



## Te Hiranga Rū QuakeCoRE - GNS Science

### Te Hiki o Rūaumoko Mātauranga Māori Research Award 2020

#### Award Details

This award is to celebrate one or more researchers and the Māori community partners who have partnered<sup>1</sup> or collaborated<sup>2</sup> in excellent earthquake resilience research. The award value is \$10,000. The award funding can be used to support furthering their research in earthquake resilience.

#### Nominees

This award is open to researchers at any career stage, provided they actively working in the field of earthquake resilience research, at the time of nomination. Nominees must be Aotearoa New Zealand based.

#### Requirements

There must be evidence that the researcher has completed research in collaboration or co-design/partnership with Māori communities in Aotearoa New Zealand.

It is desirable that the researcher has demonstrated the ability to:

- co-create research aims inspired by Māori philosophies and knowledge (both traditional and contemporary) and/or Māori methodologies, and
- make a major and distinctive contribution to Te Ao Māori, and Indigenous knowledge, and
- have the support of the Māori community partner of whom the research was undertaken with

Nominators are encouraged to provide information that clearly demonstrates the impact and influence of the research for community wellbeing and development. Evidence of excellence, originality and innovation in the research and its impact at the community level should be provided.

Full consideration will be given to a range of types of research outputs. In particular the assessment panel will be prepared to assess the following types of research outputs that may contribute to community wellbeing and development, provided they are research-based:

- written works, including papers, books and articles;
- reports for community organisations, government agencies, iwi and hapū;

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<sup>1</sup> Partnership or co-design is defined here as working in partnership with iwi or hapū. Joint decisions are made for each aspect of the development, implementation and communication for the research.

<sup>2</sup> Collaboration is defined here as working directly with iwi or hapū for each aspect of the development, implementation and communication of the research.

- presentations at hui or wānanga;
- other types of research outputs, for example, new products, new processes and creative works (including whakairo, whaikōrero and waiata).

If any research output is delivered in a specific Māori context (such as whakairo, whaikōrero or waiata), evidence of the research and the supporting information may be provided in an alternative form, such as photographs, audio recordings, audio visual format, transcriptions, commentary or attestations from kaumātua or peers.

### **Nomination Details**

A nomination template must be completed and submitted via email. The Nominations will include the following:

- Brief citation of not more than 40 words, which may be used for publicity purposes;
- A nomination statement from the nominator succinctly summarising the nominee's background, accomplishments and outlining the nominee's contribution to research in collaboration and/or co-designed with Māori. The statement shall include sufficient information to confirm eligibility (maximum 3 pages).
- Brief CV(s) or biographies for the nominee(s);
- Two references (to be arranged by the nominator), at least one from outside the nominee's institution, if applicable. Oral references may be considered for some nominations. Please email it request consideration and approval for an oral reference.
- A letter of support from an appropriate iwi, hapu or runanga.

The nomination template is available [here](#).

Nomination should be sent to [quakecore@canterbury.ac.nz](mailto:quakecore@canterbury.ac.nz) by 5pm Tuesday 11 August.

### **Selection Panel**

The selection panel will include representation from Te Hiranga Rū - QuakeCoRE, GNS Science and Māori. The selection panel may contact the nominee, the nominator and/or referees for further information.

The decision of the selection panel will be final, and no correspondence will be entered into.