

June 23rd, 2023

## Fiori Application Development, a Mindset partnership with ME Global

**Presented by David Keethers** | SAP Operations and Project Manager, ME Global

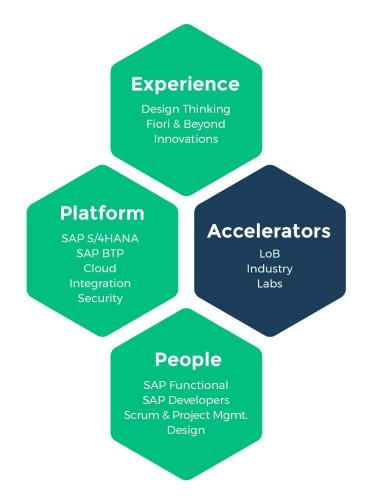
**Introduction by Craig Doughty** | Mindset Consulting







## Our Solutions and Products





## Introduction to ME Global Mindset Partnership

#### David Keethers | ME Global SAP Operations and Project Manager



- Manages Day-to-Day Operations of SAP ECC 6.0 EHP 7
  - SD, PP, MM, QM, FICO
  - · WM and PM Additions
- Identify and Design Value-Added System Enhancements with Focus on UX
- 18 Years Implementing and Functional SAP Experience
  - Cargill, Accenture, IBM

MEG SAP Go Live 2017 MEG Partners w/ MS to Develop Auto Eng. App 2019 MEG Partners w/ MS to Develop Delivery App 2021 MEG Partners w/ MS to Develop Pour Conf. App 2022

MEG Decision to Invest in FIORI Development 2019

MEG Partners w/ MS to Develop Scrap Application 2020

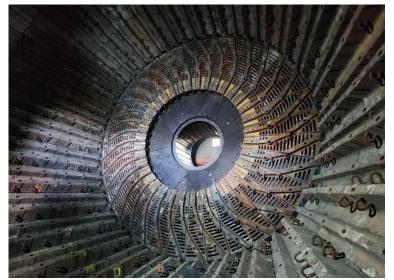
MEG Partners w/ MS to Develop PI App 2022

## Introduction to ME Global

#### ME Global is a global manufacturing firm that operates facilities in U.S., Chile and China.

We engineer and manufacture steel castings designed to line the interiors of large-scale mining mills throughout the world. We are foremost a foundry business focused on melting and shaping metal while controlling the metallurgic characteristics required by our customers.





## Methodology for FIORI Development Identification

#### 1. Frequency of Transaction

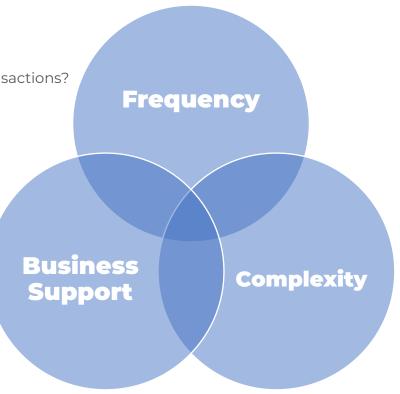
- Does the process represent a significant volume of transactions?
- Does the process span multiple business groups?
- Is the process a repetitive business process?

#### 2. Complexity of Transaction

- Does the process consistently confuse the business?
- Does the process require multiple SAP GUI screens?
- Does the SAP GUI screen overwhelm users?
- Is data being captured outside of SAP?

#### 3. Business Support

- Do you have champions in the business?
- Does the change have multi-user support?
- Can the value proposition be easily articulated?



## Intangibles for FIORI Development Identification

#### 1. **SAP Offerings**

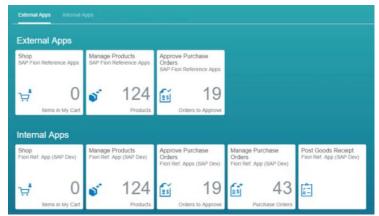
- Does SAP offer similar functionality in current suite of Apps
- Indication SAP will offer something similar in the future
- Indication of a market requirement

#### 2. Know Your Business Operations

- Understand how day-to-day business interfaces with SAP
- Don't allow yourself to be siloed into 'only' the IT department or SAP development

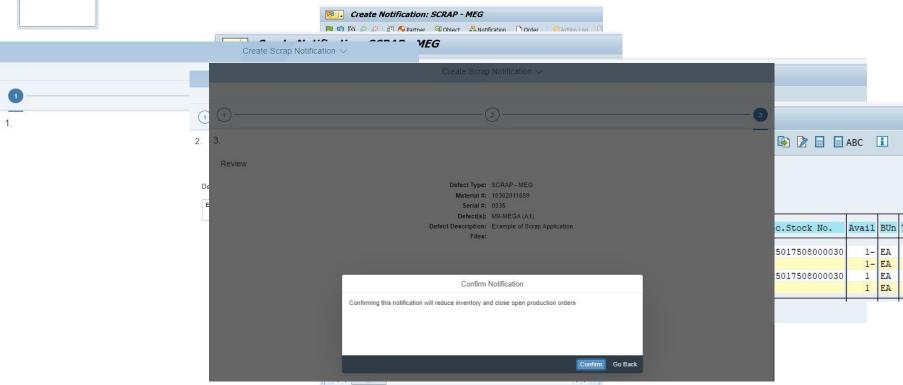
#### Use Your Imagination

There are no dumb ideas –
just some that are less practical





# Examples of MEG and Mindset FIORI Apps Scrap Application



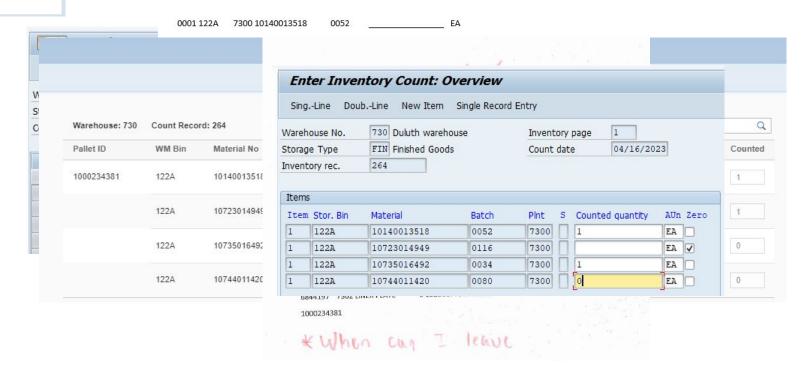
Info & PartnerAddress PartnerAddress PartnerAddress

Create Quality Notification

Scrap/Deviation/R&.

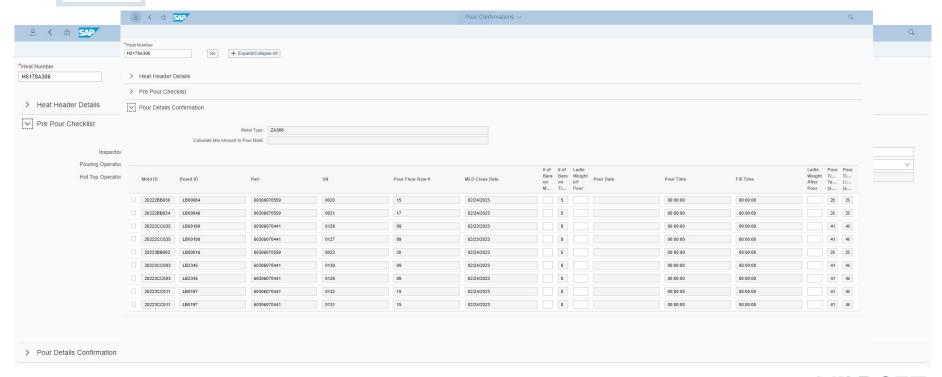
Physical Inventory
Physical Inventory
Count Physical Inve...

# Examples of MEG and Mindset FIORI Apps Physical Inventory Application





## Examples of MEG and Mindset FIORI Apps Pour Confirmation Application



## Keys to Working on a Small Project Team

## Knock out red tape before the project kickoff

- VPN access
- SAP environment details
- Email distributions
- Security
  - Roles and development keys
- Establish meeting cadence

### Deliver functional specifications before project kickoff

- Provide dev team early opportunity to project vision
- Deliver PowerPoint screenshots or app design
  - A picture is worth 1,000 words





## Keys to Working on a Small Project Team

#### Be prepared to wear many hats

- As Project Manager in a mid-size company, I often function as:
  - Business SMF
  - Designer
  - Tester
  - Relationship manager

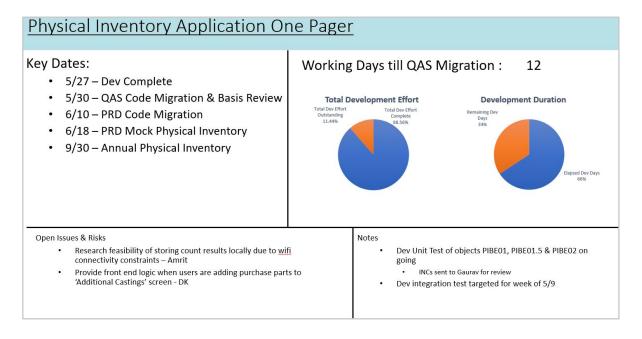
## Build trust within the team early

- Respect geographical and cultural differences
- Commit to deadlines and deliver
- Demonstrate patience
  - Not everyone is going to capture your vision as quickly as you'd like
  - Not everyone is going to be as in love with your vision as you are
- Find commonality outside of the project



## Keys to Working on a Small Project Team

Develop a simple approach to project reporting
We employ a simple 'one pager' approach



## Why MEG Continues to Partner with Mindset

## Delivery

- Mindset has a consistent history of delivering on time and within budget
- Mindset has proven their ability to identify and retain quality dev resources
  - Knowledgeable
  - Impactful
  - Engaged

#### Culture

Mindset aligns with MEG's working style

## Respect

 Mindset has always been appreciative of our business and willing to work through any project challenges

## Synergy

Through the points above, we have fostered a relationship with Mindset that no longer feels like a client / consultant relationship, but rather one that feels like a single team

# Thank you for Attending