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Dear Students,

Welcome to Module Two of our Software Development Lifecycle (SDLC) course! In this module, we will delve deeper into the world of Scrum, one of the most popular frameworks in the software development industry today.

Scrum is not just about processes and procedures; it's about fostering collaboration, cross-functionality, and unity within teams. Throughout the module, you will complete several assignments to deepen your understanding of the Scrum framework. You will take on the role of the Scrum Master and produce the initiating document for the final project. Additionally, you will reflect on your experiences in a journal assignment, allowing you to gain insights into the challenges and successes encountered in the Scrum Master role.

As you progress through the module, I encourage you to think about how you might describe the Scrum Master role as part of your Sprint Review and Retrospective deliverable in the final project. This will help you solidify your understanding of the Scrum framework and its application in real-world scenarios.

Don't forget to bookmark the official Scrum Guide, linked in the Module Two resources. Exploring the Scrum Guide in more depth as you go through each week will serve as a valuable reference throughout the course.

## Module To Do's

**Review Resources:** Take the time to familiarize yourself with the Module Two resources provided. These resources will deepen your understanding of Scrum principles and practices.

**Participate in Discussion:** Engage in this week's discussion by posting your initial response by Thursday and contributing to the discussion by responding to your peers' posts by Sunday. Share your insights and experiences as you explore the role of the Scrum Master.

**Complete the Quiz:** Test your knowledge of the Scrum framework by completing the Module Two quiz. This quiz will help reinforce your learning and identify any areas that may require further review.

**Complete the Assignment:** Take on the role of the Scrum Master and produce the initiating document for the final project. This assignment will provide practical experience in applying Scrum principles to real-world scenarios. Go through the Resources: Scrum Framework and Scrum Master Role.

Complete the Tutorial: Access the Eclipse plug-ins tutorial to ensure you have the necessary tools and resources to support your project. It is essential for the work in the next few modules.

**Complete the Journal:** Reflect on your experiences as the Scrum Master in a journal assignment. Consider the challenges and successes you encountered and how they have shaped your understanding of the Scrum framework.

Remember to engage with your peers throughout the module, sharing your thoughts and insights to enrich the learning experience for everyone.

I look forward to seeing your growth and progress as you navigate through Module Two of our SDLC course. If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Best regards,

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