

Te Whatunga Kōrero

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Ako Aotearoa would like to acknowledge the Tuia Te Ako 2010 Planning Committee for their time, work and commitment without which this hui would not have been possible.

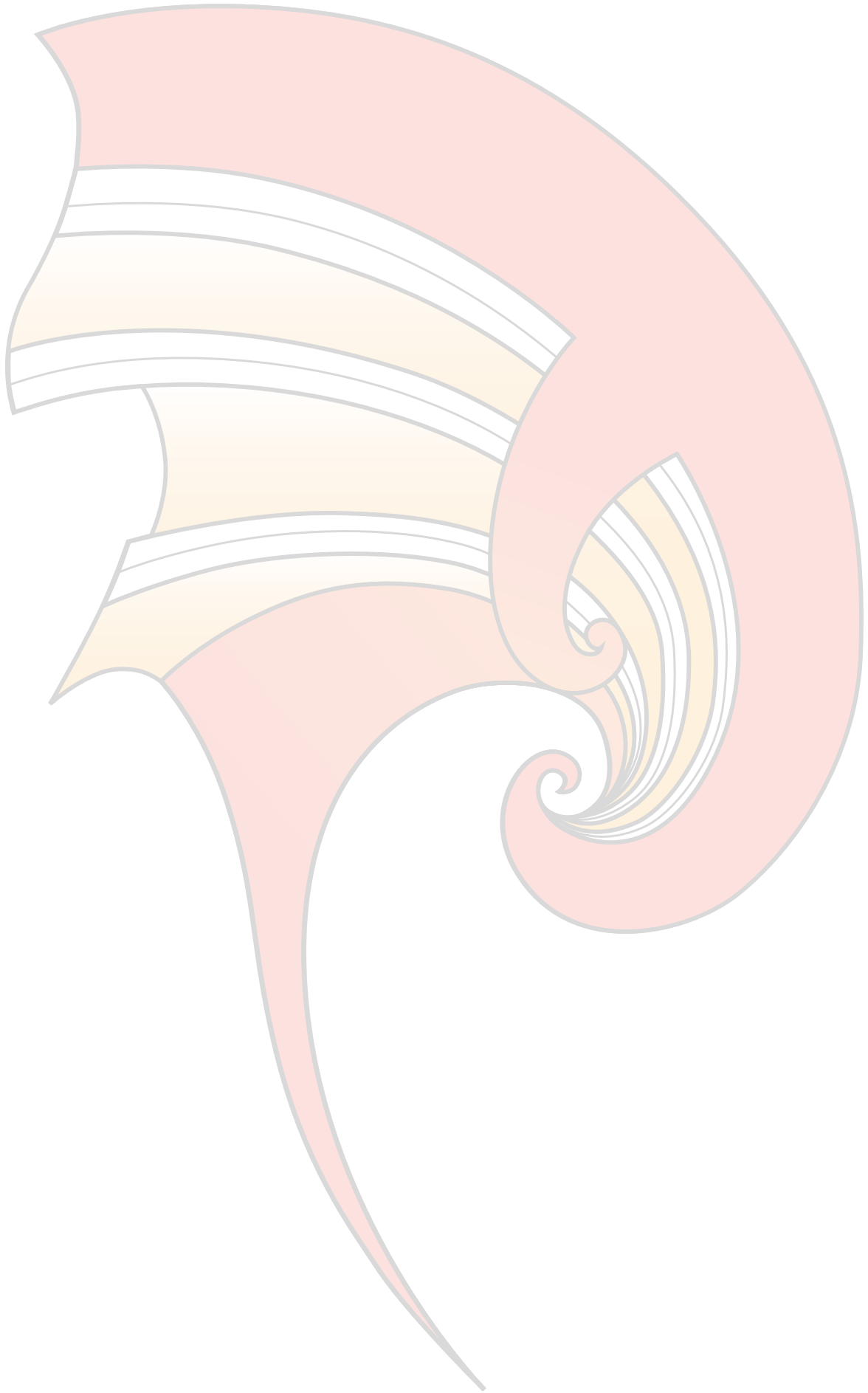
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He Mihi

Welcome



Left to right standing with Dr Peter Coolbear, Ako Aotearoa Director: Anania Randall (Caucus Chair; Ako Aotearoa Board Member); Associate Professor Rawiri Taonui (University of Canterbury) nominated by Te Kāhui Amokura; Turoa Royal (Te Taihū o ngā Wānanga). Seated are Dr Kathie Irwin (Ako Aotearoa Board Member) and Khyla Russell (Otago Polytechnic), nominated by ITPNZ. Absent are Dr Dame Iritana Tawhiwhirangi (Te Kōhanga Reo National Trust) and Samantha Lundon (Aotearoa Māori Providers of Training, Education & Employment).

Ko tō Te Ati Awa ko Tahuaroa

He tangi ki a rātou mā kua ngaro atu ki te pō. Hoki atu rā ki te kāpunipuni o Hinenuitepō. Haere, haere, haere whakaoti atu koutou.

Kei ngā mana, kei ngā reo o te ao mātauranga matua, tēnei ra te mihi manahau ki a koutou katoa. Nau mai, haere mai ki Te Whanganui-a-Tara, te rohe o Te Ati Awa, o Taranaki whānui. Whakatau mai ki te marae o Pipitea tō tātou pouhere tangata i ngā rā e rua o tā tātou hui.

The Māori Caucus of Ako Aotearoa is pleased to welcome you to our inaugural Māori Tertiary Education Hui, Tuia Te Ako. The Māori Caucus is the only standing committee of the Ako Aotearoa Board. The Māori Caucus serves a vital role in developing a Māori Strategy in consultation with the wider Māori educational community and has governance oversight of the implementation of that strategy.

Tuia Te Ako serves an important function in the confirmation of our Māori Strategy but also provides an important opportunity for Māori tertiary educators to come together to discuss ways of improving outcomes for Māori tertiary learners and serving the wider needs of hapū, iwi and Māori communities

across the country.

There are very few occasions where Māori tertiary educators from PTEs, Wānanga, Polytechnics, Universities, ITOs, Adult and Community Education can gather to discuss commonalities and issues particular to our unique parts of the sector, share the learning and find solutions to the challenges that face us as Māori tertiary educators.

We are pleased to acknowledge the generous support of our sponsors. We are certain that their kindness will be rewarded with some rich kōrero that will assist them to achieve their goals for Māori.

As with every Māori occasion, there is the manaakitanga and whakawhanaungatanga. More often than not this is the glue that holds the new whare together.

Waiho i te toipoto, kaua i te toiroa.

Tēnā tātau katoa.

Māori Caucus members, Ako Aotearoa

He Kupu Whakataki

Introduction



Ngā mihi nui hoki ki a koutou.

Ako Aotearoa is excited and delighted to host this hui under the auspices of its Māori Caucus. We hope that it will provide a significant opportunity to continue the debate about how to best support the success of Māori in tertiary education.

As the National Centre for Tertiary Teaching Excellence, Ako Aotearoa is committed to supporting tertiary practitioners and organisations to achieve the best possible outcomes for all learners at whatever level they choose to study. It is clear that Māori are still significantly under-served by our education system. While many Māori are achieving considerable and often spectacular successes in tertiary education, overall qualification and course completion rates for Māori still lag significantly behind those for most other groups of students.

This presents a significant challenge that needs to be addressed strategically and holistically. Undertaking work to improve teaching and learning practices for Māori learners is an important contribution to addressing this challenge, but, by itself, it is not enough. This hui is designed to provide an important opportunity to think strategically about how to improve the tertiary education system to better support Māori advancement. We hope it will provide the space for Māori in different parts of the sector and iwi leaders to share perspectives and ideas both about how to lever off what we know works and also to share ideas about innovative plans and practice for the future.

Tertiary education is diverse and complex: there are no simple, one-size-fits-all solutions. We know this, but all too often we fail to look past our own immediate issues and take a wider view. By exploring the four conference themes of Rangatiratanga, Ahu Whakamuatanga, Whakawhitiwhiti Whakaaro and Whakawhanaungatanga, I hope Tuia Te Ako will provide us with an opportunity to explore beyond the boundaries of our own practice and leadership responsibilities, and start new conversations about what the future might be.

Thank you for being here and being part of this kaupapa.

No reira, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "P. Coolbear". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined.

Dr Peter Coolbear
Director
Ako Aotearoa

Te Amorangi Māori

A message from Te Kaihautū, Ako Aotearoa



Kei ngā ringa raupā o te Ao Mātauranga Māori, tēnā koutou katoa. Ka koa te ngākau kua tae katoa mai tātau ki te whiriwhiri whakaaro e puta ai he painga ki ngā ākonga Māori, otirā ki ngā whānau, ki ngā hapū, ki ngā iwi huri noa i te motu. Whano, whano, tau ana te mauri, hui e, taiki e!

It is wonderful to see the culmination of months of planning and work come together at the inaugural Tuia Te Ako conference. It is a significant milestone in Ako Aotearoa's commitment to providing culturally appropriate and relevant services for Māori in the tertiary sector.

As Kaihautū Māori, my role is to develop relationships with stakeholders working in Māori tertiary education and to raise awareness of what Ako Aotearoa can provide for Māori working in the sector. I work closely with the Māori Caucus to plan and implement kaupapa that will ultimately benefit Māori learners, whānau, hapū and iwi.

While I have been in this position for just over a year, the highlights so far include the formulation of our draft Māori Strategy as a result of consultation with Māori tertiary teachers and leaders, the establishment of the new kaupapa Māori Award category in the Tertiary Teaching Excellence Awards and work with the Māori Caucus and Tuia Te Ako Planning Committee to make this conference a reality.

I am hugely inspired by those of you involved in tertiary education who are passionate about improving outcomes for ākonga Māori and I look forward to either catching up with you at this conference or working with you over the next year.

Mā whero, mā pango e oti ai te mahi.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ngahiwi Apanui'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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Tā Tātau Tohu

Hui Logo

Te Manu Mātauranga



The tohu for Tuia Te Ako was created by local artist and whakairo tutor James Molnar of Ngāti Kahungunu and Ngāti Rangitāne.

The tohu is named Te Manu Mātauranga and takes inspiration from the whakataukī, "Ko te manu kai i te miro nōna te ngahere, ko te manu kai i te mātauranga nōna te ao."

The shape of the the tohu represents the head and beak of the indigenous eagle. The three white stripes within the yellow sector of the tohu represent the three baskets of knowledge; te kete tuauri, te kete tuatea and te kete aronui.

The white koru formed below the throat and beak of the tohu represents the ākonga (learner). The orange koru crossing down into the three baskets of knowledge represents the teacher.

The integration of all the elements above represents the concept of ako – teaching and learning.

The brief to the artist was create a logo depicting knowledge and in particular higher learning, the power of knowledge, teaching and learning, and the bringing together of the Māori tertiary whānau.

Tuia te ākonga, tuia te ako, tui, tui, tuituia!

Ngā Kaitautoko

Hui Sponsors

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Te Puni Kōkiri

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Te Wānanga o Aotearoa

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Te Wānanga o Aotearoa is one of New Zealand's largest tertiary education providers. Te Wānanga offers a comprehensive range of certificate to degree level qualifications to New Zealanders of all ages and walks of life. Guided by Māori principles and values, Te Wānanga takes great pride in its nurturing and inclusive learning environment, as well as the depth and diversity of their courses in small business, computing, social work, teaching, Māori performing arts and te reo Māori.



Group Māori, Ministry of Education

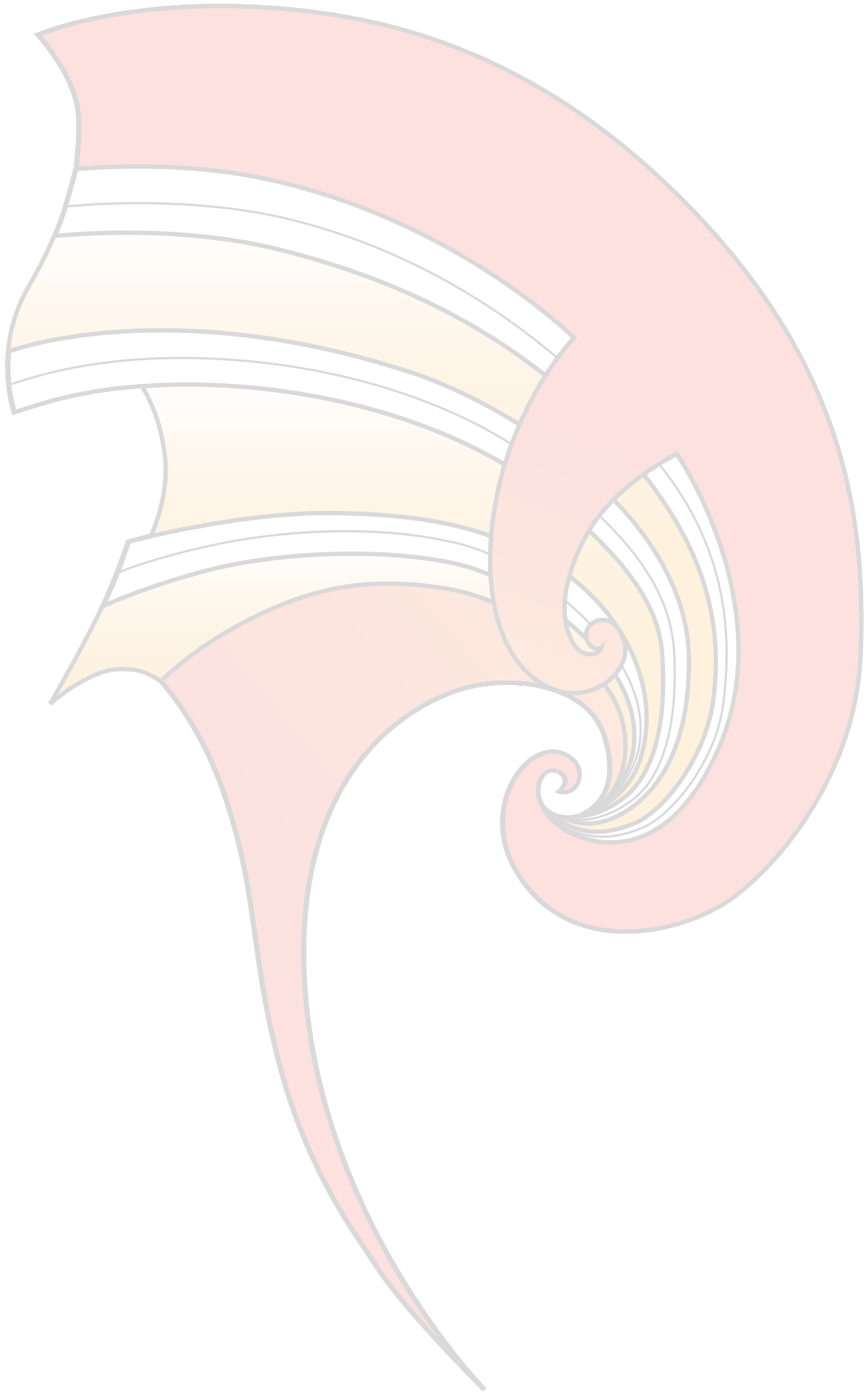
The Ministry of Education is the government's lead advisor on the New Zealand education system, shaping the direction for sector agencies and providers. The Māori education strategy, *Ka Hikitia – Managing for Success*, is an action plan for the whole education sector to transform the system's performance for Māori. Working together to develop and use evidence of what we know works for Māori students will ensure every Māori student has the opportunity to reach their full potential, and enjoy education success as Māori. We would like to acknowledge the contribution made by Ako Aotearoa to our collective understanding of how we can support better outcomes for Māori tertiary learners.

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MANU AO Academy

A national inter-university Māori academy for academic and professional advancement, the MANU AO Academy has three main objectives: Accelerating Māori leadership; strengthening the links between Māori academics and Māori professionals, and advancing Māori scholarship.



Ngā Kaupapa Matua

Themes of the Hui

Rangatiratanga – Leadership in Māori Tertiary Education

What does leadership/rangatiratanga look like for Māori in the tertiary sector? What is the ideal? How do we get there?

The rise of Wānanga has also seen an increase in the numbers of Māori learners. Māori currently have the highest participation rate in tertiary education of any ethnic group in Aotearoa. The leadership of Professor Whatarangi Winiata, Professor Hirini Moko Mead and Rongo Wetere was key to this development. The impact of this leadership is clear, but what type of leadership is required now and in a future where in the next 20 years the Māori population aged 15 to 24 will grow by 17,000 and those aged 25 to 34 will increase a further 14,000?

Whakawhanaungatanga – Building Community in Māori Tertiary Education

How is whakawhanaungatanga currently expressed in Māori tertiary education? How do we develop a cross-sector strategy that works for all?

Ākonga, pouako and kaimahi Māori are spread across a vast array of tertiary providers with different underlying principles and processes. Against this backdrop, how do Māori working in different parts of the sector work together to produce better outcomes for ākonga Māori? How do we put aside our university-tanga, our wānanga-tanga or ITO-tanga in the wider interest of Māori in tertiary education? Some may ask do we actually need to?

Whakawhitiwhiti Whakaaro – Discussion of Māori Tertiary Education Issues

What are the common issues across the sector and what are the issues specific to your part of the sector? What strategies can we develop to broaden and advance these discussions, and how do we put them in place?

There are a range of issues that impact on successful Māori participation in tertiary education - funding arrangements, pastoral care/student support, access, retention and completion, relevance, teaching, and curriculum to name a few. Some of these issues are common across the sector and some are specific to parts of the sector. What are the benefits of sharing learning through discussion within parts of the sector and across the sector?

Ahu Whakamuatanga – Māori/Iwi advancement

How is the Māori tertiary sector aligned to contribute to the development and advancement of whānau, hapū and iwi aspirations? How do kaimahi balance their career, institutional expectations and commitment to their iwi/community?

Many Māori teachers and learners in tertiary education are motivated by a desire to improve outcomes for whānau, hapū, iwi and Māori communities through tertiary education. Some tertiary institutions have an iwi focus i.e. Iwi PTEs, while others have a more generic Māori focus i.e. Wānanga. Given that iwi are becoming increasingly important players in tertiary education, how do Māori in tertiary education work with iwi and Māori communities to better meet their needs?

Te Rā Tuatahi: Rāpare te 12 o Here-turi-kōkā 2010

Day One: Thursday 12 August

Te Wā/Time	Te Wātaka/Programme
7.30am – 8.00am	Registration in the Marquee
8.00am – 8.15am	All delegates assemble for Pōwhiri
8.15am - 9.30am	Pōwhiri
	Kapu tī/Morning Tea (Registration continues)
9.30am – 9.45am	Karakia/Prayer
	Welcome by Dr Dame Iritana Tawhiwhirangi & Dr Peter Coolbear
	Rangatiratanga - Leadership in Māori Tertiary Education
9.45am – 10.30am	Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address - Emeritus Professor Whatarangi Winiata, Te Wānanga o Raukawa
10.30am – 10.45am	Ministerial Opening by Hon Steven Joyce, Minister for Tertiary Education
10.45am – 11.45am	Te Kāhui Kaikōrero/Panel Session: Samantha Lundon (AMPTEE), Associate Professor Papaarangi Reid (University of Auckland) and Dr Selwyn Katene (Manu Ao Academy)
12.00pm – 1.00pm	Ngā Awheawhe/Workshops (see page 21)
1.00pm – 1.30pm	Tina/Lunch
	Whakawhanaungatanga - Building Community in Māori Tertiary Education
1.30pm – 2.15pm	Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address - Professor Sir Mason Durie, Massey University
2.15pm – 3.15pm	Te Kāhui Kaikōrero/Panel Session: Dr Khyla Russell (Otago Polytechnic), Vivien Sutherland Bridgwater (AUT University) and Dr Shane Edwards (Te Wānanga o Aotearoa)
3.15pm – 3.30pm	Kapu tī/Afternoon tea
3.40pm – 4.40pm	Ngā Awheawhe/Workshops (see page 25)
4.50pm – 5.00pm	He Whakarapōpototanga - Summary of Day One
5.00pm – 5.30pm	Delegates transfer to Te Puni Kōkiri, TPK House 143 Lambton Quay
5.30pm – 6.45pm	Te Whakaterenga o <i>Kaiako Pono</i> /Launch of the Māori Mentoring Project
7.00pm	Te Hākari - Hui Dinner at Pipitea Marae
	Entertainment begins at 7.15pm

Te Rā Tuarua: Rāmere te 13 o Here-turi-kōkā 2010

Day Two: Friday 13 August

Te Wā/Time	Te Wātaka/Programme
7.30am	Coffee/Tea on arrival
8.30am – 9.00am	Welcome for Day Two and First Address Te Ururoa Flavell, Māori Party, Member of Parliament for Waiariki
Whakawhitiwhiti Whakaaro - Discussion of Māori Tertiary Education Issues	
9.00am – 9.45am	Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address - Professor Linda Tuhiwai Smith, University of Waikato
9.45am – 10.45am	Te Kāhui Kaikōrero/Panel Session: Mereana Selby (Te Wānanga o Raukawa), Keith Ikin (Waiariki Institute of Technology), Associate Professor Rawiri Taonui (University of Canterbury)
10.50am – 11.10am	Kapu tī/Morning tea
11.15am – 12.15pm	Ngā Awheawhe/Workshops (see page 29)
12.15pm – 12.45pm	Lunch
Ahu Whakamuatanga - Māori Advancement	
12.50pm – 1.35pm	Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address - Hana O'Regan, Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology (CPIT)
1.35pm – 2.35pm	Te Kāhui Kaikōrero/Panel Session: Professor Margaret Mutu (University of Auckland), Trevor Moeke (Te Wānanga o Aotearoa), Dr Kathie Irwin (Ako Aotearoa Māori Caucus & Board)
2.35pm – 2.50pm	Kapu ti/Afternoon tea
2.55pm – 3.55pm	Ngā Awheawhe/Workshops (see page 33)
4.10pm – 4.30pm	He Whakapōtota/Key Findings of Hui Dr Rangī Mataamua
4.30pm	He Kōrero Whakamutunga/Conclusion - Presented by Peter Coolbear
5.00pm	Karakia whakamutunga/Final prayer Hui closes

The Workshops

Ngā Awheawhe

“Ko tā te rangatira kai, he kōrero”

The hui workshops give delegates the opportunity to have a say on the key themes and associated issues raised by the keynote speakers and panellists. It is our hope that the workshops will bring out and capture the rich and innovative responses from the hui. Experienced facilitators will deliver three parallel sessions (all on the same topic) for each of the four themes run over the two days. For each of the four themes, one of the three workshops will be delivered in te reo Māori.

Ngā Kaiwhakahaere



Matiu Ratima

Matiu is a descendant of Tutamure and belongs to the Whakatōhea and Ngāti Pūkeko tribes of the Bay of Plenty. Matiu works for the University of Auckland's Academic Practice Group (APG) to help Māori staff enhance their academic practice. Matiu began his career as an academic more than 10 years ago at the University of Otago as a Teaching Fellow in the Māori Studies Department. Over the years Matiu's contribution to Māori development has found expression through his commitment and passion for revitalising te reo. Matiu has helped organise several wānanga reo and participated in many more as a student. He is a full time PhD candidate at the University of Waikato writing a thesis on highly proficient second language speakers of te reo, with a particular focus on the factors which lead to high levels of proficiency.



Haani Huata

Haani Huata, B.A, M.M.P.D (Waikato) is currently Head of School at Te Mātāpuna o Te Mātauraka CPIT within Te Puna Wānaka, the Māori Studies Department. Her primary teaching subjects are te reo Māori delivered through the Te Whanake series, Māori song both traditional and contemporary, and kapa haka. All these programmes are delivered in a total-immersion te reo Māori environment. She has a keen interest in all aspects of te reo Māori and tikanga Māori. Her main areas of research are te reo Māori me ōna āhuetanga katoa, kōhanga reo, kura kaupapa Māori and language development. Haani has also worked closely with the Māori community within Ōtautahi in the revitalisation of te reo Māori. Her tribal affiliations are Waikato-Maniapoto, Ngāti Kahungunu, Ngāti Porou and Te Arawa.

Meegan Hall



Meegan Hall is of Ngāti Ranginui descent. She is a lecturer in the University Teaching Development Centre at Victoria University of Wellington and is responsible for providing academic development support for Victoria's Māori and Pasifika academic staff. She also contributes in the areas of academic development policy advice and consultation, conducts research into learning and teaching, and does some undergraduate teaching in the Māori Studies programme.

Jacqualene Poutu



Jacqualene Poutu is of Tainui, Ngāti Porou, Te Aitanga a Hauiti, and Ngā Puhī descent. She is the Tumuaki for Te Mana Akonga, the National Māori Student Body and she represents approximately 50,000 taura Māori enrolled in universities, polytechnics and institutes of technology. She holds a Bachelor of Science from the University of Otago in Anatomy and Structural Biology and is currently studying toward a Masters of Public Policy at the School of Government at Victoria University of Wellington. Her interests include whānau, hapū and iwi development and stem cell research.

Pene Delaney

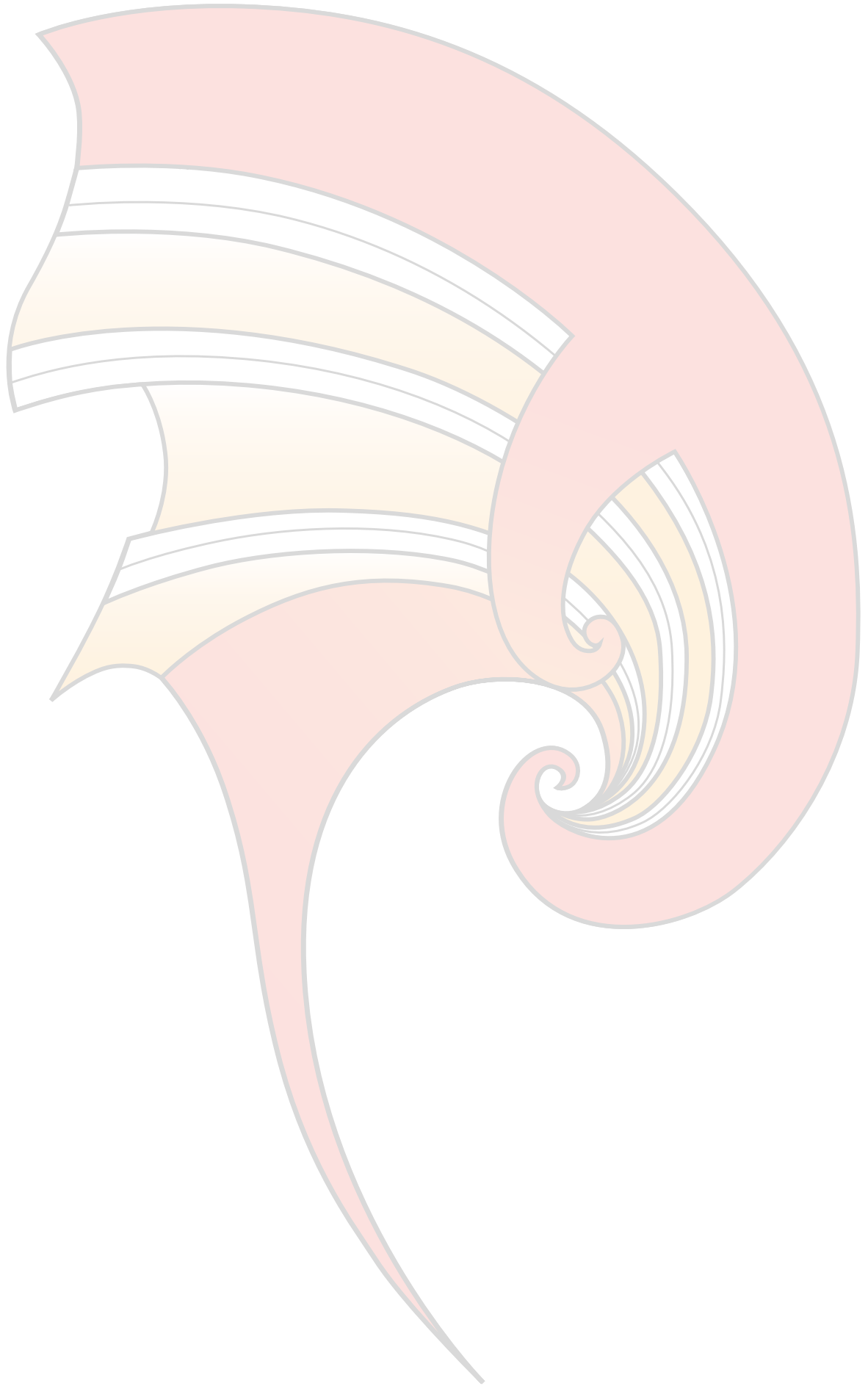
Pene Delaney (Te Arawa) is the co-President of the New Zealand Union of Students' Association (NZUSA). NZUSA is the national voice for tertiary students representing over 175,000 taura and advocates for all students on key issues at a national level. He holds a MMS (Hons) from the Waikato Management School specialising in strategic management and is in pursuit of a PhD in the subject. Pene is a graduate of Waiariki Institute of Technology, the University of Waikato and Te Wānanga o Aotearoa. His interests include governance, strategic direction and organisational structure.

Colleen Tuuta

Colleen Tuuta was born in the small coastal town of Ōpunake in the province of Taranaki, on the west coast of the North Island. Colleen is affiliated to Taranaki tūturu, Ngāti Mutunga, Te Atiawa, and Ngāti Mahuta. Colleen is also of Scottish, Irish descent and much, much more. Colleen is a self-employed business woman of 15 years, the Chairperson of the TSB Community Trust - the 100 percent owner-shareholder of the only community regionally owned bank in New Zealand, a Director of the TSB Bank Limited, a Government-appointed representative for women on the Public Advisory Council for the Legal Services Agency of the Ministry of Justice, an Executive member of Taranaki YWCA, and business mentor to a number of young entrepreneurs.

Te Kowhai Ohia

Kororia ki te Matua i runga rawa, he maungarongo ki runga i te whenua, he whakaaro pai ki ngā tāngata katoa. E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā karangatanga maha, tēnā koutou katoa. I te taha o tōku Pāpā ko Ngāiterangi, Ngāti Pukenga me Te Arawa ngā iwi, ā, i te taha o tōku Māmā ko Te Ati Awa te iwi. I tipu ake ahau i te taketake o Maunga Piripiri i Waikawa, i te Tauihu o te Waka a Māui. Mai i tōku whānautanga mai ki te ao hurihuri nei, nā ōku mātua mātou ko ōku tūngane i akiaki kia whai i te mātauranga. Nā tēnei kua whai mahi ahau i roto i ngā kura tuatahi, kura tuarua tae noa ki taku mahi i tēnei wā i Te Wānanga o Aotearoa. Nō reira, tēnā koutou katoa.



Te Rā Tuatahi: Rāpare te 12 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day One: Thursday 12 August

9.30am – 10.00am – Karakia/Prayer & He Mihi/Welcome



Dr Rangi Mataamua - Master of Ceremonies

Rangi is of Ngāi Tuhoe descent and has gained a reputation for his experience and competence in research and critical analysis. He has an extensive list of research publications and is frequently engaged to provide research services in management and Māori development issues. Rangi also lectures in both Māori language and customs, from first year to post-graduate level including Māori methodologies and Māori research frameworks. Rangi is a graduate of Te Panekiretanga o Te Reo Māori language excellence programme and has a PhD degree focussed on Māori research.



Dr Dame Iritana Tawhiwhirangi

Dr Dame Iritana Tawhiwhirangi is of Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Kahungunu, Ngāpuhi, Canadian, and English descent. She is a member of Te Kōhanga Reo National Trust (Trustee), Māori Education Trust (Deputy Chair), Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori, Māori TV Electoral College, Māori Spectrum Trust Electoral College, NZCER Electoral College, Life member of Māori Women's Welfare League, and Lady President of NZ Māori Golf Association. Honours include Commemoration Medal (1990), M.B.E (1992), Women's Suffrage Medal (1993), Companion of New Zealand Order of Merit (2001), Adjunct Professor, Te Wānanga o Aotearoa (2003), Hon. Doctorate of Literature, Victoria University of Wellington (2007) and she was made a Dame earlier this year for her services to Māori education.



Dr Peter Coolbear

MA, PhD, Cert Ed (FE), MEdAdmin (Hons)

Peter is the foundation Director of Ako Aotearoa, the National Centre for Tertiary Teaching Excellence. He took up this role in July 2007, having previously been Deputy Chief Executive at Manukau Institute of Technology since 2002. Originally he was a teacher and researcher in plant physiology, first in the UK and then at Massey University. At Massey he worked for several years at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade-funded Seed Technology Centre, gaining extensive experience in teaching international students. From the mid-90s he has held a series of management positions in the polytechnic sector and in the Tertiary Resources Division of the Ministry of Education. He is a trustee of the City of Manukau Education Trust (COMET), a member of Te Rōpū Whāiti Whakangungu Pakeke (the ACE Professional Development Steering Group) and is on the boards of NZCER and ITPQ. Peter has special interests in access to success in tertiary education, quality assurance in tertiary education and the interface between research and teaching.

Te Rā Tuatahi: Rāpare te 12 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day One: Thursday 12 August

9.45am – 10.30am: Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address - *Rangatiratanga*



Emeritus Professor Whatarangi Winiata

Purutanga Mauri, Te Wānanga-o-Raukawa
Ngāti Raukawa te au ki te tonga

Whatarangi Winiata has been a champion of Māori self-determination for most of his life. In 1957 he graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce from Victoria University of Wellington, and followed that with an MBA and PhD completed at the University of Michigan. He married Francie Aratema (Ngāti Whakāue, Ngāti Awa) in 1961, and they had four children who were born in the USA and Canada. By 1975 the family had returned home to New Zealand, and amidst the general climate of Māori political activism, embarked on a project of restoration and revival of their marae – Ngātōkōwaru in Levin. Themes of self-determination, economic independence and cultural revitalisation were formulated by Whatarangi into a 25-year tribal plan known as *Whakatupuranga Rua Mano: Generation 2000*. From this plan came the establishment of Te Wānanga o Raukawa in 1981. Whatarangi served as Tumuaki for Te Wānanga o Raukawa from 1994-2007.

Whatarangi has been appointed to many boards and organisations and has been instrumental in key Treaty of Waitangi claims including Fisheries, Radio Spectrum, Broadcasting and others. He also helped create a bi-cultural model of constitutional reform which was adopted by the Anglican Church of New Zealand to run its administration. Whatarangi continues to progress aspirations of Māori political self-determination as the President of the Māori Party.

Rangatiratanga

Leadership in Māori Tertiary Education

The survival of Māori as a distinct group in the global cultural mosaic is not guaranteed. The saying "Te kākano i ruia mai i Rangiātea" recognises this. Educators of Māori at the tertiary level are faced with the challenge of preparing their students to contribute to the fulfilment of the survival task. The content of educational studies and of whakatupu mātauranga at tertiary level will, increasingly, reflect the imperative of managing life as Māori.

Te Rā Tuatahi: Rāpare te 12 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day One: Thursday 12 August

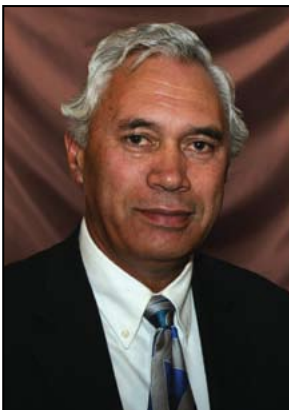
10.45am – 11.45am: Te Kāhui Kōrero/Panel Session - *Rangatiratanga*



Associate Professor Papaarangi Reid

Tumuaki (Deputy Dean –Māori) and Head of Department, Te Kupenga Hauora Māori, University of Auckland
Te Rarawa

Papaarangi Reid is a graduate of science and medicine who has specialised in public health medicine. She is passionate about eliminating inequities between Māori and non-Māori New Zealanders as one practical measure of the recognition of indigenous rights and honouring the Treaty of Waitangi.



Dr Selwyn Katene

Director, Manu Ao Academy, Massey University
Ngāti Toa, Ngāti Tama, Ngāruahine, Ngāti Tūwharetoa

Dr Selwyn Katene is currently Director of the Manu Ao Academy, a national inter-university Māori academy for academic and professional advancement. He was formerly General Manager of the Mental Health Commission, advisor to the Minister of Health, and a senior manager in the Ministry of Health and Public Health Commission. Previously he held several senior marketing management positions in the pharmaceutical industry. He has a BA (Hons), MA, and MPM from Victoria University of Wellington, and a PhD from Massey University.

Samantha Lundon

Chairperson, Aotearoa Māori Providers of Training Education and Employment (AMPTEE)
Tainui

Samantha Lundon has 20 years working within predominantly Māori communities in South Auckland. Serving communities who have not achieved educational success within mainstream education, has challenged her to create learning opportunities which are meaningful, credible and provide sufficient challenge, in order that our learners strive for academic success. She believes recognising educational success is at its best when the whānau is part of that success. When the individual has a strong cultural identity/foundation and belief to place the new learning upon, she believes the gains are easily achieved and extended.

Te Rā Tuatahi: Rāpare te 12 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day One: Thursday 12 August

2.15pm – 3.15pm: Te Kāhui Kōrero/Panel Session - *Whakawhanaungatanga*



Vivien Sutherland Bridgwater

General Manager Relations Division, AUT University
Ngāti Whatua

Vivien Sutherland Bridgwater has held the position of General Manager, University Relations Division, at AUT University (Auckland University of Technology) since 2000. In this role she has built the AUT brand into a strong and contemporary player in the New Zealand and international market. Underpinning the brand's success is Vivien's vision of an integrated approach to marketing, student recruitment and student services. Vivien has created a model unlike any other university, breaking down silos and enabling those areas who create the brand promise for students to work synergistically with those who deliver on it.

She is also passionate about opportunity and advocacy for student groups traditionally under-represented in the university sector, such as Māori and Pasifika, and has led a number of innovative initiatives to help these groups gain access to university. Her latest major project is leading the establishment of AUT's new Manukau campus - the first university campus in South Auckland and one that will provide opportunities for a fast-growing and ethnically diverse young population.



Dr Shane Edwards

Kaihautū, Marautanga, Te Wānanga o Aotearoa
Ngāti Maniapoto, Waikato

Dr Shane Edwards resides in his traditional homeland of Kāwhia. Born and raised in Auckland; schooled at Mt Albert Grammar; educated at Auckland Teachers' Training College at the University of Auckland before doing his PhD studies through Massey University. Areas of interest focus on indigenous research, including coloniality and post-colonial studies in discourse with a particular interest in indigenous health and wellbeing; and indigenous epistemologies. He has worked in higher education for over 15 years in polytechnics, universities and wānanga. He holds the position of Executive Director, Curriculum and Research at Te Wānanga o Aotearoa.

Shane has five children with his partner Niki. Any spare time is spent fishing, growing and propagating native trees, enjoying rugby, and having a good laugh with people.



Dr Khyla Russell

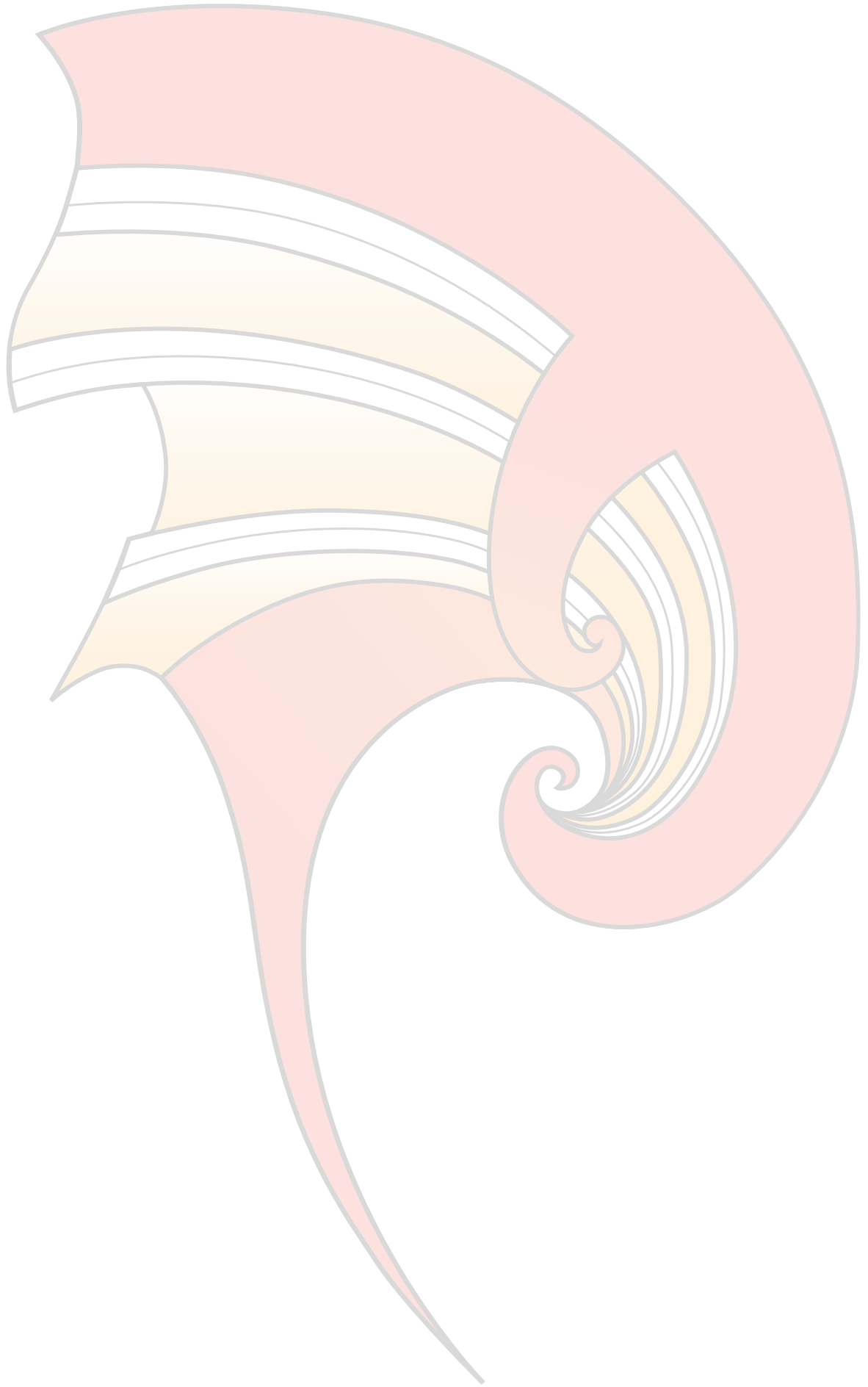
Kaitohutohu, Otago Polytechnic

Kāi Tahu, Kāti Mamoe, Waitaha, Rapuwai, Polish, Northern Irish

Dr Khyla Russell oversees the embedding of the Treaty of Waitangi across Otago Polytechnic by working alongside group managers and researchers and working as part of the leadership team, to lead Māori research or research specific to Māori. She is also responsible for the facilitation of relationship-building between Otago Polytechnic and the Ara-i-Te-Uru Papatipu Rūnaka, the wider Māori community, and Māori tertiary providers.

Dr Russell is involved in a number of research clusters such as the Centre for Study of Agriculture, Food & Environment (CSAFE) supervising in Tiaki Mahinga Kai National research with iwi, and the University of Waikato research group on Te Hau Mihi Ata. As well as research clusters, Khyla is the supervisor of two post-doctoral projects.

Dr Russell has co-authored *Te Ara Tika – The Māori Ethical Framework* with Māui Hudson, Moe Milne, Dr Paul Reynolds, and Dr Barry Smith. Her academic qualifications include a BA, (Massey University), PGDA and PhD (University of Otago). Dr Russell is a member of the Ako Aotearoa Māori Caucus and the Māori Representative on the Ako Aotearoa Reference Group.



Te Rā Tuarua: Rāmere te 13 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day Two: Friday 13 August

8.30am – 9.00am: Opening Address for Day 2



Te Uruoa Flavell

Māori Party Member of Parliament for Waiariki
Ngāti Rangiwewehi, Ngāpuhi

Te Uruoa Flavell lives with his wife, Erana, in Ngongotaha, Rotorua, and has five children. Prior to being an MP, Te Uruoa has worked in education circles for most of his life. He has filled leadership positions at all levels of the education sector in teaching, governance and management. He has been a teacher, principal, CEO of a whare wānanga, and an education consultant. For Te Uruoa, being in parliament is about representing an independent political voice for Māori and articulating the dreams and aspirations of our people.

9.00am – 9.45am: Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address – *Whakawhitiwhiti Whakaaro*



Professor Linda Tuhiwai Smith

Pro Vice-Chancellor Māori and Dean of School of Māori and Pacific Development
Ngāti Awa, Ngāti Porou

Linda Tuhiwai Smith has worked in the field of Māori education for many years as an educator and researcher and is well-known for her work in kaupapa Māori research. She is also well recognised internationally as a public speaker.

Professor Smith has published widely in journals and books. Her book *Decolonising Methodologies Research and Indigenous Peoples* has been an international best seller in the indigenous world since its publication in 1998. More recently Professor Smith was a Joint Director of Ngā Pae o Te Maramatanga, New Zealand's Māori Centre of Research Excellence and a Professor of Education at the University of Auckland.

Whakawhitiwhiti Kōrero

So tell me why a tertiary qualification matters for Māori?

My talk will discuss the issues around teaching, learning, assessment and achievement for Māori students in tertiary education. I am interested in the contribution that tertiary education makes to the quality of Māori minds and will discuss issues such as curriculum, professional skills sets, leadership training, communication skills and other learning outcomes and how they may or may not serve our whānau, hapū and iwi.

Te Rā Tuarua: Rāmere te 13 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day Two: Friday 13 August

9.45am – 10.45am: Te Kāhui Kaikōrero/Panel Session – *Whakawhitiwhiti Whakaaro*



Mereana Selby

Tumuaki, Te Wānanga o Raukawa
Ngāti Raukawa, Ngāti Porou

Mereana Selby was born in Taihape. She studied at the University of Canterbury and Christchurch Teachers' College. She spent 14 years teaching secondary school students in mainly Te Reo Māori and Physical Education before becoming an immersion teacher at Wellington's College of Education.

Mereana is a second language learner of te reo and a strong supporter of Ngāti Raukawa's Whakatupuranga Rua Mano strategy. Her five children have been raised in a Māori-speaking home and through immersion education. Her thesis topic explores intergenerational language transmission of her hapū Ngāti Pareraukawa over the 20th century.

During her 14 years with Te Wānanga o Raukawa, she has developed the teacher training programmes and she is the first female to be appointed as a CEO of a Wānanga.



Keith Ikin

Deputy Chief Executive Māori, Waiariki Institute of Technology
Ngāti Maniapoto

Keith Ikin is the Deputy Chief Executive Māori at Waiariki Institute of Technology, a position he has held for the last three years. Keith has also held positions in the University of Canterbury, the University of Waikato, Ministry of Education, Te Wānanga o Aotearoa and Te Ohu Kaimoana.



Associate Professor Rawiri Taonui

Head of School - Aotahi School of Māori and Indigenous Studies,
University of Canterbury
Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Maniapoto

Associate Professor Rawiri Taonui's research areas include indigenous peoples, oral traditions, Māori and indigenous development as well as human rights. Professor Taonui is a well-known political writer and commentator and has won six writing awards, including the Maharaja Winiata Memorial Prize at the University of Auckland (1992, 1993), the Qantas Media Award for Best New Zealand Columnist on Māori Issues (2007, 2008) and the prestigious Montana Book Awards for Best Historical Book (2007) as part of the team that wrote *Vaka Moana – The Settlement of the Pacific*. He has also written one documentary on Māori astronomy (*Mana Whetū* 2007) and two documentary series, *Hawaiki* (2006) on Pacific oral traditions and *Kōrero ā Iwi* (2009) on Māori tribal pre-contact, colonial, de-colonial, development and contemporary histories.

Te Rā Tuarua: Rāmere te 13 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day Two: Friday 13 August

12.50pm – 1.35pm: Te Kauhau Matua/Keynote Address – *Ahu Whakamuatanga*



Hana O'Regan

Dean, Te Puna Wānaka – Faculty of Māori and Pasifika
Kaiārahi – Director of Māori and Pasifika, CPIT
Kāi Tahu

Hana O'Regan was raised in Wellington in a family immersed in Māori, Treaty and identity politics. She graduated from Victoria University with a Bachelor of Arts in Māori Studies and Political Science before lecturing for four years at the University of Otago in te reo Māori, creative writing and the Treaty. During this time she gained her Master of Arts; her thesis on Māori tribal identity development became the basis of her book, *Ko Tahu Ko Au – Kāi Tahu Tribal Identity*, which was published in 2000.

Hana left Otago to lead the Māori language programme at Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology (CPIT) before taking up the position of Head of School in 2000. After four years at CPIT, she went to work for her iwi as the Manager of Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu's Māori Language Unit where she helped develop and lead the tribal language strategy *Kotahi Mano Kāika*. In 2006 she returned to CPIT as Dean of Te Puna Wānaka, the new Faculty of Māori Studies. In June 2009 she was appointed Kaiārahi.

Hana has been a member of the Māori Language Commission - Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori since 2003. The bulk of Hana's recent publications have been centred on Kāi Tahu tribal stories and histories for rakatahi, and most recently she published an anthology of Māori poetry, *Kupu*, with Charisma Rangipunga. Hana is the proud mum of two beautiful children.

Ahu Whakamuatanga

"Ka tika a muri, ka tika a mua."

The whakataukī 'Ka tika a muri, ka tika a mua' is a well known proverb that talks about the importance of alignment between different groups and their associated roles and functions in order to achieve a common goal. In the context of the marae, the goal is all encompassing; it speaks of the mana of the marae, the hapū and the iwi, the ability of the people to represent themselves, to care for others, to articulate their dreams and their visions and to give effect to their tikaka and kawa. It is about them being all they want to be and believe that they should be. In the context of the current tertiary education environment meaningful and effective alignment between those that provide educational opportunities and the communities and whānau that can benefit from them are also concerned with achieving similar goals. This paper will look at the necessary relationships and philosophies of engagement that tertiary providers might need to consider in order to assist the realisation of Māori aspirations.

Te Rā Tuarua: Rāmere te 13 o Here-turi-kōkā

Day Two: Friday 13 August

1.35pm – 2.35pm: Te Kāhui Kōrero/Panel Session – *Ahu Whakamuatanga*



Professor Margaret Mutu

Head of Department of Māori Studies, University of Auckland;
Chairperson, Te Rūnanga-ā-Iwi o Ngāti Kahu
Ngāti Kahu, Te Rarawa, Ngāti Whātua, Scottish

With a BSc in mathematics, an MPhil in Māori studies, a PhD in Māori studies and linguistics, a Diploma in Teaching and a Certificate in Company Direction, Margaret Mutu has taught Māori language and Treaty of Waitangi courses at the University of Auckland for more than 25 years. She has also supervised many Masters and PhD thesis students. Margaret has published two books, one on the history, traditions and customs of her hapū, Te Whānau Moana. A third book on the state of Māori rights over the past 15 years is due for publication in December this year. She has published many papers and book chapters on a wide range of Māori issues and represented Māori in national and international forums, including indigenous peoples meetings within the United Nations.



Trevor Moeke

Poutiaki Director, Te Wānanga o Aotearoa
Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Awa, Ngāti Kahungunu

Trevor Moeke is the Director of Delivery Relations and Advisor to the CEO of Te Wānanga o Aotearoa. Trevor has a background in Māori education, te reo Māori regeneration, public service, Māori broadcasting and iwi development. Trevor serves worldwide indigenous networks as Co-Chair for WINHEC (World Indigenous Nations Higher Education Consortium) and has experience in Quality Assurance systems in the New Zealand tertiary sector. Trevor is a board member of Pūtahi Paho (Māori Electoral College for Māori Television Service) and has recently been appointed as a board member of Ako Aotearoa.



Dr Kathie Irwin

Director, Hope Brokers Inc; Ako Aotearoa Māori Caucus Member and Board Member.

Rakaipaaka, Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Kahungunu, Orkney Islands, Scots, Irish Dip Teacher Training, Dip Teaching, BEd, BEd (Hons) (1st Class), Med, PhD

Dr Kathie Irwin initially trained as a primary school teacher in the mid 1970s. Kathie has built a career as an academic, specialising in Māori research, development and scholarship, since first holding a position as a Junior Lecturer at Massey University in 1981.

She has worked at Massey University, Victoria University of Wellington, Christchurch College of Education, Te Kōhanga Reo National Trust, Te Whare Wānanga o Awanuiārangī and at Te Puni Kōkiri, where she held the position of Chief Analyst Culture.

In 1994 Dr Irwin was the recipient of the Hodge Fellowship; from July 2007 – 2008 she held a Post Doctoral Research Fellowship from Te Whare Wānanga o Awanuiārangī. Her doctoral thesis was entitled *Māori Education: From wretchedness to Hope*.

She is the Chief Analyst Policy, Research, Māori at the Families Commission. Horiana and Cliff her two children, have added powerful dimensions to her life. She treasures their presence in it. Her most savoured passion is singing.

Te Hākari

Hui Dinner

The Hui Dinner will be held at Pipitea Marae, starting at 7pm on Thursday night 12 August. Tuia Te Ako is proud to bring you some of New Zealand's finest Māori musicians.

The line-up includes:



Brannigan Kaa (Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Kahungunu) who enjoys entertaining a crowd with anything from R'n'B, reggae to big band sounds.



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Ria Hall (Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-a-Apanui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Porou, Tūwharetoa, Waikato) is a singer-songwriter who captivates audiences with her dynamic performances.



Bella Kalolo (Tongan, Samoan, Ngāti Porou) has recently been nominated as a finalist for the Best Female Vocalist at the Pacific Music Awards 2010. She's widely regarded as one of New Zealand's most exciting artists.

And **The Stand** who play a range of funk, R'n'B, jazz and soul music. The band is fronted by well-known music producer Maaka McGregor (Ngāti Raukawa) and te reo rōreka of Kirsten Te Rito (Ngāti Kahungunu, Rongomaiwahine, Ngāti Hnemanu).

Hei Āwhina

Key Information

The following information is designed to make your attendance at Tuia Te Ako as pleasant as possible. If you require assistance at any time, please come to the tēpu pārongo and our kaimahi will do everything they can to help.

Te Tēpu Pārongo - Registration & Information Desk

The Registration & Information Desk is located through the entrance of Pipitea Marae. The desk will be open during the following times:

Thursday	12 August 2010	7.30am – 5.00pm
Friday	13 August 2010	7.30am – 5.00pm

Te Kohinga Kōrero – Feedback Wall

The 'Feedback Wall' is a mechanism for ensuring all voices are heard. We encourage you to leave your thoughts, ideas, comments, drawings and reflections on this wall. There are post-its provided in your conference satchel for you to do this. The feedback wall is situated at the back of Te Horo Matua.

Ngā Hui o te Pō - Evening Events

We are very much looking forward to your company at the evening events for Tuia Te Ako. In the case of bad weather transfers between venues will be provided where possible. Dress for both functions is corporate casual. Please present your conference name tag on entry.

Te Whakaterenga o Kaiako Pono - The Launch of the Māori Mentoring Project

The launch will be held at Te Puni Kōkiri's offices on Thursday 12 August from 5.15pm – 6.45pm. Go to the Naumai Room, Ground Floor, TPK House, 143 Lambton Quay.

Te Hākari - Hui Dinner

The Hui Dinner will be held from 7.00pm on Thursday 12 August at Pipitea Marae. Attendance to both functions is restricted to delegates of the conference only. There will be no ticket sales to these events.

Ngā Wā Kai - Refreshments

Morning tea, daily luncheon and afternoon teas are included in your registration fee and will be provided in the hui catering area of the marquee. Tea and coffee will be available throughout the day. As space is limited in these areas, your patience is appreciated.

Hei Āwhina

Key Information

Te Marae o Pipitea

Pipitea Marae was built in the early 1980s to meet the needs of the urban Māori population of Wellington and where traditional kawa and protocol are observed. In 2009 Port Nicholson Block Settlement Trust and Ngāti Pōneke created a partnership where they offer the marae to be used and embraced by all. Pipitea Marae continues to signify a place for people of all iwi and races to meet.

55-59 Thorndon Quay

Downtown Wellington

Email Address: pipiteamarae@xtra.co.nz

Marae Onsite Number: 04 472 1626

Ngā Tuhinga a ngā Kaikōrero - Speaker Notes

All speaker presentations and workshop notes will be available after the hui via the Ako Aotearoa website www.ako.aotearoa.ac.nz. A pānui will be emailed to all delegates once these details have been posted to the web.

Whakaritenga Motuhake - Special Requirements

If you have advised any special dietary requirements on your registration form, these will have been forwarded to the respective catering providers. If you have any questions, or any additional requirements, please simply ask at te tepu pārongo/the information desk.

Ngā Tapanga a Tuia Te Ako - Conference ID

As a security requirement, delegates are required to wear their conference name tag throughout the duration of the hui. Your name tag also gives you access to the cocktail function and the conference dinner. Please note, no name tag, no entry.

Ngā Kōti me ngā Pēke - Coat Check and Bag Store

A coat check / bag store will be available in the Marae. Please note that whilst all care will be taken, the organisers take no responsibility for loss or theft.

Ngā Pānui - Messages

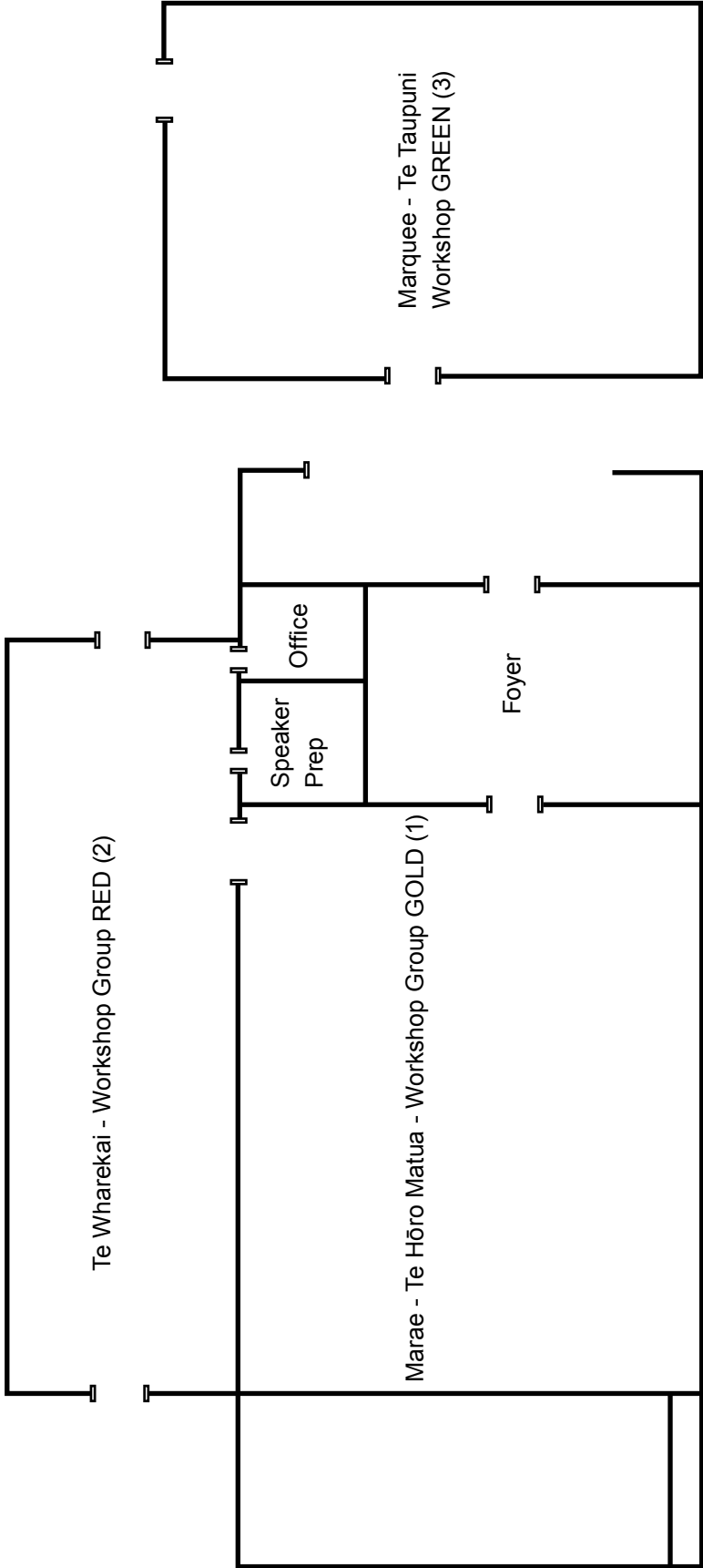
General messages will be displayed on the message board alongside the Registration / Information Desk.

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Te Mahere

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