

Tara Moala

Rākau Tautoko Practitioner

Skills

- Community Empowerment
- Community-Led Development
- Co-Design Creation
- Community Research
- Project Development and Management
- Youth-Led Initiatives
- Facilitation and Professional Development
- Consultation Services
- Cross Cultural Engagement
- Social Work

Experience

Rākau Tautoko / Founder and Lead Practitioner

November 2016 - current, Auckland

Developing our collective of practitioners, managing the administration of our projects and supporting the practitioners in their work. As the lead practitioner, leading some of the larger and more unique projects like Auckland DOC's codesign process, co-facilitating the Masterclass with The Codesign Lab and consulting on the development of an innovative new approach to early years hubs for Tāmaki to name a few.

National SKIP Team in MSD / SKIP Community Facilitator

January 2012 - August 2016, Nationwide and East Auckland

Working alongside communities to support the development of SKIP initiatives and sharing of the SKIP messages in various communities including online through Social Media and facilitating workshops. Supporting community groups to learn and implement Co-Design projects.

The HEART Movement / Professional Development and Facilitation

July 2016 - December 2016, Tāmaki, Auckland

Supporting The HEART Movement to develop the skills and support for their Change Agents including professional development workshops, family gathering opportunities and an community wide online presence.

Tāmaki Early Years Hub Working Group / Study Tour Co-ordination

March 2016 - August 2016, Tāmaki, Auckland

Developing and co-ordinating a tour to different sites around Auckland and one special place in Palmerston North to learn of the best case examples for whānau centred practice and community ownership within the early years.

Education

Massey University / Masters of Social Work (Applied) first class honors

2004 - 2005, Auckland

University of Auckland / Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology and Sociology

2000 - 2003, Auckland