

# TE RONGOROA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Te Rongoroa scholarships are designed to support uri who push the boundaries in pursuit of practical learning experiences. This opportunity is targeted at those who are active on their marae, committed members of their hapū and Te Awa Tupua.

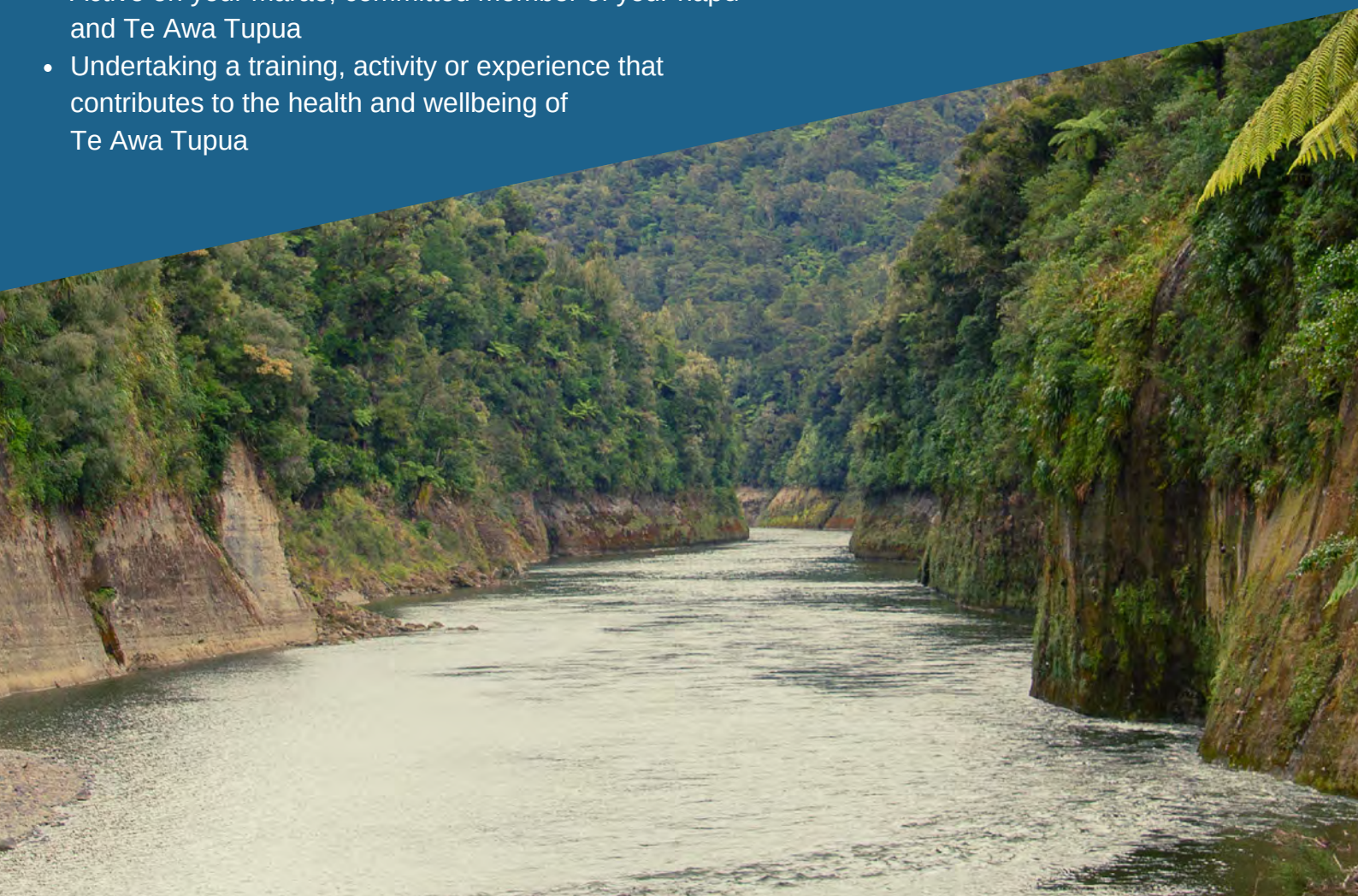
The overall aim is to grow the capability and capacity of our people to enhance the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua.

**To apply you must be:**

- A verified member on the Whanganui iwi register
- Active on your marae, committed member of your hapū and Te Awa Tupua
- Undertaking a training, activity or experience that contributes to the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua



**TE MANA O TE AWA**



**APPLICATIONS CLOSE 5PM 6TH OCTOBER**

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**This scholarship supports you to engage in activities such as:**

- River or rafting guide safety training
- Outward bound initiatives
- Kura Reo
- Commercial skippers/yacht master training
- Waka hourua experiences
- Jet boating licenses
- Pest management licences
- Mapping or digital ethnography activities
- Bee keeping courses
- And any other relevant training, activity or experience

**To apply you must provide:**

- A completed application form
- Proof of enrolment from your chosen training, activity or experience provider (if you are already enrolled)
- A written character reference from either a marae committee member or kaumātua
- Your CV (a template can be provided upon request)
- Your personal impact statement – this is the most important aspect of your application. It's your chance to tell us your commitment towards the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua and how your training, activity or experience will allow you to do this. **You can provide your personal impact statement:**
  - In writing (either in the application form itself or in a letter, no more than 200 words)
  - In a video (no longer than 3 minutes)
  - Kanohi ki te kanohi (face to face meeting with the Selection Committee)
  - Online video call (with the Selection Committee)
  - Teleconference/phone call (with the Selection Committee)

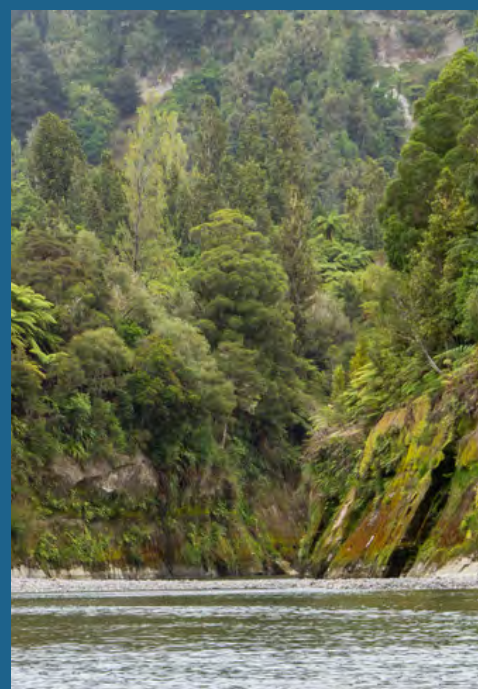
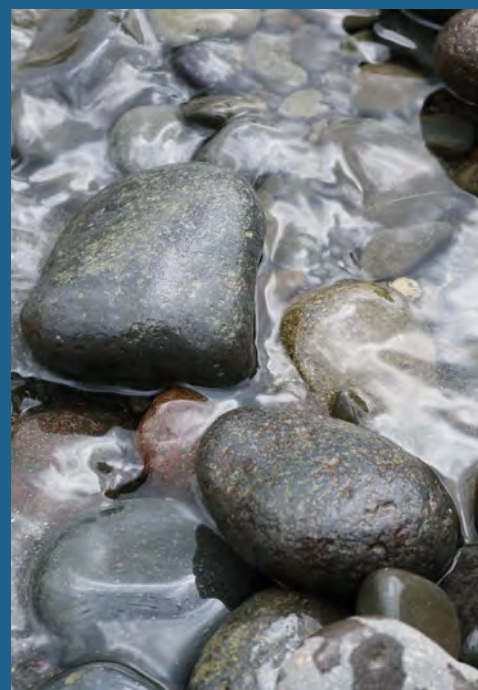
**Scholarships will be awarded based on:**

- Your personal impact statement demonstrates that you are a committed member of your marae, hapū and iwi who contributes to the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua
- Your training, activity or experience is aligned to the purpose of the scholarship
- Your application form is complete

This scholarship does not support sport or kapa haka activities. The scholarship cannot be used to pay for travel, accommodation, conference fees, or fees towards a university qualification.

**If successful:**

- Payment will be made directly to the training, activity or experience provider up to the value of \$6,000 for fees only
- You must be available to participate in the Tira Hoe Waka, Raukotahi Rangatahi Summit, Rangatakapū Summit or any other relevant iwi wānanga
- Provide a brief final report upon completion of training, activity or experience
- You consent to your profile and image being used in the promotion of Te Mana o Te Awa and Te Rongoroa sholarship



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*The name of this programme stems from the western facing side of the totara, Te Rongoroa. This side of the rākau receives less direct sunlight than the eastern facing side, Te Rongonui, where the sap flows faster as the totara grows. When the rākau was selected to make a canoe, it was felled in a manner that left Te Rongo-nui facing upward as this side presented for easier adzing. Te Rongoroa, being the denser side of the tree, became the riu (hull) of the waka.*

## PERSONAL DETAILS

Name:

Address:

Phone/Mobile:

Date of Birth:

Email:

Marae:

Hapū:

Whanganui iwi Registration Number:

(please call us if you are unsure)

## PROVIDER DETAILS

Name of training, activity or experience:

Describe the training, activity or experience:

Where will this be held?

Are you currently enrolled? ☐ Yes (please provide proof of enrolment)

☐ No

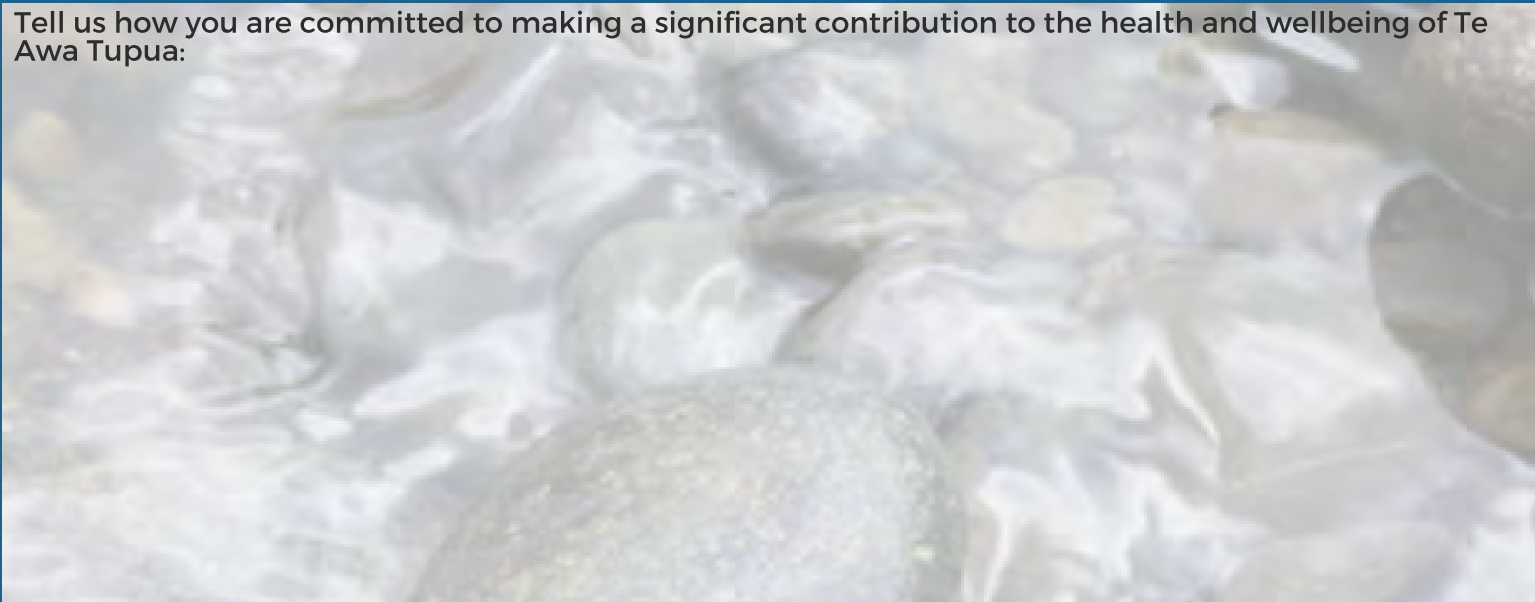
Start date:

End date:

Training, activity or experience fees:

## PERSONAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Tell us how you are committed to making a significant contribution to the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua:



## PERSONAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Tell us how your training, activity or experience will help you to contribute to the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua in the future:

Describe the impact a Te Rongoroa scholarship will have if received:

## CHECKLIST

The following checklist should be completed prior to submitting the application.

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| <input type="radio"/> Completed application form (this document) | <input type="radio"/> Whanganui Iwi Registration checked and verified |
| <input type="radio"/> Proof of enrolment (if enrolled)           | <input type="radio"/> Current CV                                      |
| <input type="radio"/> One (1) written reference                  | <input type="radio"/> Personal impact statement completed             |

## DECLARATION

- ☐ I declare that the information given in this application is true and correct
- ☐ If successful I will comply with all terms and conditions of the scholarship
- ☐ If successful I will provide a final report
- ☐ I understand payment will be made directly to the training, activity or experience provider
- ☐ Pursuant to the Privacy Act 1993, I hereby give consent to Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui to have my application sighted and discussed by my nominated referee and members of my marae or hapū
- ☐ If successful I consent for my profile and image to be used in promotion of Te Mana o Te Awa and the Te Rongoroa Scholarship

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Please send completed application and any supporting information to:

Post: Te Mana o Te Awa  
Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui  
PO Box 544, Whanganui 4500  
0800 292 8872

Email: [tmota@ngatangatatiaki.co.nz](mailto:tmota@ngatangatatiaki.co.nz)