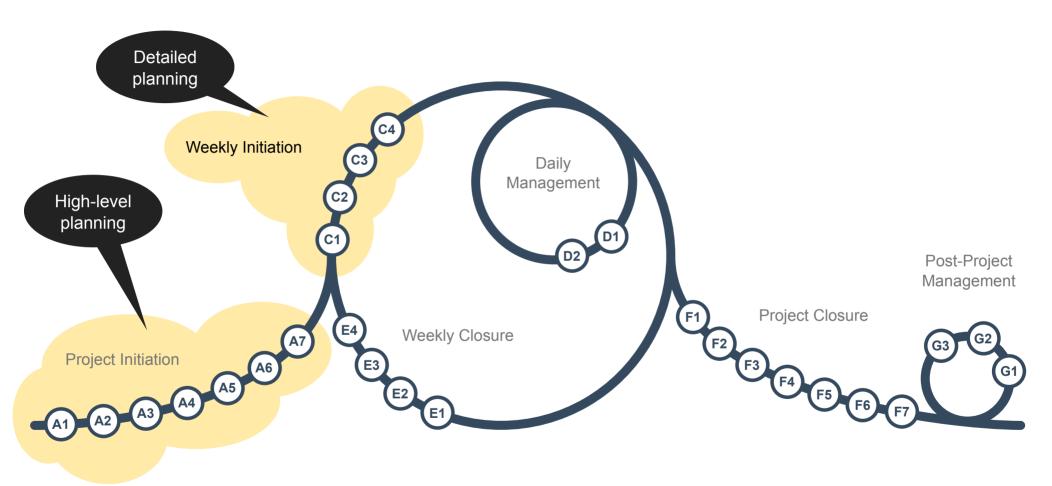


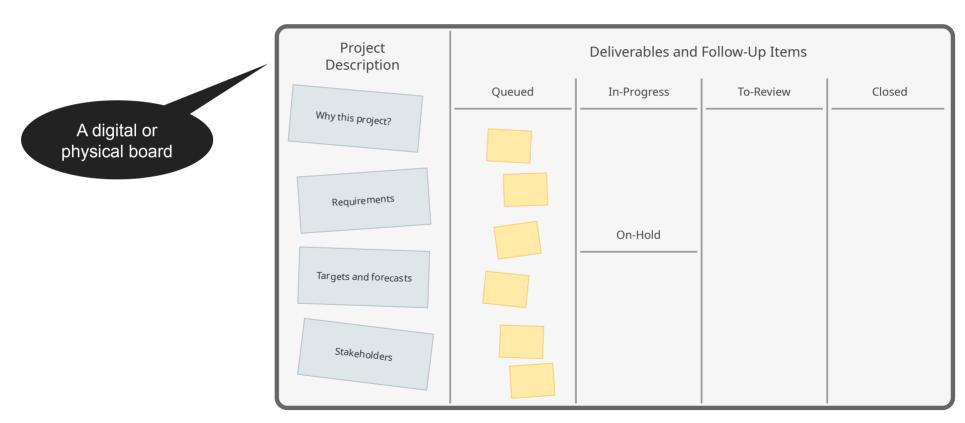


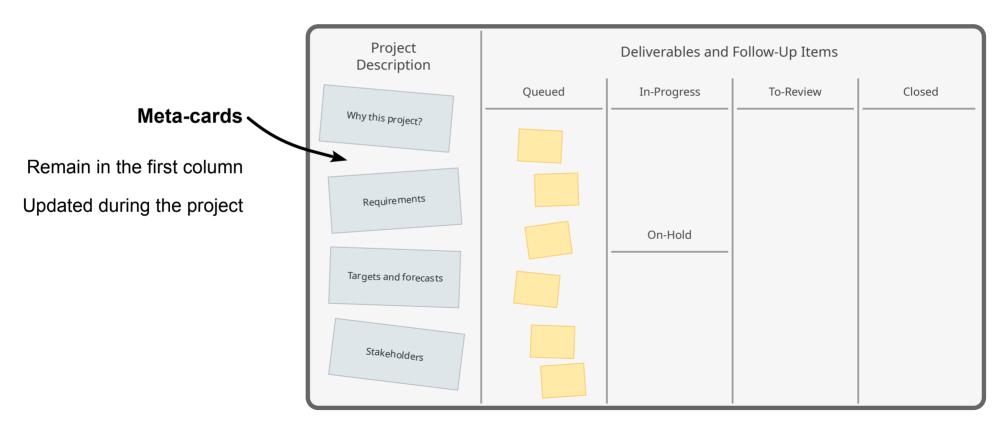




A4 - Create a common understanding



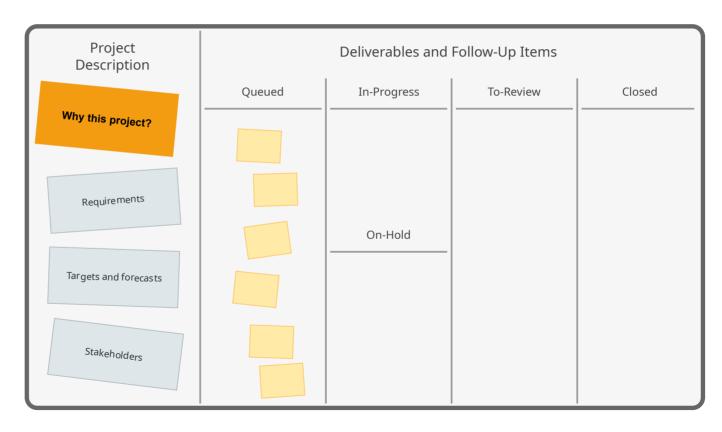




## Why this project?

## Example:

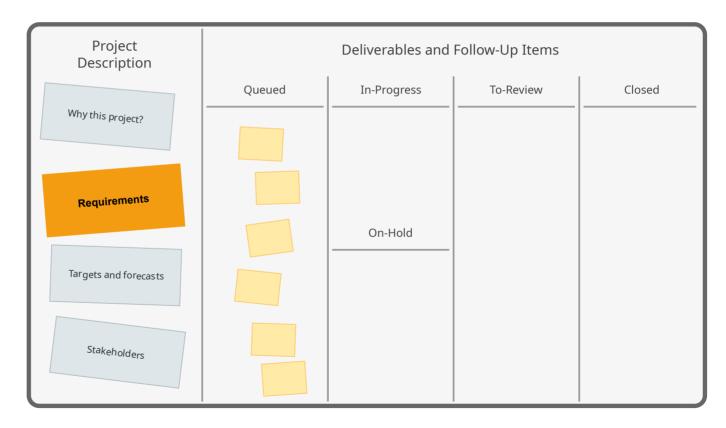
our website can gradually grown and has more elements than before, but still has the old structure that was suitable to a simple website, which makes it difficult for people to use it. By rebuilding the website and using a better structure, we can improve user interactions, and ultimately, sales.



### Requirements

## Example:

- It should be search engine optimized.
- It should be easy for all users to navigate.
- It should enable cross-sales.
- It should look premium.
- ...

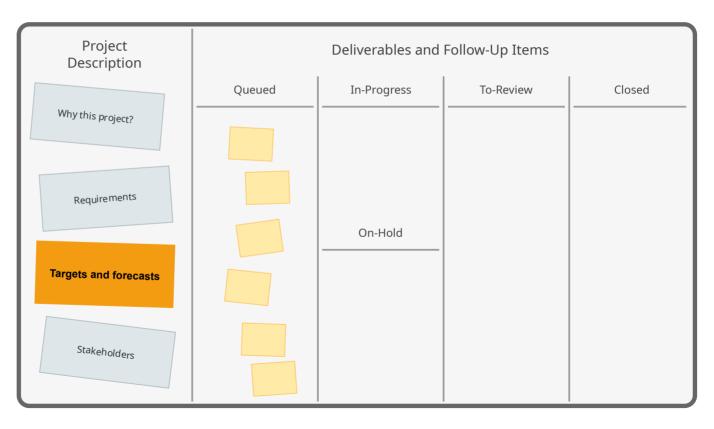


#### **Targets and forecasts**

## Example:

It should be finished before the New Year sales.

The work will be done by internal people, but we can spend up to €10k for graphic design and other outsourced aspects.



# Project Deliverables and Follow-Up Items Description In-Progress Queued To-Review Closed Why this project? Requirements On-Hold Targets and forecasts Stakeholders

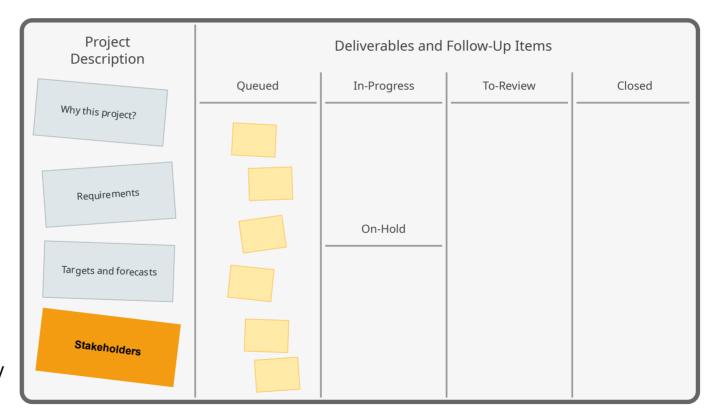
#### Stakeholder:

Anyone who has an interest in the project and can impact it.

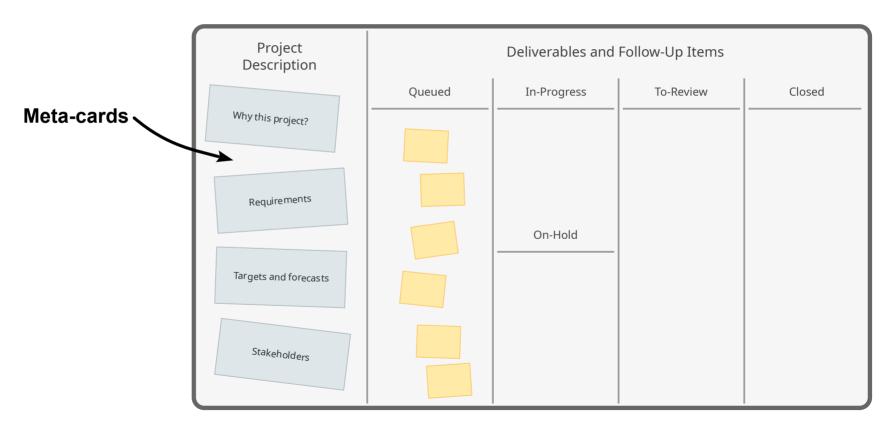
#### **Stakeholders**

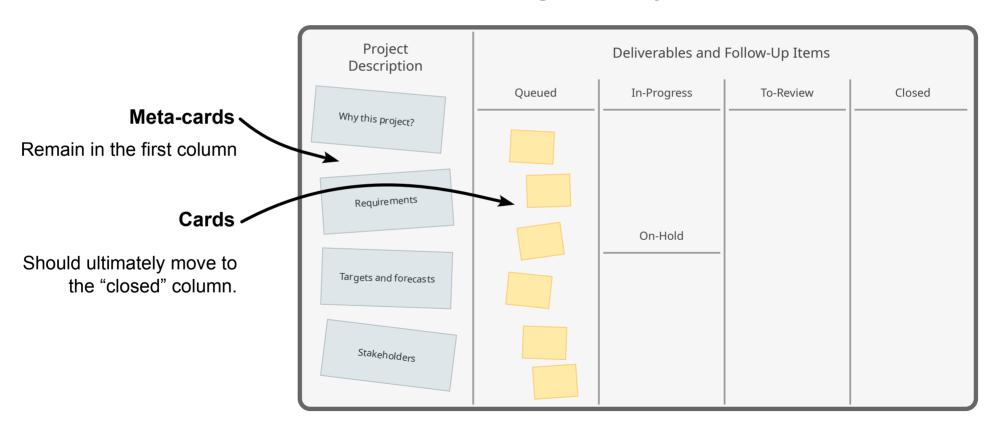
### Example:

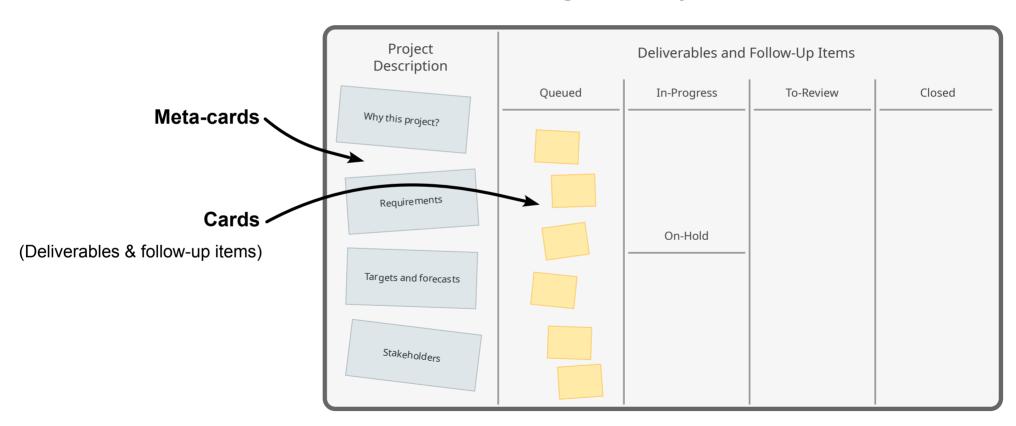
- Monet, the CEO
- Fede, the COO & sponsor
- Kyung, account manager
- Jehan, our biggest competitor
- Mirai, our main supplier
- GDPR authority
- Customer Protection Agency

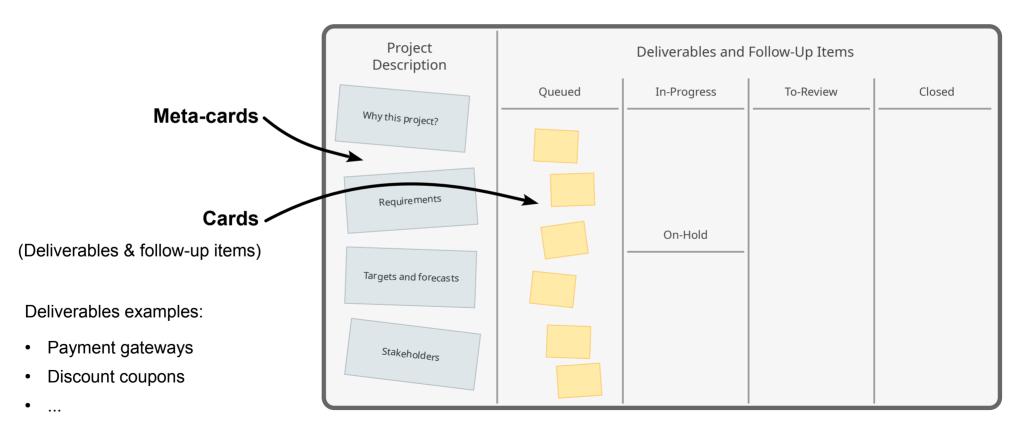


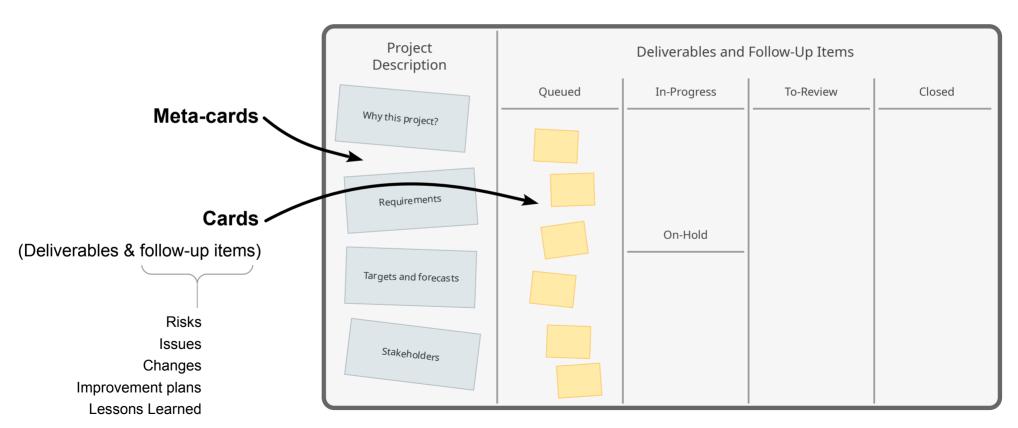
• ..

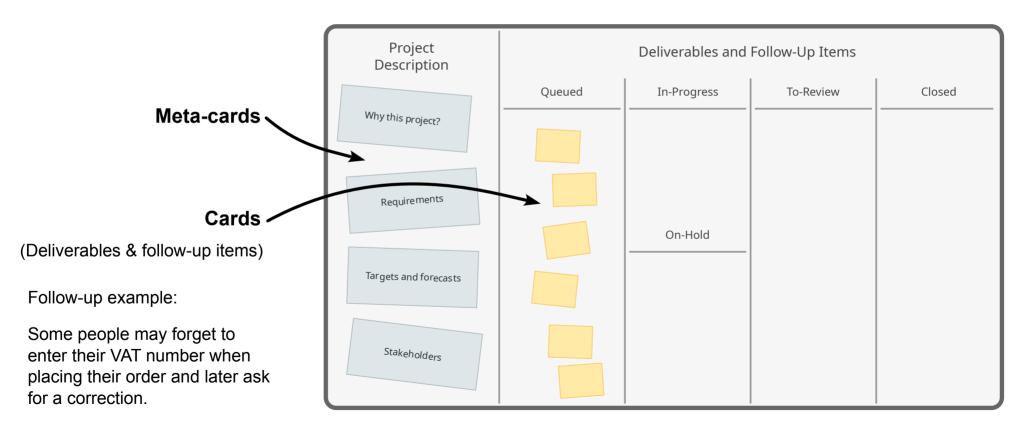








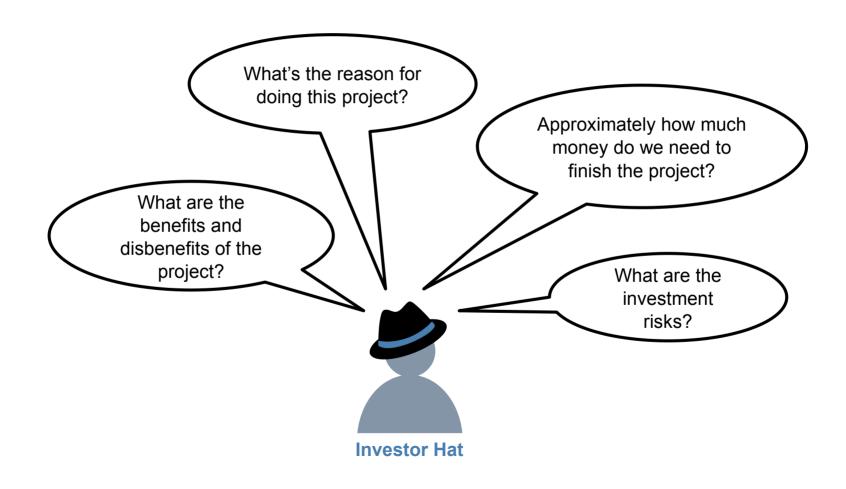


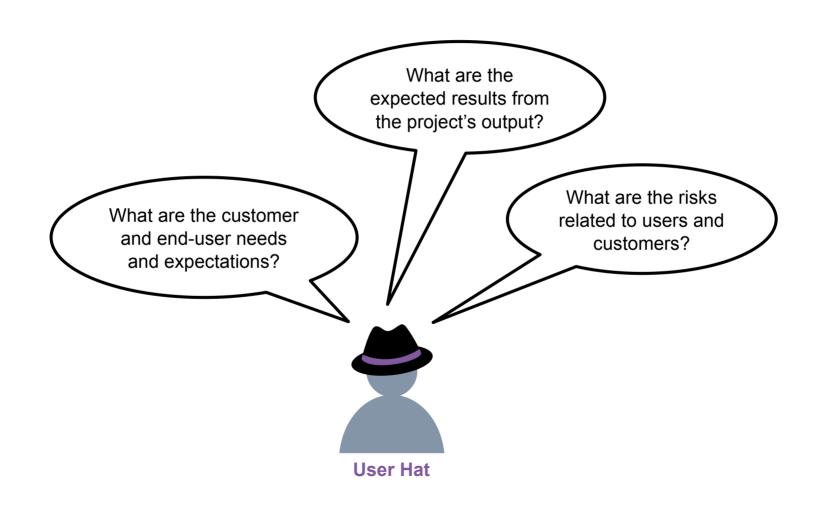


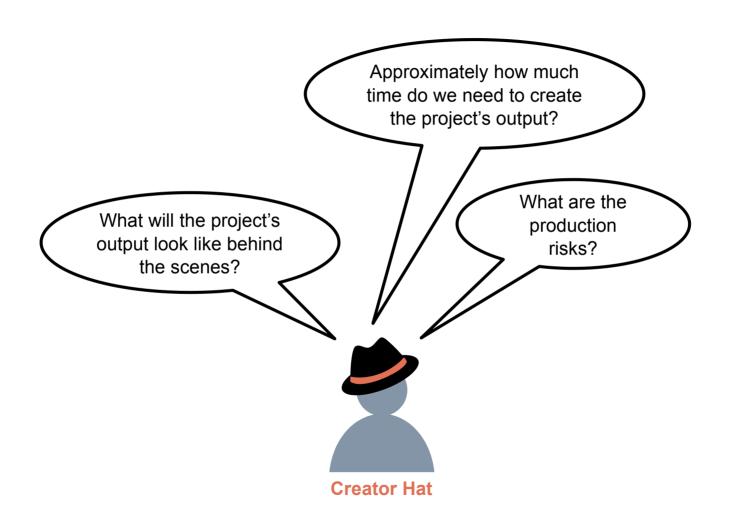
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?





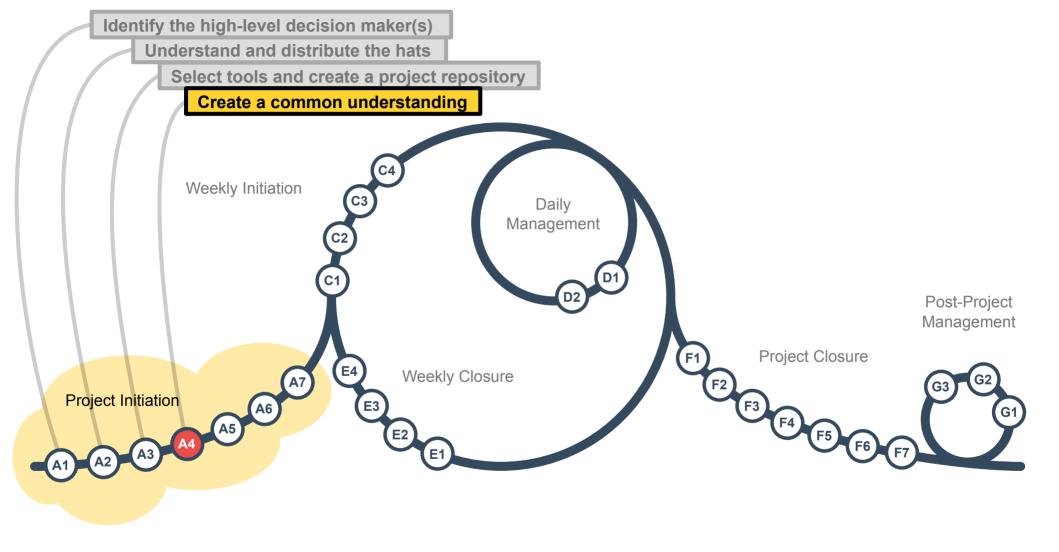


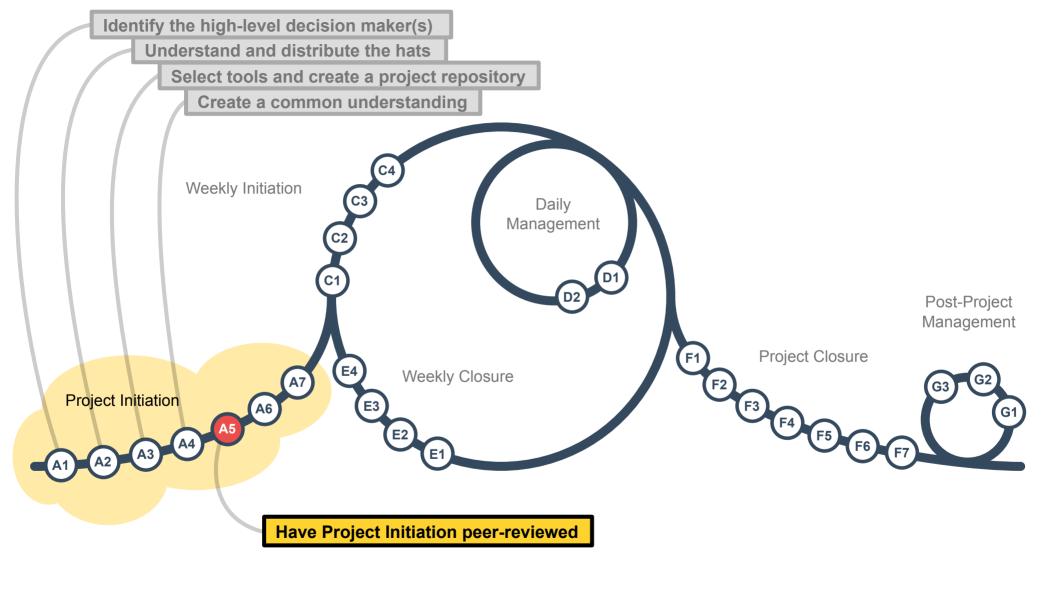




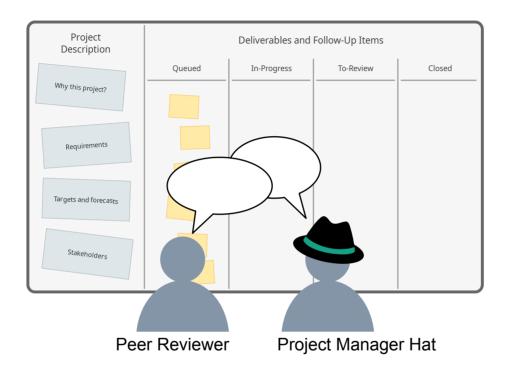








A5 - Have project initiation peer-reviewed

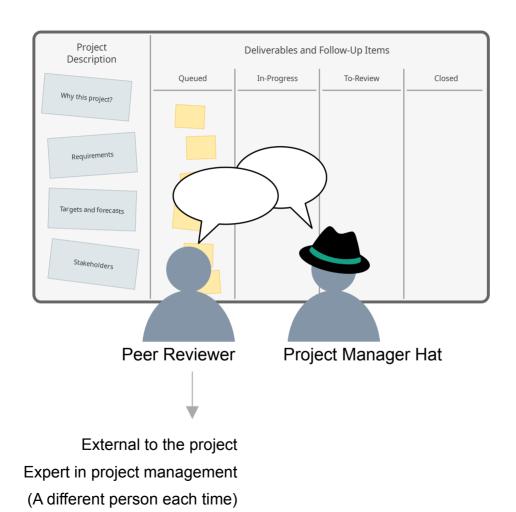


### A5 - Have project initiation peer-reviewed



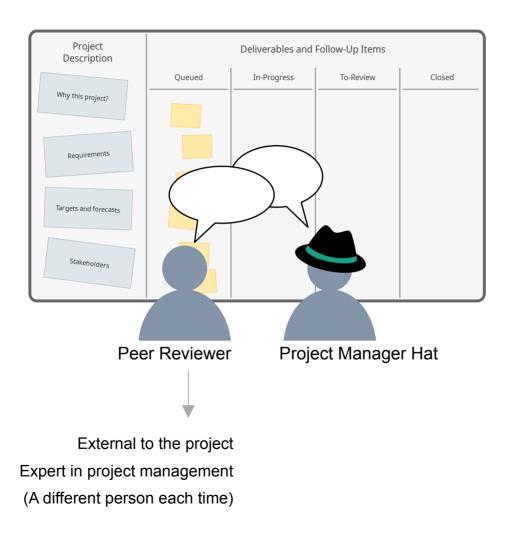
External to the project Expert in project management (A different person each time)

#### A5 - Have project initiation peer-reviewed

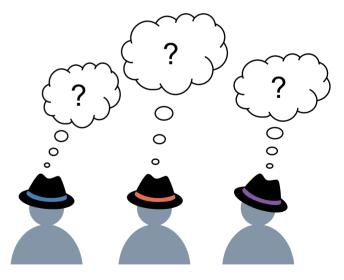


- ★ Helps find mistakes
- ★ Both learn from each other

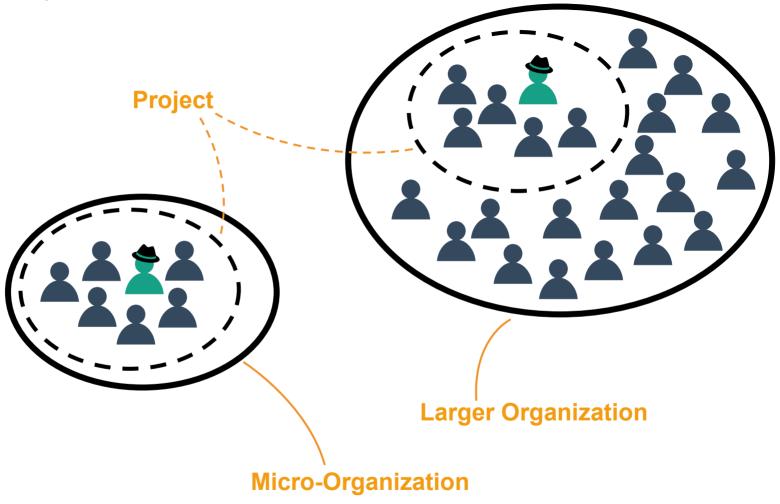
#### A5 - Have project initiation peer-reviewed

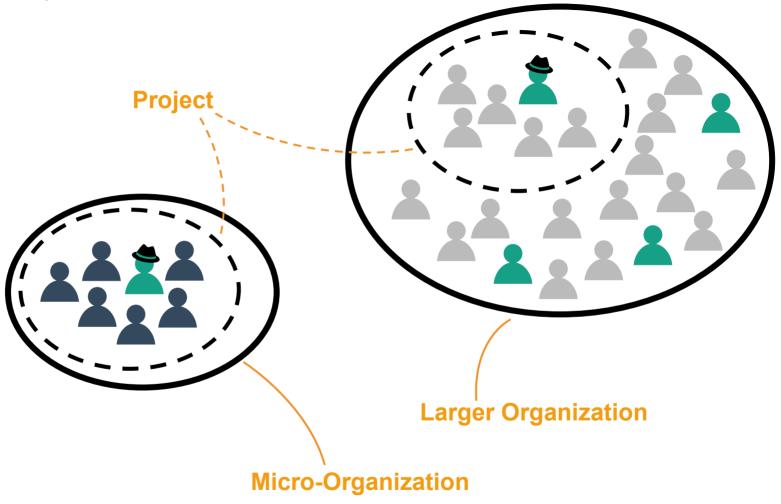


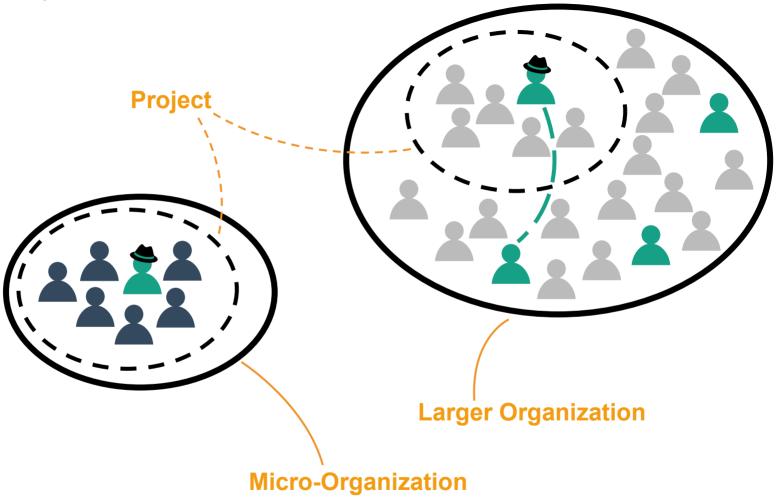
- ★ Helps find mistakes
- ★ Both learn from each other

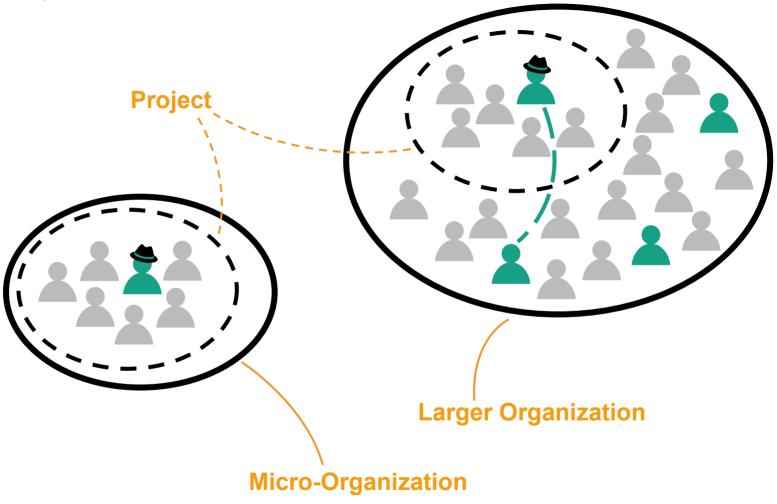


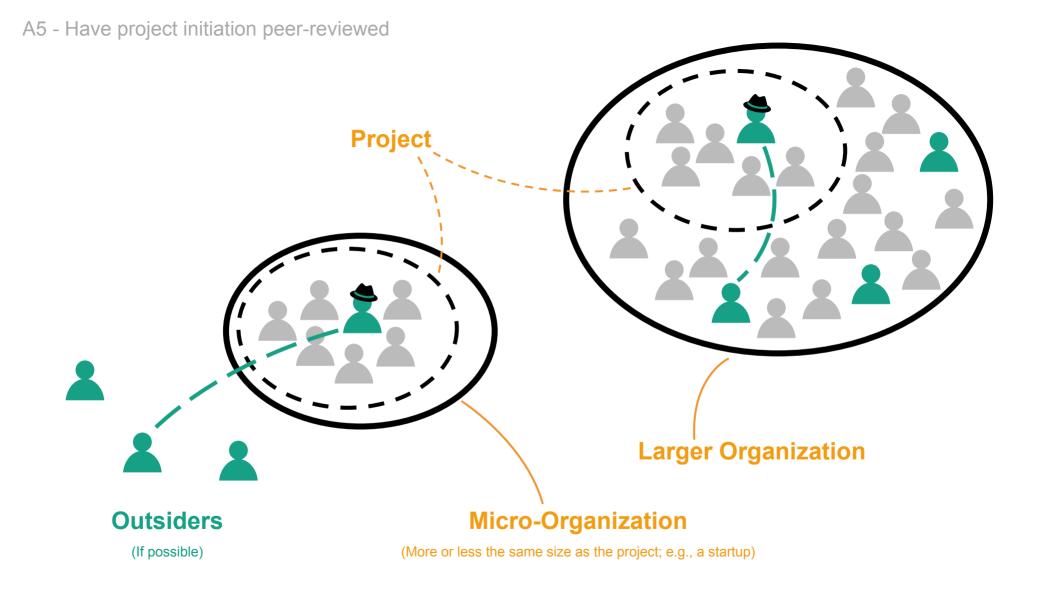
Do other hats need peer-reviews as well?

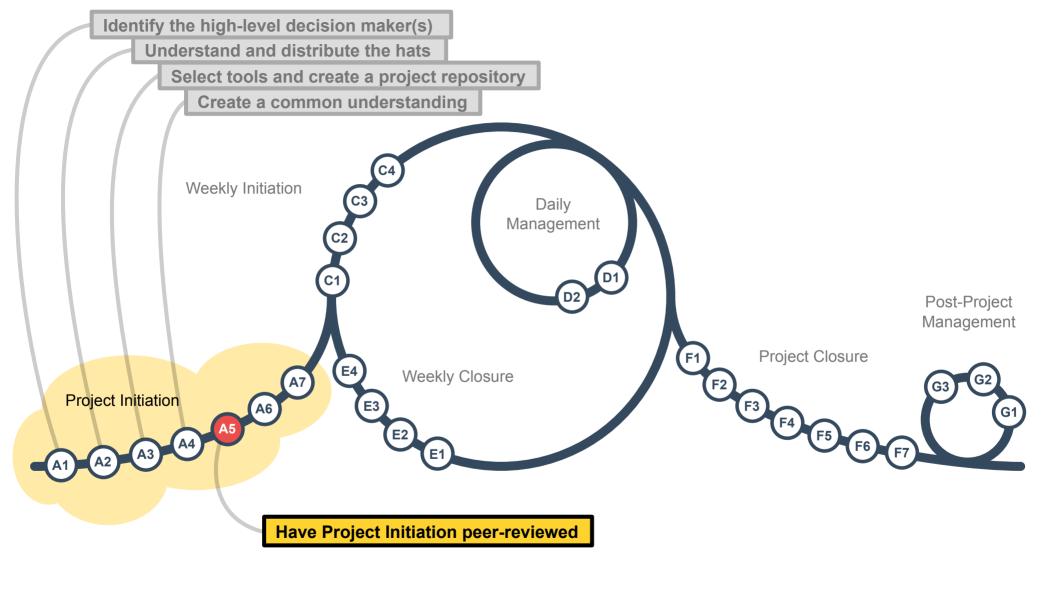


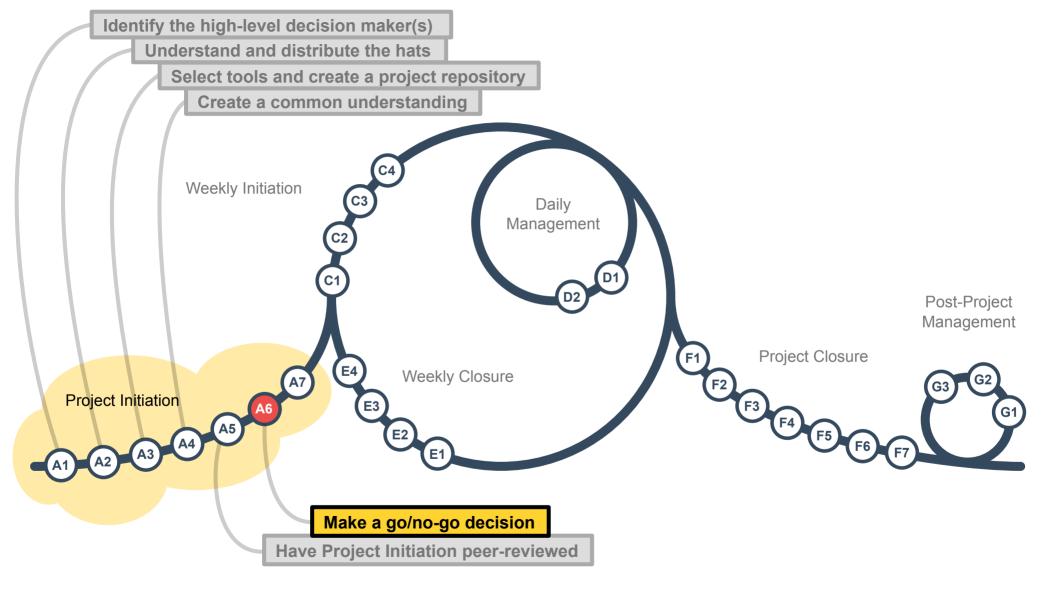












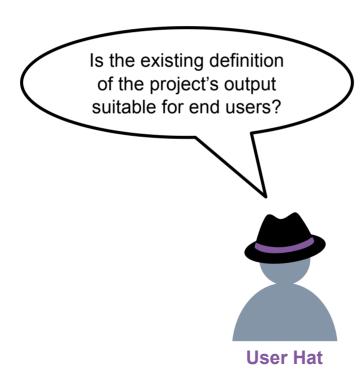
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?

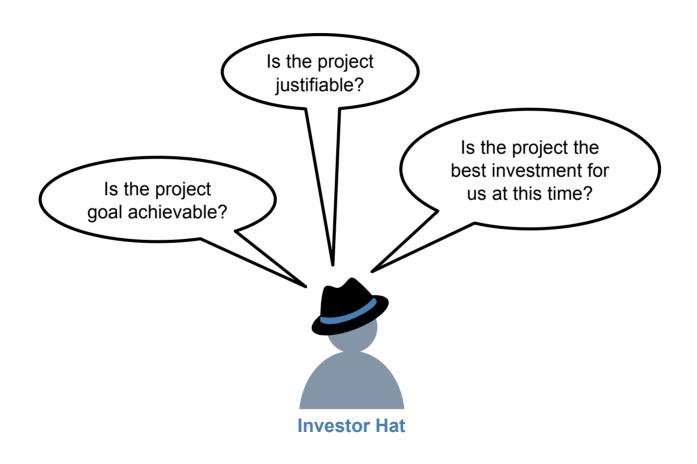


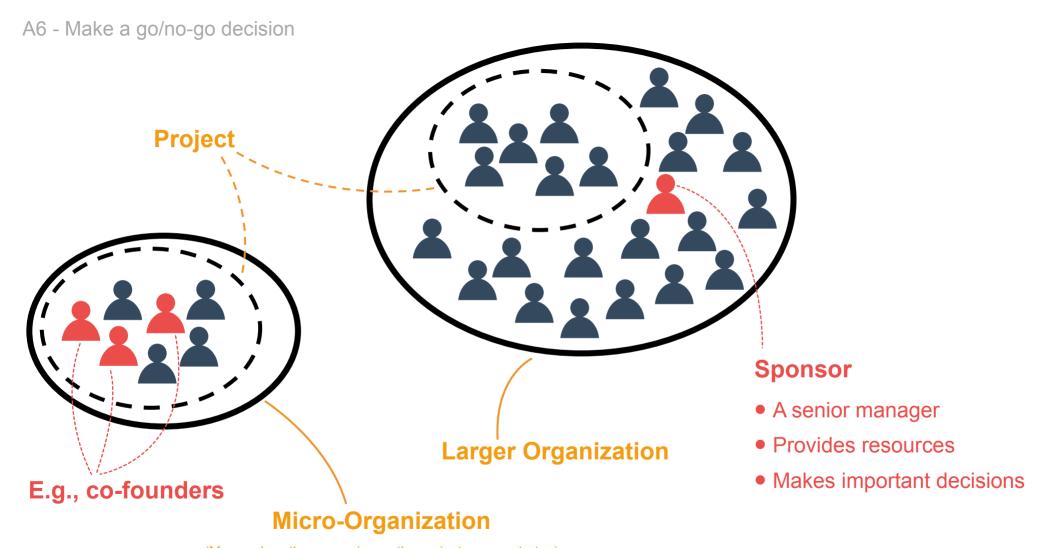


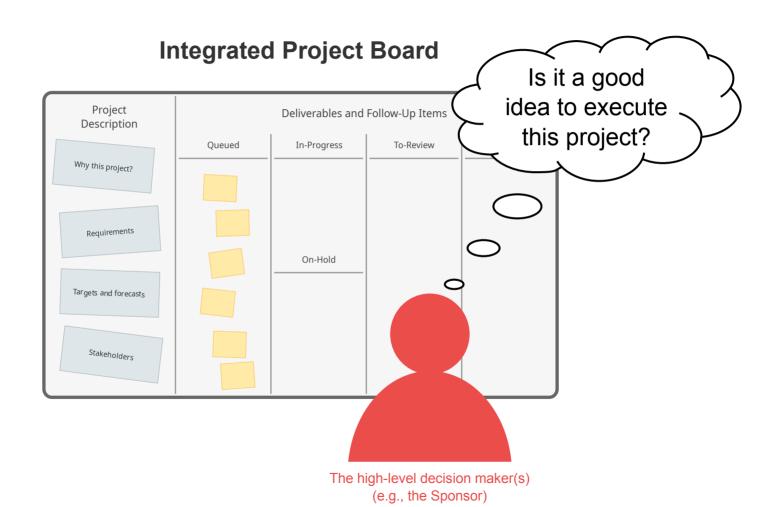


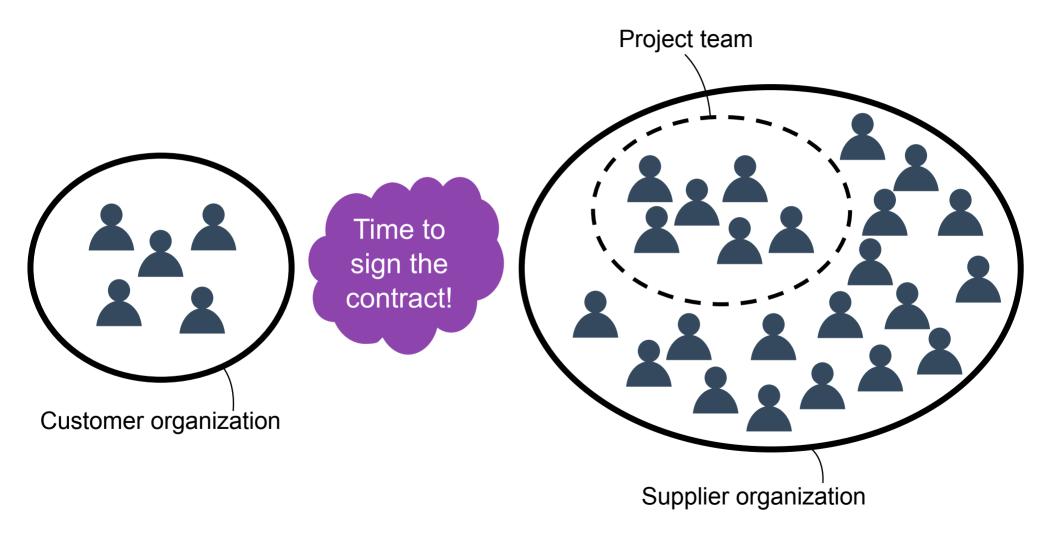


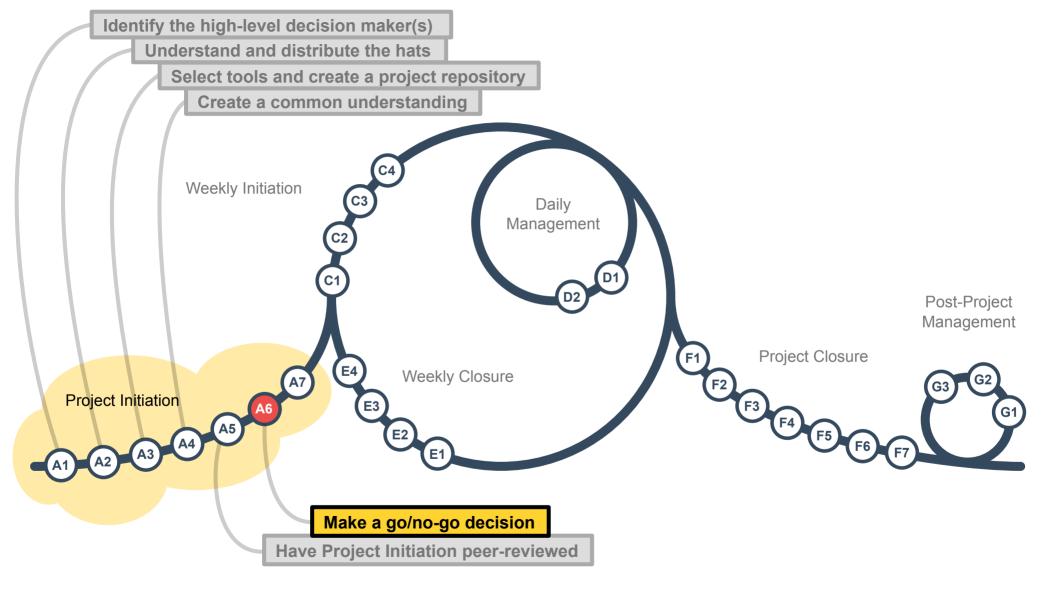


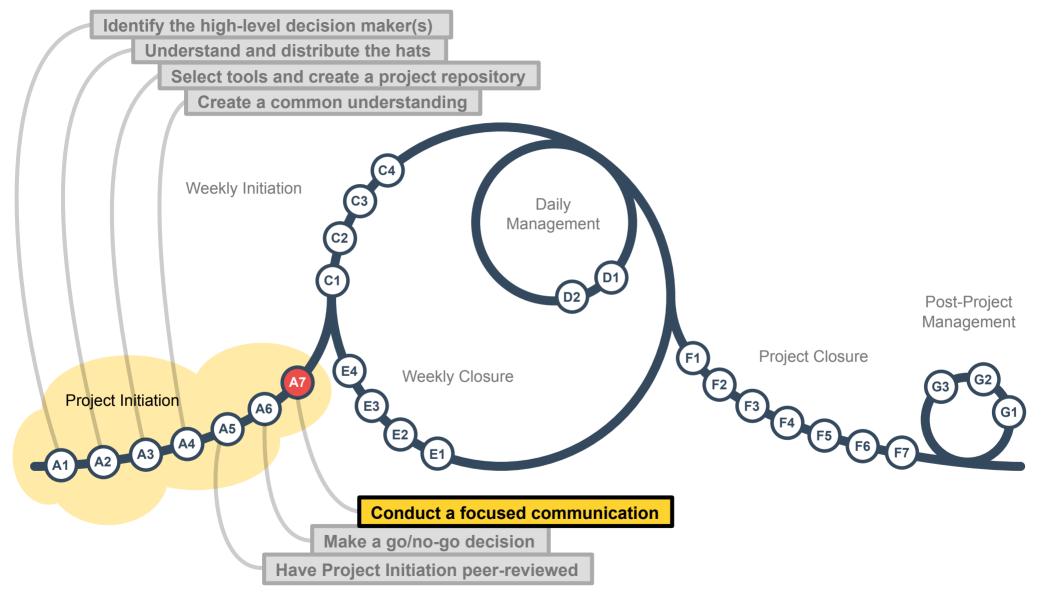








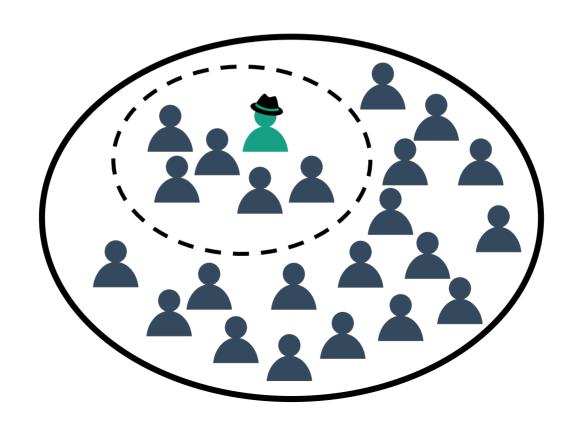




What are the advantages of informing everyone in the organization that we're going to start working on a new project?

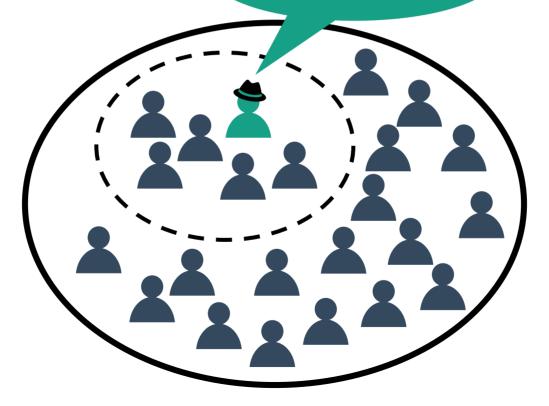


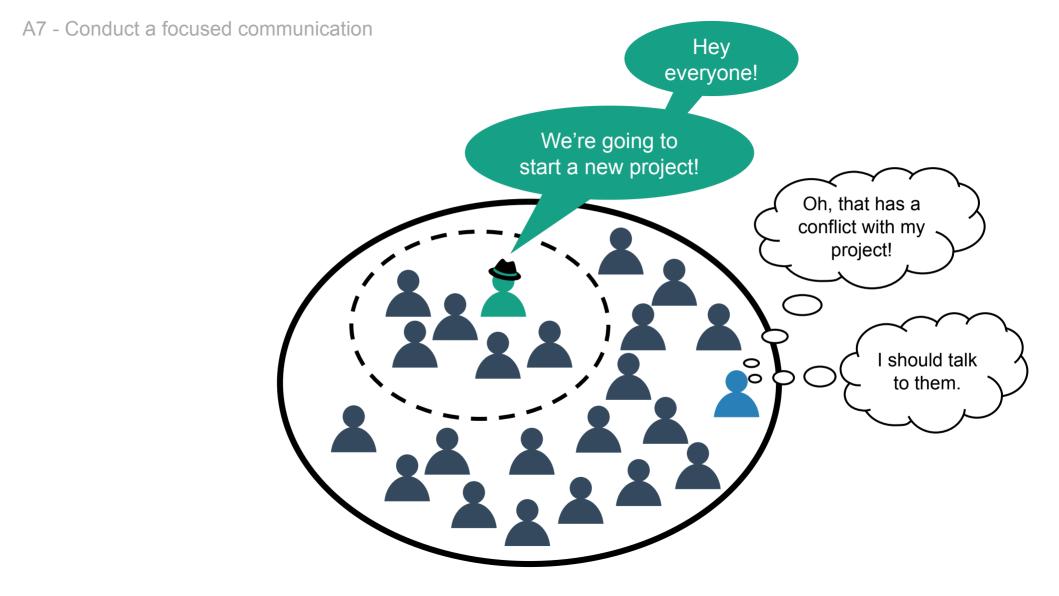


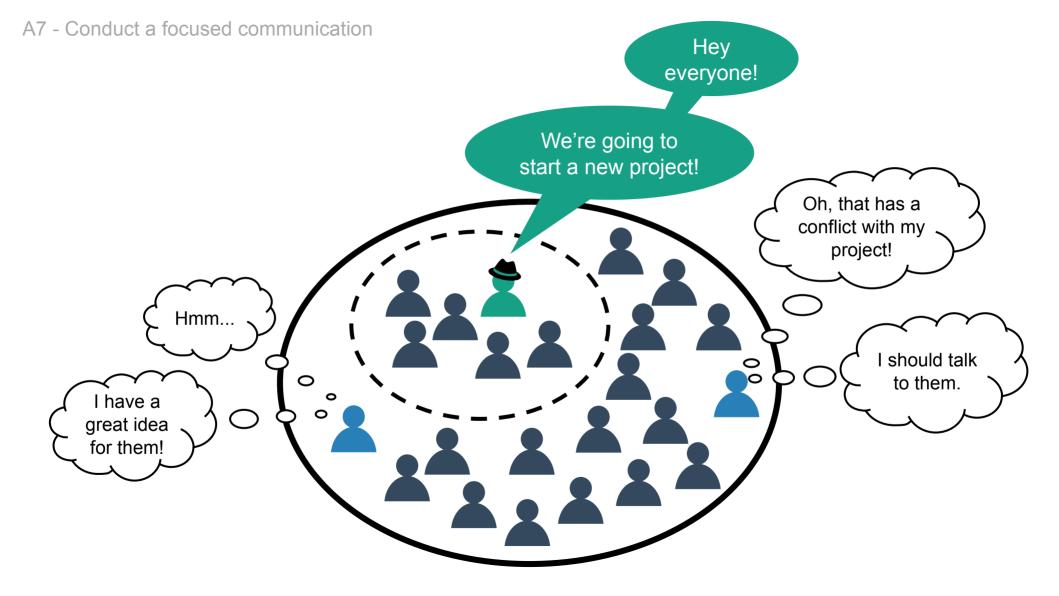


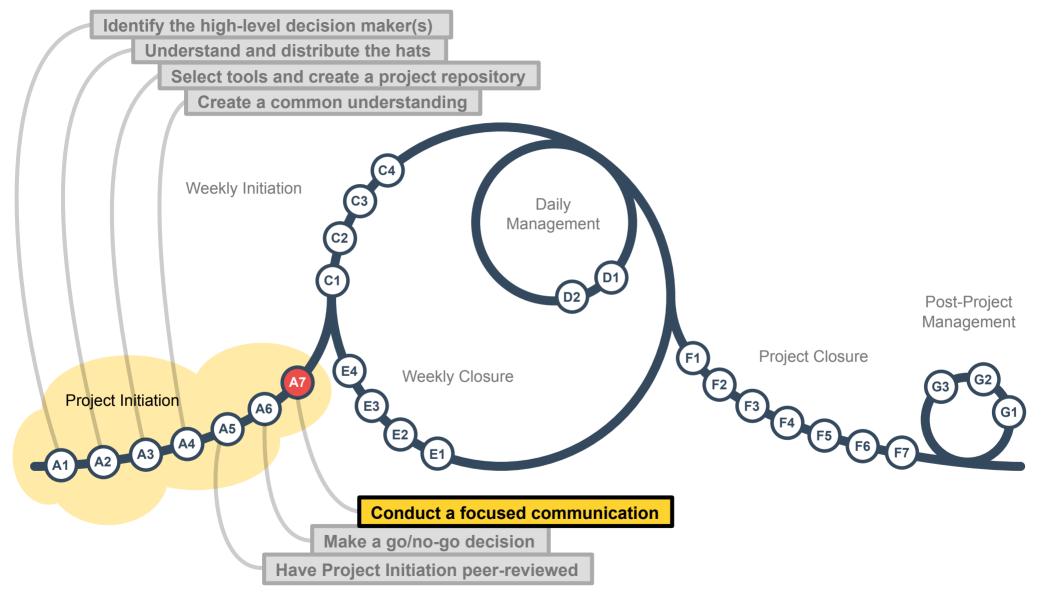


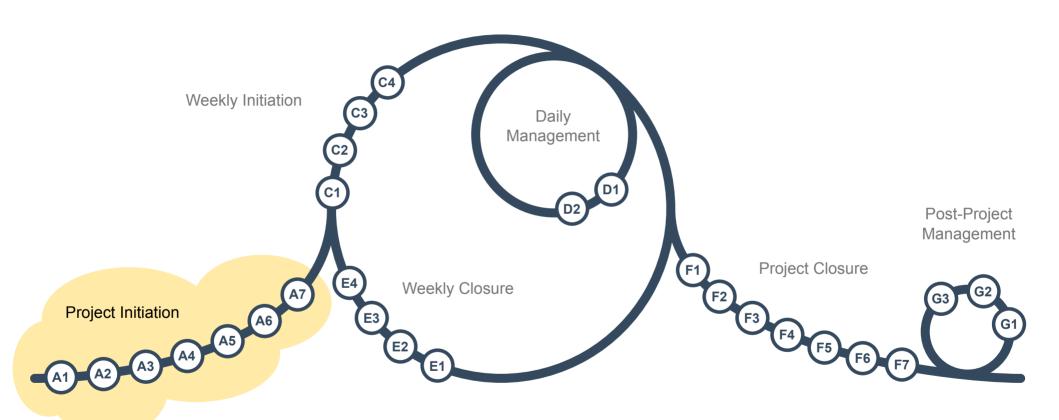
We're going to start a new project!

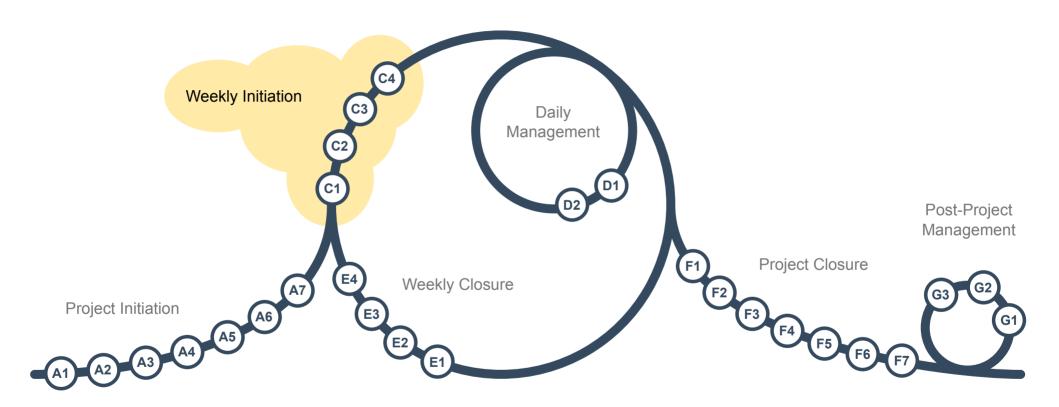


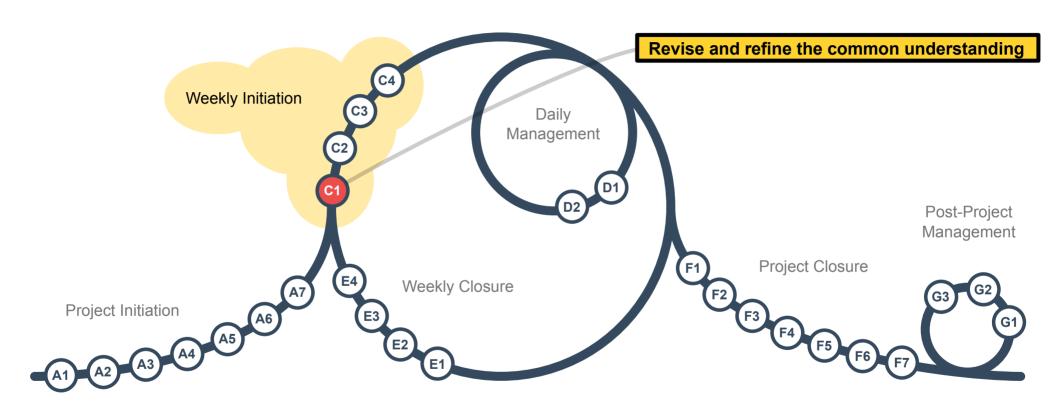




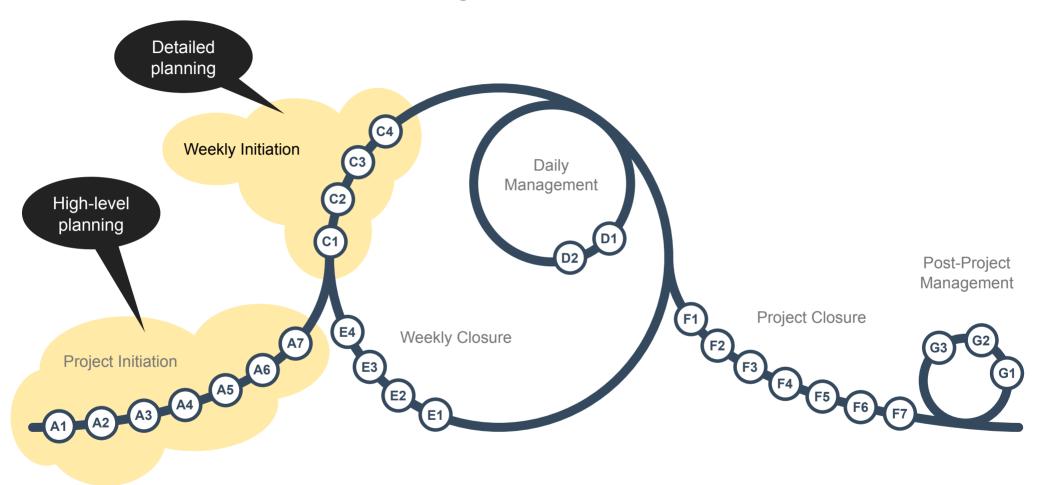


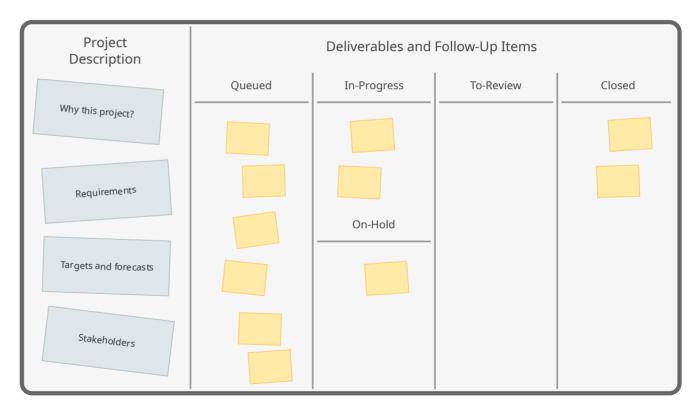




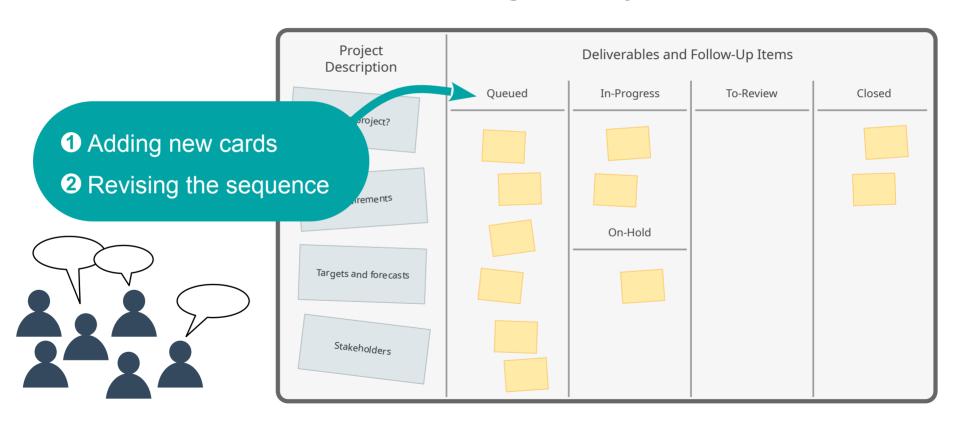


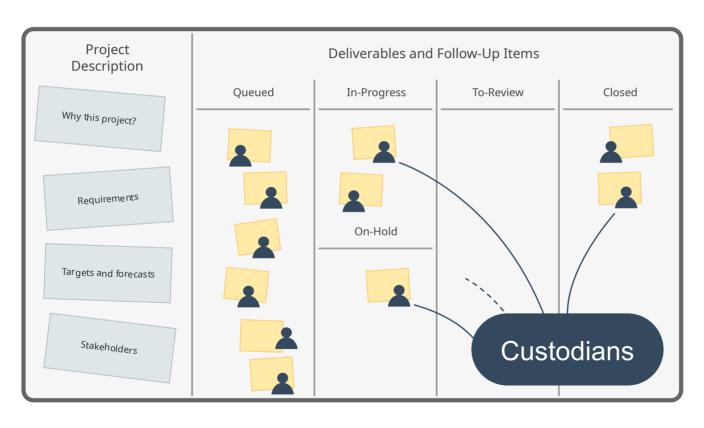
C1 - Revise and refine the common understanding

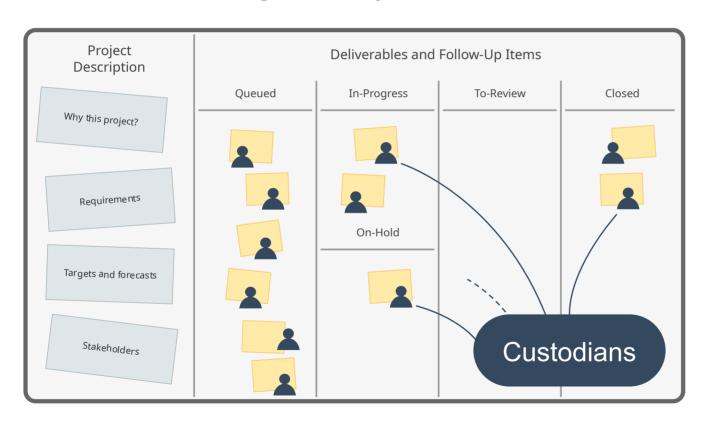










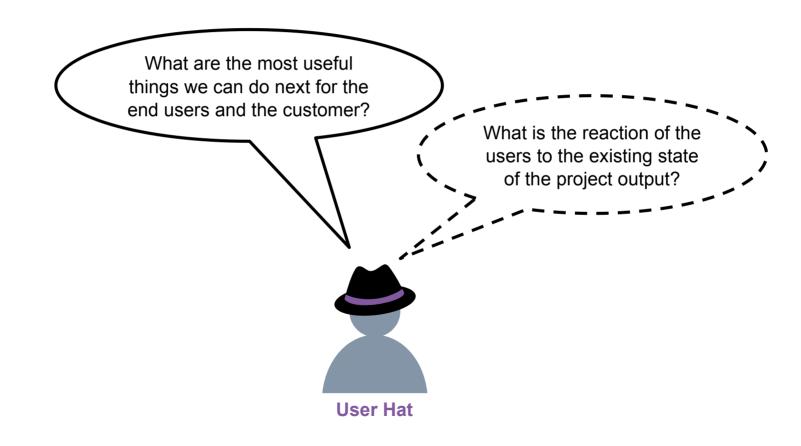


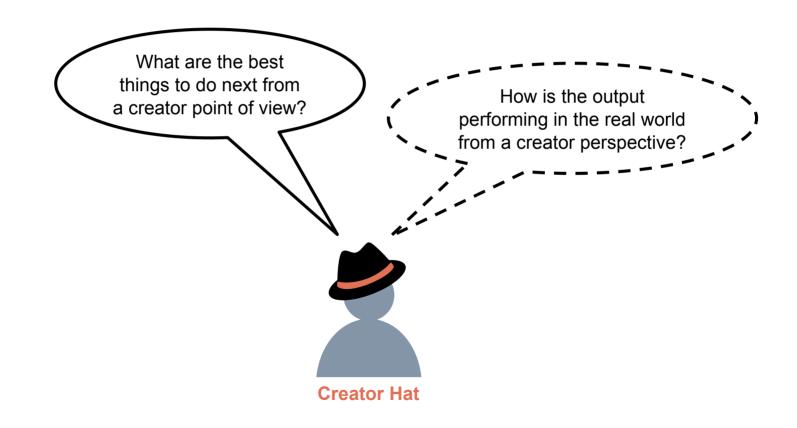
- Adding comments
- Updating status
- Following up

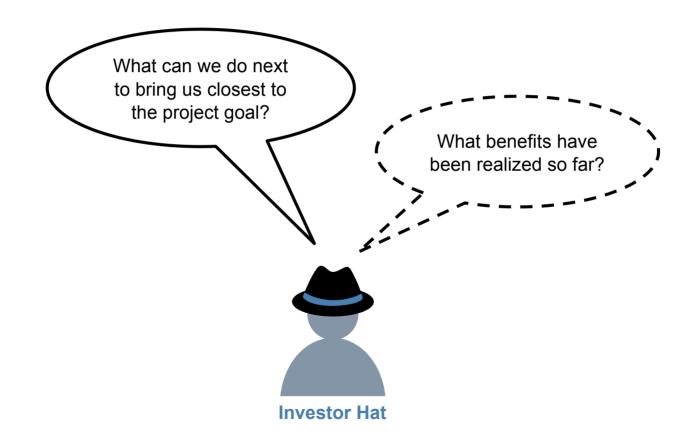
## What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?





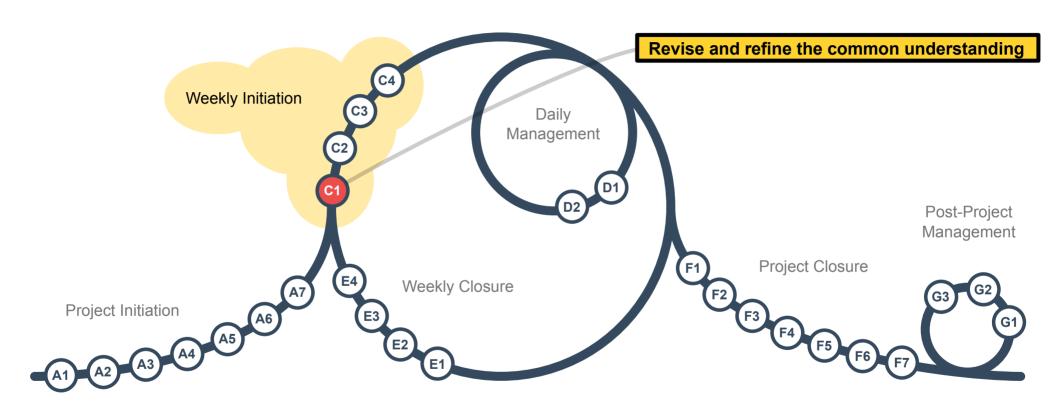






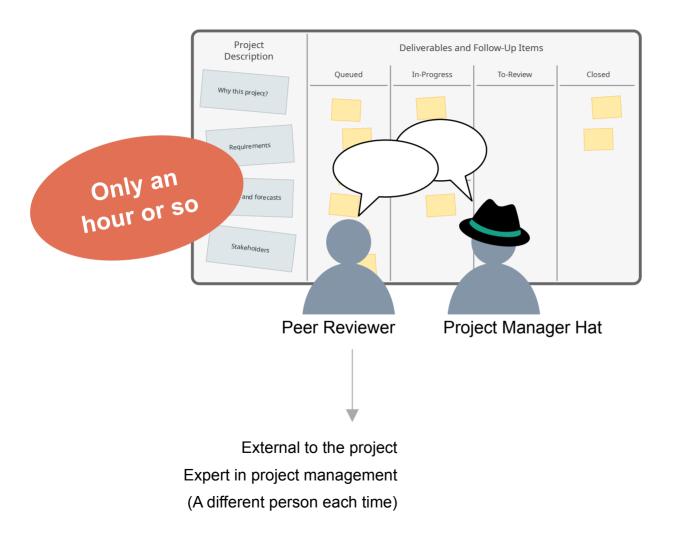




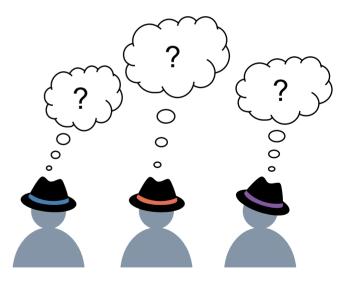




#### C2 - Have the Weekly Initiation peer-reviewed

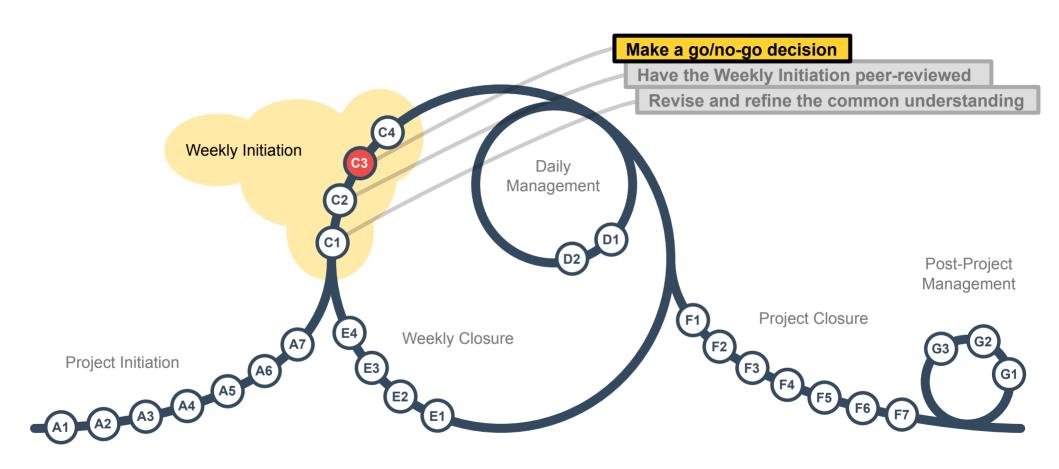


- ★ Helps find mistakes
- ★ Both learn from each other



Do other hats need peer-reviews as well?



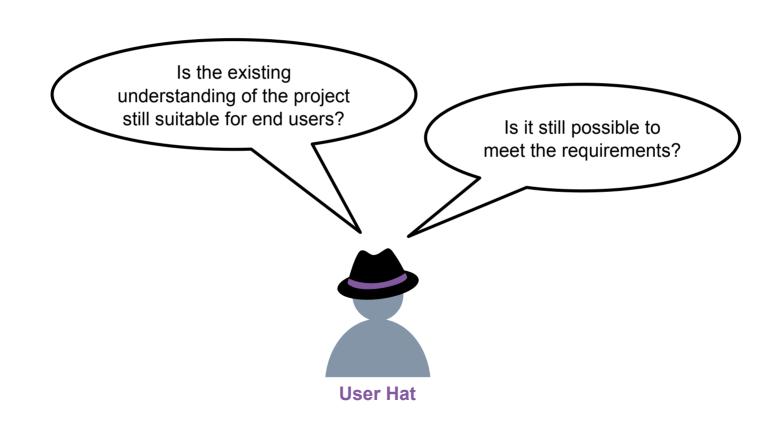


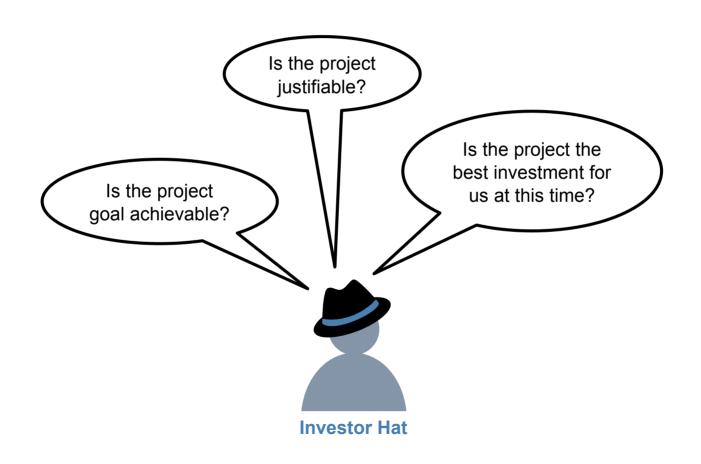
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?

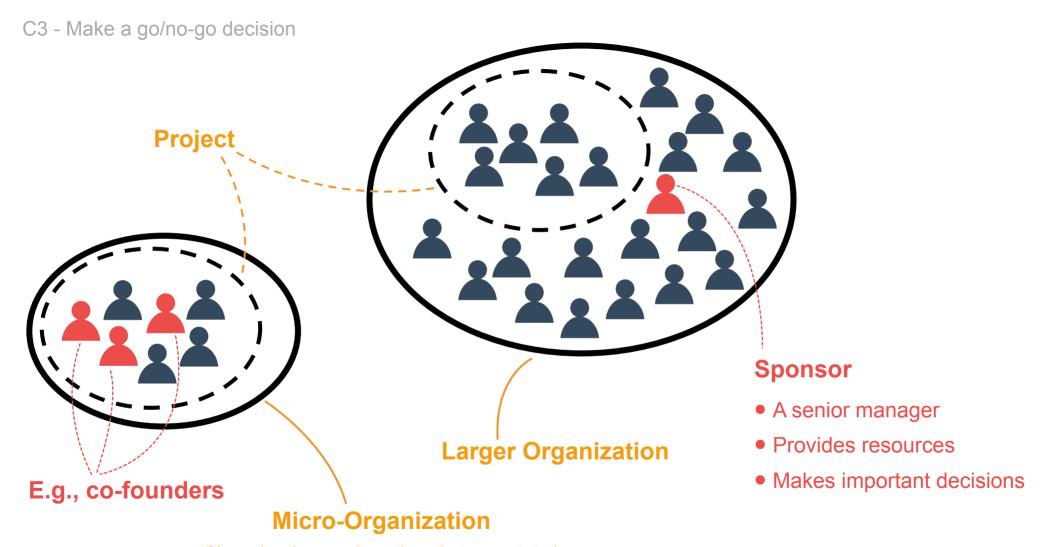




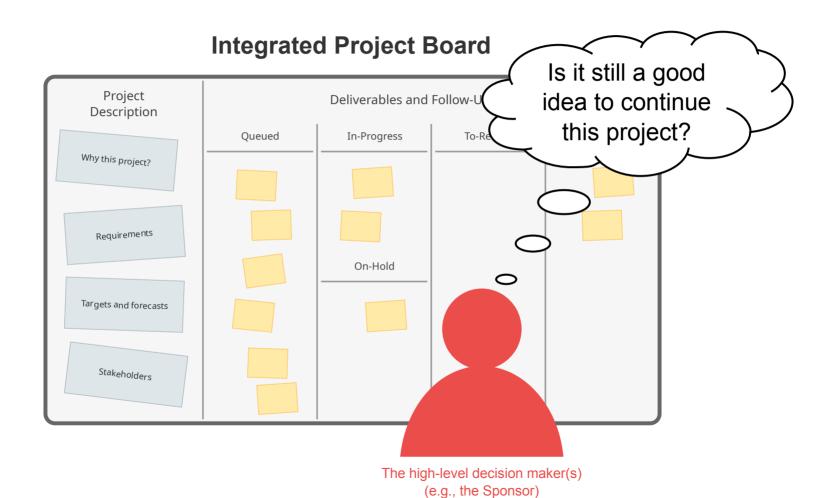


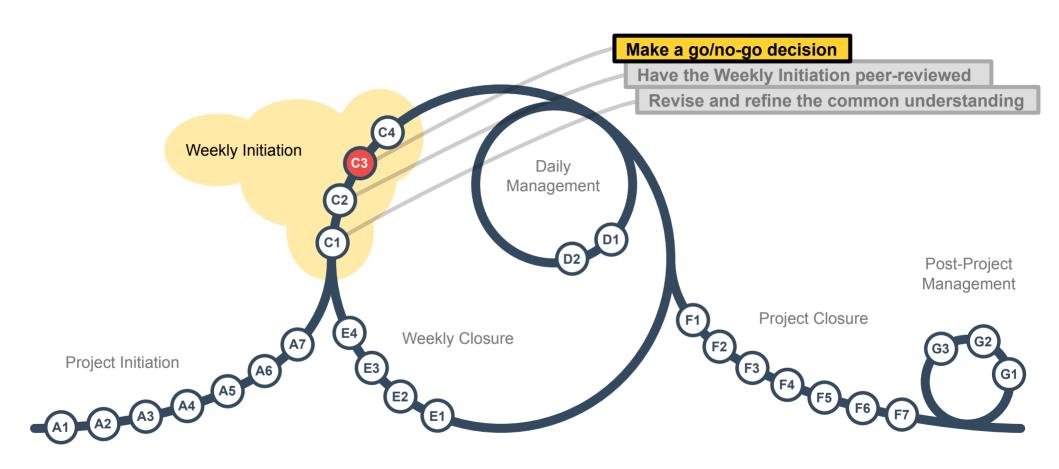


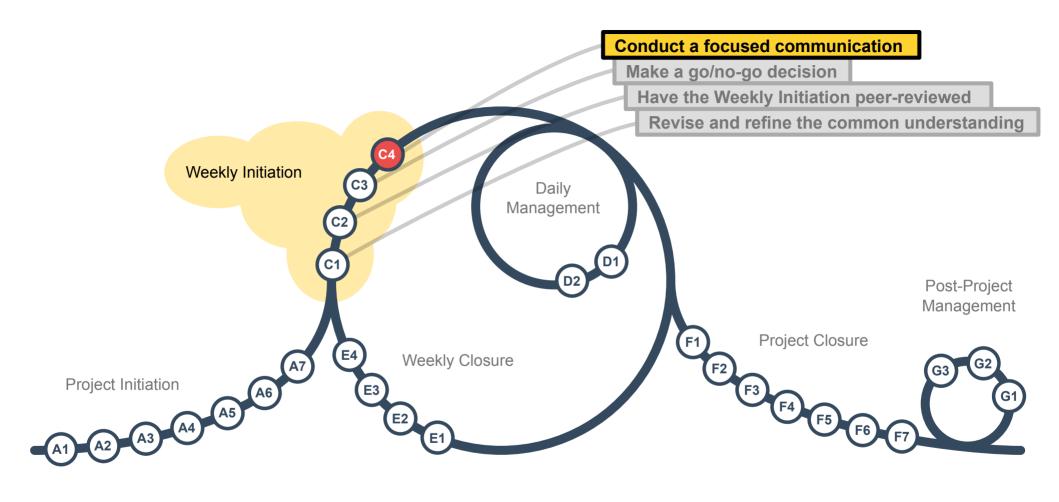




(More or less the same size as the project; e.g., a startup)



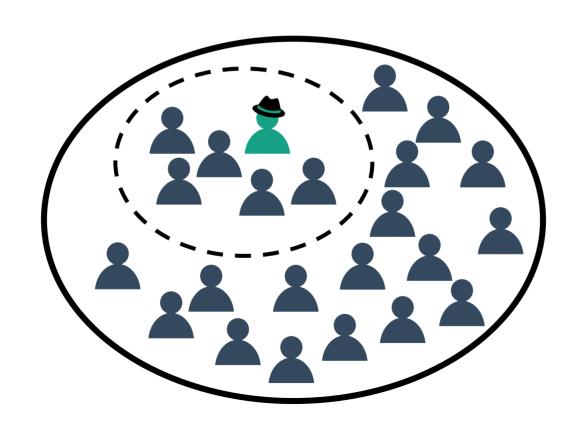




What are the advantages of telling the status of the project to everyone in the organization?

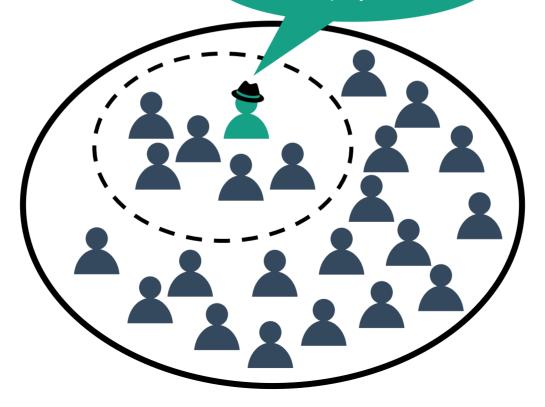






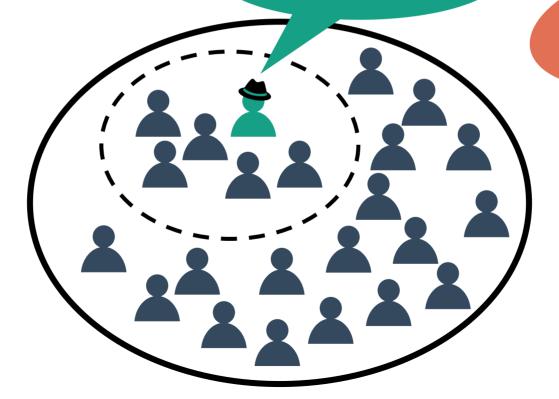


An update about our project...

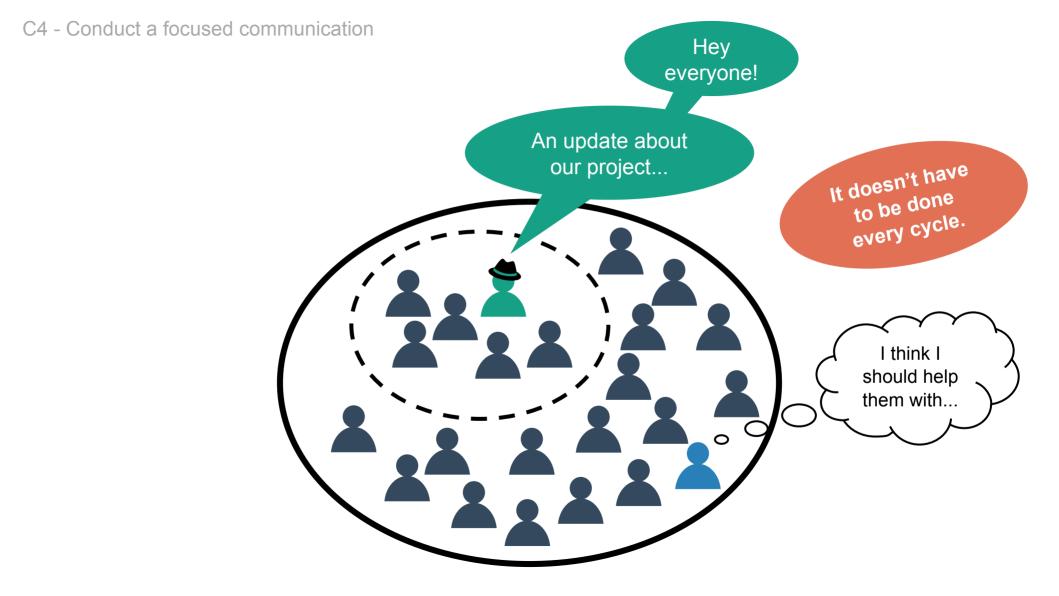


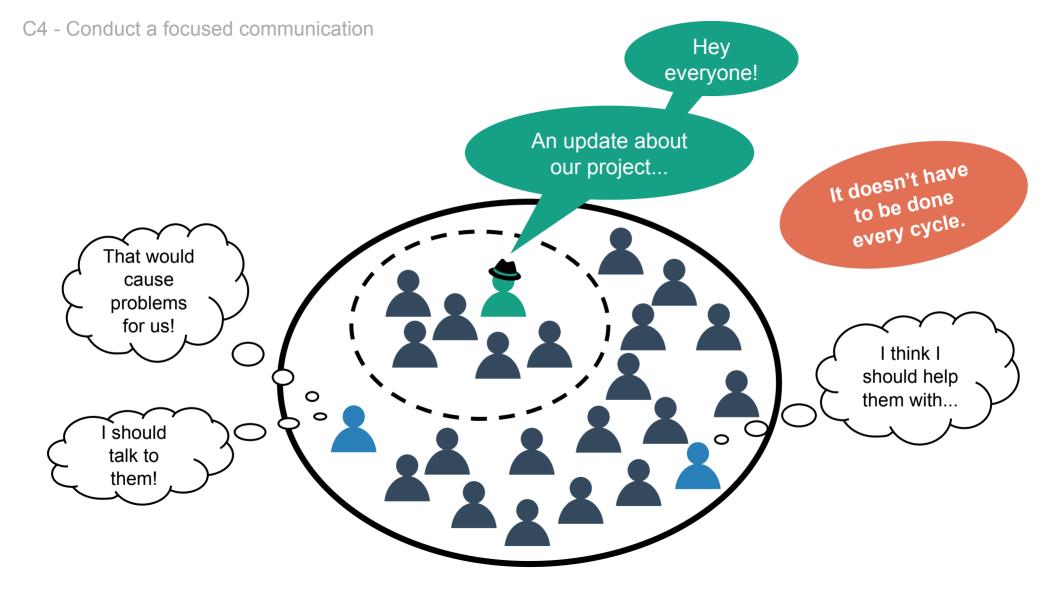
Hey everyone!

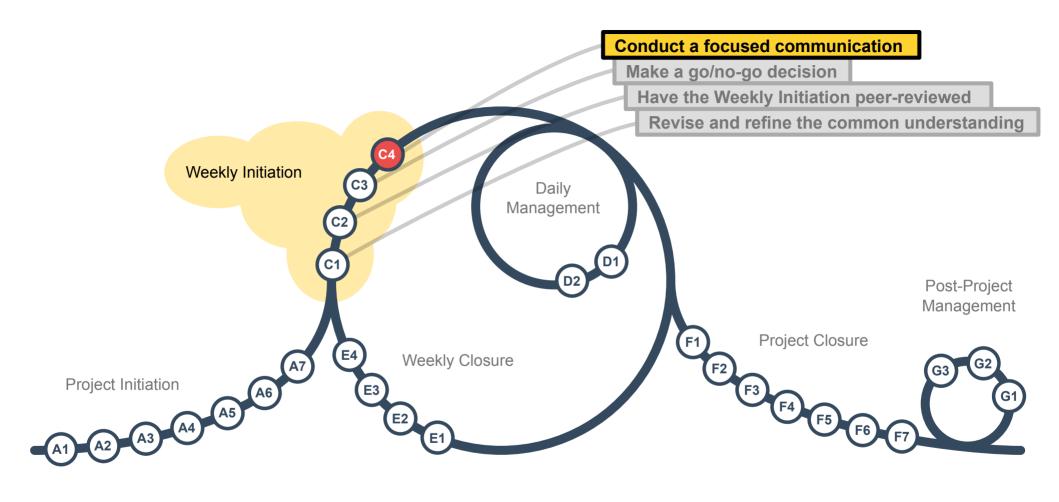
An update about our project...

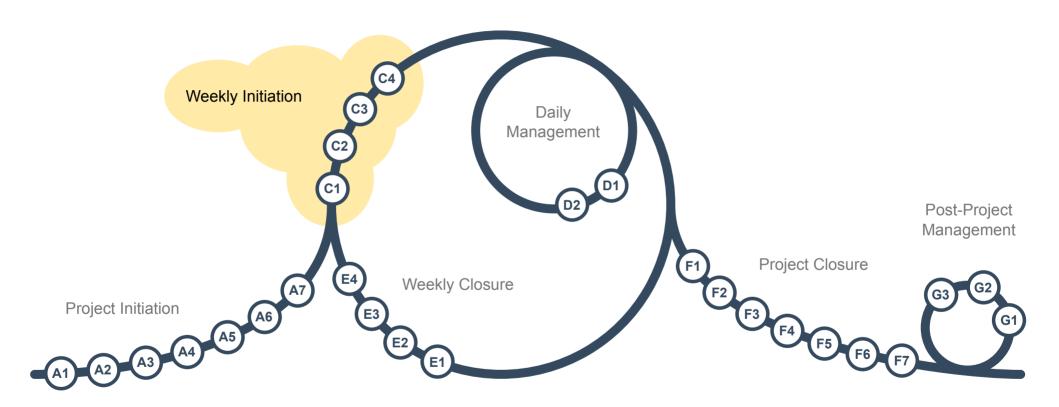


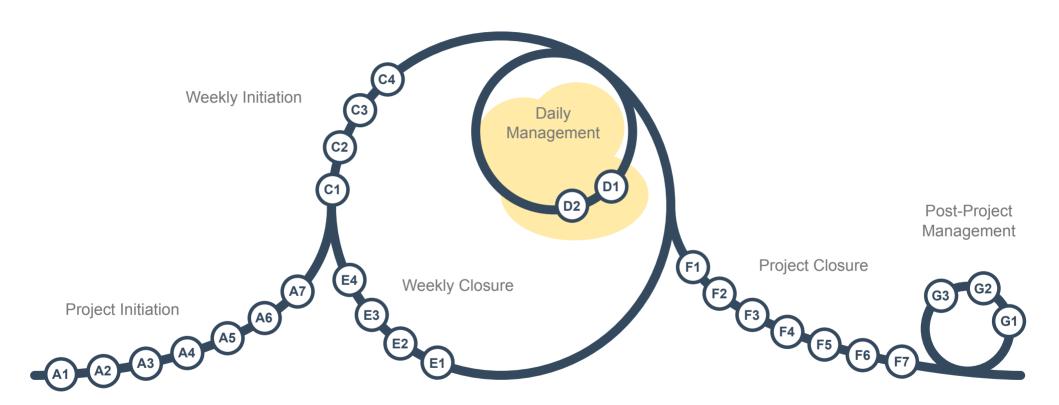
It doesn't have to be done every cycle.

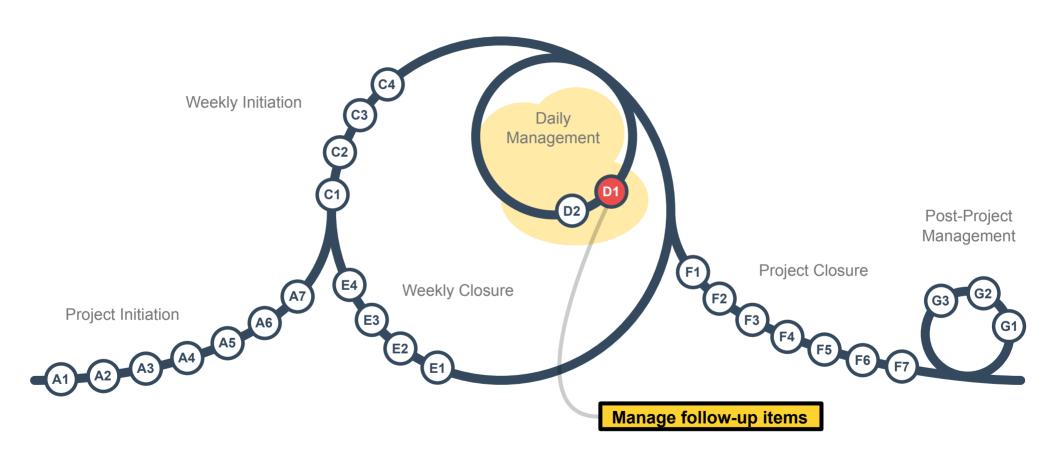


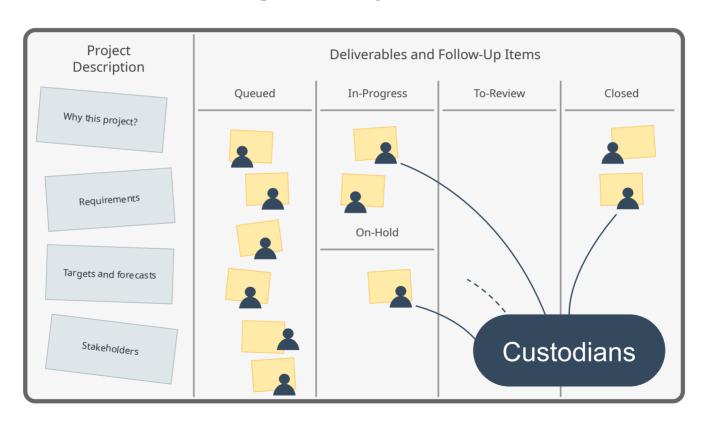


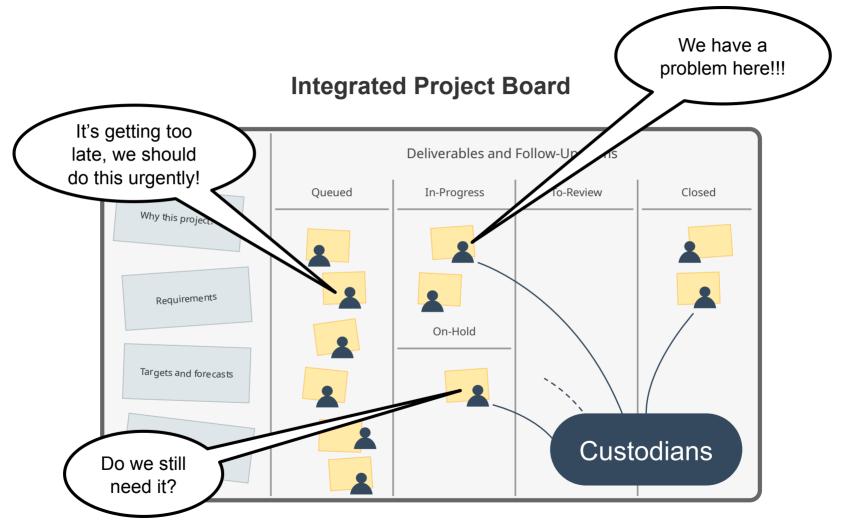


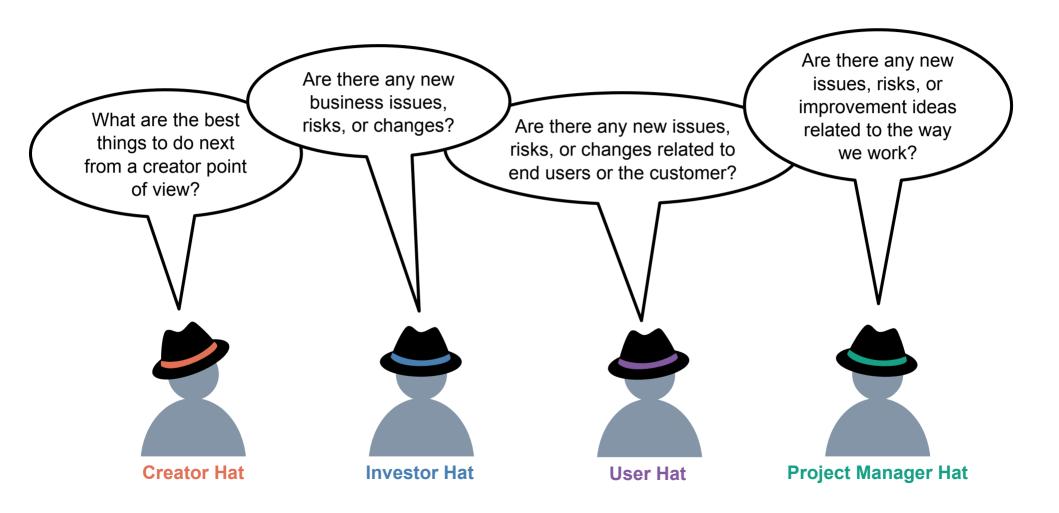






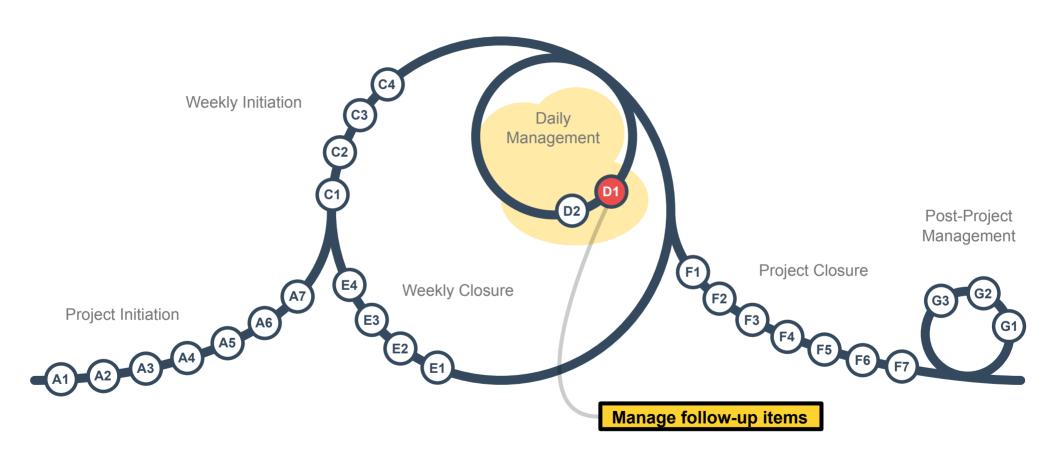


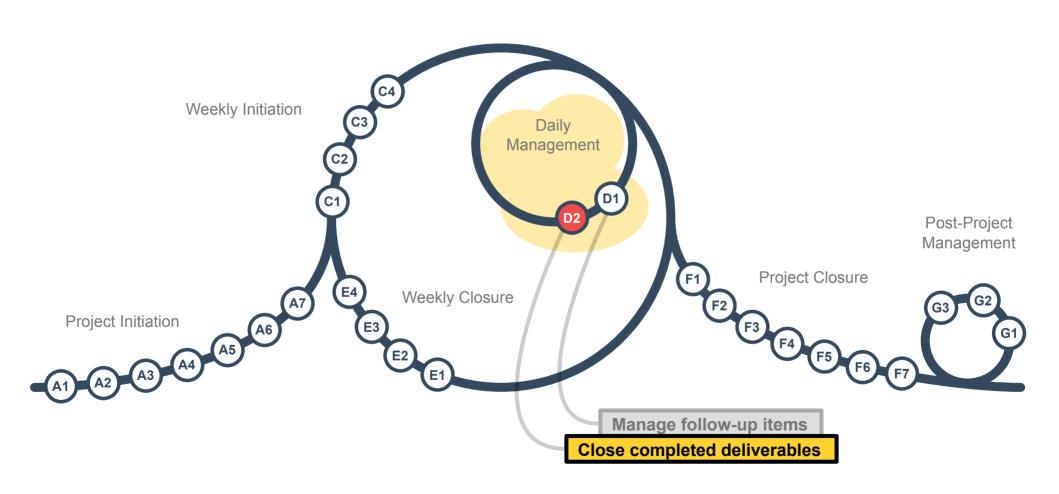


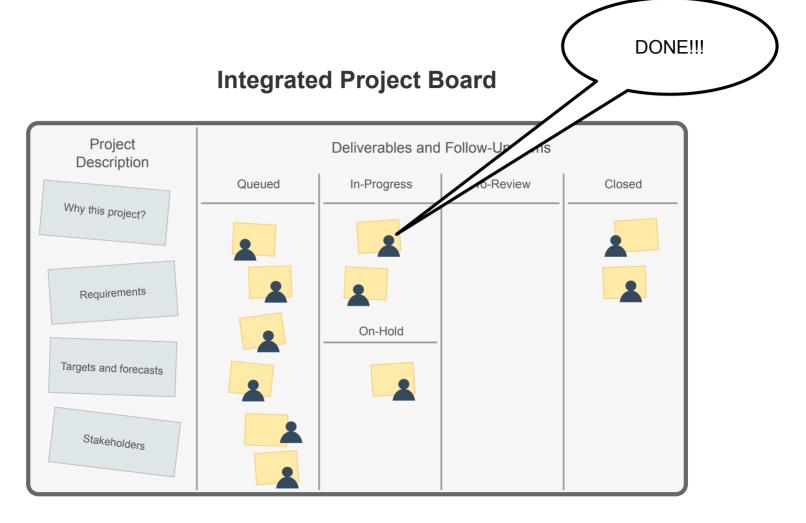








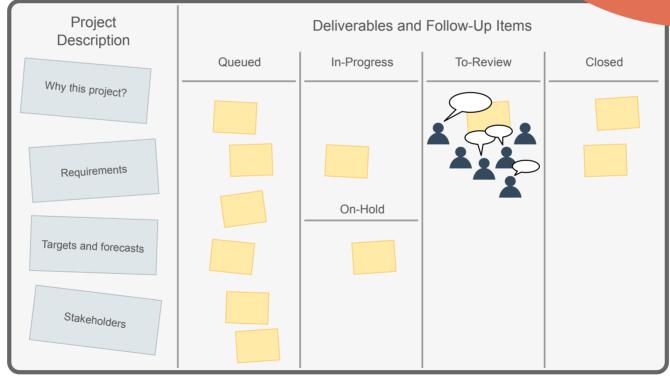




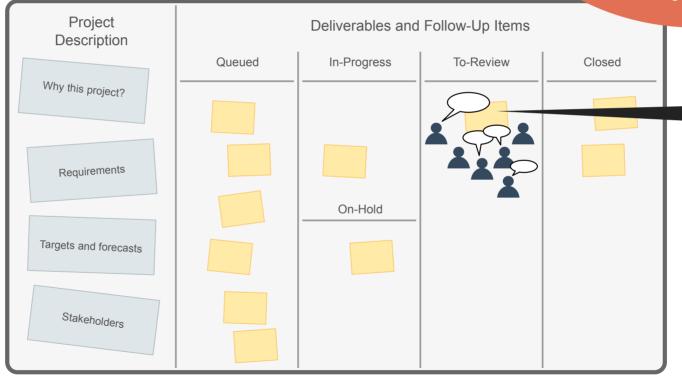
It's ready to be reviewed



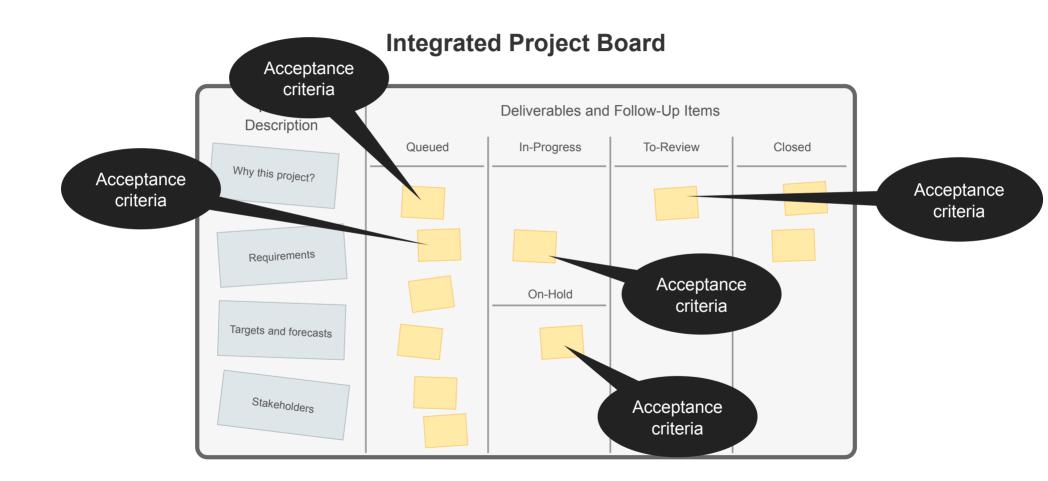
The whole team or a subset of it reviews the card

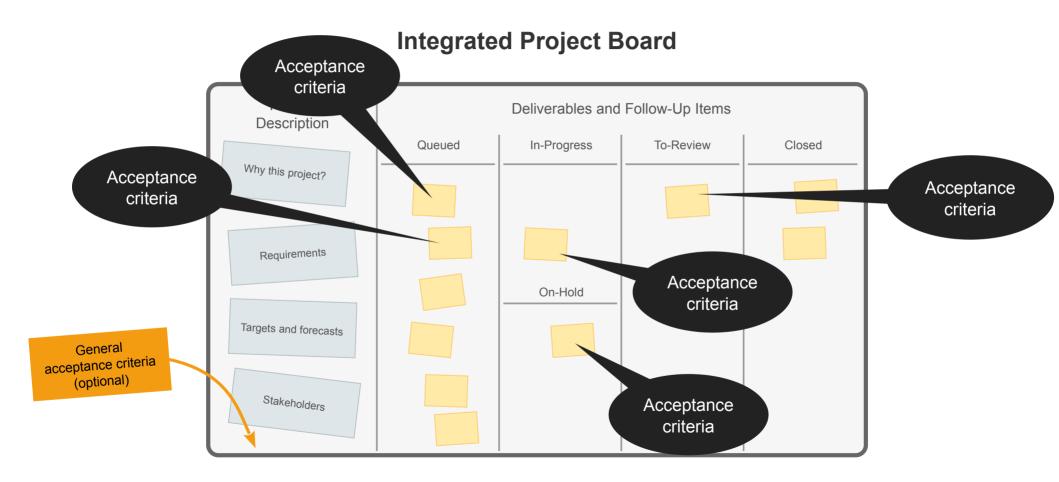


The whole team or a subset of it reviews the card

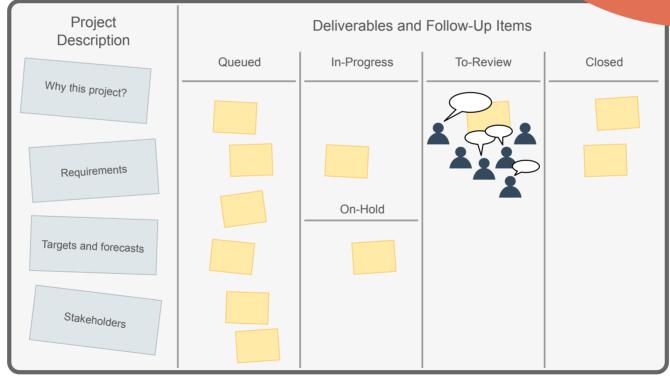


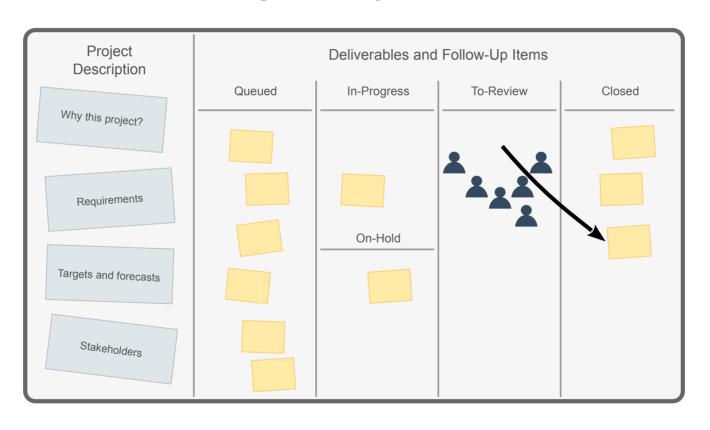
Acceptance criteria

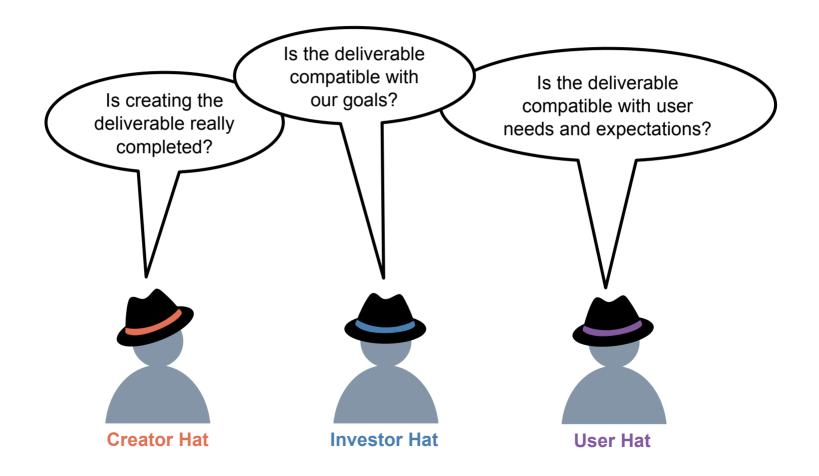




The whole team or a subset of it reviews the card

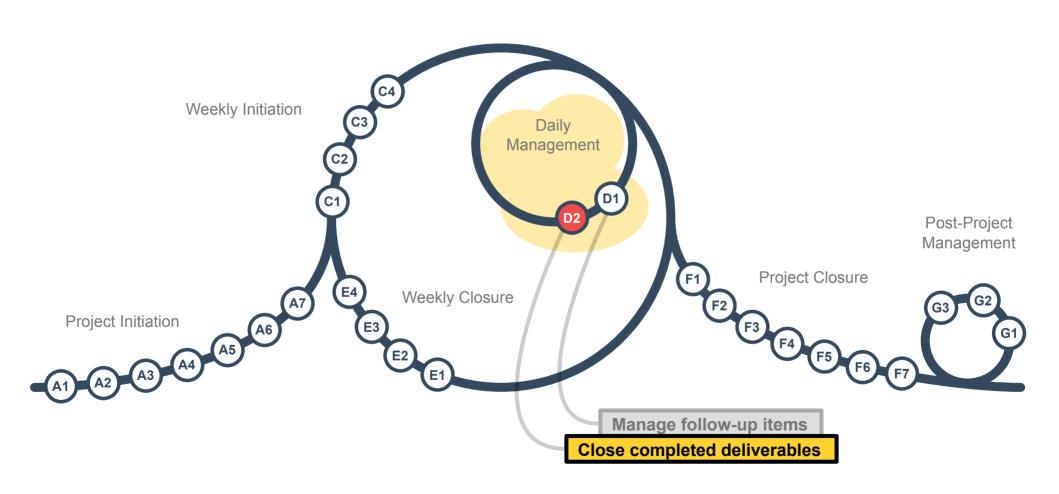


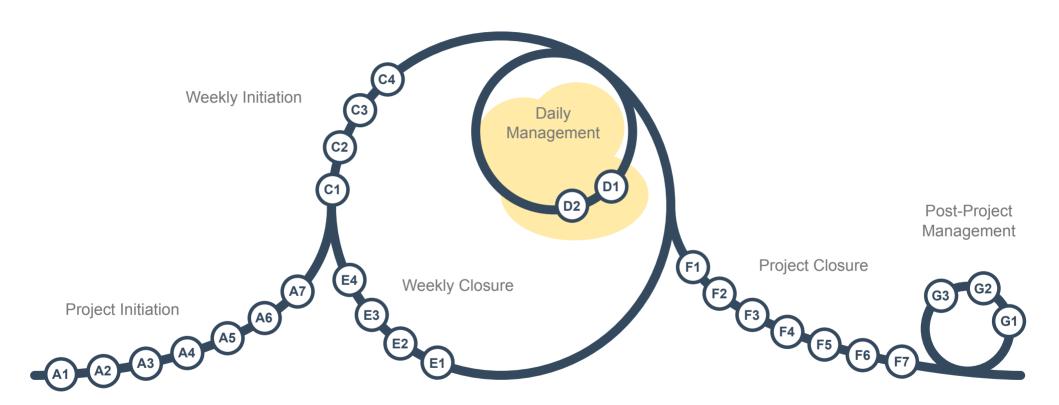


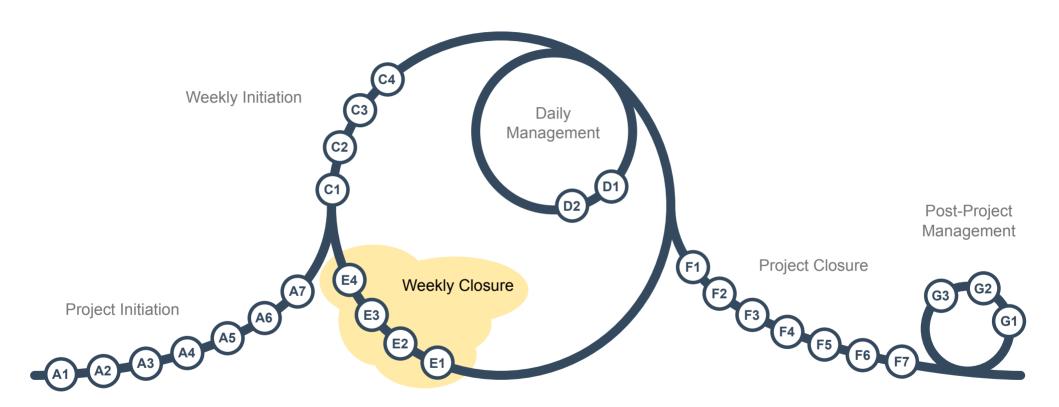


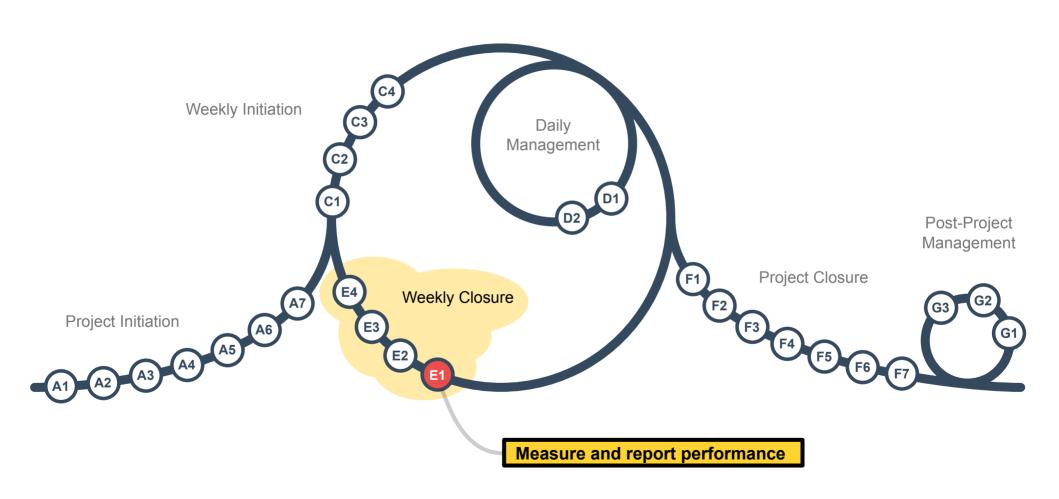


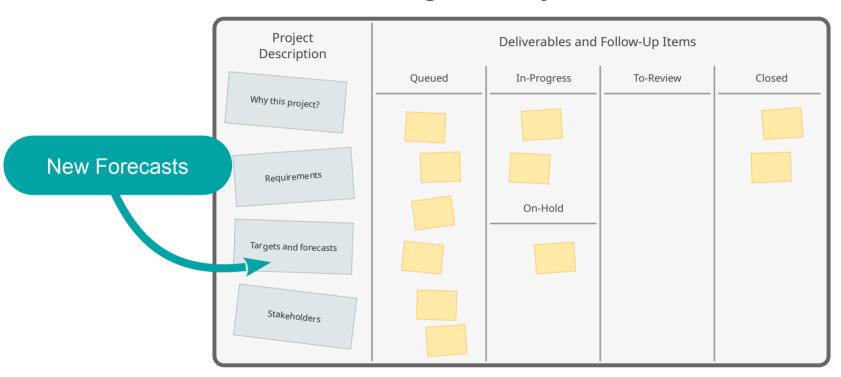










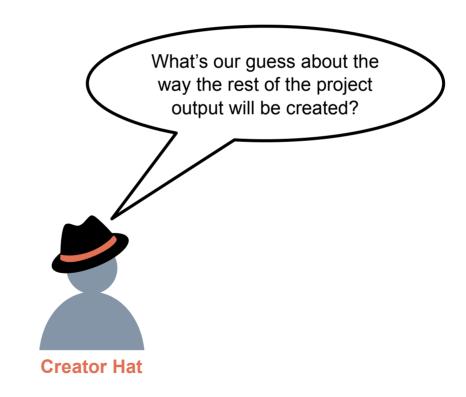


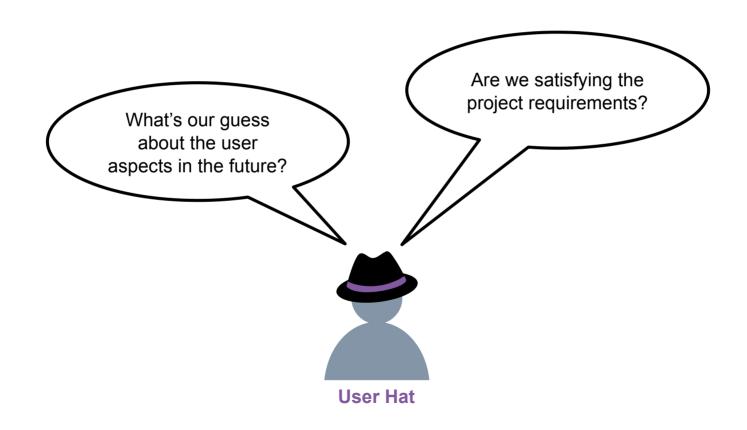
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?



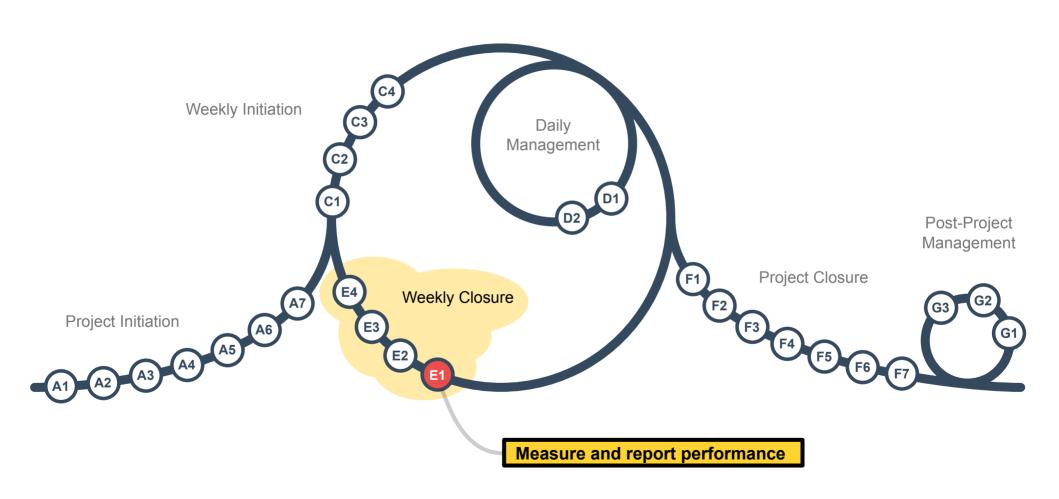


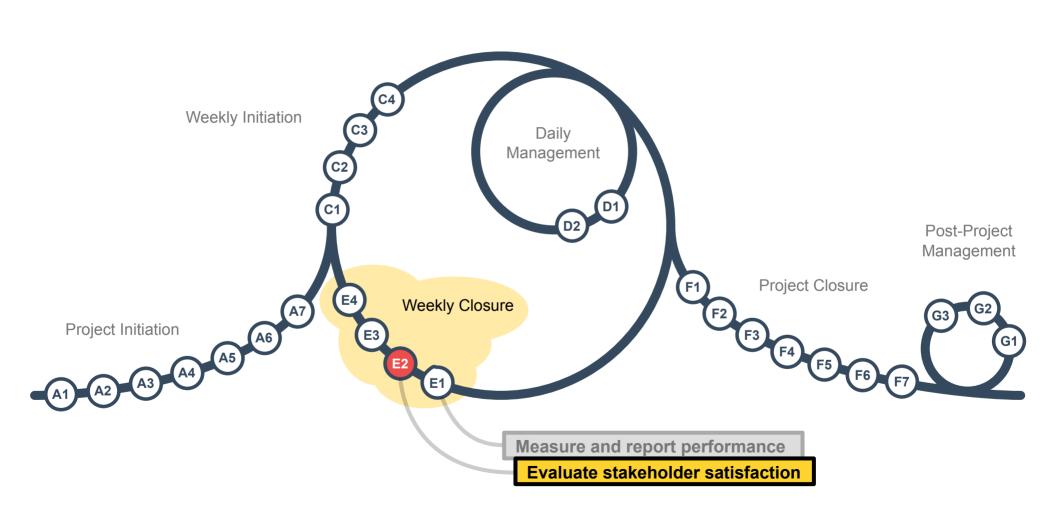




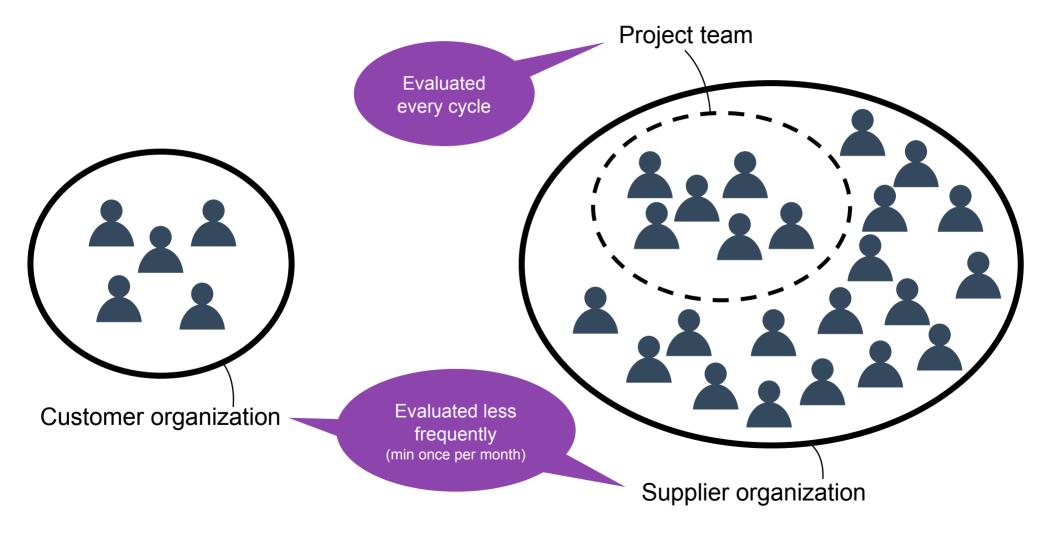




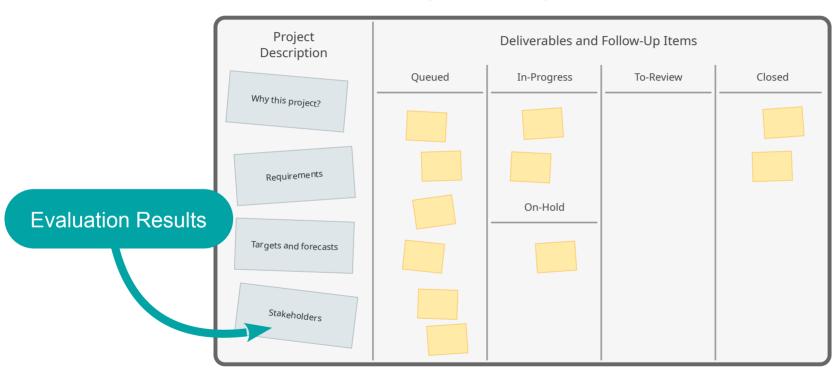


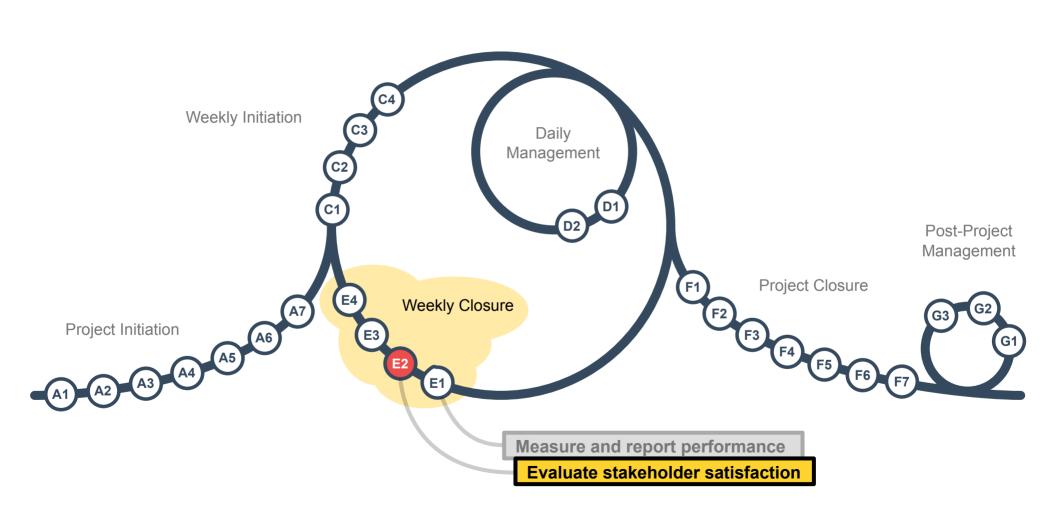


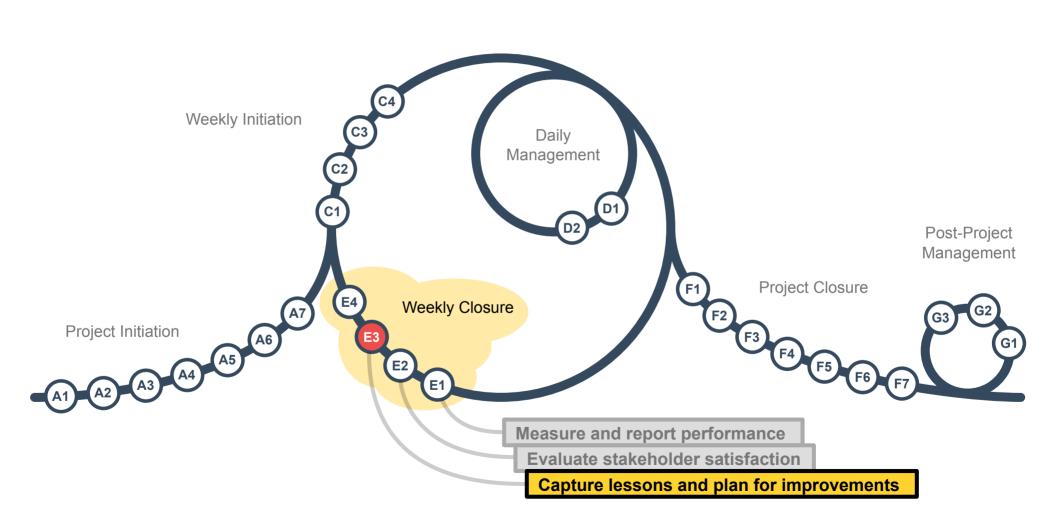


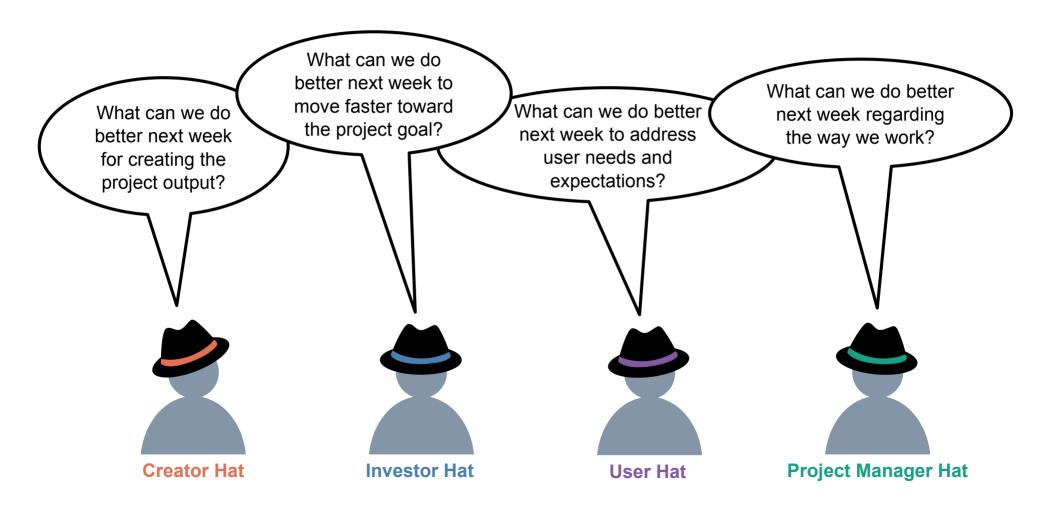


## **Integrated Project Board**

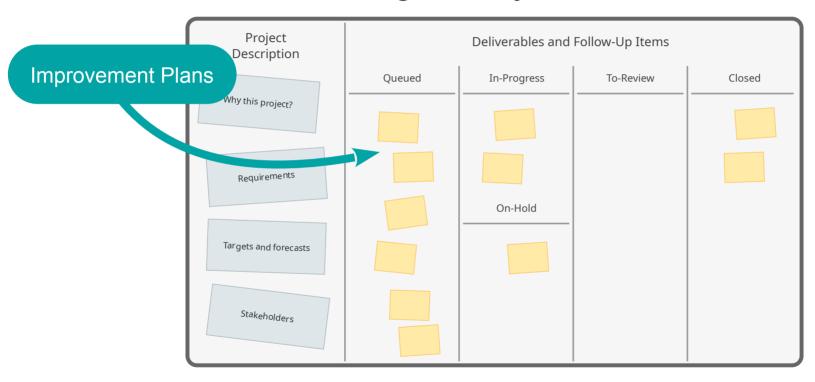


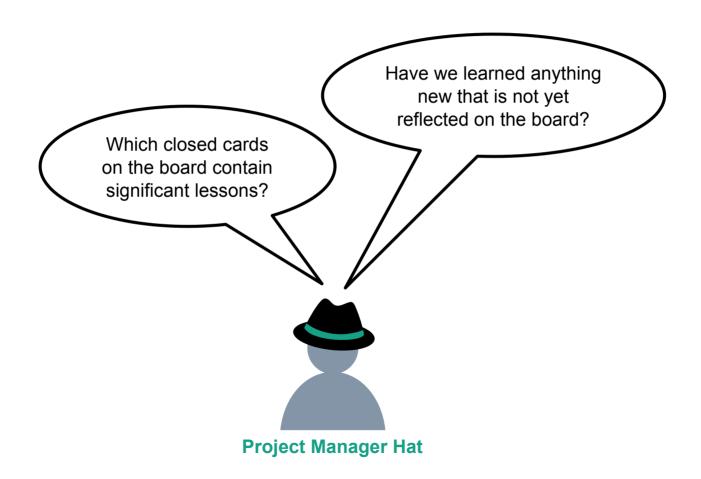






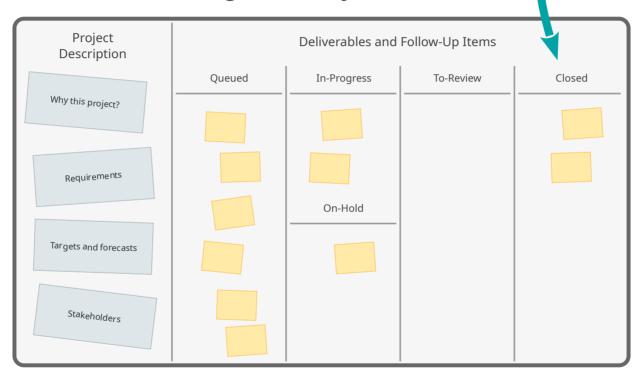
## **Integrated Project Board**





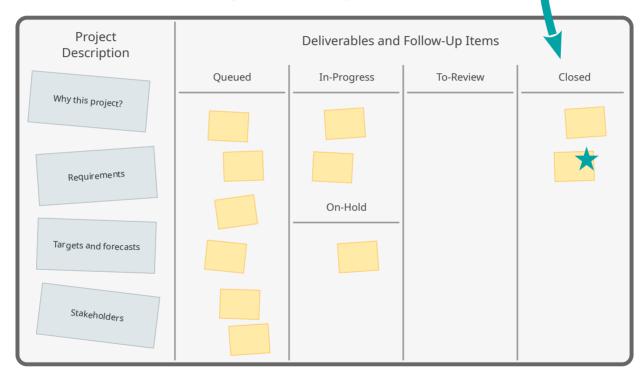
Lessons Learned

## **Integrated Project Board**

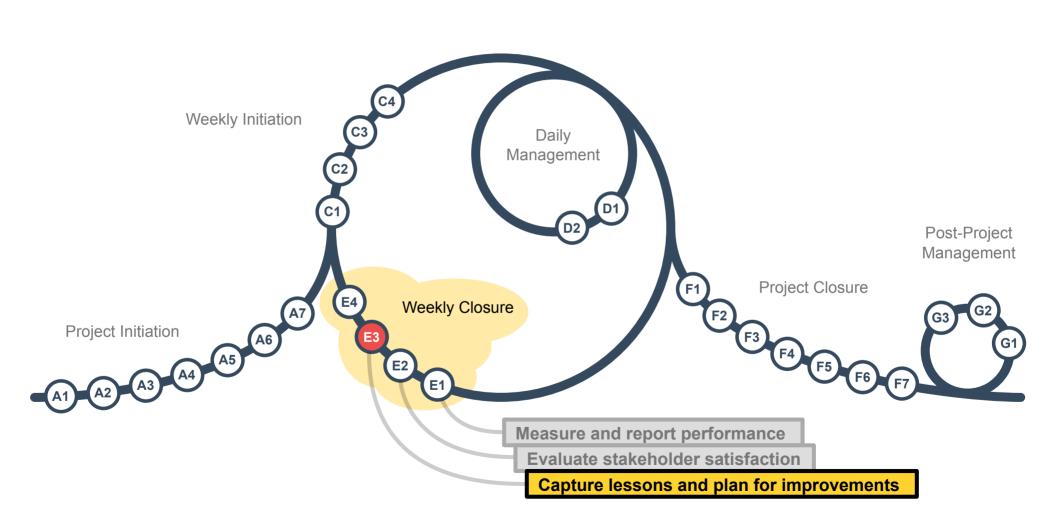


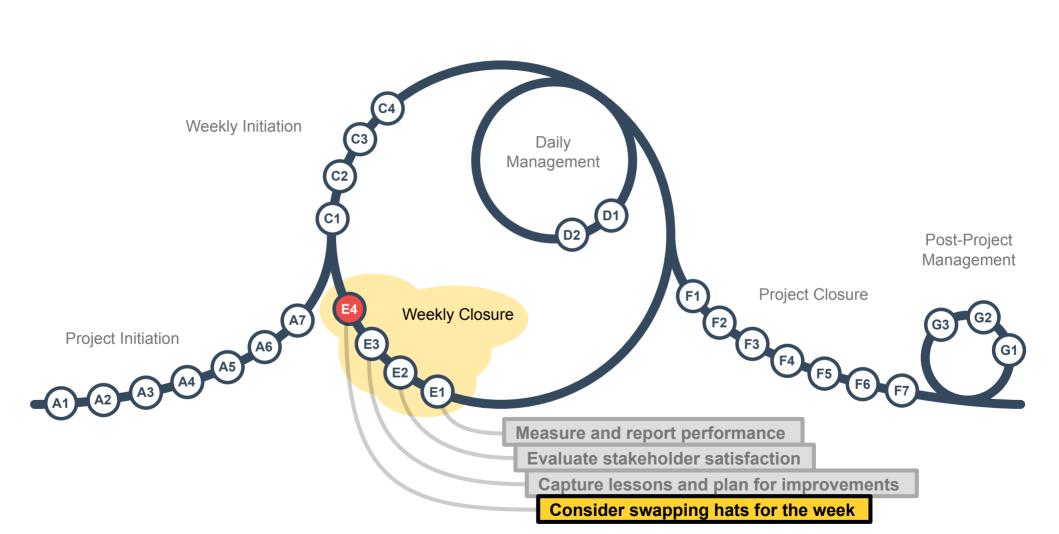
**Lessons Learned** 

## **Integrated Project Board**



Mark deliverables and follow-up items that contain important lessons.

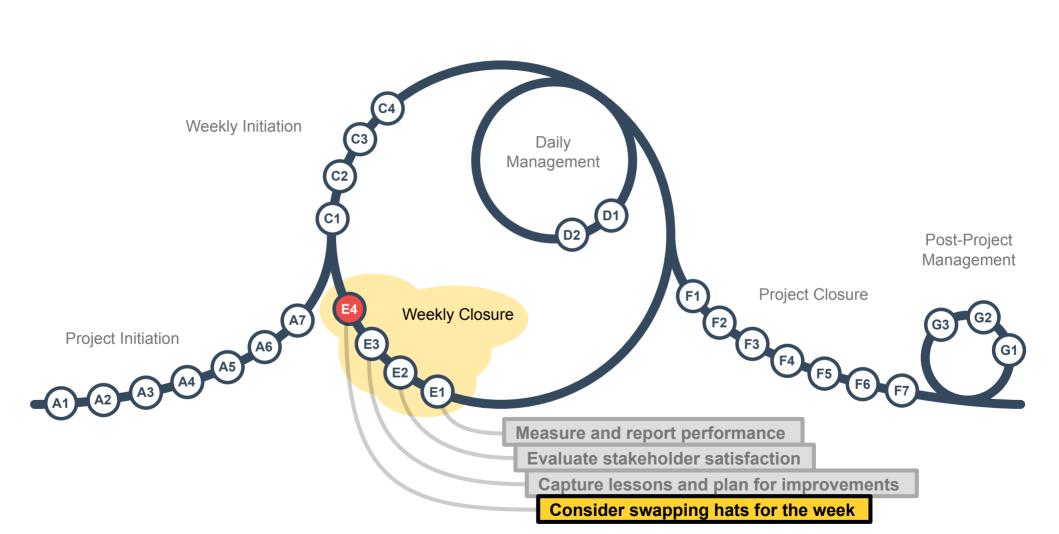


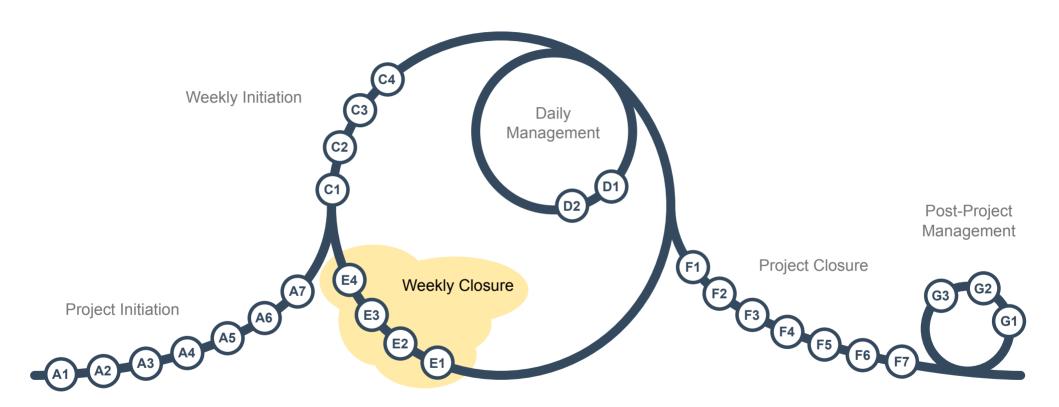


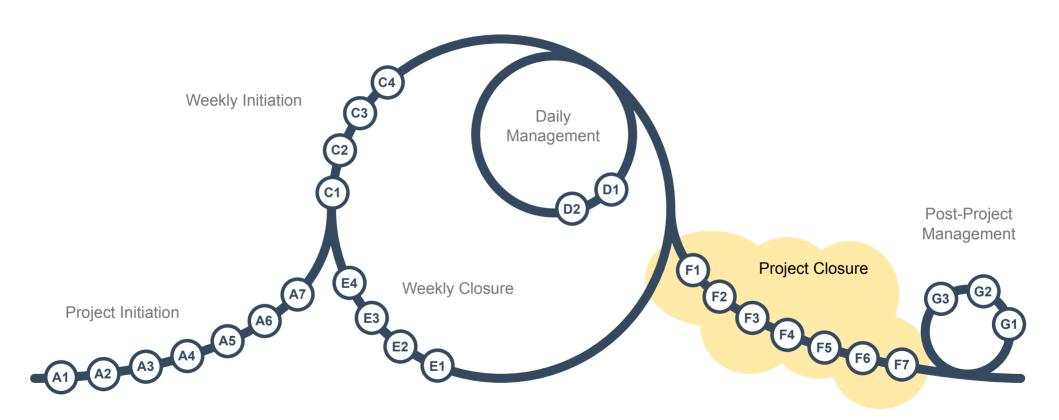


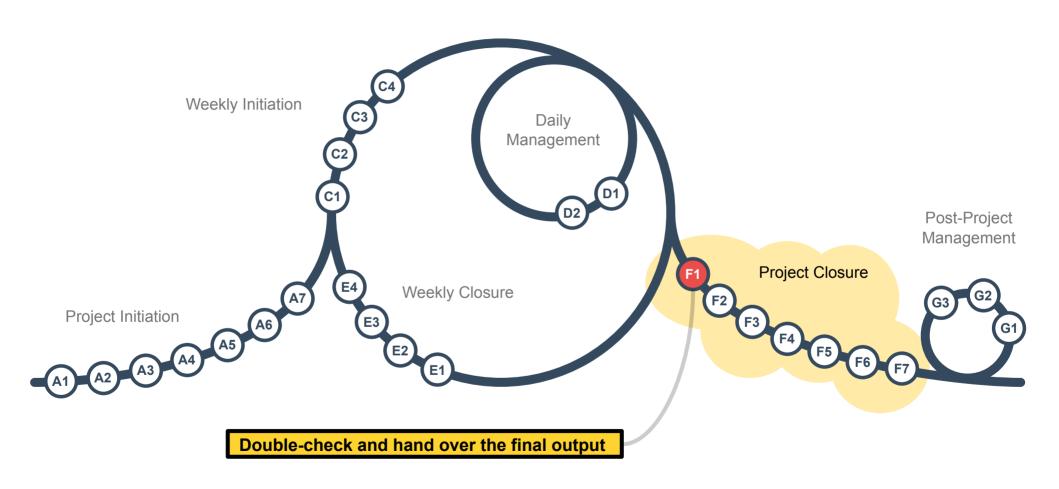
••••

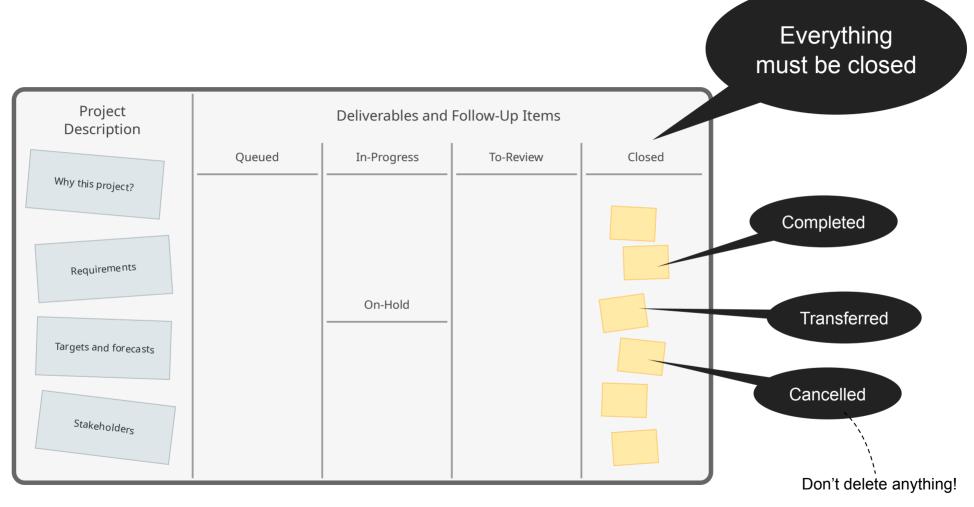
••••









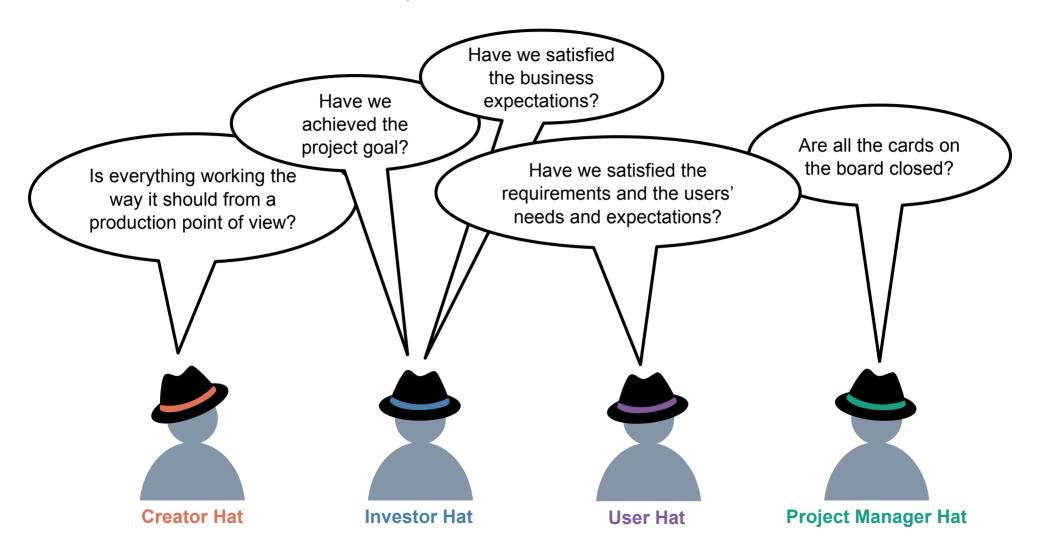


## What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?



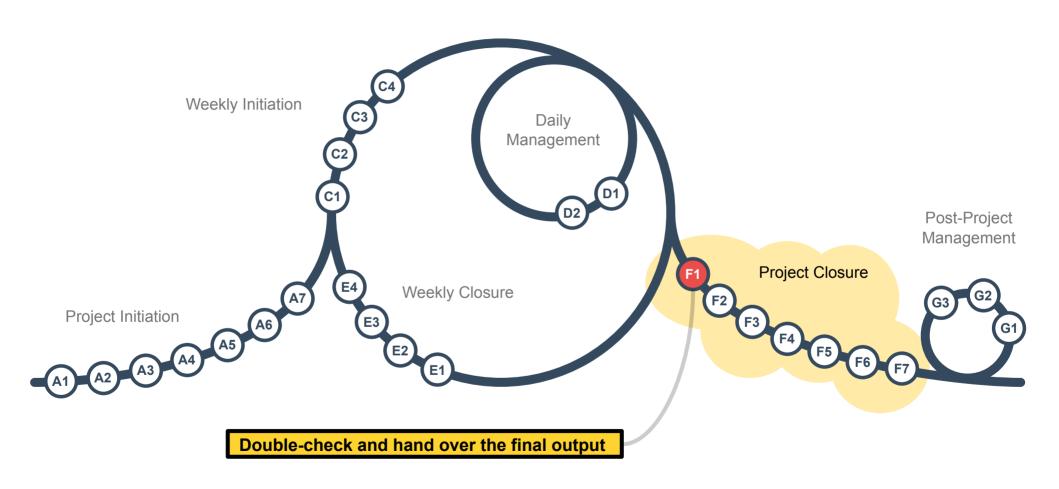


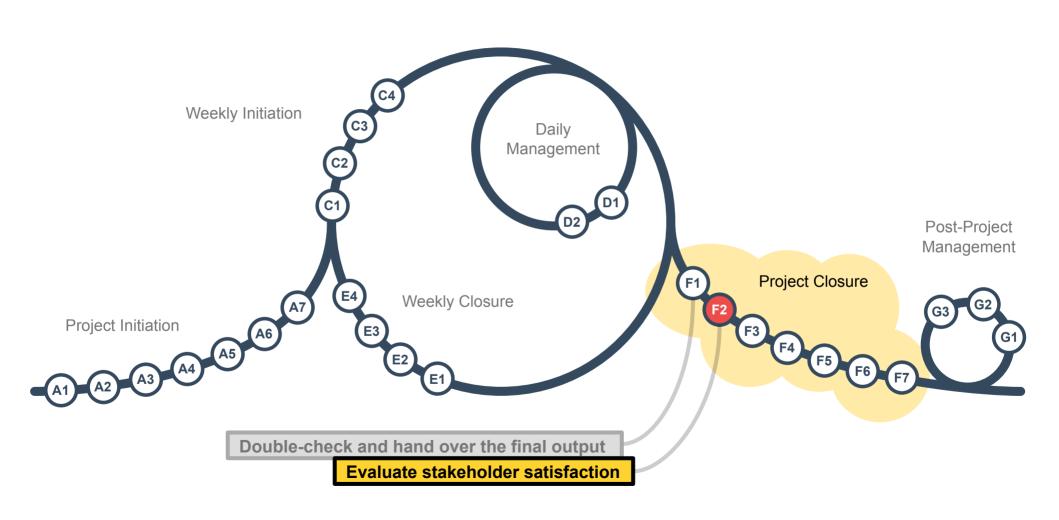
F1 – Double-check and hand over the final product

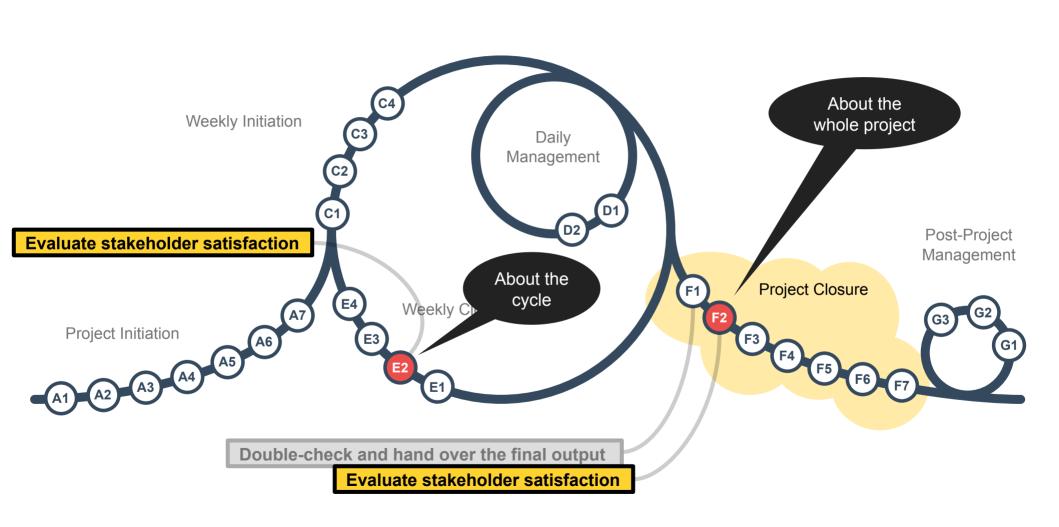


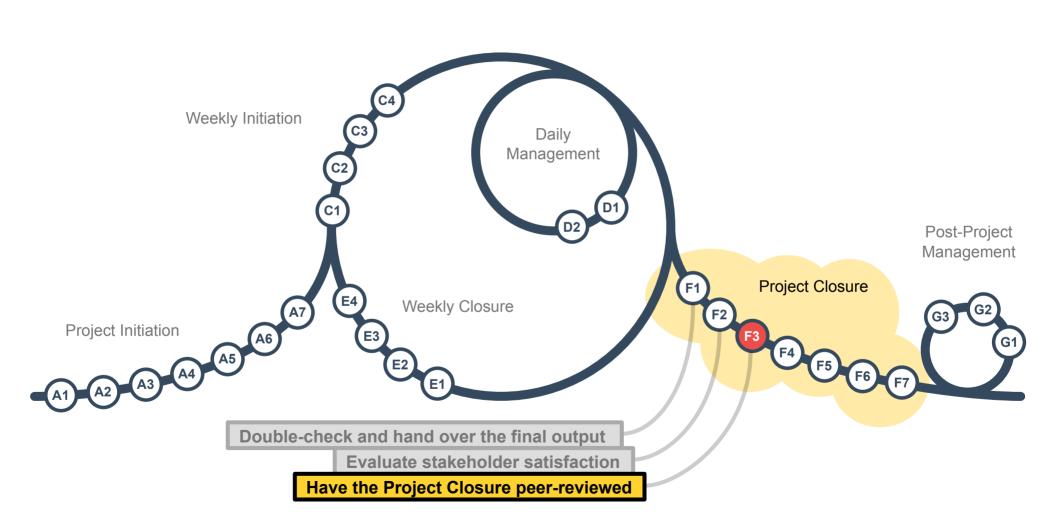


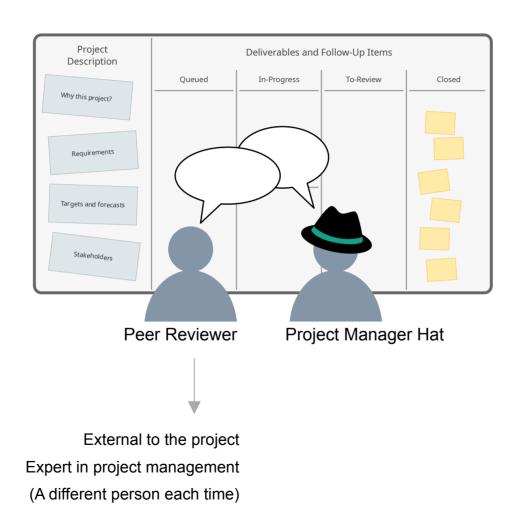




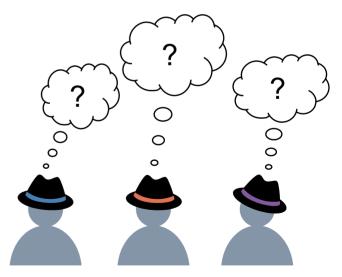




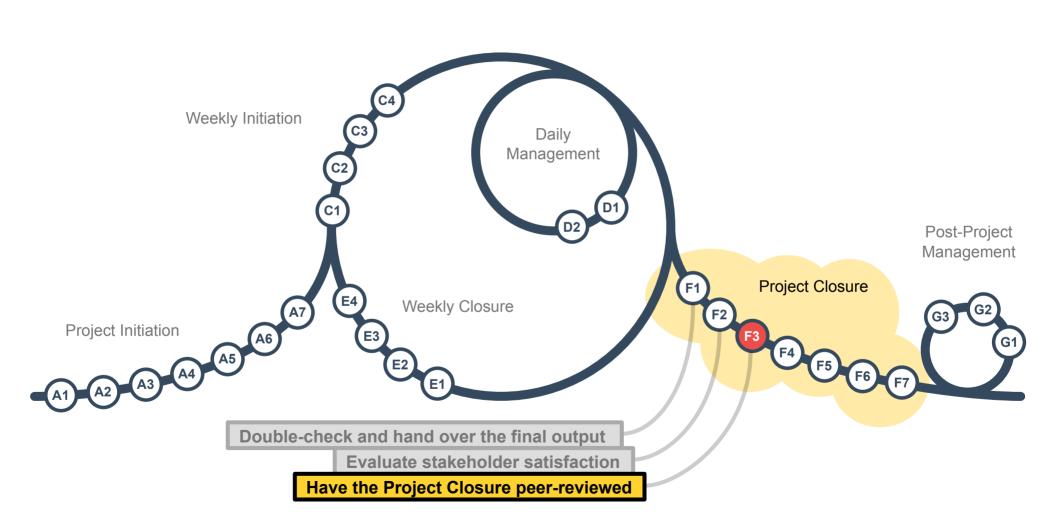


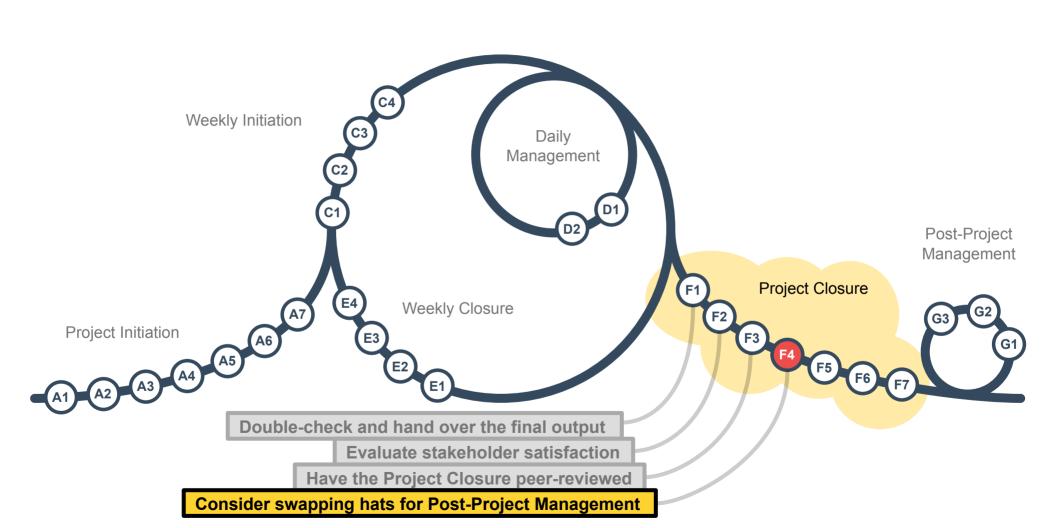


- ★ Helps find mistakes
- ★ Both learn from each other



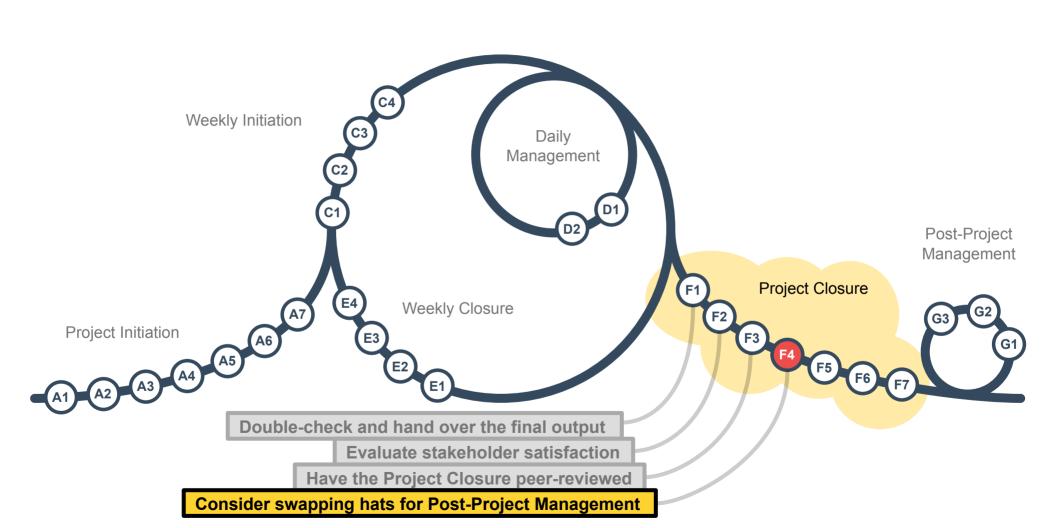
Do other hats need peer-reviews as well?

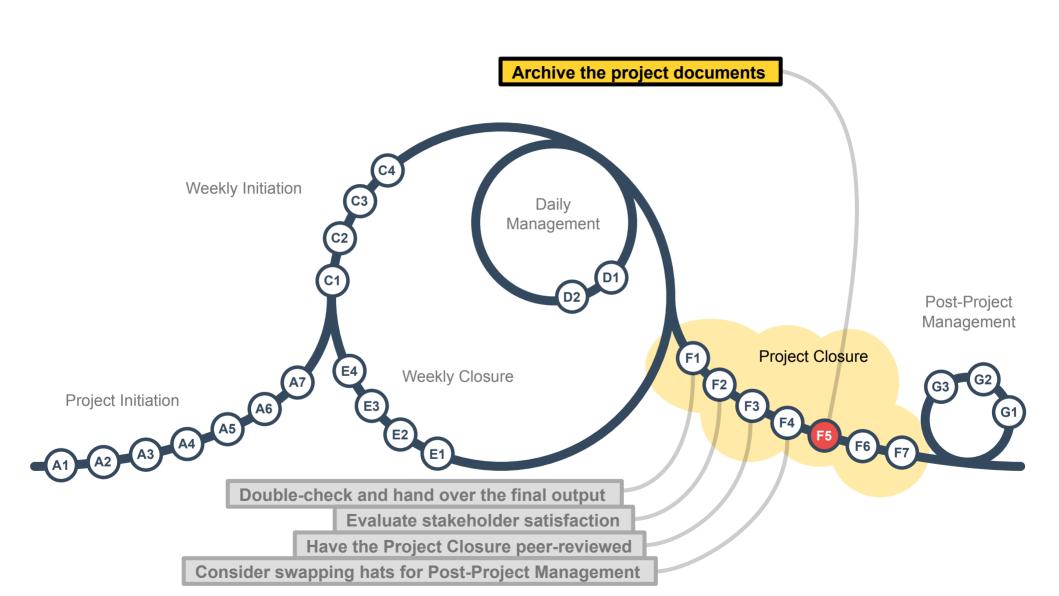






Post-Project Management

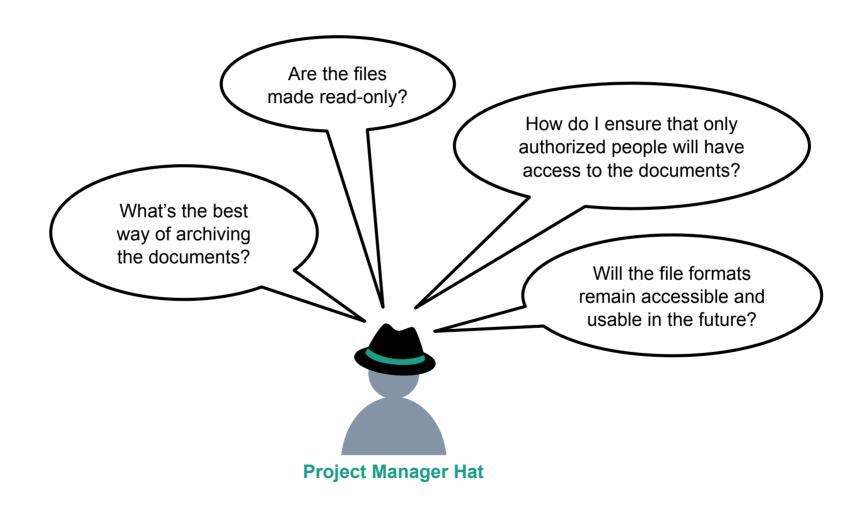


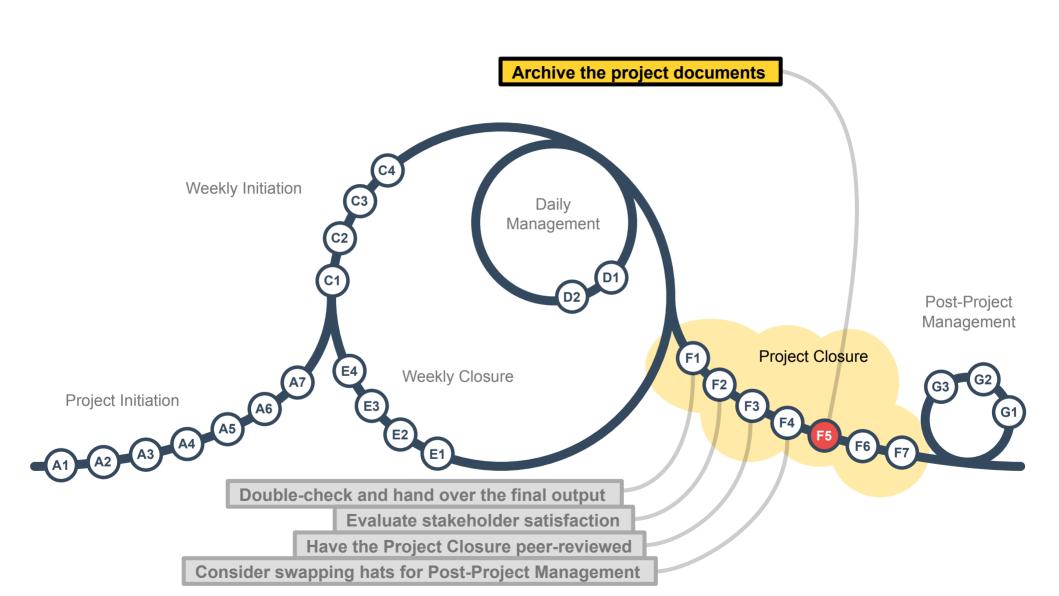


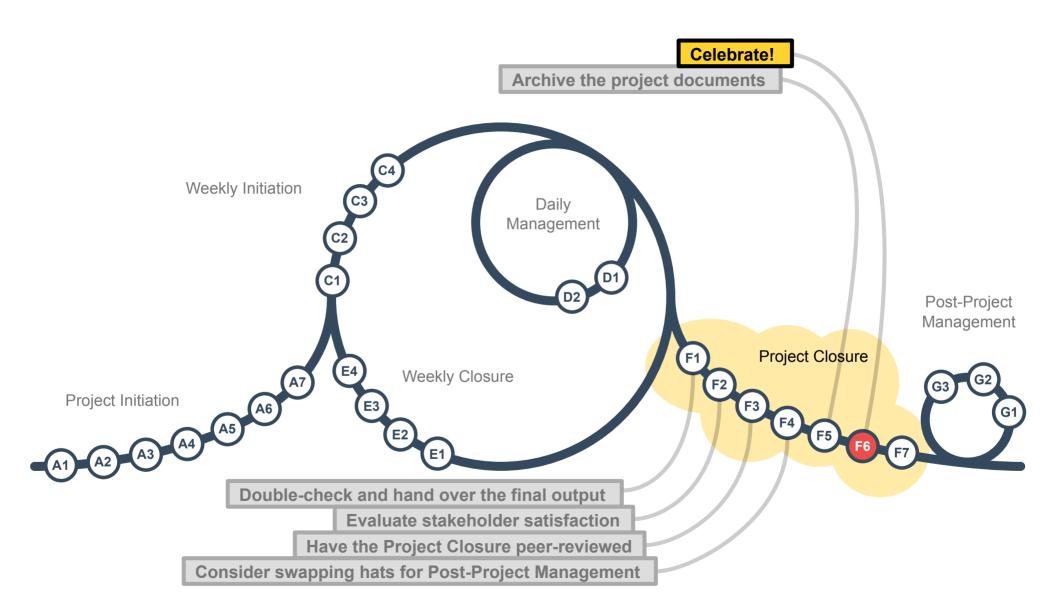
# What concerns do you think each hat should have in this management activity?

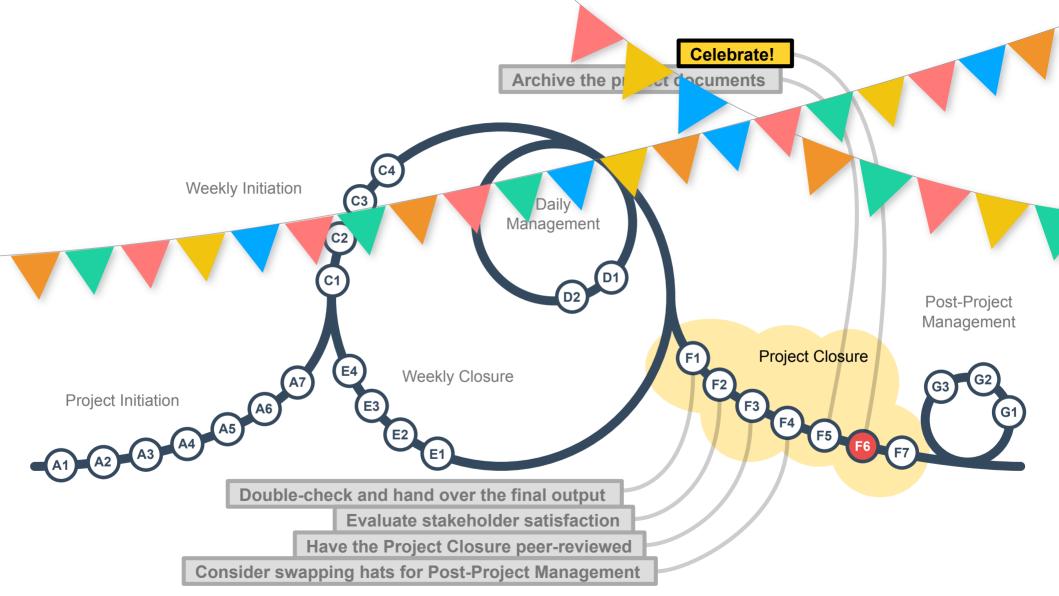


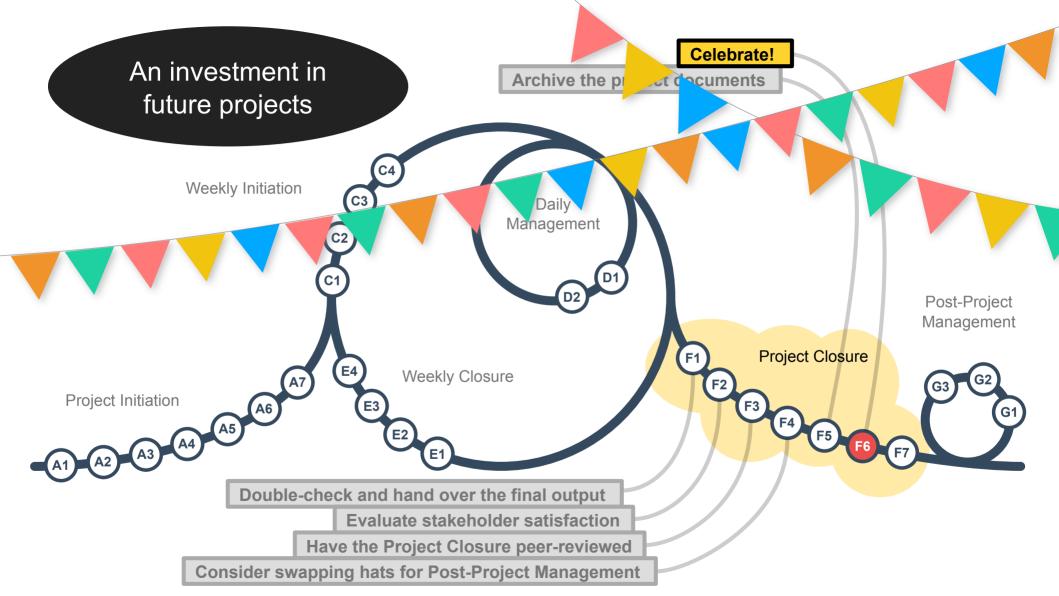


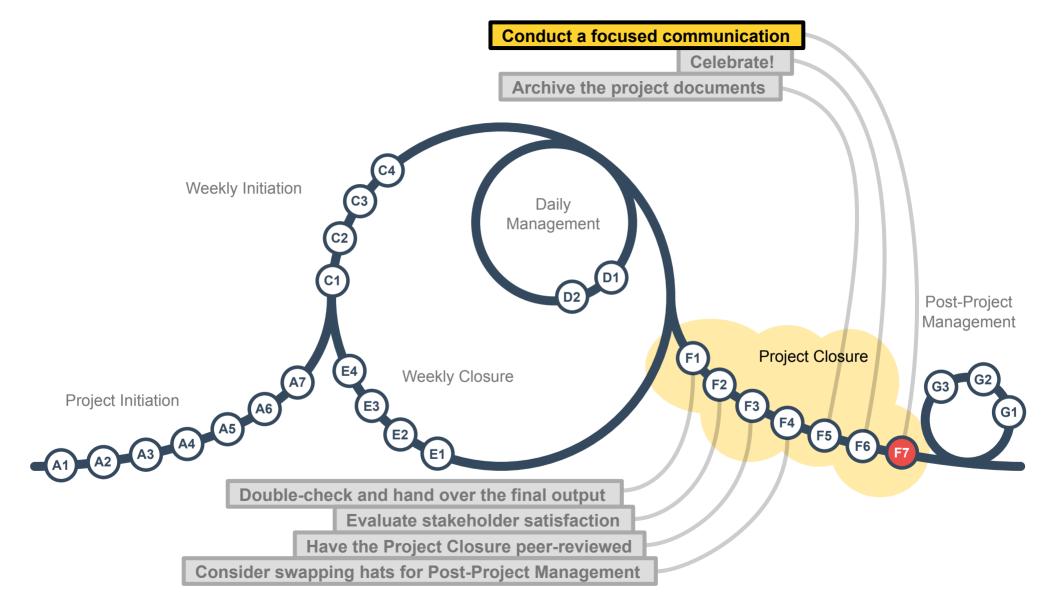


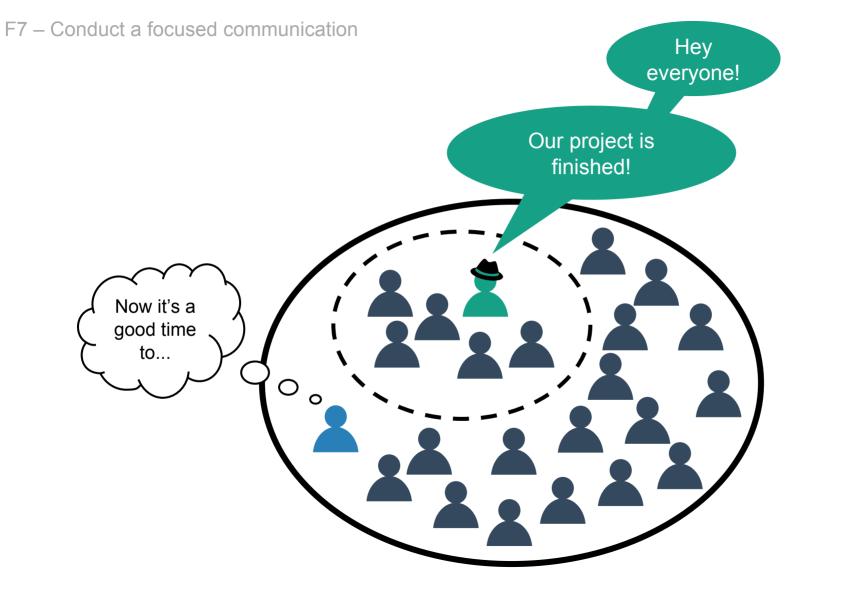


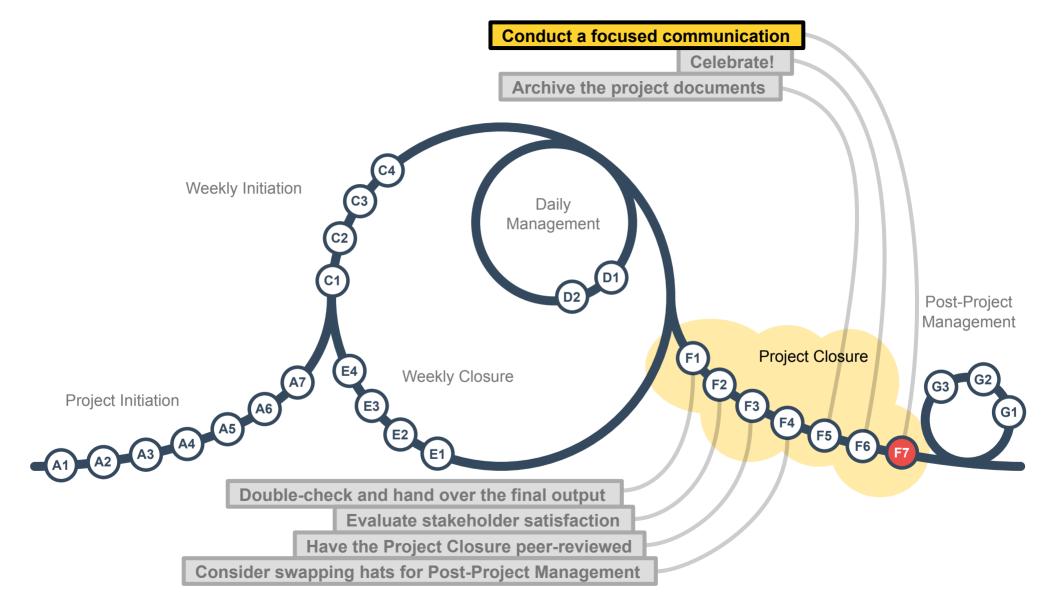


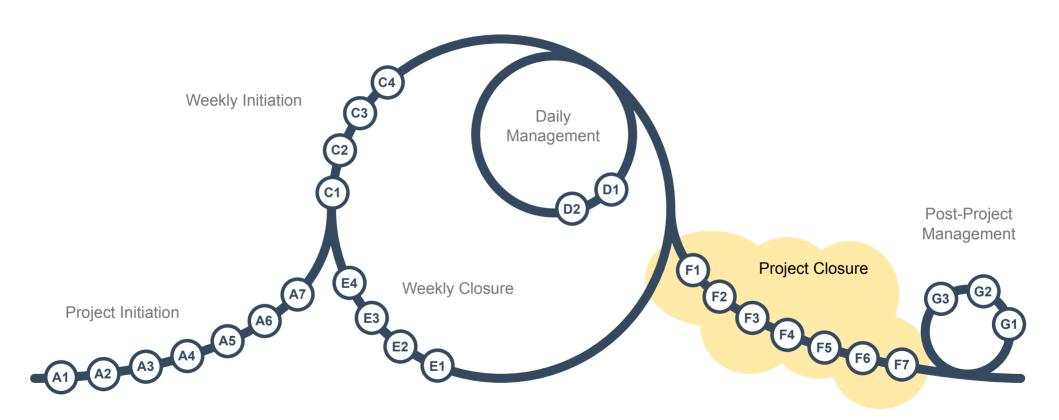


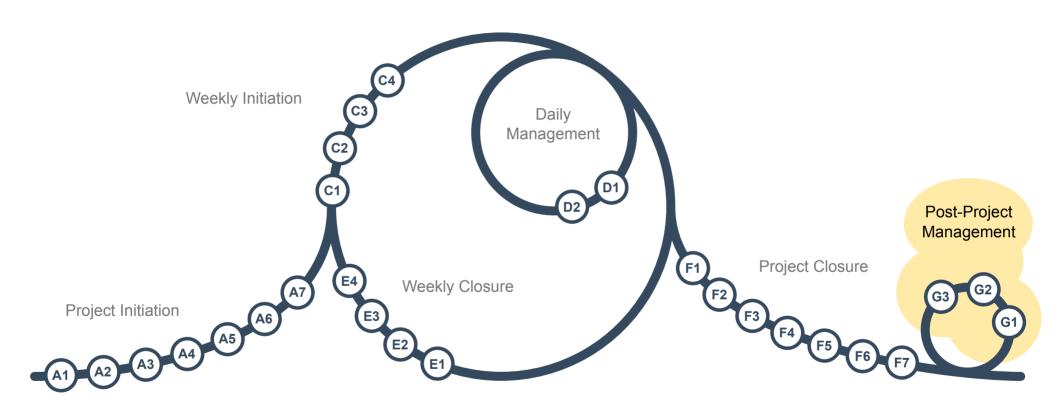


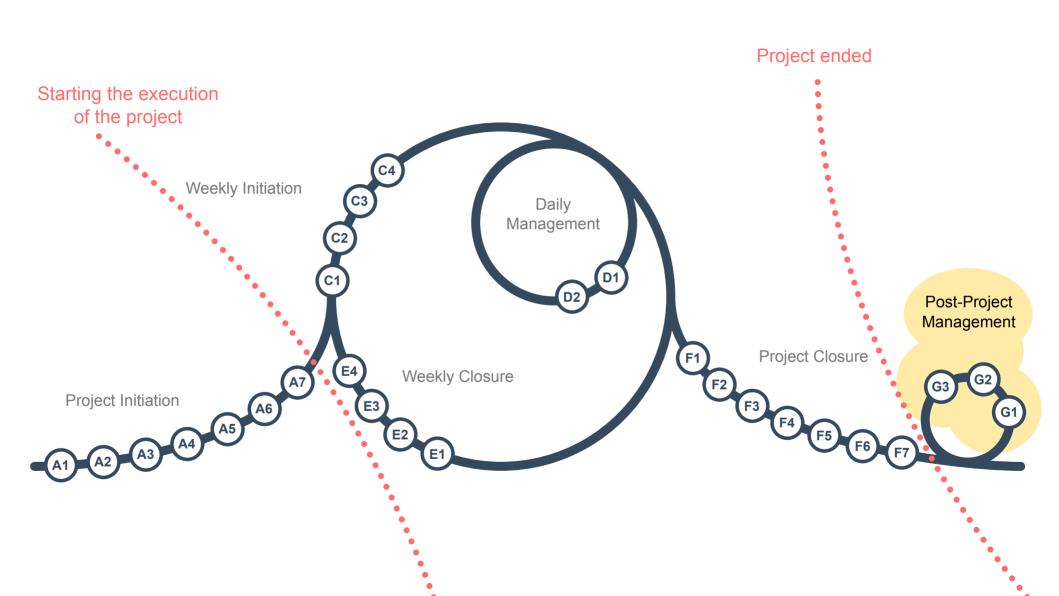


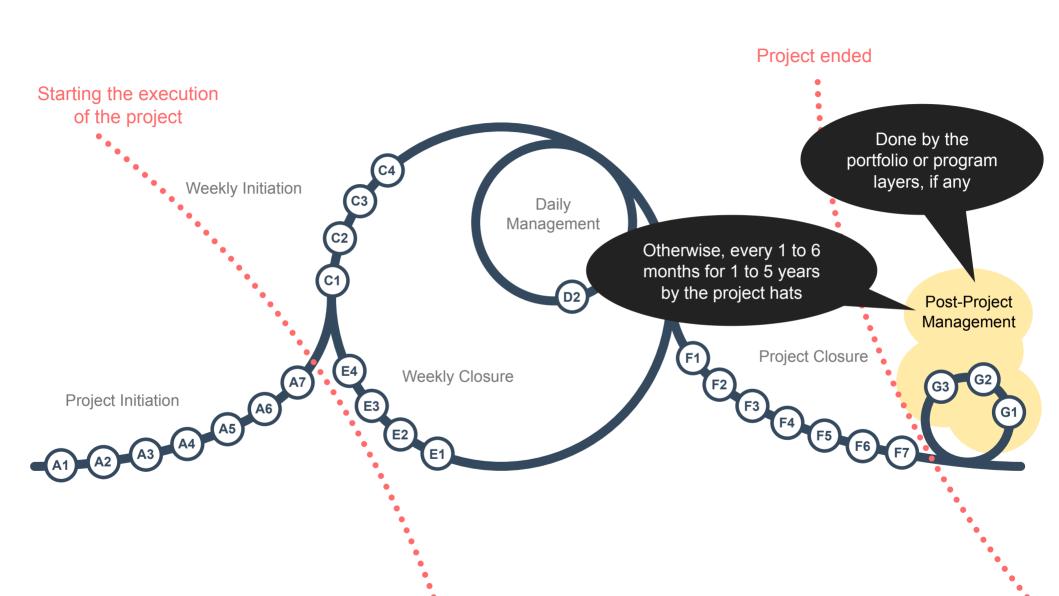


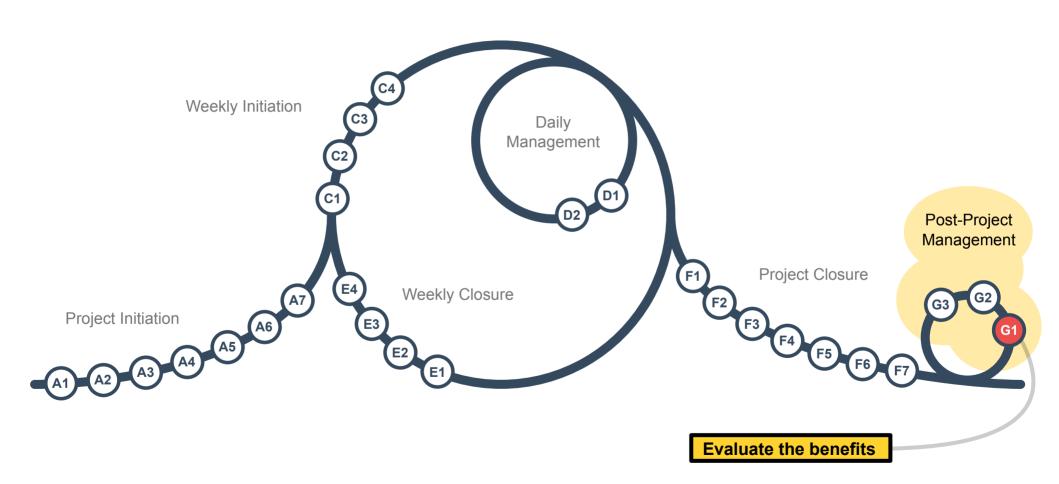


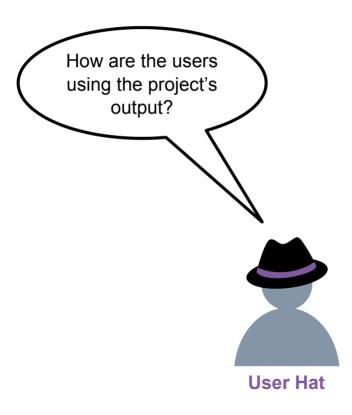


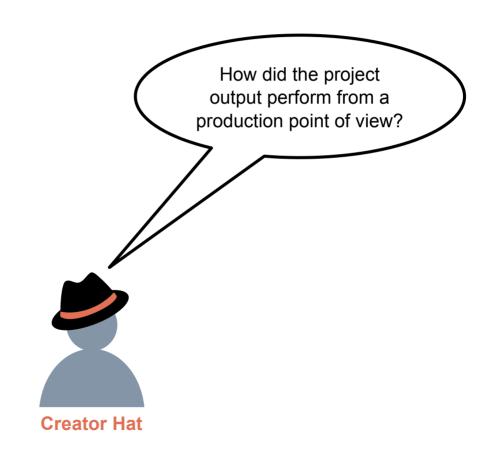


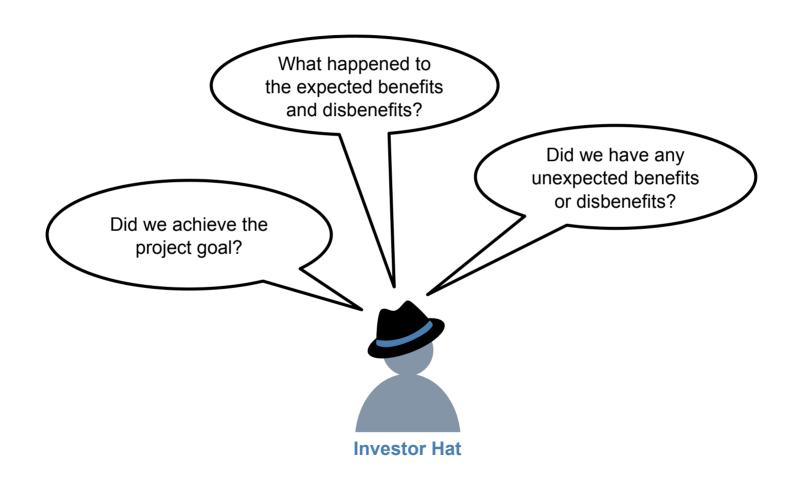




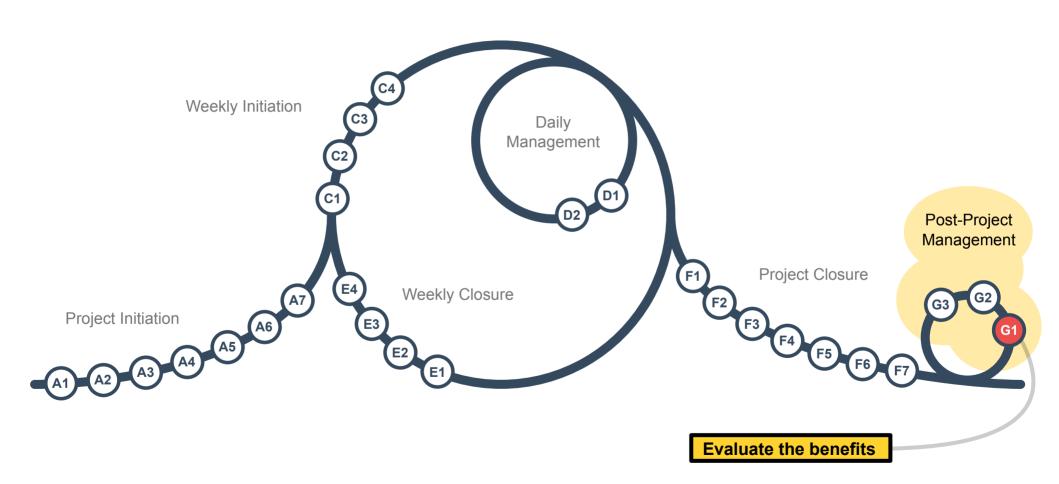


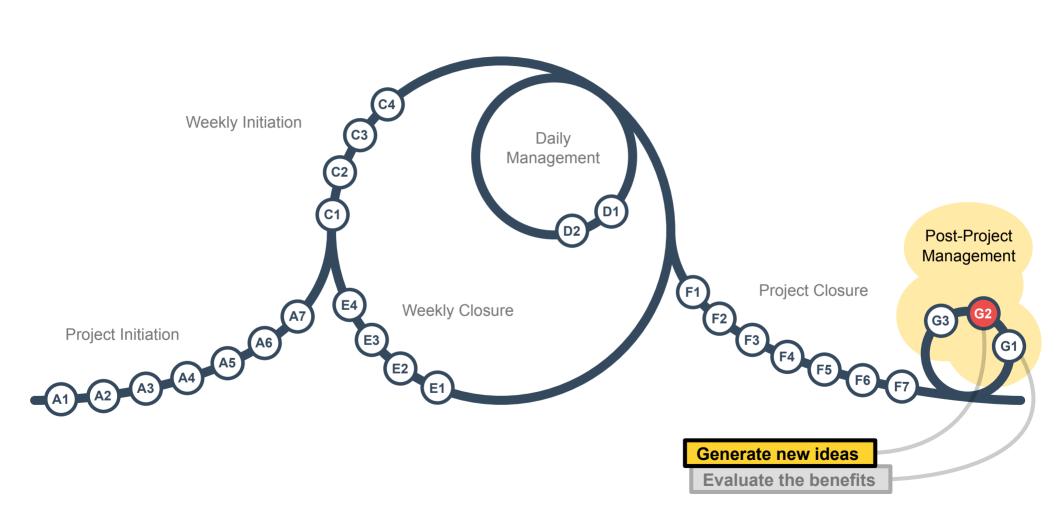


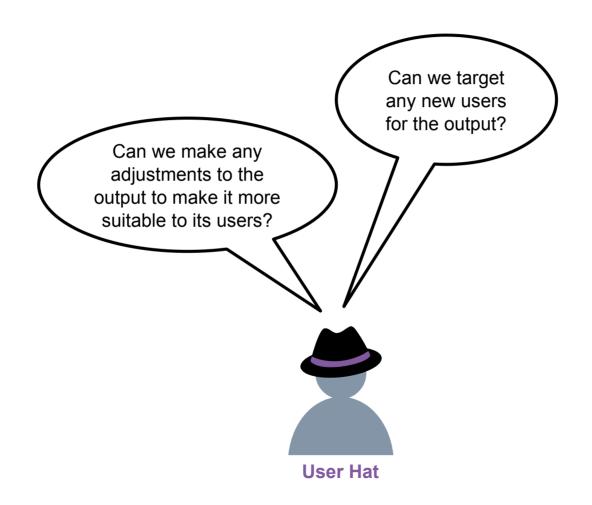


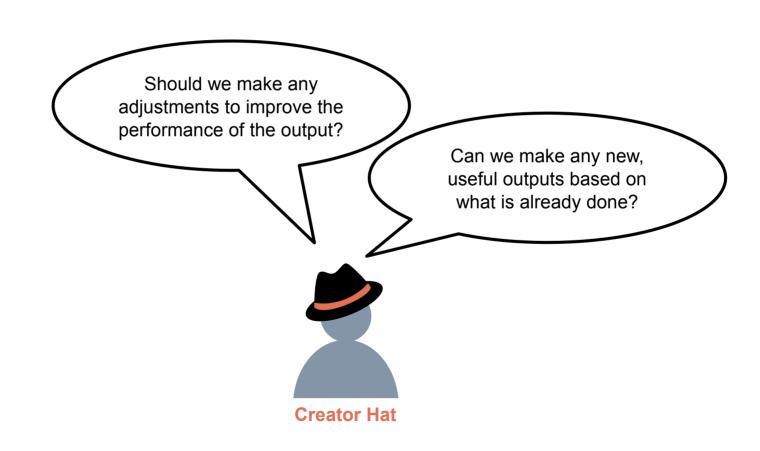


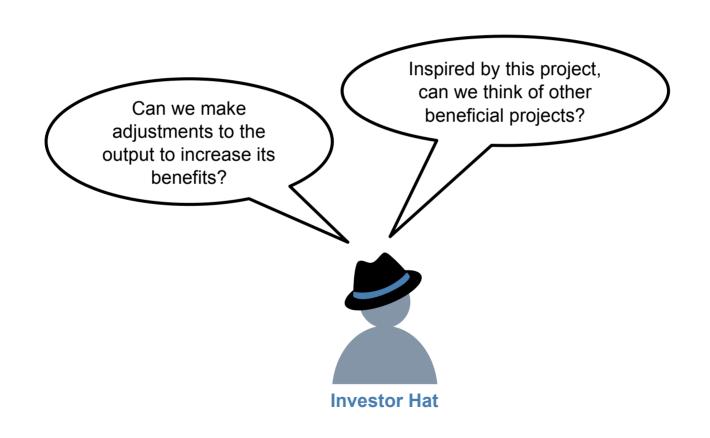


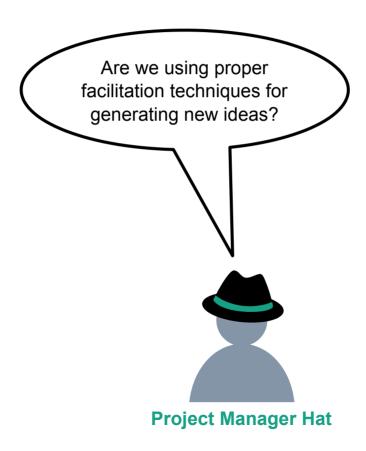


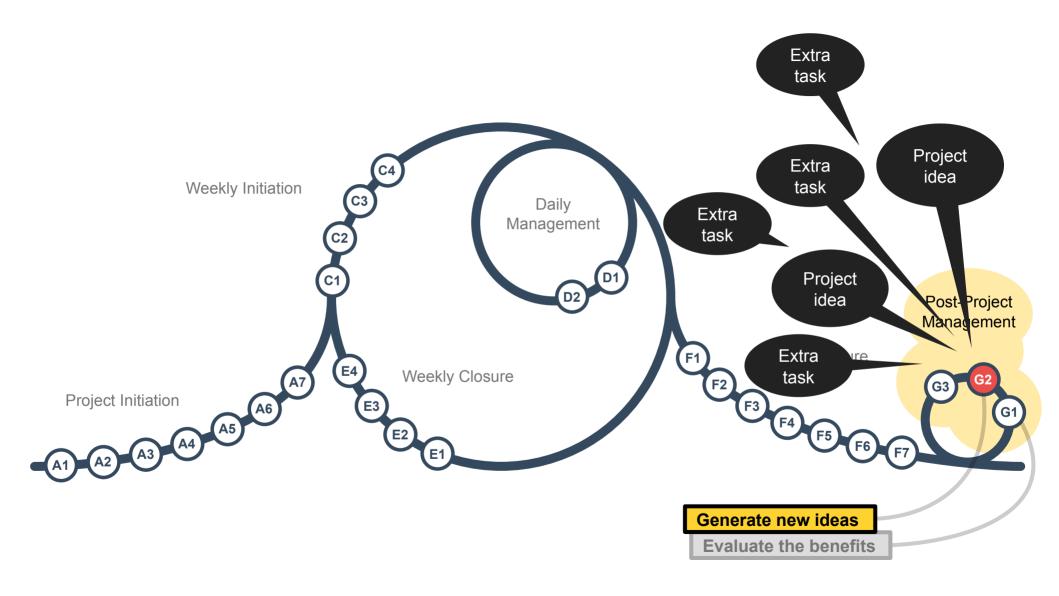


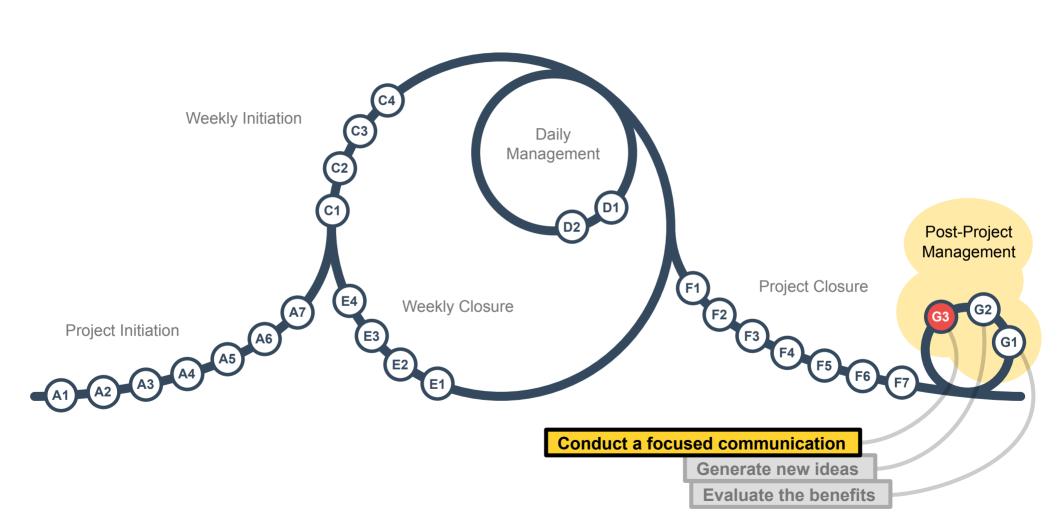












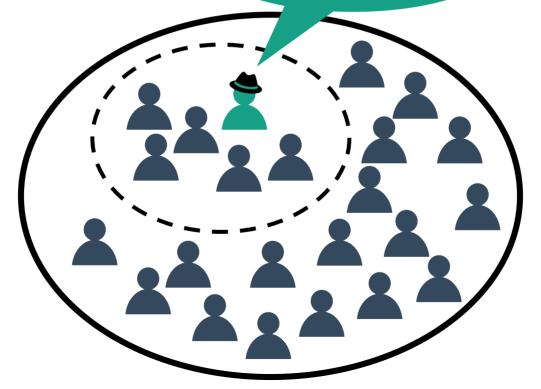
What are the advantages of informing everyone in the organization of the benefits realized from past projects?

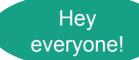


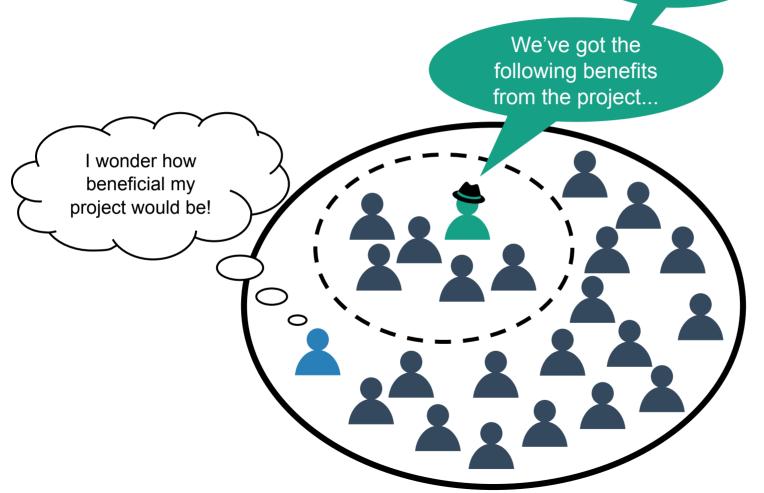


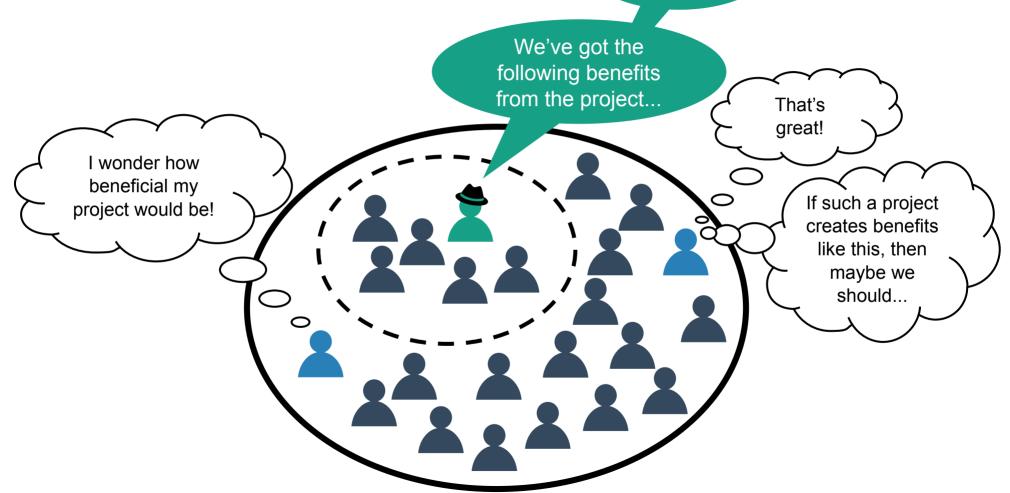


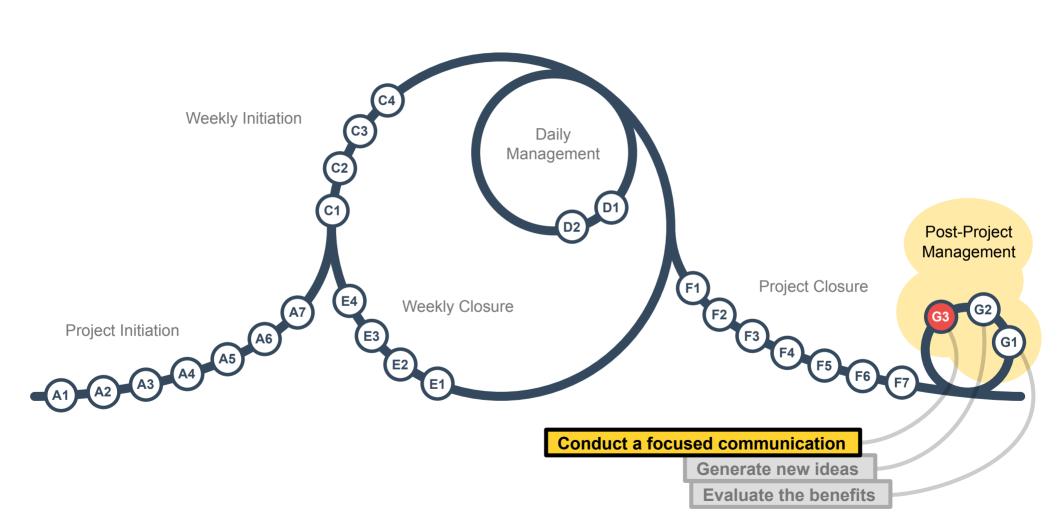
We've got the following benefits from the project...

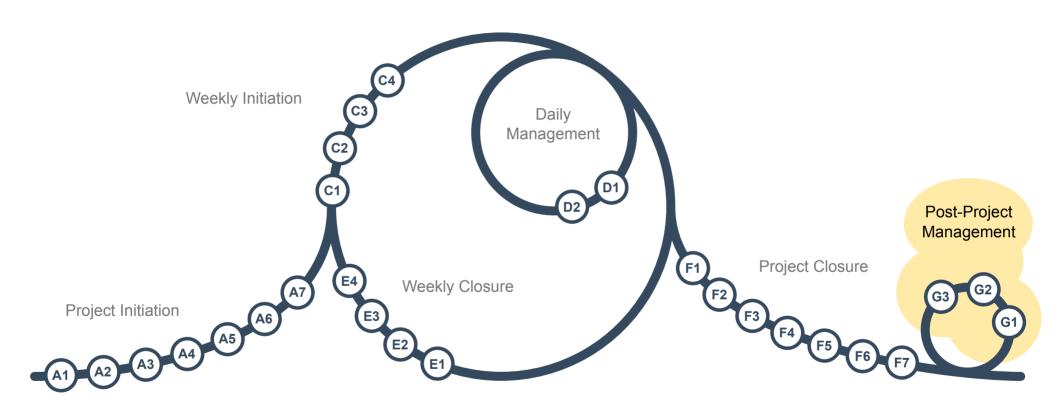


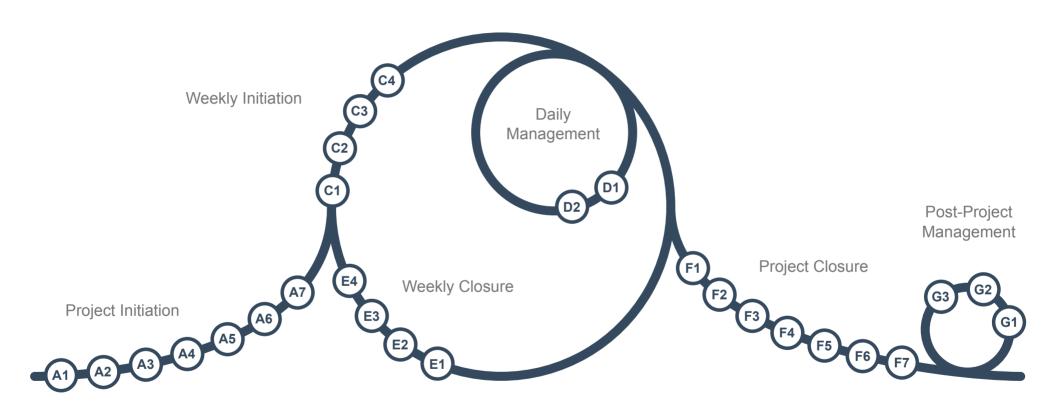










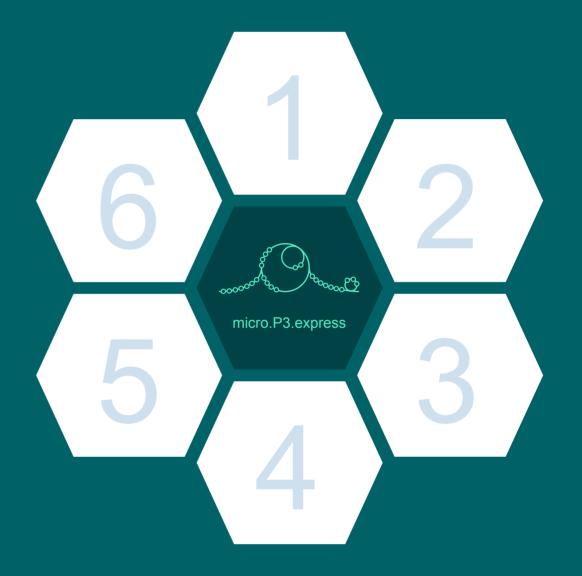


- High-level overview
- 2 Full review



4 Tailoring

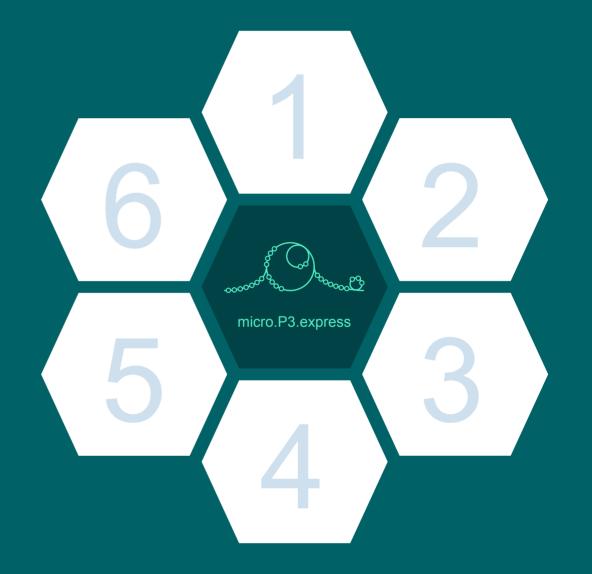
Nearly Universal Principles of Projects



Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

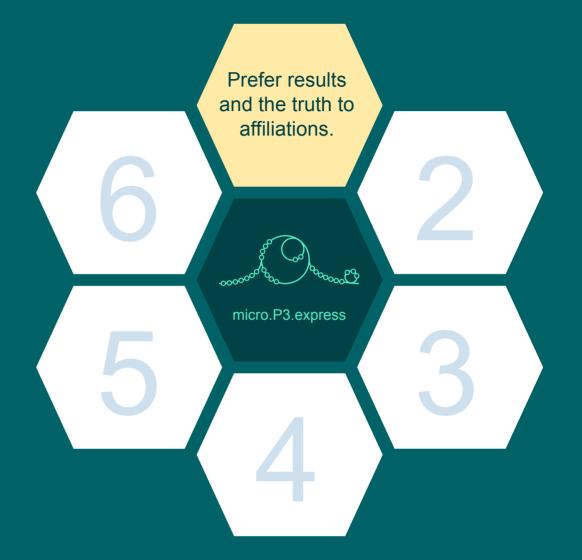
#### Applicable to

- P3.express
- micro.P3.express
- PRINCE2
- DSDM
- Scrum
- XP
- PM<sup>2</sup>
- PMBOK Guide
- Etc.



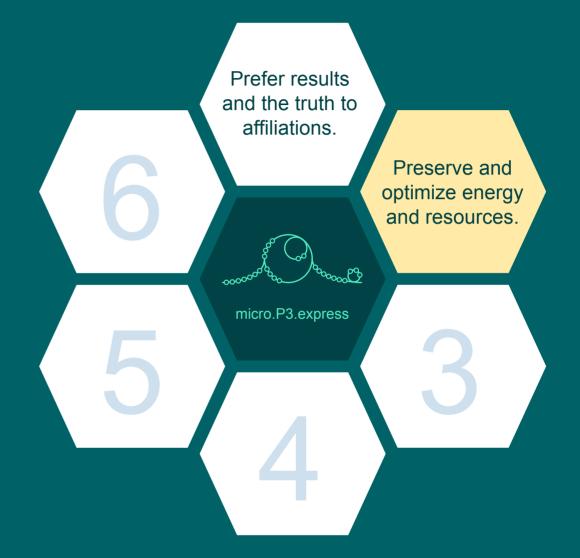
Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

- "Agile vs. waterfall"
- Continuous learning
- Openness



Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

- The 80/20 rule
- Decision fatigue
- Etc.



Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

- Risk management
- Critical thinking
- Etc.



Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

- Deadlines
- Cherry picking
- Etc.



Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

#### Examples:

- "Business case"
- Simplicity
- Tailoring
- Etc.

Prefer results and the truth to affiliations. Preserve and optimize energy and resources. micro.P3.express Don't do Always be anything without proactive. a clear purpose. Remember that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

#### Examples:

- Checklists
- Cycles
- Methods
- Etc.

Prefer results and the truth to affiliations.

Use repeatable elements.

Preserve and optimize energy and resources.

Don't do anything without a clear purpose.

Always be proactive.

Remember that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

micro.P3.express

Nearly Universal Principles of Projects

Prefer results and the truth to affiliations.

Use repeatable elements.

Preserve and optimize energy and resources.

Don't do anything without a clear purpose.

micro.P3.express

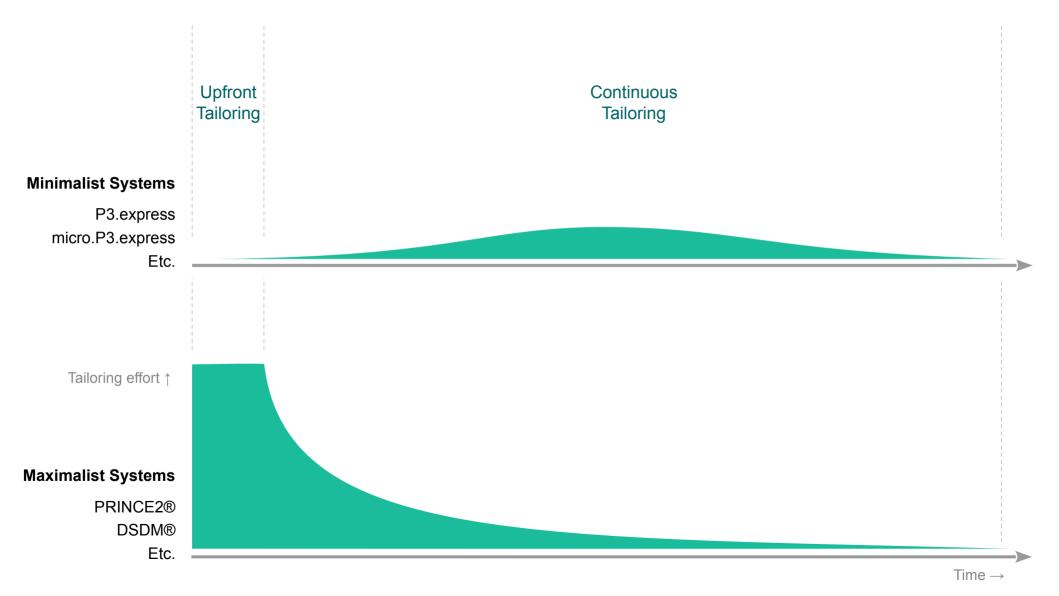
Always be proactive.

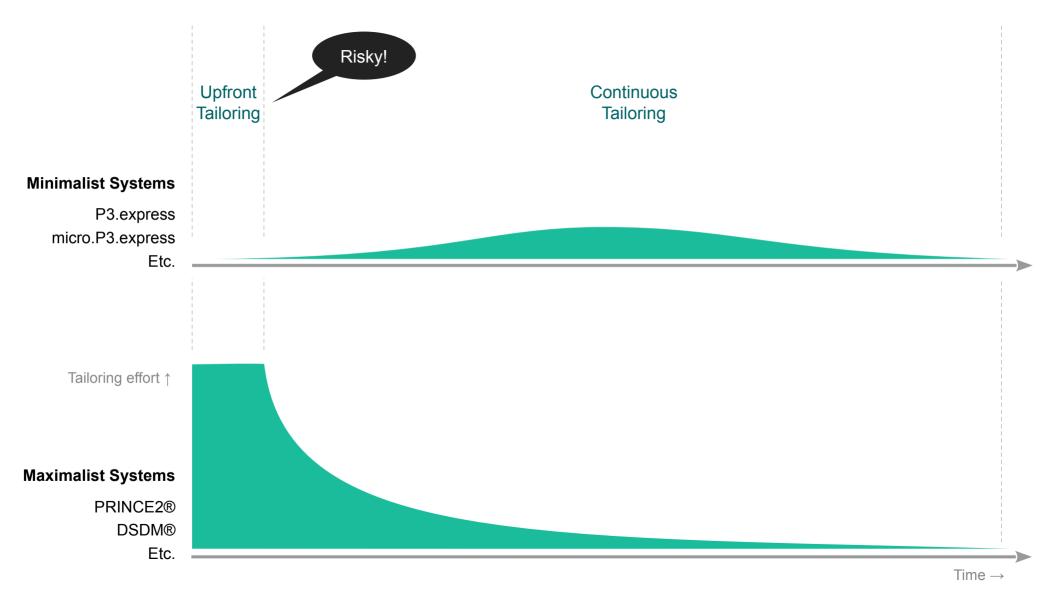
Remember that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.

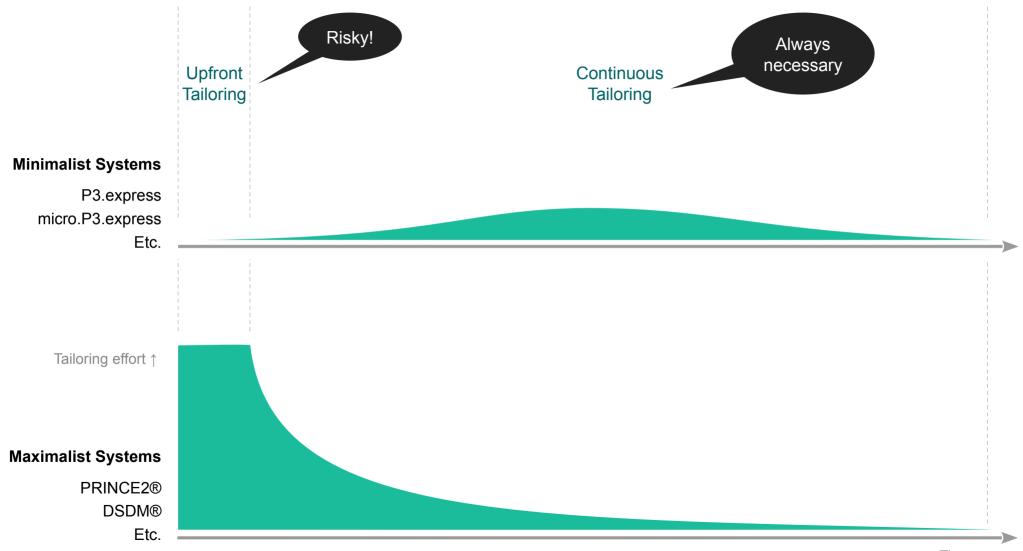
- High-level overview
- 2 Full review
- **3** NUPP

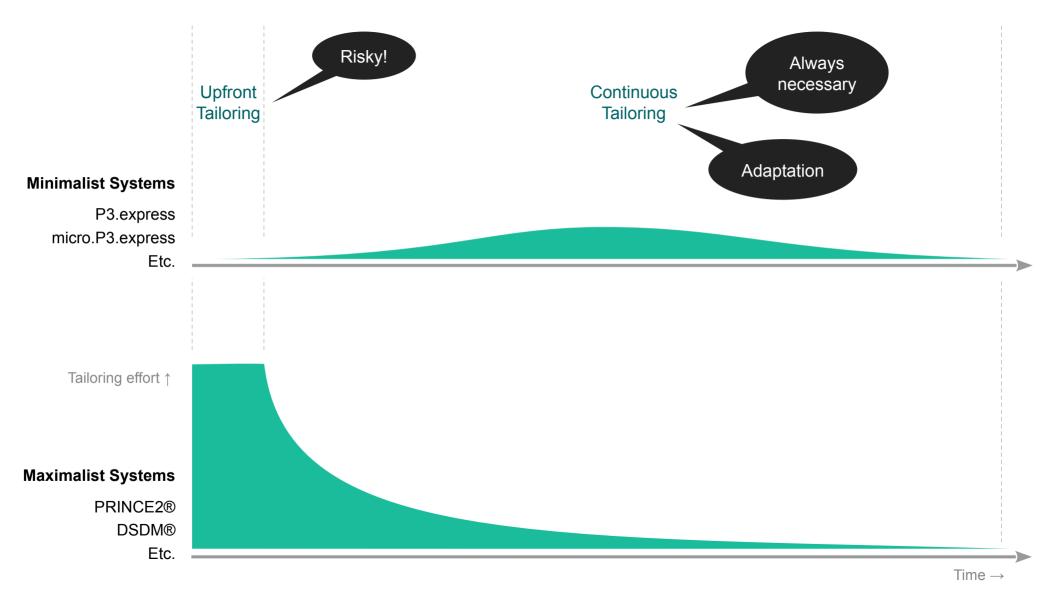


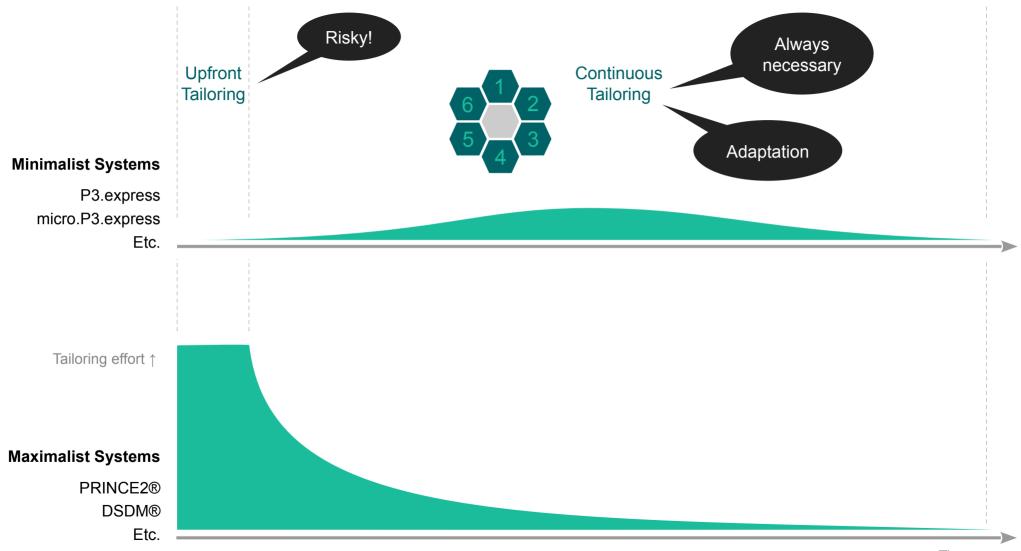












# micro.P3.express

minimalist project management system for micro-projects

