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In this month's edition of the Data & AI Digest:

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- **Adopt AI summit:** New CEOs speaker lineup; early bird tickets on sale As we're taking a break in August, the next Data & AI Digest will be published at the end of September. Stay tuned to our Artefact LinkedIn page over the next two weeks; we'll be sharing a series of client testimonials and reports to recap key insights and case studies from the first half of the year.

Enterprise AI fluency beyond tool access: How Artefact AI Academy drives sustainable adoption and capability building



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Buying AI software does not automatically build workforce capability. While tool deployment is near universal, genuine organizational fluency remains rare. A central challenge in enterprise AI transformation is confusing tool access with operational execution. Broad access without structured adoption frameworks creates widespread operational friction rather than measurable productivity gains.

To bridge this gap, leaders must move beyond software licensing toward structured, role-based upskilling centered on human judgment, process integration, and knowledge transmission. Achieving true fluency requires pivoting from software deployment to capability building. Organizations must cultivate essential competencies across their teams: strategic delegation, precise description, critical discernment, and outcome-driven diligence.

Enterprise upskilling must target what machines structurally lack: domain expertise, risk evaluation, and contextual business awareness. ***How can your organization scale this capability across thousands of employees while building a resilient hybrid workforce?*** Explore how the Artefact AI Academy partners with global enterprises to transform AI capability building into a structured learning journey that scales safely and strategically.

Beyond tool deployment: How the Artefact AI Academy empowers people to drive enterprise impact



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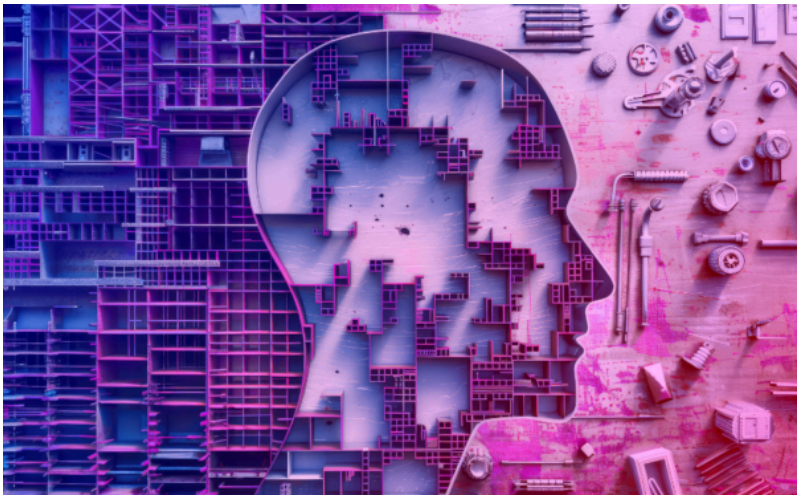
Technology alone does not transform organizations: people do! The Artefact AI Academy bridges the gap between AI tools' access and measurable business value through a comprehensive enablement model:

• **End-to-end adoption services:** experience-based learning tracks designed for all organizational levels, from executive alignment and management operationalization to role-based upskilling and AI Champion accelerators.

• **A pragmatic 5-stage methodology:** A structured transformation roadmap guiding enterprises through acculturation, use-case ideation/hackathons, strategic prioritization, scaled training, and process re-engineering around agentic workflows.

• **Core differentiators:** Action-oriented programs built on real-world missions, 100% tech-agnostic integration across your existing tools, and a human-centered approach that builds organizational trust and tackles adoption friction.

From prompting to process redesign: The journey of successful AI adoption



The era of basic prompt engineering is officially behind us. As generative AI evolves from conversational chatbots into autonomous agentic workflows, the key to enterprise transformation no longer lies in finding the magic phrasing for a single text prompt.

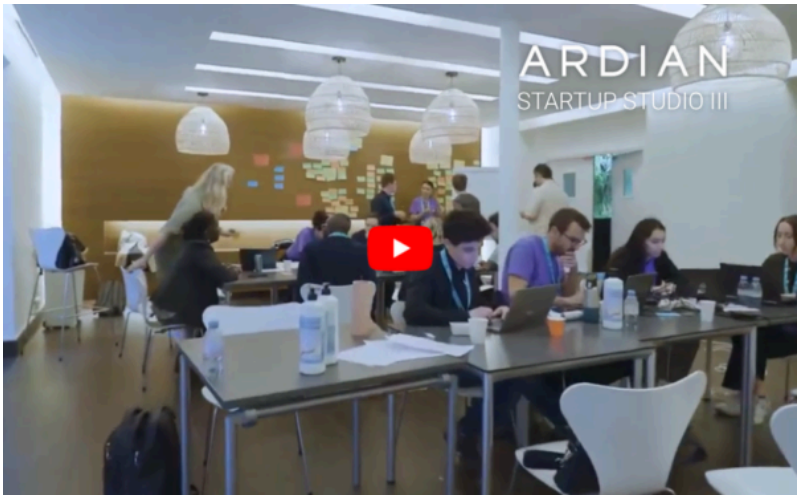
Today, achieving true scalability demands a far deeper shift: **moving from isolated tool experimentation to comprehensive business process re-engineering**. Between the rise of strategic context engineering, the democratization of low-code orchestration across business functions, and the urgent need for robust central governance, organizations face a fundamentally new operating landscape.

Simply training employees on software is no longer enough if they remain trapped within legacy workflows.

To unlock real velocity and ROI, leaders must rethink how work gets done, repositioning human talent around judgment, decision-making, and strategic oversight. ***How can your organization structure this transition to accelerate adoption while maintaining enterprise-grade control?*** Explore the strategic pillars and operational playbook developed by Artefact to turn AI upskilling into a lasting catalyst for enterprise-wide scale.

Ardian client case: From hackathon ideation to Draft AI solution

Phase 1 – Ideation and change management: Uncovering high-impact AI use cases



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To **convert AI potential into measurable business value**, Ardian and Artefact adopted a highly collaborative, bottom-up methodology. Rather than imposing top-down technology, the

initiative brought together cross-functional teams, HR, data scientists, and technology partners (such as Microsoft) through **internal hackathons** and dedicated events like the **Digital Catalyst Day**.

This structured approach allowed junior and senior employees across global offices to share experiences, optimize workflows, and collectively identify operational bottlenecks. By **focusing early on user enablement, capability mapping, and cross-portfolio knowledge sharing**, Ardian built strong organizational alignment and cultural readiness before embarking on full-scale technical engineering.

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Phase 2 – Industrialization and scaling: The enterprise impact of Draft AI



Born directly out of the hackathon, **Draft AI** was developed to solve the private equity industry's heavy reliance on unstructured data and complex investor inquiries.

Draft AI is a custom generative AI solution securely integrated into Ardian's internal databases. It automatically retrieves historical communications, parses detailed financial filings, and drafts precise responses for investor relations and product teams.

Today, **Draft AI has processed over 5,000 investor questions**, with more than half of the product team utilizing it daily. The seamless transition from a hackathon prototype to an enterprise-wide tool demonstrates that co-creating solutions with end-users drives rapid adoption and long-term business ROI. *Ardian's successful transformation proves that enterprise AI adoption is not merely a software deployment, but a strategic journey combining grassroots ideation, robust data security, and continuous change management.*

Because we're agnostic, we organize AI LLM tools workshops around the world for senior tech leaders



Artefact has been launching an exclusive series of **"AI Execution Labs"** across our global offices. These hands-on workshops are designed for business & tech leaders to **move beyond theoretical AI and into production-grade execution**.

We bring end-to-end expertise, from strategy to execution. Whether it's Anthropic, Gemini, Mistral AI, OpenAI, or other LLMs, we adapt to the client's environment. Participants use **Claude Code, ChatGPT, Copilot, Gemini Enterprise, or Mistral AI tools** according to their specific AI ecosystems to build real-world applications, transitioning from traditional line-by-line coding to orchestrating autonomous agents.

By mastering agentic AI, organizations can achieve **2–10x faster development velocities** while maintaining robust enterprise governance. The shift from simply chatting with AI to managing autonomous workforces is already here.

Because **Artefact is model-agnostic**, our adoption services and training sessions aren't limited to one provider: we also offer extensive training for the main available AI models. We empower our clients to build the best autonomous workflows for their specific needs, a capability proudly reinforced by our global services partnerships with Anthropic, Microsoft Copilot, Google Gemini, Mistral and OpenAI.

Read about all our official collaborations and competencies with the main AI platform providers.

Artefact and Anthropic team up to accelerate Enterprise AI Adoption

Artefact announces OpenAI Advanced Partner Status

Artefact Launches Dedicated Gemini Enterprise Practice

Artefact and Mistral AI collaborate to shape the future of GenAI

From personal AI to organizational AI: Turning AI into enterprise advantage



Widespread AI adoption is often mistaken for true AI transformation. Today, employees routinely use large language models for report writing and data analysis, creating notable local productivity gains.

However, personal AI only improves individual output. True enterprise advantage begins when AI becomes embedded into core business processes, knowledge management systems, and real-time decision-making—shifting capabilities from personal tools to organizational assets.

Without a unified foundation and governance framework, individual productivity gains rarely translate into bottom-line organizational performance.

To capture sustainable competitive advantage, enterprises must move beyond isolated tools and redesign their operating models around four strategic priorities: embedding AI into enterprise infrastructure, driving data-informed decisions, building predictive supply chains, and reinventing physical store experiences.

Edam Zhu, Partner at Artefact China, explains: “The difference is not the technology itself, but whether organizational knowledge and AI adoption can be captured, shared, and continuously improved”.

Preparations for Adopt AI 2026 are underway!



Adopt AI – Grand Palais 2026 International Summit will take place on December 3 & 4 at the Grand Palais in Paris. Super

Early Bird tickets are live. Lock in your spot now to receive exclusive post-event content straight to your inbox: curated insights, key takeaways, and 2026 AI trends from the stage.

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