

## **Agile Alliance Announces Dates for First Agile Open Space in Brazil** **Press Release**

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Agile Alliance, a non-profit organization dedicated to supporting the advancement of Agile software development principles and practices, today announced Agile Alliance Open Space Florianopolis2013. The one day event will bring together Brazil's foremost Agile thought leaders to discuss key trends and best practices. The conference is scheduled for January 24, 2013 in Florianopolis, Brazil.

"Brazil is one of the emerging areas in the world where Agile software development techniques are increasingly being put into practice in truly innovative ways", said Phil Brock, managing director of the Agile Alliance. Agile Alliance Open Space Florianopolis2013 is a great opportunity for Agile enthusiasts in the region to come together to exchange ideas and best practices on Agile techniques and methodologies. This event will bring together for the first time, the Agile Alliance board of directors and the Brazilian Agile community for a day of thoughtful exploration and conversation. Agile Alliance Open Space Florianopolis2013 is designed to engage participants on the most pressing topics facing Agile teams. The Open Space format is designed to encourage debate and foster innovative ideas based on real-world implementations for executives, managers, software development practitioners and researchers from labs and academia. In addition, attendees will be able to ask questions pertaining to the "how" and "why" of how Agile methods can increase productivity and profitability all while delivering value to customers. Registration is now open with the total number of attendees capped at 150 participants, thus registrations will be taken on a first come, first serve basis. Registration begins on Tuesday, December 11. For more information or to register please visit: <http://brasil2013.agilealliance.org>.

**About Agile Alliance** Agile Alliance is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the concepts of Agile software development, as outlined in the <http://www.agilemanifesto.org/>. With nearly 6,000 members located around the globe, Agile Alliance is driven by the principles of Agile methodologies and the value delivered to developers, organizations and end users. Agile Alliance organizes the annual Agile Conference, the industry's leading event that attracts practitioners, academia, business and vendor-partner community members from around the globe. The Agile2013 Conference is scheduled for August 5-9 in Nashville, Tennessee. For more information about the organization, please visit <http://www.agilealliance.org/>.