



Establish **LEAN CULTURE** and transform your business!

Master in “A3” Problem Solving



LASL offer this program to your organization to unleash employees on your group's most challenging problems by giving them the wisdom to properly realize a problem, analyze the potential root causes, create an action plan, outbreak the roots, and measure results. "Surface the problem and solve it" main pillar of Toyota model and any lean model in the industrial world.

Introduction to the Programme:

Organizations of all types face challenging problems. Some only scratch the surface to realize short term returns with long term consequences. Others commit to building a quality organization by building a strong group of problem solvers. When part of the organizational fabric, A3 engages members in collaborative, in-depth problem-solving. It drives problem-solvers to address the root causes of problems which surface in day-to-day work routines.

Attendees "learn by doing" at this A3 Problem Solving course -- tackling current problems at your organization to realize immediate results and significant impacts!. Each participant will be required to resolve a "real problem" currently being faced by their organization, with coaching provided by LASL's A3 experts.

For Whom: Leaders at all levels, Managers & Decision Makers

Investment : Rs. 15,000/- PP

(Training Materials, Handouts, Morning & Evening Refreshments & Lunch)

Medium : Sinhala / English

Venue : LASL Auditorium

Level 2, LASL Building, No. 151/3/1 Negombo road, Peliyagoda.

Duration & Time: Two days, commencing (Two week days) , 9.00 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

This programme could be delivered In-House at your work place on request.

COURSE CONTENTS:

- ▶ Course organization
- ▶ A3 overview
- ▶ What is a problem?
- ▶ Facts/ data logic
- ▶ Pick a problem
- ▶ Homework (Background, current condition, goal)
- ▶ Review using guide and reference questions
- ▶ Review QC tools and when to use
- ▶ Discuss second homework (Root Cause Analysis, Counter Measures)
- ▶ Participants review completed A3, tells the story
- ▶ Go to the Gemba to observe the impacts
- ▶ Individual follow ups where required



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Dr. Sabaratne, the founder / CEO of LASL is a vastly experienced Lean expert, Trainer / coach with international exposure. Dr. Sabaratne spent more than thirty five years in engineering/ manufacturing in various senior positions in leading reputed organizations in Sri Lanka and overseas. He was formerly the COO of Kenpark Bangladesh Apparel (Hirdaramani Group) & Phoenix Plastic Manufacturing Division. He held the position of Senior Executive Director at Loadstar (Pvt) Ltd. He holds a Ph.D in Industrial Engineering and a M.Sc. Design Analysis and from the JMS Madison University, USA. Dr. Sabaratne has a passion for training and continuous improvement and envisions himself as a "Practical Lean Leader" who is on a mission to unleash the untapped human potential.