

CHAIR



The Hon Justice Joe Williams, Wellington

Justice Williams was appointed a Judge of the High Court on 10 September 2008. He graduated from Victoria University with an LLB in 1986 and from the University of British Columbia, Canada, with an LLM (Hons) in 1988. He then joined, and later became a partner, of the law firm Kensington Swan. After practising as a partner of Walters Williams & Co between 1994 and 1999, Justice Williams was appointed Chief Judge, Māori Land Court in December 1999. Shortly thereafter he was appointed as Deputy Chairperson of the Waitangi Tribunal and appointed the Chairperson of the Waitangi Tribunal in 2004. Justice Williams is a former Vice President of the Māori Law Society and a former President of Te Rūnanga Roia o Tamaki Makaurau, the Auckland Māori Lawyers Association. His tribal affiliations are Ngāti Pukenga and Te Arawa (Waitaha, Tapuika).

SPEAKERS



Whaimutu Dewes, Rotorua

Thirty years as a lawyer working in a wide variety of roles have given Whaimutu a keen perspective on the crucible that governance forms for the success of Māori economic development.



Dr Mason Durie, Massey University, Palmerston North

Mason Durie is a member of the Rangitane, Ngati Kauwhata, and Ngati Raukawa tribes. He graduated in medicine from the University of Otago in 1963 and subsequently qualified as a specialist psychiatrist. From 1986-1988 he served on the Royal Commission on Social Policy and subsequently took up the chair in Māori Studies at Massey University. In 2002 he was appointed Professor of Māori Research and Development and Assistant Vice-Chancellor (Māori) at Massey University. He has served on many Boards and Commissions and has published widely on several aspects of contemporary Māori development.



Jeremy Gardiner, Chief Executive of Te Runanga O Ngati Awa, Whakatane

The Rūnanga is an iwi authority representing around 15,000 descendants of Ngāti Awa. Ngāti Awa's rohe (tribal area) is located in the Eastern Bay of Plenty, Aotearoa/New Zealand. The Rūnanga has responsibility for progressing the economic, cultural, social, political and environmental interests of Ngāti Awa. The Rūnanga was established in its current form in 2005 at the completion of Ngāti Awa's Treaty settlement. Jeremy has been Chief Executive since 2006 and was involved in the establishment of the current Rūnanga structure. Prior to that he had a range of roles in the public and private sector including the development of a new governance model for Māori, communications consultant and working on Y2K in London's investment banking industry.

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Anake Goodall, Chief Executive Officer of Te Runanga O Ngai Tahu, Christchurch

Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu is the organisation that services the tribe's statutory rights and ensures that the benefits of the Settlement grow for future generations. Anake has diverse management experience from careers as a labour union delegate, a plant nurseryman, the manager of the Ngāi Tahu's historical settlement process, and as an independent consultant to a range of clients including the government and a number of iwi. He is interested in the areas of change management and capacity building, strategic planning, complex negotiations and international development issues. Anake has an MBA, and a Masters of Public Administration from Harvard's John F Kennedy School of Government. He is also a New Zealand Harkness Fellow.



Selwyn Hayes, Senior Tax Manager, Ernst & Young, Wellington

Ngāi Tai, Te Whakatōhea, Te Atihaunui-a-Pāpārangī
Selwyn graduated with an LLB/BCom from the University of Auckland in 1999 and was also admitted to the Bar that year. He has extensive knowledge in the taxation of trusts, charities and Māori organisations as well as broad experience with corporate and public sector entities. Selwyn has considerable experience working with iwi to design and implement tax efficient group structures to receive and manage Treaty of Waitangi settlements. He also provides tax compliance, accounting and advisory services to several Māori land trusts and incorporations.



The Hon Shane Jones, Labour MP, Wellington

Shane is a graduate of Auckland and Victoria Universities, and of the University of Western Australia. He completed an MPA at the John F Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, as a recipient of the Harkness Fellowship. As chair of the Treaty of the Waitangi Fisheries Commission his task was to divide up \$1 billion worth of fisheries assets, among approximately 70 tribes. The distribution legislation was passed in 2004. Mr Jones entered Parliament in 2005 as a member of the Labour government. Mr Jones comes from the Far North of New Zealand. His tribal links are to Te Aupouri, Ngai Takoto, and he also has Welsh and Dalmatian heritage.



Tamarapa Lloyd, General Counsel Te Ohu Kaimoana, Wellington

Te Arawa, Ngati Tuwharetoa
Tama has been General Counsel and Company Secretary for Te Ohu Kaimoana since 2004. Te Ohu Kaimoana is subject to the Māori Fisheries Act 2004 and the Māori Commercial Aquaculture Claims Settlement Act 2004, has a number of subsidiary trustee companies and is also the voting shareholder of Aotearoa Fisheries Limited which owns Sealord and Moana Pacific. Tama is responsible for all legal matters that involve this multi-faceted organisation. Prior to joining Te Ohu Kaimoana in 2001 he practised as a solicitor at Wackrow Williams & Davies and YouthLaw - a community law centre for young people.

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Matanuku Mahuika, Partner, Kahui Legal, Wellington

Matanuku has been in corporate and private practice since 1991. Prior to establishing Kahui Legal, Matanuku was a partner at Walters Williams & Co and in-house counsel at the Treaty of Waitangi Fisheries Commission. He advises on a wide range of corporate, commercial, Treaty settlement and public law issues. He has acted on a number of Treaty of Waitangi settlements and is the principal legal adviser for Ngāti Porou in relation to foreshore and seabed negotiations with the Crown. He is currently a director and deputy chairman of Aotearoa Fisheries Limited and Past President of the Māori Law Society.



Her Hon Judge Stephanie Milroy, Maori Land Court, Hamilton

Te Arawa, Ngāi Tūhoe

Judge Milroy worked in private practice before taking up a lecturer's position at the newly opened School of Law at Waikato University. She was appointed to the Māori Land Court bench in 2002 and is one of the resident judges for the Waikato-Maniapoto district. She is also working on the report for Stage 2 of the Waitangi Tribunal inquiry into Tauranga Moana.



Linda Te Aho, Associate Dean Māori and Senior Lecturer, School of Law, University of Waikato, Hamilton

Ngāti Korokī Kahukura; Waikato-Tainui

Linda has been teaching at the School of Law since 1996. She has been involved in Treaty settlement negotiations for Te Pūmautanga o Te Arawa and Ngāti Korokī-Kahukura. Linda is appointed by Waikato-Tainui as a member of the Guardians Establishment Committee created by the Waikato River settlement



Ngahiwi Tomoana, Chairman Ngati Kahungunu Iwi Incorporated, Wellington

Ngahiwi has played an important role through the Treaty Tribes Coalition in the discussions over the development of the allocation method, has taken a lead in promoting Māori aquaculture for the wider Māori community and his iwi, and organised the first Māori Fisheries Conference, in 2006, in Napier. He has worked for the protection and enhancement of eel habitats both locally and nationally. Ngahiwi has served NKII for 21 years and has been chairman for 10 years.



Her Hon Judge Carrie Wainwright, Maori Land Court, Wellington

Judge Carrie Wainwright was appointed as a Māori Land Court Judge in 2000 and is a member of the Waitangi Tribunal. She is the Māori Land Court Judge for the lower North Island and the whole South Island and is also a trained mediator. She was appointed as the Deputy Chairperson of the Waitangi Tribunal effective from 11 February 2004 and is currently the Acting Chairperson. She is presiding officer in the district inquiries in Wairarapa ki Tararua and Whanganui, and has presided over several urgent Tribunal inquiries, including the inquiry into the government's foreshore and seabed policy, and into the application of the government's policy for settling Treaty claims. Prior to her appointment, Carrie was a partner of the law firm Buddle Findlay, where she practised as a litigation lawyer for 13 years. She represented a wide range of Māori claimants, Crown-related and local authority clients before the Tribunal and in the courts.

PROGRAMME - Governing and Running Māori Entities - tribal development and the law in the 21st century

8.30 - 9.00 **REGISTRATION** – Tea and coffee on arrival

9.00 - 9.10 **OPENING** – *Chair: The Hon Justice Joe Williams*

SESSION 1: TRAVERSING THE LANDSCAPE

9.10 - 9.45 The broad trends evident over the past 25 years

Presenter *Shane Jones MP*

SESSION 2: IWI ORGANISATIONS, IWI ASPIRATIONS AND THE LAW

9.45 - 10.00 Setting the legal scene

Presenter *Tamarapa Lloyd*

10.00 - 10.20 Aoraki Matatū - being steadfast in Ngāi Tahu identity

Presenter *Anake Goodall*

10.20 - 10.50 **MORNING TEA**

SESSION 2: IWI ORGANISATIONS, IWI ASPIRATIONS AND THE LAW

10.50 - 11.10 Ngāti Awa - getting past post-settlement

Presenter *Jeremy Gardiner*

11.10 - 11.30 Ngāti Kahungunu

Presenter *Ngahiwi Tomoana*

11.30 - 11.50 Enhancing governance of freshwater

Presenter *Linda Te Aho*

11.50 - 12.00 Lessons for lawyers and the law

Presenter *Tamarapa Lloyd*

12.00 - 12.25 Panel discussion

12.25 - 1.15 **LUNCH**

SESSION 3: MĀORI GOVERNANCE

1.15 - 1.50 Governance options

Presenter *Whaimutu Dewes*

1.50 - 2.20	Tax structuring for iwi organisations
Presenter	<i>Selwyn Hayes</i>
2.20 - 3.00	Legal relationships
Presenter	<i>Matanuku Mahuika</i>
3.00 - 3.30	AFTERNOON TEA
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3.30 - 4.00	Alternative dispute resolution
Presenter	<i>Her Hon Judge Carrie Wainwright</i>
4.00 - 4.30	Māori trusts incorporations and marae reservations
Presenter	<i>Her Hon Judge Stephanie Milroy</i>
4.30 - 5.00	SESSION 4: THE FUTURE
Presenter	<i>Dr Mason Durie</i>
5.00 - 5.15	CLOSING – <i>Chair: The Hon Justice Joe Williams</i>
5.30 - 6.30	DRINKS AND NIBBLES

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