Crossing Boundaries: Tension and Transformation in International Service-Learning (Hardback)

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Stylus Publishing, United States, 2014. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 155 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Are there better ways to address community challenges than expending funds on international service-learning? In attempting to wed learning and service, are we are exploiting the other for new, or recycled, aims? As these questions attest, of all types of service-learning, international service-learning (ISL) most starkly illuminates the tensions between the liberatory and oppressive potentials of practice. This book explores the ramifications of realizing a new age of service-learning that pushes beyond single episodic course-based projects to rebalance student learning and community outcome priorities, and provides insight into what it looks like in its execution. In describing eleven international programs designed to achieve reciprocal, sustained relationships in which learning is co-created, the contributors reveal their struggles to change the balance of power relationships and move to a more transformative practice. Common themes are the developmental nature of this work; the recognition that it takes multiple attempts, often over years, for an individual or an institution to get this work even nearly right; that resolving the challenges of unequal resources, power, and privilege can never be completely erased; and that attention has...

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