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## From the President

It has been a very busy few months. Organising for the Brisbane conference is proceeding well. It is going to be a real showcase of indigenous cultures working together, and is very exciting. *The call for papers has been extended until Thursday 29 May*, so if you haven't got your abstract in yet, please do so. The links are below. The Māori caucus are planning an ambitious symposium for September, which will include a strand in te reo Māori – read below for details.

Our Council managed to get seven full Fellowship applications into the Royal Society by the due date – everyone worked very hard to achieve this. Also, I was nominated by NZARE, seconded by PESA, for a position representing Constituent Organisations on the Royal Society Council – and got elected! This is another opportunity to raise our profile. Please make sure you read the paragraph re Springer below: we need to make a decision.

[Liz Gordon](#)

## Showered with honours!

Congratulations to Prof Linda Smith and Distinguished Prof Graham Smith who were recently made Fellows of the AERA. This is a rare honour!.

Congratulations also to Tanya Wendt-Samu for her appointment to the International Committee of AERA.

## 2014 Conference: notification re late paper submission



**AARE-NZARE 2014 CONFERENCE**  
Brisbane, Australia

The Joint Conference between  
Australian Association for Research  
in Education and New Zealand  
Association for Research in Education.

**30 November – 4 December 2014**  
Queensland University of Technology,  
Kelvin Grove Campus

[www.aare-nzare2014.com.au](http://www.aare-nzare2014.com.au)



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Call for papers has been extended to **Thursday 29th May 2014**

Take advantage of the extra time and submit an abstract for the AARE-NZARE 2014 Conference, Brisbane.

Closing date for full papers is now **Thursday 5th June 2014**

[Click here](#) to submit

or alternatively please visit <http://aare-nzare2014.com.au/> for further details.

## Council comings and goings

Deborah Fraser has resigned her elected position on the NZARE Council. We will miss you, Deb, and thanks! Richard Smith, who was co-opted to the Council at the AGM, has been appointed to fill her position as a full member.

## Springer: PLEASE NOTE

We have had an offer from Springer to publish the NZJES. This is a very beneficial offer to us, worth thousands of dollars, but it comes at some cost. One of the costs is a requirement to allow Springer to send communications to all of our mailing list from time to time. Individuals can 'opt out' of these communications if they choose, but it does mean forwarding our list to Springer. **The Council has decided to ask members to let us know if anyone strongly objects to this.** If more than a handful of members object, we will need to reconsider. Please [let me know if you object](#).

## Awards

The NZARE Awards will be announced and presented at the AARE/NZARE joint conference. In order for the winners to be encouraged to attend the conference, and make bookings, the timeline is very tight this year.

The deadline for completing the award application process is 1 September 2014.

Entries are requested for:

- Rae Munro Award (Masters' Thesis)
- Sutton-Smith Award (PhD Thesis)
- Group Award
- Te Tohu Pae Tawhiti Award

Descriptions and Entry criteria for all these are given on the [NZARE Website](#).

## Important dates – international conferences

The Council decided at its recent meeting that we would accept applications for the AARE conference this year for people giving seminars there, as it is a joint conference. So if your symposium is accepted for the joint conference, you may apply for funding for an international conference grant by 1 September.

Please note symposia given at this year's conference are also eligible for funding for the 2015 BERA, CSSE and AERA conferences. Please see the website [here](#) for details.

## Special Interest Groups

A seminar, hosted by AUT and organised by AUT and the policy and educational ideas SIGs will be held in July:

**PARTNERSHIP, POWER AND EDUCATION**  
**FRIDAY 4 JULY 2014 9.30 - 4.30**  
**AUT South Campus, Great South Rd, Manukau, Auckland**  
MD Building (MD210-211-213)

The language of 'partnership' is central to contemporary New Zealand education (e.g., in the relationship between school Boards of Trustees and the Crown, in public/private partnerships, in 'partnership schools', and in commitments to biculturalism in educational institutions). Partnerships can be expressions of mutual dependence, with benefits for all involved, but they also often rest on unequal relations of power. This conference addresses the connections between partnership, power and education, both conceptually and in relation to policy and practice. Discussion will be underpinned by these questions, among others:

### PROGRAMME

**Keynote: Education as the Power of Partnership: The Context of Collaboration.** Michael Peters - Summary of the Paper will be read and discussed by a panel made up of: Nesta Devine, AUT School of Education; Peter Roberts, University of Canterbury and John O'Neill, Massey University

**Parallel Sessions** (3 venues)

Closing Plenary: The Future of Ideas and Policy Study in New Zealand Universities

### REGISTRATION

Full registration \$65; discount for full-time students

**Register on line** and list of topics on <http://www.nzare.org.nz/conferences.html>

The SCIENCE SIG is hosting a symposium at SCICON in Dunedin on 10 July.

Theme: **Circuit breakers: Rewiring Science Education**

Location: **Otago Boys' High School**

This theme draws on the task of the 'Science and Society' reference group being led by Peter Gluckman to identify and prioritise 'circuit breakers' - approaches that will disrupt the current status of science education.

Participation in the symposium is warmly invited – either as a presenter, or to participate in the discussions that ensue.

**For more information please contact Cathy Bunting or Ally Bull**

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## Māori caucus symposium

He pānui tēnei ki te whakamohio atu ki a koutou, kei te tu tētahi hui, arā, NZARE Māori Caucus Symposium i te marama o Mahuru 26-27 i te tēnei tau. Hei taua wā, ka tū anō ngā pōti mō tētahi tūranga hou ki runga I te ropu Māori, arā, te Māori

caucus NZARE. E toru ngā whenua whakahaere o tēnei huihuinga. Tuatahi ko te reo rua, ka rua ko te reo/whakaaro Pasifika tauwiwi hoki, ka toru ko te reo Māori anake.

A Māori Caucus hui and symposium will be held September 26th and 27th 2014, in the Mataatua/ Bay of Plenty.

The three Streams are: Toi te Kupu – Toi te Mana - Toi te Whenua. The purpose is to bring together current Māori caucus members and to encourage a new wave of Māori members. Some presentations will be from writers of the articles of the successful 'Te Kawea o te Wairua' which was collated and edited by Māori Caucus representatives and published by Te Wahanga in 2012. Another such publication is in development and will be launched at the symposium on Thursday 26th September 2014. A Māori Caucus hui will be held to vote for a new Māori caucus representative to council. In order to vote and/or accept a nomination you must be present, be a registered member of NZARE and a Māori Caucus member. All information including costs, venue and accommodation will be available to general public as soon as NZARE website is able to upload new information.

## Student caucus

Massey University is hosting a two day workshop for students in August, that may also be open to any NZARE student members. Other student workshops are planned for Christchurch, Dunedin and possibly Wellington. Watch the Facebook page and website.

## About our new Logo

Te Rākau Tūtaratahi is depicted here as a narrative of research within Aotearoa, the Pacific Rim and wider indigenous communities. Te Rākau Tūtaratahi resembles the bringing together or being drawn together, which in this context enables networking towards the advancement of educational research.

Ko te uptake o Te Rākau Tūtaratahi e hangai pū ana ki te Ao rangahau ki roto ake o Aotearoa, te Moana nui-ē-Kiwa me wētahi atu Iwi taketake. Ko te āhua o te Rākau Tūtaratahi he whakakotahi, he tāhonohuno i tēna, i tēnā o tātou ki te taumata ikeike mō te hunga Rangahau Mātauranga.

**Creator & Title - Visual image** – Agnes McFarland – Ngāi Tūhoe

**Description** – Rosina Taniwha - Ngāti Tapu

## Other coming events: BERA Conference 2014

The British Education Research Association holds its 40th conference in London in September. <http://beraconference.co.uk/>

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