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## Welcome to Module Seven!

This week marks an important milestone in your learning journey. In this module, you will focus on your Final Project, which synthesizes everything you've learned over the past several weeks, and prepare your GitHub portfolio repository for future use. This is your opportunity to demonstrate not only technical skills but also your ability to reflect, communicate, and collaborate—just like a computer scientist in the real world.

## Assignments This Week

### 1. Final Project

Your final project has two major deliverables:

- Sprint Review and Retrospective

Reflect on your work with SNHU Travel and the Scrum-agile process. Think back on your journals and assignments from Modules Two through Six as you summarize, analyze, and draw conclusions about the software development life cycle (SDLC) and how the agile approach shaped your team's success. Sources are optional, but you are encouraged to highlight your personal experiences throughout the course.

- Agile Presentation

Prepare a professional presentation for company leadership, explaining key ideas about agile versus waterfall approaches. This deliverable requires proper APA citations and sources. While you may draw on your course experiences, also consider the broader implications of adopting agile in organizational contexts.

## 2. Portfolio Prep

By now, you should be comfortable creating and managing GitHub repositories. In this module, you will set up a repository for your final project and add your instructor as a collaborator. This step ensures your portfolio is ready for review in Module Eight. A non-graded activity is provided for you to submit your repository invite link (this step is required even though it carries no points).

### Tips for Success

- Start early! The final project has multiple parts and requires reflection as well as research. Don't wait until the last minute.
- Look back before moving forward. Review your journals and assignments from earlier modules to enrich your Sprint Review and Retrospective.
- Use course resources. Revisit materials from Modules One and Two, and supplement your Agile Presentation with additional research.
- Pay attention to citations. Remember that your Agile Presentation must include proper APA citations.

### Instructor Note

In professional practice, Sprint Reviews and Retrospectives are invaluable—they allow teams to pause, reflect, and improve. In my own work, these events have often uncovered small adjustments that made a huge difference in the success of a project. I encourage you to approach your final deliverables with the same mindset: thoughtful reflection, honest assessment, and a focus on growth.

Finally, please remember to add me as a collaborator to your GitHub repository. My GitHub username is: rchataut

### Action Steps This Week:

- Begin drafting your Sprint Review and Retrospective early.
- Gather resources and outline your Agile Presentation.
- Set up your GitHub repository and share access.

Let's finish strong together in Module Seven!