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Lean Enterprise Institute Fact Sheet

Since its founding on August 1, 1997, LEI has ...

- Sold over 700,000 [books and workbooks](#)
- Registered 239,688 Lean Thinkers to its online [Lean Community](#)
- Signed-up 121,413 e-newsletter subscribers
- Trained 20,744 people at [public workshops](#)
- Sold over 10,000 [e-books](#)
- Changed the language of management as “lean,” “lean thinking,” and “value-stream mapping” entered the business vernacular
- Hosted more than 6,205 attendees at [Lean Transformation Summit Conferences](#), including the first lean Healthcare Transformation Summit
- Developed a free [smart phone app](#) and most recently the [A3 Creator app](#) for drawing A3 reports on tablet computers
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- Sponsored the founding of three additional nonprofit organizations: the [Lean Education Academic Network](#), the [Healthcare Value Network](#), and the [Lean Global Network](#), which has expand to to 18 Affiliates on 6 continents
- Launched 8 moderated online [Forums](#)
- Produced 26 [webinars](#) on a wide range of lean management topics
- Created a web site with hundreds of pages of resources, including [Jim Womack’s e-letters](#), [John Shook’s eletters](#), Michael Ballé’s [Gemba Coach column](#), original [lean case studies](#), and presentations.
- Developed a free [smart phone app](#) and most recently the [A3 Creator app](#) for drawing A3 reports on tablet computers
- Started communicating with the Lean Community through [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#), [YouTube](#), and other social media