

Academic advising is a multi-faceted process in which the advisee and advisor work together to achieve common goals. Of utmost importance to me as an advisor is providing accurate information regarding programs of study, policies and procedures, academic standards, and resource referrals.

However, the real heart of academic advising lies in the fact that it is a people skills activity. In most instances, being a good listener is the greatest asset I must possess. Students should feel free to voice their concerns, fears, and frustrations, whether these relate to academics, social matters, personal or family difficulties. My being accessible to students encourages this type of communication.

The opportunity to serve humankind during this critical period of their lives offers fulfillment and rewards too numerous to mention!