

Accelerate Team Adoption of Akka Technology

Whether looking to quickly prepare teams to begin implementing transformative business strategies, dive deeper into Akka technology or require help developing an overall solution design, Lightbend offers three Service Offerings* that accelerate our customers' journeys from development to production and beyond.

- **Quickstart**

Accelerated introduction to Akka that equips teams with a foundation for lasting technology adoption.

Duration: 1 month (2 weeks intensive work / 2 weeks remote mentoring)

- **Reactive Launch**

Fast track to building and delivering responsive, scalable and resilient applications with Akka **plus** fundamental adoption of reactive architecture.

Duration: 3 months

- **Embedded Lightbend Engineer (ELE)**

As a team accelerator the ELE guides rapid adoption of Akka technology and design of a high-performance solution.

Duration: 6 month minimum

See next page for a side-by-side comparison of these offerings.

“Lightbend’s Quickstart program and then ongoing time with an ELE injected oodles of excitement and energy into all of our engineering teams, opened them up to all the possibilities of reactive systems and gave us the foundation for success”

Prem Balachandar
Senior Director of
Engineering, Solar Mosaic

Lightbend customers also have additional options that support teams on their reactive journey.

Architecture Review: Deep-dive review of your application in collaboration with your team.

Duration: 2 weeks

- Code-level and overall architecture review
- Detailed discovery / recommendation report
- Specific forward looking action plan

Custom Consulting: Providing deep Akka expertise to target specific needs.

Duration: 1-week blocks

- Leverage certified expert engineers to tackle tough problems
- Expedite team productivity
- Ensure a smooth transition from prototype to production

Get Started Today

Contact us today for further details on Lightbend Service Offerings. Visit [Lightbend](#) to learn more about all our solutions and subscription packages.

Service Offerings Comparison

	QuickStart	Reactive Launch	ELE
Reactive Fundamentals			
Introduction to Reactive Architecture and Akka technology	•	•	•
Design, construct, test, deploy, monitor and scale applications in a facilitated exercise	•	•	•
Deliver a business-driven microservice to production while learning Akka fundamentals (includes best practices and team enablement)	•	•	•
Akka Technology Deep Dive			
Deep understanding of delivering responsive, scalable, resilient applications in a distributed microservices world		•	•
Collaboratively build a solid plan for designing, constructing, testing, deploying, monitoring and scaling your application		•	•
Establish clear ties between technical work and business outcomes		•	•
Steelthread and Spikes – tackle important technology spikes to prove out assumptions, de-risk delivery pipeline (Steelthread) and prove key business cases		•	•
Progressively build in Akka while addressing capacity gaps with one-on-one mentorship, facilitation and coaching		•	•
Smooth transition from prototype to production to operations			•
Pair programming opportunities		•	•
Full adoption & implementation of Akka technologies			•
Solution Design			
Blueprint – Reactive Maturity Model identifying short and long-term steps to becoming a fully reactive organization		•	•
High-performance solution design			•
System architecture review & recommendations			•
Code review & recommendations			•
Issue resolution			•
Training, Certification & Education			
Personalized training plans and in-depth learning curriculum for each team member	•	•	•
One-on-one mentorship, facilitation and coaching as required	•	•	•
Lightbend Academy – online, self-paced training portal	•	•	•
Day-by-day structure and guidance – measure and deliver reliably	•	•	•
Developer personalized training plans		•	•
Team Learning Sessions – technical webinars, lunch-n-learns and more		•	•
Lightbend Certified Reactive Architect Certification – certified individual is ready to architect a fully Reactive system			•
Facilitates technical community engagement (conference talks, sessions)			•
Reviews & Recommendations			
Path forward and recommendation team plan upon service completion	•	•	•
Total system architecture deep-dive delivering detailed recommendations and plan for moving forward	•	•	•
Roadmap for continued progress and success		•	•
Customer input and product influence of Lightbend Roadmap	•	•	•
Reactive Developer Hiring Support			
Job description development	•	•	•
Recruitment screening & skills validation	•	•	•
Learning path requirements	•	•	•

*Akka Platform, Akka Insights or Akka Serverless subscription required.