

AKO AOTEAROA ACADEMY SYMPOSIUM 2018

PROGRAMME, WEDNESDAY 28 NOVEMBER

ENGINEERING CORE, UNIVERSITY OF CANTERBURY, CHRISTCHURCH

TIME	SESSION	VENUE
8.30am	Registration Registration, tea & coffee	Foyer, Engineering Core
10.00am	Mihi & Welcome – Angus Macfarlane, Marc Wilson & Marie McEntee Welcome, introductions to new members, acknowledgment of deceased members, outline of programme for the day	Drawing Room, Level 1, Engineering Core
10:45am	Morning tea	Recharge Lounge, Engineering Core
11:00am	Values Workshop – Marie McEntee Collaborative workshop to develop a vision and strategic plan to guide the future direction of the Academy. Round table, small group discussion facilitated by Marie.	Drawing Room, Level 1, Engineering Core
12.00pm	Ako Aotearoa and the Ako Academy – Helen Lomax and Marc Wilson Workshop co-facilitated by Helen Lomax and Marc Wilson on the potential ways that the Academy and Ako Aotearoa will collaborate to achieve each of our strategic agendas. Round table, small group discussion, with working lunch (takeaway brown bag lunch).	Drawing Room, Level 1, Engineering Core
1.30pm	The Academy at work: Extending the Influence of the teaching awards and schemes – Alison Kuiper and John Milne The workshop will provide an opportunity for teaching award winners to explore ways in which they can contribute to the promotion and development of excellent teaching among their colleagues and in their institutions. The workshop aims to build on the challenge from Phil Ker, Chair of the Tertiary Teaching Excellence Awards Panel to the 2017 recipients to “make an even greater impact in your own institutions and through the Ako Aotearoa Academy, spread your excellence, in the interests of lifting the game across New Zealand”. The workshop will be interactive using scenarios and videos as stimuli, and small group discussions to involve participants by drawing on their experiences as teaching excellence winners. Participants will be encouraged to consider the ways in which they currently contribute to the development of teaching in their institution and what would aid them in maintaining a focus on the quality of their teaching and that of their colleagues. After we consider the current local and international challenges to, and opportunities in, promoting teaching excellence, participants will take roles in responding to a scenario about how institutions can reward teachers, including the role of awards and fellowships. The ‘take home message’ for participants will be an enhanced understanding of their continuing role as leaders of quality teaching and the ways in which they can do this. There may also be some ‘take home messages’ suggesting future developments for Ako Aotearoa.	Drawing Room, Level 1, Engineering Core
2.30pm	Afternoon tea	Recharge Lounge, Engineering Core
3.00pm	Academy Speaks Academy AGM - members can briefly introduce topics or agenda items, and seek like-minded others to share discussion with during the Symposium.	Drawing Room, Level 1, Engineering Core
4.00pm	Field Excursions – Charles Fleischmann Optional attendance at field excursions within the Engineering labs - details to be confirmed	Engineering Core, Labs
5.30pm	BBQ with Australia Learning & Teaching Fellows at Ilam Homestead (Staff Club) on Campus. This evening is generously hosted by key sponsor ALT.	Ilam Homestead on campus