

# IT Advantage



## PROCESS

### Always more and always faster

Does this sound familiar? Organizations are constantly expecting more from their software and IT teams. Can your team successfully implement what your business requires and ensure that your customers' needs are satisfied? Does your IT Department have a scalable process which can be reproduced, measured, and allows you to provide your clients with the software they need on-time, on-budget and on-target?

### Best Practices

ITAdvantage Corp. provides experienced and talented individuals who can help you identify and implement the Rational Unified Process (RUP) to suit your business. No more implementing a heavy, static, time-consuming, out-of-the-box process. RUP can be customized for your company by implementing only the best practices you need. Since RUP is a living process, it is fully scalable, it is easy to evaluate and re-evaluate your progress and allows for fine-tuning to fit each project at all organizational levels.

### Assessing

In assessing your organization, IT department or team(s), ITAdvantage Corp. works with you to identify the artifacts and metrics required to increase the productivity, and success rate of your projects. The purpose of this assessment phase is to provide additional options to the implementation and/or configuration process already in place. In addition, the assessment analysis helps identify immediate improvement areas and reinforces responsibilities among team members.

### Advising

Whether implementing the process at the organizational level or project level, ITAdvantage consultants help set realistic goals to ensure a successful implementation strategy. Good goals involve more than just deadlines and phases, you will need to consider skills, training sessions, tools, mentors, and all facets of the process which relate to your project(s) or organization.

### Customizing

RUP is a living process, developed by Rational Software, and is based on best practices in software engineering. The ever-evolving nature of RUP causes Rational Software to release periodic revisions and enhancements to the process. ITAdvantage helps you make sense of the documents and customize the process to fit your needs. As an online set of documents, RUP becomes a valuable tool to all participants in the project(s) at all levels. Therefore, it is important that careful planning be given to this customization phase.

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