

Ngā Reo Maha, Ngā Reo Rere Shaping a Multilingual Auckland

Launch of the Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland Languages Strategy

Friday 27th November 2015, 8:30am – 4:30pm

OGGB5, Level 0, Owen G. Glen Building, 12 Grafton Road, Grafton, Auckland

Programme

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| 8:30am | Registrations open | Tea and coffee on arrival |
| 9:00am | Mihi whakatau | Wirihana Takanini (Bob) Hawke Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei |
| | Waiata | Richmond Road School |

Session One: Framing A Multilingual Auckland

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| 9:20am | Framing the day | Hauāuru Rawiri – MC, COMET Auckland |
| 9:30am | Ministerial Address | Hon Peseta Sam Lotu-iga, Minister of Ethnic Communities |
| 9:40am | Languages and the Superdiversity Stocktake | Mai Chen, Superdiversity Centre |
| 9:50am | The vision of a multilingual Auckland | Professor Stephen May, University of Auckland |
| 10:20am | Cultural performance | Papatoetoe High School |

10:30am Morning Tea

Session Two: Sharing Practice

11:10am **Sector solutions workshops – select one of four parallel streams:**

| Education <i>OGGB5 (260-051)</i> | Health/Social services <i>Case Room 1 (260-005)</i> | Community <i>Seminar Room (260-040C)</i> | Business <i>Case Room 3 (260-055)</i> |
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| <p>Convenor – Martin East, University of Auckland</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Languages in the curriculum – Adele Scott, Te Kura</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Developing resources for Hindi language – Kamla Prasad Teach Hindi NZ and Hindi Language and Culture Trust of NZ</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Building on learners’ first-language strengths – John McCaffery, University of Auckland</p> | <p>Convenor – Charles Hayward, English Language Partners</p> <p>*****</p> <p>English language provision that connects new migrants and refugees – Maria Hayward</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Support for families from non-English- speaking backgrounds – Anastasia Kariukin, Jan Scott</p> <p>*****</p> <p>How we’re keeping NZSL alive and thriving – Victoria Manning, Deaf Aotearoa</p> | <p>Convenor – Sophie Turner, Office of Ethnic Communities</p> <p>*****</p> <p>A panel discussion on retention and intergenerational transmission of heritage/community languages in the community – Christine Nurminen, Pasifika Education Centre, Nora Yao, Confucius Institute, Fakhrul Alam, Massey University</p> | <p>Convenor – University of Auckland Business School</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Examining the Superdiversity Stocktake and the Auckland Languages Strategy and their implications for business, tourism, trade and international relations – Kayur Ramson, Hanoku Bathula, Innovative Learning & Teaching Team, University of Auckland Business School</p> |

12:00pm **Panel - key themes from workshops** Workshop convenors

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| 12:30pm | Lunch | |
| Session Three: | Launching The Auckland Languages Strategy | |
| 1:15pm | Language policy and planning | Associate Professor Sharon Harvey, AUT |
| 1:45pm | Auckland languages strategy –overview | Susan Warren, COMET Auckland |
| 2:05pm | Launch of Languages Strategy | Councillor George Wood, Auckland Council |
| 2:15pm | Tongan Cultural Performance | Pasifika Education Centre |
| Session Four: | Planning Action Towards A Multilingual Auckland | |
| 2:25pm | World Café instructions | Jeff Johnstone, Asia NZ Foundation |
| 2:30pm | World Café – Planning action towards a multilingual Auckland | |

An interactive session to shape and prioritise actions under the goals of the Auckland Languages Strategy. You will have an opportunity to move between groups and have input to up to four of the following ten questions:

1. How can Auckland best acknowledge, promote and celebrate its languages?
2. How can te reo Māori be strengthened and used more widely in Auckland?
3. How can we ensure all Aucklanders can communicate well in English?
4. How can New Zealand Sign Language be more widely available and used in Auckland?
5. How can translation and interpreting services be more easily accessible in Auckland?
6. How can we ensure Pacific languages flourish in Auckland?
7. How can community and heritage languages in Auckland be best preserved?
8. How can we increase the number of Aucklanders who have high level skills in a language suitable for trade, tourism and international relations?
9. How can sector specific plans for languages be best developed and implemented?
10. How could the establishment of an umbrella organisation for languages promote and progress languages nationally?

4:30pm **CLOSE**

