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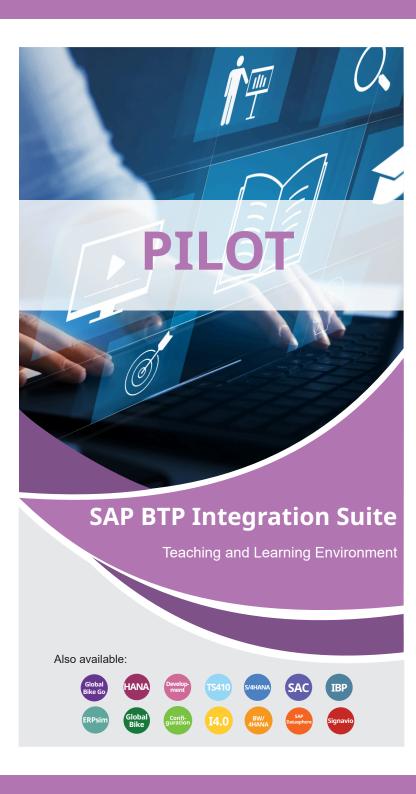
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## **SAP Integration Suite Curriculum (PILOT)**

Built as a service within SAP BTP, the Integration Suite is an integration platform-as-a-service (iPaaS) that helps quickly integrating on-premise and cloud-based processes, services, applications, events, and data. The cohesive and comprehensive platform supports multiple application-to-application (A2A) and business-to-business (B2B) integration scenarios, with various applications and data sources from SAP and non-SAP, on premise, as well as cloud based. See <a href="https://www.sap.com/products/technology-platform/integration-suite.html">www.sap.com/products/technology-platform/integration-suite.html</a> for more information.

## **Motivation**

In most companies, the IT landscape is increasingly complex with numerous on-premises, cloud and external systems from partners and governments. Building efficient process and data integrations to support the enterprise architecture is a difficult task. However, application integration is rarely taught in IT degrees and so, this curriculum offers a way to introduce this topic in a short time frame.

# **Target Audience & Environment**

The curriculum is designed for bachelor level students (2nd 3rd year) in Computer Science, Information Technology, or Business IT degrees. To be able to properly teach this curriculum, the lecturer should be of technical background and have prior knowledge about application integration principles and patterns.

### Content

6 exercises cover the development of integrations following standard patterns, and the monitoring and operations of the platform. Slides about application integration theory and patterns are provided as well. Finally, a use case gives a scenario for a mini project, allowing the students to build an integration independently and the teacher to evaluate them. In total, this curriculum provides enough material for roughly 30 to 40 hours of teaching and personal work from students.

## **Overview**

Exercise 1
Navigation and Discovery

Exercise 2
Simple Interface
Development

Exercise 3
Event-based Integration and Routing Patterns

Exercise 4
Simple Interface
Development

<u>Exercise 5</u> Splitter, Enricher and Request-Reply Patterns <u>Exercise 6</u> Error Handling, Persistence and Paramatrization

<u>Use Case</u> End-to-End Integration for a Pharmaceutical Company

