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Influencing influencers

How challenging and stretching, but how fun and exciting it has been having new opportunities to increase my influence on influencers of Hungary.

These past couple weeks, I've been blessed with opportunities to speak to many leaders. I have been honored at how much trust people have expressed in me by asking me to give my professional coaches opinion on a number of different topics through a number of different venues. It is so affirming how as I get to know people in these circles, they all express their positive opinion of how honest and open I am and how they appreciate my direct, peaceful countenance. How amazing that these leaders coming from such a corrupt and testing atmosphere, already see God's contentment and grace simply through my identity in Christ. Pray this would continue

and I would be able to be a vessel for the Holy Spirit to be revealed!

The picture above is from a video clip I was asked to speak in comparing business relationships to romantic relationships. I proposed the question of how we view these relationships: as a contract or a covenant? This idea opened up multiple opportunities to talk about trust, honesty, teamwork, and most importantly forgiveness and grace in all our relationship.

Last Friday, I prepared a talk and lead the discussion at our KEVE (Christian Business People's Committee) breakfast. I was able to provoke thoughts about the vital importance for every leader to have good character and how our influence begins with our own integrity. We can influence others by the things we do, but how we do them will determine our main success.

Another exciting development in reaching business people, is a request to start and lead a new circle of leaders who meet every other week for fellowship, input, and to network.

This is a fast-growing group that has circles all over the country who's main purpose is to build business relationships that are built on trust. Please be praying for wisdom in knowing how to respond to this request and for the relationships that I will be able to form there. This is an exclusive platform where I'm praying God would use me to awaken His values in these Hungarian influencers.

I am so thankful for how the Spirit in me is shining! Please pray with me that every day I would be depending on Christ alone and give Him the glory through all these amazing opportunities!
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- * I am so incredibly thankful for the coaches training that I have started. The woman leading it is very open and experienced and I know that I am going to learn a lot from her. Throughout this training she will be looking for people to work with in the future. If she likes the way I work and the way I think this could also open up new venues to initiate coaching and training with people I have not had access to yet. Please pray that in the next 4 months, if we are supposed to work together, this would be clear and through her and her experience and network many more doors would open.
- * My talk at KEVE went so well - praise God! :) Please be praying for me as I am in more and more positions where I am asked to be on videos or give talks. Honestly, I get sooo nervous! I feel that I have meaningful thoughts to share, but still need to grow in my presentation skills. Please be praying that I would get over my fears quickly and be able to handle the emotional pressure that these situations bring.