It's about empowering Maori students to make a contribution when they leave us...

If they're not going for promotion, who am I to think I'm better than them?

Academic Development

Teaching and learning-related theory and practice for academics working in tertiary education institutions

I don't know if I've got enough 'creds' to be considered a good Maori academic... I don't consider that I'm working for the University. I see myself as working for the Maori community within an institution that allows me to do that.

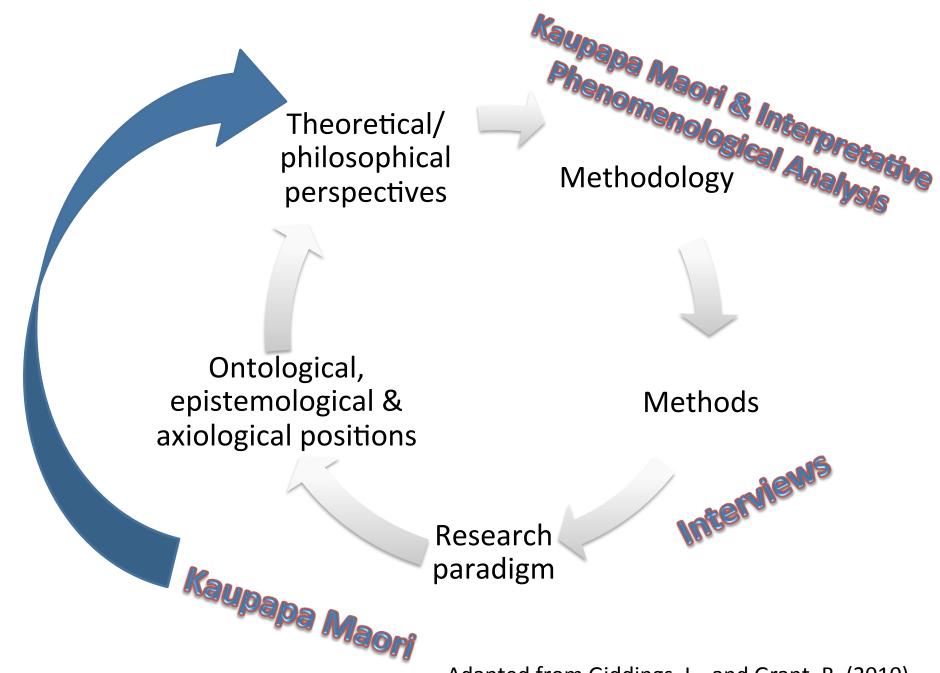
It's about empowering Maori students to make a contribution When they leave us.

Research Topic

Investigate the experiences, aspirations and academic development needs of Māori academics and use their 'reality' to inform academic development, in ways that are both culturally and professionally appropriate.

I don't know if I've got enough 'creds' to be considered a good Maori academic... If they're not going for promotion, who am I to think I'm better than them?

I don't consider that I'm working for the University. I see myself as working for the Maori community within an institution that allows me to do that.



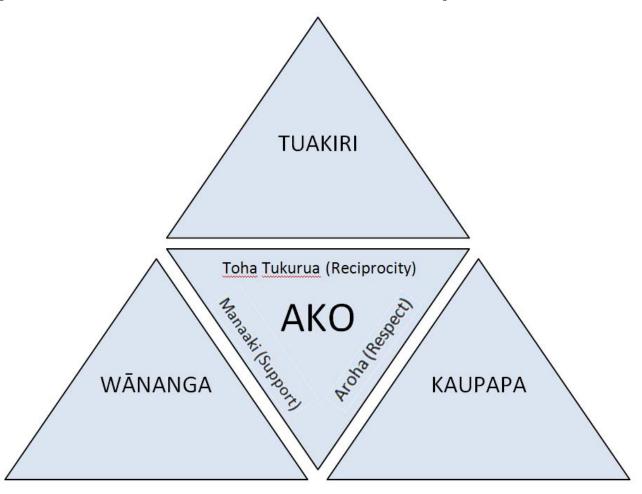
Adapted from Giddings, L., and Grant, B. (2010).

Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis

- (1) Read and re-read
- (2) Note exploratory comments
 - a) Descriptive (e.g. key words, phrases, explanations relating to the interviewee's experiences, events, objects etc)
 - **b) Linguistic** (e.g. pronoun use, pauses, repetition, tone, degree of fluency, metaphor)
 - c) Conceptual (reflexive engagement, i.e. your interpretation of the underlying issues/ideas arising from the data)
- (3) Identify emerging themes
- (4) Identify super-ordinate themes

Te Toka Āhuru:

An indigenous framework for whakaako (academic development)



Davies, S., & Eruera, N. (2009)



Bibliography

Davies, S., & Eruera, N. (2009). Te Toka Āhuru: An indigenous framework for whakaako (academic development). *MAI Review, 3*.

Giddings, L., and Grant, B. (2010).

Diverse paradigms for Higher Education
Research. Presented at the HERDSA

Higher Education Research Symposium,
University of Auckland. Retrieved from
http://www.herdsa.org.nz/file.php/8/
Paradigms-Plenary.pdf

Smith, J., Flowers, P., & Larkin, M. (2009). *Interpretative*Phenomenological Analysis: Theory,

Method and Research. London: SAGE

Publications Ltd.

Presented by: Meegan Hall Centre for Academic Development Victoria University of Wellington meegan.hall@vuw.ac.nz