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FAVORITE HOBBY OUTSIDE OF WORK?:

I love spending time golfing, seeing live music, smoking meat and being active with my wife and dogs. I'm into most forms of auto racing and love getting to spend time at the track in May.

PROUDEST ACCOMPLISHMENT?:

Personally, I'm most proud of convincing my wife to marry me! I'm a very lucky guy. Professionally, I'm very proud have the portfolio of work and experience that have put me in my role with Forza. I can't think of a better job for me than working for an owner that wants to build projects!

IF I COULD LIVE ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD FOR ONE YEAR:

I would love to live at The Golden Rock Inn on Nevis Peak for a year. My wife and I honeymooned there, and we can't wait to go back.

THE MOST ADVENTUROUS THING I HAVE EVER DONE?:

I've taken on some adventurous projects at work, but by far the most adrenaline I've ever felt was getting to drive a Ferrari 458 on a racetrack. I've also been lucky enough to get to Crew Chief for my uncle while he raced at the Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix several times. It was a really cool experience.

LEADERSHIP ADVICE?:

I once had someone tell me in a group setting that there was something that I could control in every situation I'd find myself in, regardless of any specific parameters. I remember sitting forward in my chair and getting ready to write down the secret. The answer was "Your reaction to it." In the moment, I was deflated and thought the answer was dumb. After some time to reflect (and as I continue to age), I really love the power in that statement. Regardless of what is going on around you and how it makes you feel, you have 100% control over the way you react to it. Very few things in life are that simple, and I try every day to be proud of how I do that. Some days I'm prouder than others of my efforts.

WHAT DRIVES YOU?

A sense of accomplishment and pride drives me. I love driving past a completed project years later and remember the struggle to get from the condition a job started into the finished condition. All the situations that seemed insurmountable at the time and too complicated to solve easily melt away and the satisfaction of working together with a team to have created the thing that I'm looking at is an amazing feeling.

