the scholarly advisor
praxis and perspectives

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• Creating and disseminating knowledge: advancing the field

• Consolidating advising as a profession

• Improving practice
improving practice – PDCA

distance & perspective? transferability?
what is scholarship?

discovery

integration

application

teaching

Ernest Boyer
what is scholarship?

discovery

application

introduction

teaching

Practice

Theory

praxis
Models: representing and interpreting reality
advising and learning & teaching

Miller and Brickman 2004

future goals, life values
proximal goals
task value & motivation
self-regulated learning
outcomes

articulate
reflect

apply to curriculum
advising assessment
is academic advising a discipline?

multi and interdisciplinary

advising is a discipline of

PRAXIS

- teaching & learning
- psychology
- sociology
- philosophy
- history of education
- communication
- information technology
- more...
the scholarly advisor: what can I do?

- Draw! Use a whiteboard, in team meetings, when you're on your own: visualize, model
- Analyze: identify components and dynamics
- Formulate questions
- Broaden your knowledge base: self & others
- Attend and present ‘praxis’ oriented sessions at conferences
References
