

Effective Engagement with Māori

OVERVIEW

The way government engages with Māori is changing. Future engagement is going to be different from what we have traditionally seen/experienced. The establishment of Te Arawhiti – The Office for Māori Crown Relations, demonstrates the governments' commitment to build strong, ongoing and effective relationships with Māori across all of government. Engagement will go beyond consultation to true partnership.

This two-day workshop is designed to help public servants gain a greater understanding of Te Ao Māori (Māori world view), Te Tiriti o Waitangi, and provides practical tools and techniques for effectively engaging with Māori.

Day one of the workshop has participants building a foundation of historical and cultural knowledge. Day two, has participants using this knowledge to inform their planning for engagement with Māori.

Te Reo (Māori language) and Tikanga (Māori protocols) will be weaved through the workshop across the two days.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This introductory workshop is designed for public servants who want to build their knowledge and confidence for working in partnership with Māori. Including;

- Improving their understanding of the Te Ao Māori and Te Tiriti o Waitangi.
- Building their knowledge and skills for consulting and engaging with Māori.
- Creating a kete (basket) of useful tools and resources to support their engagement with Māori.

DATES	Tuatahi Day 1 – Wednesday 10 November 2021 Tuarua Day 2 – Wednesday 17 November 2021
TIMES	9.30am – 4.30pm – registration from 9.00am both days
VENUE	The Grand Space Rydges Wellington Level 2 75 Featherston Street Wellington
REGISTRATION FEE	IPANZ Member - \$475.00 + GST Non-Member - \$575.00 + GST

WORKSHOP PRESENTER



Katy Te Amo - Tainui, Ngāti Wairere

Katy began her career in teaching and spent a short time in South Korea as an English Teacher. Upon her return to Aotearoa, Katy pursued post-graduate study before moving into a number of different roles at Te Papa Tongarewa that utilised her education training. Katy spent six years at Te Papa and her most memorable role was an educator on the travelling exhibition Treaty 2U, when it toured Auckland secondary schools for 12 months.

Since finishing at Te Papa, Katy has spent the last 10 years in a range of roles across central government. This has included policy roles at Te Puni Kokiri and three years as Private Secretary to the former Minister of Māori Affairs, Hon Pita Sharples. In 2014, Katy moved into the Treaty Settlement sector with her most recent role being a Negotiation and Settlement Manager at the Office for Māori Crown Relations – Te Arawhiti.

Katy is now the Head of Strategy and Insights at Taumata Arowai – the water services regulator.

WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

TUATAHI - DAY ONE

Provides historical and cultural accounts/information which set the context for the entire two-day workshop. Content includes Te Ao Māori (Māori world view), Te Tiriti o Waitangi and its obligations and legislative requirements for central government agencies.

9.00 – 9.30am	Registration
9.30 – 10.00am	Mihi whakatau and whakawhanungātanga Welcome and getting to know each other
10.00 - 10.20am	Morning Tea
10.20 – 12.30pm	Session One – Aotearoa Pre-1800s This session provides historical accounts of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Māori traditional organisational structures and way of life- Aotearoa pre-1800s- Key events leading up to the signing of the Treaty
12.30 - 1.15pm	Lunch
1.15 - 2.45pm	Session Two – Te Tiriti o Waitangi Part I provides information that will help attendees develop a better understanding of Te Tiriti o Waitangi, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The articles of Te Tiriti- The principles of Te Tiriti
2.45 – 3.00pm	Afternoon Tea

3.00 – 4.00pm	Session Two continued – Te Tiriti o Waitangi Part II explores Treaty settlements, the legislative requirements and obligations and what this means for government agencies, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Treaty settlements – processes and entering a post settlement environment - Government obligations under Te Tiriti
4.00 – 4.30pm	Summary of Tuatahi (Day 1) - Preparation for Tuarua (Day 2)

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TUARUA - DAY TWO

Participants will begin applying the knowledge they gained during tuatahi to inform their planning for consultation and engagement with Māori.

9.00 – 9.30am	Registration
9.30 -10.00am	Welcome and recap of workshop tuatahi
10.00 – 10.45am	Session One – What is Consultation? This session explores what consultation is, the forms it can take and what it means: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When to consult? - Who to consult? - The spectrum of engagement.
10.45 – 11.00am	Morning Tea

11.00 – 12.30pm	<p>Session Two – Panel Q & A</p> <p>This session provides an opportunity to hear about and learn from the experiences of those who have worked on effective engagement projects, it offers both Māori and Crown perspectives, and includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Real life examples. - Advice on Dos and Don'ts. - Practical tips for your engagement.
12.30 – 1.15pm	Lunch
1.15 – 3.00pm	<p>Session Three – Planning your Engagement</p> <p>This final session will detail the practical considerations for effectively engaging with Māori:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When to start. - Where to start. - Important considerations from beginning to end. - Practical tools and techniques.
3.00 - 3.15pm	Afternoon tea
3.15 – 3.30pm	<p>Session Four – Useful Resources</p> <p>In this session Katy will share some of the useful resources available to support you to further develop your knowledge and skills for effective engagement with Māori.</p>
3.30 - 4.00pm	<p>Poroporoaki (farewell)</p> <p>Close of the Day – summary, evaluation and farewell.</p>