# DON'T SETTLE

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## Overview

- Support and Challenge
- Raising the Bar
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## Support and Challenge

#### Establishing Support

- Encouragement
- Trust
- Rapport

## Raising the Bar

- Knowing our students ability and confidence
- Setting APPROPRIATELY high expectations
  - Too low can encourage complacency
  - Information gathered (Discover, Dream and Deliver)
- Must be done in timely manner
- Continued contact
- Celebrate accomplishment and continue to set next goal
  - Positive reinforcement

### Virtuous Cycle

- Acknowledging Successes
  - Requires attention to detail
  - Big or small
- Creating Motivation
  - Maintaining consistency

#### **Personal Development**

- Continue to grow and learn as advisors
- Raise your own bar

## Discuss It!

- Why is good the enemy of great?
- How can perfectionism get in the way of great?
- How can advisors push students toward becoming their better selves?
- When, if ever, should advisors help students lower their expectations for themselves?
- Who pushed you to become your best self? How did this person inspire and motivate you?
- Why does the process of raising the bar need to involve both the advisor and the advisee?
- How can advisors gauge the appropriate height of the bar? What information signals that it is set to high or too low?
- How can you help a student leverage a past success?

#### Reflection

Steve Jobs- Don't Settle