



Skillman Distinguished Leaders Seminar Series

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DATE: Tuesday, January 17, 2006 TIME: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM SB-CEU: .6

LOCATION: Central Michigan University, Southfield Center, Traveler's Tower, 26555 Evergreen, Southfield, MI

PRESENTER: Ben Perez, Principal of Transformations, LLC, a Lansing based consulting company

A persistent dilemma for school leaders is whether to give advice or to help others figure out a solution by facilitating their own problem solving processes. This seminar will focus on the principal as coach and developer of teacher leaders by using Ed Schein's consultation model to work with school staff. Topics include cultural rules of interaction; initiating and managing change; intervention strategies; tactics and style; and emerging issues in process consultation.

Specifically participants will:

- Understand the context of the instructional coach that facilitates classroom results;
Use process consultation strategies to help teachers learn and grow instructionally;
Examine the "skill sets" of an effective coach;
Develop strategies for establishing rapport, listening and giving effective feedback to increase results and;
Practice essential skills for coaching effectiveness.

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