Tension can exist between technology-facilitated mentorship and the kinds of informal relationships that naturally occur when people with like interests connect. In order to advance mentorship opportunities, this dynamic may best be considered a step-by-step process.

**Planned Happenstance**

noun

the concept of creating and transforming unplanned events into opportunities for learning

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Utilize a planned-happenstance mentorship approach by encouraging students to transform curiosity into opportunities, seek encounters that produce desirable chance events and overcome barriers to action.