

## Kaupapa

#### This document contains:

- Information about the Te Pae Tawhiti Kaimoana Enhancement Scholarship which is awarded to a Māori tertiary student enrolled in marine or kaimoana enhancement based studies
- An application form
- Terms and conditions of the Te Pae Tawhiti Kaimoana Enhancement Scholarship.

This is the inaugural year for the Te Pae Tawhiti Kaimoana Enhancement Scholarship ('the Scholarship') provided by Aotearoa Fisheries, (trading as Moana New Zealand) established to support Māori with aspirations to contribute to and work within the Māori marine and/or kaimoana industry.

Today, Moana New Zealand is New Zealand's largest Māori owned kaimoana and kai ora company and is an important part of the inter-generational Māori Fisheries Settlement with the Crown. The nature of that settlement means that Māori will always be involved in fisheries.







## Moana New Zealand abide by the following values:

- Whakapapa –
   understanding our
   genealogy, where we have
   come from
- Manaakitanga looking after people our way
- Kaitiakitanga caring for our resources for future generations
- Whakatipuranga

   prosperity for future

   generations



The Scholarship programme is designed for Māori who have a desire to contribute to the enhancement of the Māori kaimoana industry.

# About the Scholarship



#### 1. Eligibility

To be eligible, applicants must:

- 1.1 be of Māori descent
- 1.2 be accepted into and enrolled in a kaimoana enhancement related tertiary programme at a tertiary institution.

### 2. Definition of a kaimoana enhancement related tertiary programme

- Contributes towards the production of sustainable, regenerative or restorative kaimoana eg fisheries or aquaculture, business studies
- Environmental studies that support the production of sustainable kaimoana eg. climate change, marine ecosystems, marine sciences
- Social or political studies that support fisheries policy development.





#### 3. Value

- The value of the Scholarship is \$5,000 for one year
- The recipient will receive the Scholarship in two payments.
   One half on or near the start date of the enrolled course and the final half on completion of the year's study.

#### 4. Application

- The closing date for applications is Friday 22 January 2021.
- As part of the online application process, each applicant must submit:
- 4.1 The reason the elected field of study interests you
- 4.2 Alignment of career aspirations to kaimoana enhancement
- 4.3 Identify lwi and hapū connections
- 4.4 Demonstrate a commitment to their iwi, hapū and whānau
- 4.5 Evidence of acceptance onto a relevant course/programme
- For further information about this Scholarship, email comms@moana.co.nz

#### 5. Selection Criteria

- The Scholarship will be offered based on course selected, career aspirations and commitment to iwi, hapū, whānau
- The selection panel may also take into consideration the applicant's alignment to Moana New Zealand values

#### 6. Selection Panel

- The Selection Panel will comprise of at least two Moana New Zealand Executive members and at least one external Māori fisheries or marine expert.
- The Selection Panel may refrain from making any recommendations if it finds no applicant of sufficient merit.
- The Selection Panel's decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into following the selection meeting.

#### 7. Award and Retention

- The offer of the Scholarship must be accepted by the due date outlined in the offer letter or the offer will lapse.
- In accepting the Scholarship, the recipient will be deemed to have read, understood and accepted these conditions of the Scholarship outlined in this document.
- The tenure of the Scholarship shall be 12 months from the date of issue.
- Throughout the course of study, if applicable, Moana New Zealand may be able to offer the recipient exposure to Moana New Zealand operations. Details will be discussed and mutually agreed.
- The recipient is to provide a report of their studies including how they have aligned with their career aspirations.
- The Selection Panel may terminate this Scholarship at any time, and not pay the final sum if the holder withdraws from the stated course/tertiary institution or is not complying with the conditions governing the scholarship.
- If the recipient is unable to complete the course, through withdrawal or failure to meet any programme requirements, or is no longer eligible to pursue the programme of study for which the Scholarship has been offered, the Scholarship shall be terminated.

#### 8. Other conditions

- The Scholarship may be held together with any other scholarship or award, unless the conditions of the other funding preclude this.
- By accepting a Scholarship, the recipient agrees to participate in any reasonable publicity concerning the Scholarship arranged by Moana New Zealand, including the possibility of presenting at the Māori Fisheries Conference or other similar events.
- Past successful recipients are ineligible to reapply.



## **Application form**

PERSONAL DETAILS		
FULL NAME:		
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS:		
HOME/WORK PHONE:	MOBILE:	
EMAIL:		
DATE OF BIRTH:		
IWI AFFILIATIONS		
IWI:	IWI:	
HAPŪ:	HAPŪ:	
MARAE:	MARAE:	
IWI AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT		
List your previous involvement with your lwi and community. Please include details of any awards or acknowledgements you may have received.		
ASPIRATIONS		
Describe why you have chosen to study within the me	arine, aquaculture or fisheries sectors.	

#### KAIMOANA ENHANCEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

ENROLMENT INFORMATION		
COURSE NAME:		
START DATE:		
TERTIARY INSTITUTION:		
ADDRESS:		
USE OF INFORMATION		
I agree to participate in any reasonable publicity concerning the Scholarship arranged by Moana New Zealand, including the possibility of presenting at the Māori Fisheries Conference or other similar event.	YES/NO	
SIGNATURE:		
By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am chosen as the Scholarship recipient, any false statements, omissions or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my being omitted from selection.		
DATE:		
PLEASE ATTACH:		
Certified copy of course acceptance letter, or other enrolment information certified by the tertiary provider  Curriculum Vitae		
Current photo		
Proof of Identity (birth certificate, NZ passport)		
Please retain my information on file and notify me of any future opportunities at Mo	pana New Zealand.	