Student Spotlight: Myles White

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Ever wonder why teams like the Patriots and Steelers always go to the Superbowl? Why Simone Biles won several Olympic gold medals in both team and individual gymnastics events? Why Beyoncé owns 20 Grammys? The secret is coaching, all people who dream to be successful have great coaches to facilitate their journey to success in order to accomplish that dream. The Lockheed Martin Leadership Institute, at Miami University, has taken on the challenge of discovering more about coaching and the coaching mindset. The Leadership Institute will be showcasing all of their insights at a Coaching Summit to be held on April 13, 2018. At the summit, cohort members will explore the transformative power of coaching and its impact on leadership with engineering and computing students, Leadership Institute alumni, business leaders, and executive coaches.

Charles Mullenix, a student in the cohort six of the Lockheed Martin Leadership Institute, is preparing for the coaching summit by leading Cohort 6's Digital Team. This team works on all digital content, they record the progress of cohort members' understandings of the coaching mindset in preparation for the coaching summit, and they are currently working to prepare a video featuring select members. This video will highlight their significant moments in the development and processing of the coaching mindset and continue to track their understanding of the coaching mindset as more insights about coaching are discovered.

Mullenix was asked for his opinion on the Leadership Institute taking on the coaching mindset and holding a coaching summit. In regard to the coaching summit, Mullenix is looking forward to getting a long-term glimpse of what the coaching



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mindset would look like, and investigating the problem-solving skills of experienced executives and coaches. When asked what he is looking forward to while planning for the summit he responded, "Our responsibility is to record what is happening to the students with the students" answering in regard to the digital team's main objective. When mentioning creating the video that will highlight select cohort members, Mullenix adds, "I have always had ideas for putting together a video like this, but I never been able to try my hand at it, so I am just excited to try new things."

Mullenix and the others in Cohort 6 are looking forward to learning more about the coaching mindset, and are excited to be presenting the Coaching Summit, to all students in April.

The Lockheed Martin Leadership Institute is a program for undergraduate Engineering and Computing students at Miami University that aims to cultivate leaders who will flourish in their professions and lives by thinking strategically, working collaboratively with others, effectively communicating their ideas, and finding innovative solutions to society's most complex problems.