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Throughout the span of my show Lynette Out Loud (LOL), I have spoken about things that I find particularly important to me. Topics I believe define who I am, ones that have shaped me and continue to play a part in who I will become. These topics included my upbringing with my relationship with God, the importance of family, sports, education, travel, where I am from, and other hobbies of mine. When starting my show, I started with the idea that talking about these topics was a comfort mechanism, in which I knew I'd sound entertaining and have no trouble talking about the things I love. However, looking back, I now realize that there were many times that I pushed myself outside of my comfort zone, as I should have, and I chose to talk about things that have best prepared me for my last show. My goal was to provide my listeners with interesting content that allowed them to learn more about me, my life, and our school, which I successfully accomplished during my time on Warrior Radio.

For the final segment of my show, I would like to make it a conversation about how the compilation of things I spoke about during my time as an intern (topics I mentioned in the above paragraph) has influenced my personal growth, why I find these things important to me and how I integrate two of Alliance University's core values into what I love doing. For example, regarding my love for softball, I plan to talk about how the sport has been personally transforming (AU core value) in my life and my family and how much it has helped me grow in my faith. Softball also opened new doors for me to pursue my education, travel, bond deeper with my family, and experience living across the country. These experiences have transformed me into a mature and capable woman and will continue to help me learn and grow as my life continues.

Another example of something I've spoken about in my show that I find important to me and that I plan to discuss in my final segment is my hometown and culture. The way I grew up is a huge factor in what makes me work hard and strive to be great in everything I do through grace, humility, and God's power. I have always been taught to do everything with excellence, whether that be academically, spiritually, athletically, etc. One of the school's core values is to be academically excellent in the spirit of grace and humility, and in the case of my life and my customs, that has always been something I was encouraged to do. Humility and excellence have also opened many doors for me, and if I never grew up with the influence to make the right choices and be a good person, I would not be where I am today. To add to this topic, I will provide research on why culture influences decision-making, thus influencing personal growth in an individual. This will help my listeners feel like what I am talking about may also pertain to them and how they grew up, not only focusing on me and my life.

Softball and my culture are two of the many topics I plan to speak about in my final segment. What I stated above are some examples of how I plan to incorporate Alliance University's core values into the overall topic of my show. I also plan to add how my relationship with God has been personally transforming, how my excellence and humility have shown through my other hobbies, and how specific experiences, good or bad, have added to and changed my personal growth journey. I plan to incorporate why I think Alliance University considers these values crucial for its students and how my listeners can incorporate them into their life, trying my best to avoid making it "all about me." Finally, I'd like to add some songs in between topics of my segments that have motivated me in the last couple of years, ranging from artists like Journey, Bad Bunny, etc. I, of course, will not add too many songs that would take away from the overall message of my show, but they will help me transition from topic to topic.

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Culture and decision making

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Abstract

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The study of culture and decision making addresses variations in how and why people from different cultures sometimes tend to decide differently. This review is organized around what is intended to be a comprehensive analysis of the distinct fundamental questions that people must answer in the process of making virtually all real-life decisions. Our emphasis was on recent developments as well as identifying important yet neglected topics (e.g., how decision episodes get started—or not, and why some decisions are never implemented). Early as well as current efforts have focused mainly on East Asian and North American Caucasian cultures, with little treatment of other populations. In such studies, individualism and collectivism have been the dominant explanatory factors although related but distinct concepts such as “tightness” and “looseness” have been welcome additions to recent discussions. Throughout, the review emphasizes practical concerns, such as the challenges of intercultural learning and collaboration.

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