

Indigenizing The Academy: Transforming Scholarship And Empowering Communities

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Empowering Voices, Transforming Communities

It is proposed that the axiom, 'indigenising the academy' means to make the academy both responsive and responsible to Indigenous people's goals of self-determination and well-being. This requires a huge effort by Indigenous scholars to be committed to transforming the academy. To engage in this work, requires a redefining of the academy from an agent of colonialism to a platform for decolonisation. This role requires Indigenous scholars to both individually and collectively establish a continuous, visible and active presence at tertiary institutions and to facilitate what bell hooks (1994: 12) refer to as "education as the practice of freedom."

This is no easy task because not only does the academy play a role in the colonisation of Indigenous peoples, but it has a huge investment in maintaining control over: who defines knowledge, who has access to knowledge and who produces knowledge. Therefore, it follows that should the Indigenous scholar adopt the responsibility to challenge the very foundation of the academy, they become a threat to the very power and authority claimed by the academy. Furthermore, these challenges to the academy are often based on the Indigenous scholars' unrelenting commitment to ensure that the collective interests of their people are sustained and that the Indigenous voice is accurately represented within the academy.

Paulo Freire (1993: 112) describes these people [in this case the Indigenous scholars] who work towards liberation as 'Revolutionary Leaders' who ". . . cannot think *without* the

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