



Hōtaka – Conference Agenda

This conference will inspire, excite and enable you to adopt a learner success mind set for your organisation. We ultimately want a systematised approach that works for everyone – kia angitu te katoa.

Day one: Tuesday, 6 August

Wā	Ngā kaupapa	Kaikōrero
9.30am	Paramanawa – Morning tea	
10.00am	Whakatau – Welcome	Ngāti Whātua MC Stacey Morrison
10.30am	Whakatūwhera – Opening Address	Hon Chris Hipkins Minister of Education
10.55am	Presentation and introduction to Professor Tim Renick	Tim Fowler Chief Executive, Tertiary Education Commission
11.15am	Keynote: The Georgia State Story: A systematised approach to achieving learner success	Professor Tim Renick Senior Vice President for Student Success, Georgia State University
12.25pm	Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...	Ali Leota NZUSA Helena Garisau NorthTec
12.30pm	Kai – Lunch	
1.00pm	Supporting learner success in the wānanga context	Dr Mereana Selby Tumuaki, Te Wānanga o Raukawa



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1.30pm	<p>Panel: Using information to really understand your students</p> <p><i>Using data to inform higher education policy</i> Professor Airini Dean, Education and Social Work, Thompson Rivers University</p> <p><i>Using data to shape institutional practices</i> Patrick Jones Executive Director of Policy and Projects, Te Aho a Māui, Eastern Institute of Technology</p> <p><i>Ethical considerations in using data</i> Dr Leon Bakker Director of Planning and Management Information, Victoria University of Wellington</p> <p><i>Supporting learner success in the wānanga context</i> Dr Oriwia Raureti Tumuaki Tuarua, Te Wānanga o Raukawa</p>	<p><i>Panel facilitator:</i> Brendan Kelly Deputy Chief Executive Information, Tertiary Education Commission</p>
2.35pm	Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...	Jamie-Lee Bracken Massey University
2.40pm	Paramanawa – Afternoon tea	
3.00pm	Mapping the student journey and understanding the opportunities	Warwick Pitts Executive Director, Products and Planning, Wintec
3.30pm	<p>Panel: The importance of secondary to tertiary transition</p> <p><i>The Uniprep programme</i> Veronica Pritchard Director, Strategic Initiatives and Projects, Auckland University of Technology</p> <p><i>Māori student success in Health Sciences</i> Associate Professor Joanne Baxter Associate Dean Māori, University of Otago</p> <p><i>The Puhoro STEM Academy</i> Naomi Manu Director, Maori Student Success, Massey University</p> <p><i>The Secondary Tertiary High School</i> Dr Stuart Middleton Specialist Advisor to the Chief Executive, Manukau Institute of Technology</p> <p><i>Mapping the student journey and understanding the opportunities</i> Warwick Pitts Executive Director, Products & Planning, Wintec</p>	<p><i>Panel facilitator:</i> Gillian Dudgeon Deputy Chief Executive Delivery, Tertiary Education Commission</p>
4.55pm	Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...	Jordon Milroy AUT
5.00pm	Ka Mutu – Day one wrap up	



Day two: Wednesday, 7 August

Wā	Ngā kaupapa	Kaikōrero
9.00am	Introduction to Hon Kelvin Davis	Iona Holsted Secretary of Education
9.05am	Whakatūwhera – Opening address	Hon Kelvin Davis Associate Minister of Education
9.30am	Presentation and introduction to Dr Tristan Denley	Ian Lee Deputy Chief Executive Strategy and Design, Tertiary Education Commission
9.35am	Keynote: Supporting an equity push across a tertiary system, and policy and funding to support equity goals	Dr Tristan Denley Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Chief Academic Officer, University System of Georgia
10.40am	Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...	Nikki Makamba Unitec
10.45am	Paramanawa – Morning tea	
11.10am	Accelerating learner success in the university context	Associate Professor Tracy Bowell Pro Vice-Chancellor Teaching and Learning, University of Waikato
11.40am	<p>Panel: Leadership, policy and funding</p> <p><i>Institution wide leadership</i> Chris Collins Chief Executive, Eastern Institute of Technology</p> <p><i>Identifying regional funding priorities</i> Phil Alexander-Crawford Director Demand Management, NorthTec</p> <p><i>Policy and funding challenges – working together</i> Dr Grant Klinkum Acting Deputy Secretary for Graduate Achievement, Vocations and Careers, Ministry of Education</p> <p><i>Accelerating learner success in the university context</i> Associate Professor Tracy Bowell University of Waikato</p>	<p><i>Panel facilitator:</i> Andy Jackson Group Manager, Tertiary Education, Ministry of Education</p>
12.45pm	Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...	Sam Snell University of Auckland
12.50pm	Kai – Lunch	



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1.30pm	<p>Panel: Systematising culturally grounded interventions and teaching practice</p> <p><i>Te Atakura – a relationship-based, educator focussed promotion of achievement parity for Māori students</i> Farzanah Desai Senior Lecturer and Te Atakura Coach, Universal College of Learning</p> <p><i>Equitable opportunities for disabled students</i> Melissa Lethaby Manager of Disability Information and Support, University of Otago</p> <p><i>Supporting Pacific mental health and wellbeing</i> Dr Jemaima Tiatia-Seath Co-Head of School, Te Wānanga o Waipapa, School of Māori Studies and Pacific Studies, University of Auckland</p> <p><i>Good cultural practice from an iwi perspective</i> Dr Eru Prendegrast-Tarena Ngai Tahu</p>	<p><i>Panel facilitator:</i> Utufa’asisili Rosemary Mose Chief Advisor Pasifika, NZQA</p>
2.45pm	<p>Student story: I am, I feel, I am going to be...</p>	<p>Helen Vea Unitec</p>
2.50pm	<p>Poroporoaki – Conference wrap up</p> <p>System wide engagement Closing</p>	<p>Gillian Dudgeon Deputy Chief Executive Delivery, Tertiary Education Commission</p> <p>Paora Ammunson Deputy Chief Executive Ōritetanga, Tertiary Education Commission</p>
3.00pm	<p>Conference end</p>	