

Azure Readiness and Enablement Learning as a Service (LaaS): Key Features and Capabilities

Fast Lane, as part of Microsoft's Global Gold Learning Partner with a specialization in Cloud Platforms, offers a customizable approach to Azure awareness and skills development across your organization. We understand that in order to transform your business quickly, you need job-specific Azure awareness, role-based skills, and learning scalability.

Microsoft has announced new learning maps for the following Azure job roles:

- Azure Administrator
- Azure Solution Architect
- Azure Developer
- DevOps Engineer

We also understand that job roles and responsibilities can vary significantly between and within companies, and our Learning as a Service (LaaS) approach adapts to your specific role needs.

Fast Lane's LaaS platform offers a new approach to learning, providing a totally immersive and customizable offering to our clients. If you have a team and wish to accelerate the adoption of new technologies like Azure, Fast Lane's LaaS solution can be implemented and adapted to meet your specific business goals. We leverage a uniquely branded, scalable platform with single sign-on user experience to define learning tracks and utilize service capabilities that can be tailored for you:



Customer Success Stories

Real-life examples of how Fast Lane has helped others and can help you

Customer A

Global Consultancy Firm

For this customer, their needs were fairly simple – provide specific training to varying job roles in an easy to consume way that could be measured. Through carefully thought out interviewing of the technical organization, Fast Lane was able to define their teams' training needs by job role, determine the appropriate course content and learning options and create customized learning paths hosted on our LaaS site.

Customer B

Multinational Automation Company

This customer was slightly more complex. They had common learning needs across business units with subtle differences in job role responsibilities and skills levels. Fast Lane designed a comprehensive learning solution using a combination of existing Microsoft Official Curriculum (MOC), standard self-paced Microsoft online courses and Fast Lane-customized content. The base training helped those that only needed technical awareness while the associated badging and credentialing was available to everyone on the team. Those with job role specific skills leveraged the MOOC plus Instructor-led courses with advanced hands-on labs to support their specific needs.

Customer C

Global Manufacturing Company

This customer was driving a transition from an AWS solution to Microsoft Azure. Not only were there learning needs, there were also organizational awareness needs. Fast Lane developed an inclusive approach to drive buy-in while at the same time developing learning content to facilitate adoption by highly technical, experienced users.

This customer leveraged multiple solutions to achieve their goals including:

- Customized assessments to determine individual skill levels
- Tailored classroom certification courses with built in hackathons to demonstrate skills and knowledge learned,
- Self-paced MOOC content with certificates curated in learning paths to address learners at different knowledge levels

This customer also utilized our exclusive Immersion Workshops™ to target large groups of people with 4-hour deep-dive topics. All of this content was hosted on our LaaS platform with tracking and analytics which were used by the customer to understand both outstanding challenges and opportunities as they move workloads to the powerful Azure platform.

Fast Lane's powerful LaaS solution creates an optimized learning approach and environment to insure team members receive the training and enablement they need:

- **Learning Design:** Through assessments, job task analysis, enablement goal capture and organizational interviews, Fast Lane can determine the most effective and efficient learning paths for your team.
- **Learning Methods:** Not all students have the same learning needs, nor the same preferences in how they learn. We utilize face to face learning, live online training, self-paced courses (MOOC), video and labs on-demand and coaching sessions to tailor the learning experience to the individual learner's needs.
- **Learning Support:** Learners gain access to a single sign-on custom-branded platform that hosts role-based learning paths, provides analytics reporting for tracking and monitoring student progress and certification exam vouchers. All of this can be integrated into your corporate learning system.
- **Learning Reinforcement:** Knowledge acquisition, sustainment, and skill mastery is one of the biggest challenges for students. Fast Lane provides opportunities for post-learning assessments, coaching, and continuous learning through specialized Immersion Workshops™ or cloud workshops, learner communities and practice tests.

Core Competencies

Microsoft Partner
Gold | Learning
Gold | Datacenter
Gold | Midmarket Solutions Provider
Silver | Data Analytics
Silver | Data Platform

