Nine Practices for Mentors

Tips for effective mentoring:

Mentoring is a relationship entailing formal or informal processes whereby a mentor provides intentional guidance, motivation, and encouragement. Mentors also share knowledge, experiences, and perspectives to empower the mentee in the advancement of specific goals that improve their lives and careers. Mentorship allows both mentor and mentee to build networks of resources, develop best practices, and sustain connections for lifelong learning.

Mentors have the potential to make powerful impacts on their mentee’s lives. To ensure the development of a strong, beneficial relationship, mentors should keep these practices in mind at all times.

More information on Graduate College Mentor Network and stages of mentoring:

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