



Generative AI in Production

In this course, you learn about the different challenges that arise when productionizing generative AI-powered applications versus traditional ML. You will learn how to manage experimentation and tuning of your LLMs, then you will discuss how to deploy, test, and maintain your LLM-powered applications. Finally, you will discuss best practices for logging and monitoring your LLM-powered applications in production.

DURATION
1 day

LEVEL
Advanced

FORMAT
Instructor-led

What you'll learn

- Describe the challenges in productionizing applications using generative AI.
- Manage experimentation and evaluation for LLM-powered applications.
- Productionize LLM-powered applications.
- Implement logging and monitoring for LLM-powered applications.

Overview	4 modules · 6 labs
Who this course is for	Developers and machine learning engineers who wish to operationalize Gen AI-based applications
Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vertex AI• Vertex AI Pipelines• Vertex AI Evaluation• Vertex AI Studio• Vertex AI Gemini API• Gemini
Prerequisite	Completion of "Introduction to Developer Efficiency on Google Cloud" or equivalent knowledge.

Module 01 **Introduction to Generative AI in Production**

Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AI System Demo: Coffee on Wheels• Traditional MLOps vs. GenAIOps• Generative AI Operations• Components of an LLM System
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understand generative AI operations• Compare traditional MLOps and GenAIOps• Analyze the components of an LLM system

Module 02 **Managing Experimentation**

Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Datasets and Prompt Engineering• RAG and ReACT Architecture• LLM Model Evaluation (metrics and framework)• Tracking Experiments
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experiment with datasets and prompt engineering.• Utilize RAG and ReACT architecture.• Evaluate LLM models.• Track experiments.

Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lab: Unit Testing Generative AI Applications• Optional Lab: Generative AI with Vertex AI: Prompt Design
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Module 03 Productionizing Generative AI

Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Deployment, packaging, and versioning (GenAIOps)• Testing LLM systems (unit and integration)• Maintenance and updates (operations)• Prompt security and migration
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Deploy, package, and version models• Test LLM systems• Maintain and update LLM models• Manage prompt security and migration
Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lab: Vertex AI Pipelines: Qwik Start• Lab: Safeguarding with Vertex AI Gemini API

Module 04 Logging and Monitoring for Production LLM Systems

Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cloud Logging• Prompt versioning, evaluation, and generalization• Monitoring for evaluation-serving skew• Continuous validation
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Utilize Cloud Logging• Version, evaluate, and generalize prompts• Monitor for evaluation-serving skew• Utilize continuous validation
Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lab: Vertex AI: Gemini Evaluations Playbook• Optional Lab: Supervised Fine Tuning with Gemini for Question and Answering