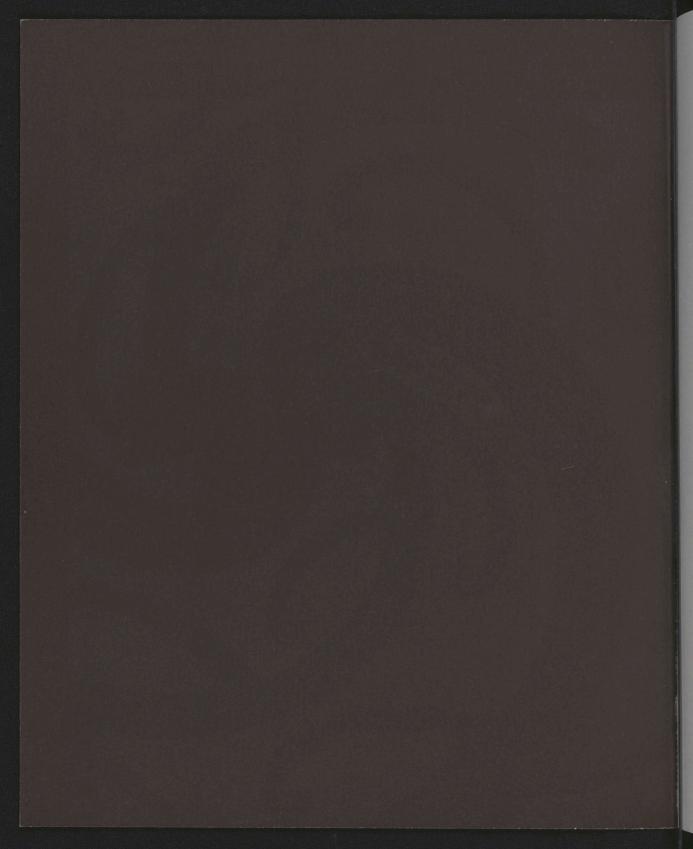
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### **Foreword**

Pūrangiaho Seeing Clearly is the first major exhibition of contemporary Māori art the Gallery has presented since Korurangi: New Māori Art, the project so vividly at the centre of the New Gallery's opening programme in 1995. Where Korurangi considered work in the terms of its then contemporary moment, this project endeavours to do something very different. Its central thesis treats the landscape of contemporary Māori art as a dynamic and synthesising place of exchange for Māori—a place that lies somewhere, perhaps everywhere, between the past and the present.

*Pūrangiaho* confidently stakes out new ground for contemporary Māori art, showing it as self-assured, authoritative and in command of the aesthetic and conceptual languages with which it deals. Treating Māori art with the continuous integrity of whakapapa the exhibition listens closely to the manifold voices of Māori. While tradition and spirituality might be the binding material of *Pūrangiaho* it as clearly shows us that cultural identity is as much received as it is constantly renewed and recreated.

CHRIS SAINES

Here is a visual and curatorial proposition intended to shift our thinking about the very nature of Māori art. *Pūrangiaho* includes the visual modes of abstraction and of stylistic transgression and it takes us to points of conceptual departure that include feminism or the politics of identity. Seen together, they describe a highly knowing and engaged contemporary Māori art, an art bristling with cultural and stylistic eclecticism — an art less late century ironic and conflicted and more new century certain.

However grounded in tradition Māori art is like any art form that emerges from the paradigm shifts brought about by the convergence of cultures. If Māori worldviews and material and stylistic approaches changed inexorably in response to the impacts of colonisation, that makes them no less Māori. Contemporary Māori art can and does have deep regard for its past but it also lives decidedly in our own particular historic moment. *Pūrangiaho* will help us to see that more clearly.

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does the exhibition's many private
and institutional lenders. I want to
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I wish to also recognise the outstanding curatorial and cultural leadership given by exhibition curator Ngāhiraka Mason. *Pūrangiaho* is, among many things, a great tribute to her professional courage and commitment. I know that she joins me in thanking her co-curator Ngārino Ellis, advisor Kahutoi Te Kanawa and the consultant group of Māori artists with whom we worked. In this, I want also to recognise the invaluable project development role played by Louise Pether, Manager, Art and Access.

Lastly, but importantly, can I acknowledge Creative New Zealand, through Te Waka Toi, for their very generous support of the exhibition's development.

### Welcome Pūrangiaho

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā rau rangātira ma. Tena koutou, tena koutou, tena koutou katoa.

We welcome *Pūrangiaho*. Māori art has received increasing recognition in recent times and we celebrate such vitality. The contributions of the artists are exceptional and *Pūrangiaho Seeing Clearly* brings together a great collection of sculptures, photography, paintings, personal adornment, fibre art, installation and video art. These works range in invention and revival, to offer new interpretations that are based in Māori tradition, culture and knowledge.

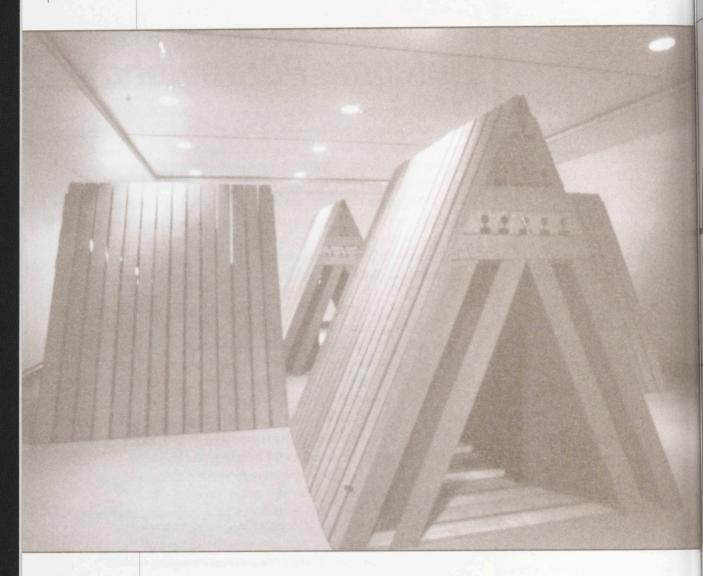
Pūrangiaho is a joy for the members of Haerewa, a small group of Māori art experts who have led the way in matters pertinent to Māori in the Gallery since 1995. In the seven years since its inception the group has explored ways of supporting, promoting and encouraging things Māori in the Gallery. The greatest challenge is to have a welcoming environment where Māori feel comfortable. To that end we have consolidated relationships with many Māori artists, and the iwi of Ngāti Whatua and Tainui. We support the purchase of Māori art works and exhibitions by Māori artists. Haerewa encourages the employment of Māori staff. For the first time the Gallery has employed and trained an indigenous curator, Ngāhiraka Mason.

Haerewa often grapples with the contradictions and tensions that arise in the debate about the definition and context of contemporary and traditional Māori art. The artists of Pūrangiaho enter into the debate through the works they have created for this exhibition and Haerewa acknowledges their courage, brilliance and creativity.

He aha te mea nui, he tangāta, he tangāta, he tangāta. What is the greatest thing? It is people, it is people, it is people.

#### ELIZABETH ELLIS

Ngāpuhi Ngāti Porou Chairperson of Haerewa with members, Fred Graham, Mere Harrison Lodge, Bernard Makoare and Arnold Manaaki Wilson, Gallery Kaumatua.



#### PARATENE MATCHITT

Papakaingā 1987-91

wood, pvc 2800 x 7800 x 7800mm collection Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

# Home, Home on

Many Māori artists today articulate the importance of a place we call 'home' in their work. Often they will have at least two such homes; one in the city and another in the country. Both have equal significance in terms of constructing their identity and providing a source of inspiration.



For Natalie Robertson, her homes are charted visually through her photography. In her *Kirikiriroa ki Kawerau* (driving home) work she maps out the land from Hamilton to



Kawerau where she grew up. The photographs act as a form of autobiography where we are allowed into the inner sanctum of her self. Likewise, in her Mangākino series we see a similar theme, as she takes us on a journey to the small rural town where she lived at one time, and in doing so we are

able to share in perceptions of whakawhanaungātangā.

Home for many Māori may also mean the wharenui. It forms part of the spiritual landscape — through the arts within it we can chart our history, our whakapapa. Each artistic tradition tells a different aspect of our ancestral heritage, coming together to create a complex and diverse narrative of our past, providing explanations for the present, and guiding us for what is to come. This is true no matter what degree of ornamentation or decoration the house contains.

It proved very difficult to maintain such traditions of ornamentation during the

NATALIE ROBERTSON

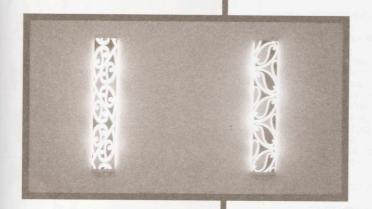
Mrs Rangi Stanley at her 76th birthday party 1999 gelatin silver print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

19th century when Māori society was under great stress. Yet it was the wharenui structure which was to stand strong and provide a place of refuge for many Māori and a link to the past. In

many ways this has continued to this day. The wharehui as a place of refuge may also be conceptual. We see this in *Pūrangiaho* in Michael Parekowhai's *The Bosom of Abraham*. This was originally displayed as a pseudo-whare sheltering the works of Ten Guitars <sup>1</sup> forming a house within a house, claiming the gallery space as one which is distinctively Māori by virtue of the kowhai-whai on the lightboxes. Kowhaiwhai plays a key part as a signifier of something

Māori, provoking the viewer to look deeper into the meanings of the works. In one way he is speaking to a distinctly Māori audience, or at least to those with knowledge of the meaning of kowhaiwhai patterns. In doing so the work provides a path back in time and place, and a link to the main site in which kowhaiwhai is found, the wharenui, which can be seen as constructing Michael's own turangāwaewae.

Lonnie Hutchinson also addresses architectural constructs in a conceptual way. In *Pūrangiahō* she uses builders' paper and shower curtains cut out like filigree and lace to build the installation *Wikitoria's Room*. The title draws on colonial history and the



MICHAEL PAREKOWHAI

The Bosom of Abraham 2000

fluorescent bulb, Italian light fixture, vinyl (14) dimensions variable Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki.

The latter pieces will not be shown in the exhibition.

place that Victorian politics had on Māori society. Using traditionally feminine materials to do a traditionally male practice confronts issues of gender in our arts. It also questions to what extent English gender values affected the male/female

extent English gender values affected the Male/Telhale balance in Māori arts. Conversely Lisa Reihana manipulates digital images to discuss similar issues. Let it not be said though that Māori women are shying away from traditional materials. The inclusion of historic examples of weaving in the exhibition provide a continuum of women's artistic practice which is referred to by the very existence of more recent pieces, such as Maureen Lander's small kete-scopes.

Even though we may be familiar with as many younger male as female artists, when we come to the older generation from the 1950s it is the generally the names of men, rather than the women, which easily roll off the tongue when asked to identify a contemporary Māori artist. One has to wonder why this is so? Is it because women were working in rural marae-based settings with a focus on expressions of traditional culture? Is it because women were busy raising families and were not 'seen'? Perhaps it is based on the materials which many of them use.

Western society has traditionally judged fibre as a craft and therefore of less value than art. But history denies a hierarchy of value based on this alone. We look no further for an example



#### LONNIE HUTCHINSON

Wikitoria's Room (detail) 2001

builders paper, plastic dimensions variable courtesy of the artist





**Kete muka** [55103], muka. courtesy of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku.

Poi [46520], harakeke, muka. courtesy of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku of customary value of art forms than to Auckland Museum and the waka taua *Te Toki a Tapiri*. This fully carved waka was exchanged at one point for a magnificent kaitaka paepaeroa, a cloak so precious it had its own personal name – *Karamaene*. In doing so, the people showed that the value of the waka and the kaitaka were the same – the size or the gender of the maker did not matter.

Issues of gender equality in the arts continue to concern us. Undoubtedly Māori women today are better represented in survey exhibitions, and Māori as a whole form a key feature of New Zealand culture in shows overseas such as *Toi Toi Toi*, and, most recently, the Venice Biennale. Yet it is surprising that even though once most of our whakairo represented women<sup>2</sup>, at the moment contemporary carving places men in a dominant role in our history. In doing so there seems to be a conscious historical amnesia in which women's roles in our society are ignored. Pūrangiaho seeks to redress this with an even selection of men and women artists and the genders are not divided by virtue of materials as is sometimes the case.

Equal respect for older male and female artists can be seen clearly in the Saints and Madonnas series of work by Isiaha Barlow. Whereas Western icons show saints with the symbols of their martyrdom, traditionally Barlow's artist/saints are depicted with references either to the tools they use, or their own personal styles of working. For example for *St Ralph* [Hotere] we have a strong



use of black, and for St Buck [Nin] his distinctive form of kowhaiwhai. He also makes reference to the wharenui, although in this case it is to the ancestors revered within its walls. This is further enhanced by Barlow's style—that of Russian icon painting, elevating, what for him as a young

Māori artist, is their godlike status. As such he is rewriting Māori art history of the past 50 years for rangātahi.

Much of the art in *Pūrangiaho* is used as a mouthpiece for specific concerns. Gina Matchitt, for example, uses her work as a commentary on current issues affecting Māori society. Both *Riona Whero Cross* and *Pall Mall Cross* highlight forms of addiction which plague Māori – that of the booze and cigarettes which have colonised Māori and affected their physical and spiritual health. Their shape brings in another colonial tool, that of religion, which had such a profound affect on our people. In M is for Mary Christianity is the focus. The Virgin Mary holds the Golden Arches of the McDonald's fast food chain, a form of nourishment for many people, which contrasts starkly with the spiritual food which Mary represents. The work can also be read as confronting issues of tapu and noa, the tapu of spirituality, and the noa of food.

#### ISTAHA BARLOW

St. Robert 2000 tempera on linen on board 35.5 x 39.5mm

courtesy of the artist

GINA MATCHITT

Riona Whero Cross 1999

74 x 48mm aluminium, fine silver, stainless steel collection of The Dowse Art Museum



And so *Pūrangiaho* is set to realign this gender balance and bring together artists by virtue of their expertise rather than gender. The works in this exhibition are as diverse as the nature of Māori art today. From video art and photography, to jewellery and carving, the works challenge viewers to call their own preconceived definitions of Māori art into question The presence of older works illustrates that Māori artists have always been innovative, while the more contemporary pieces defy a simplistic reading and broaden the boundaries of Māori art production.

Ear pendant [653] courtesy of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku



Pūrangiaho should be enjoyed for its variety and richness. Let us appreciate it for its simplicity and repudiate the hype and soul-searching in pursuit of 'the definitive contemporary Māori art exhibition' which usually accompanies such shows. And herein lies the irony, that one of the primary reasons for mounting such exhibitions is precisely to provoke and encourage discourse about our art, by the viewers, the critics and, of course, the artists themselves. Such interchange can provide

inspiration for further works and tease out new directions. This exhibition promises to do both, reflecting the duality in which we all live, between turangāwaewae and our urban base, between internal and external influences. Working within such binaries exposes the dynamism and power which is Māori art, and provides us with a way to see clearly, about ourselves, our culture and our art. It is *Pūrangiaho*.

E tipu e rea mo ngã ra o to ao
Ko te ringā ki ngã rakau a te Pākeha
Hei ara mo to tinana
Ko to ngākau ki ngã taongã a ngã tipuna Mãori
Hei tikitiki mo to mahuna
A, ko to wairua ki te atua
Nana nei ngã mea katoa

Grow up o' tender youth and fulfil the needs of your generation
Your hand mastering the arts of the Pākeha
For your material well-being
Your heart cherishing the treasures of your ancestors
As a plume for your head
Your soul given to god, the author of all things 1



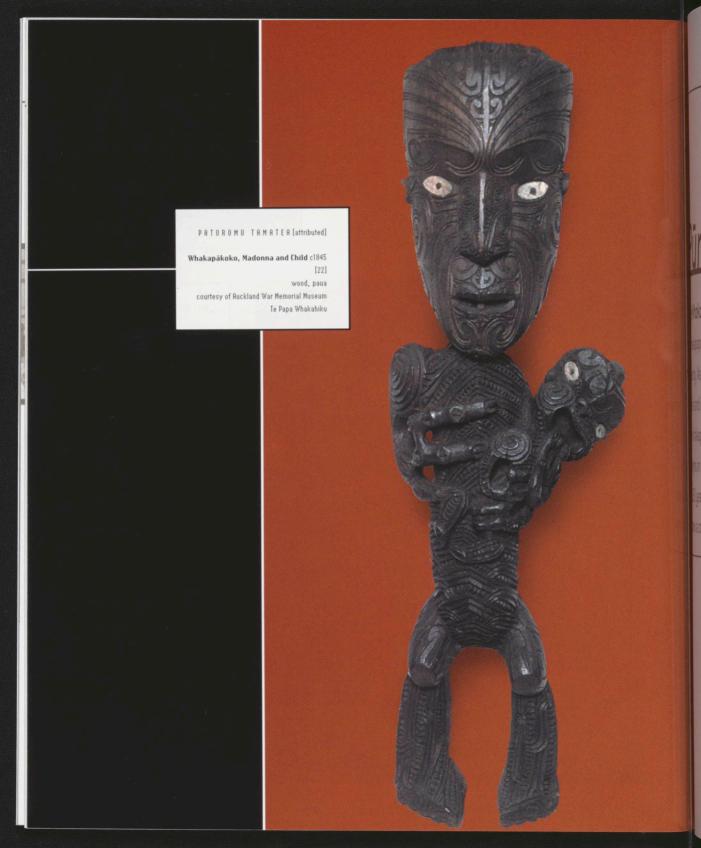


#### NATALIE ROBERTSON

Brian Wilson and David Kingi after their team won the 1989 Annual Mangakino Raft Race. Lake Maraetai. March 1989 550 x 640mm gelatin silver print courtesy of the artist

#### EMILY KARAKA

Pot of Honey 2001 2400 x 1500mm acrylic on canvas Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki



Heke heke ngā aho Heke heke ngā aho

## Pūrangiaho Tōku Mata

He Whakapapa Toi Hou—a context

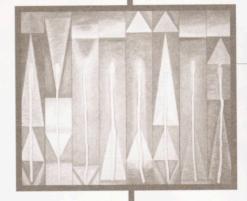
Whakapapa is one of many ways to begin a discussion on *Pūrangiaho Seeing Clearly*. As a Māori term whakapapa usually implies genealogical or geographical links and insider skills to understand and identify the connections. In the spirit of whakapapa and for the purpose of this discussion, 'he whakapapa toi hou' begins in 1845. It interconnects with today's contemporary Māori art, spanning a 150 year bandwidth by generation, practice, shared issues and commonality to show a continuum of practice and the legacy of tradition.

BY NGÄHIRAKA MASON

Ngãi Tuhoe

The first generation of 'whakapapa toi hou' begins in the mid-19th century with traditionally trained artist carver Pātoromu (Bartholomew) Tamatea in the mid 19th century, and includes Raharuhi Rukupo, Tene Waitere and Hone Ngātoto at the turn of the twentieth century. This highly productive period overlaps with the next generation of artists, who produced work under the 'Ngāta revival' period which ends around the 1940s. A handful of art school-trained artists took their place during the 1950s and they make up the 'trail-blazing' generation who explored designs, symbols and the origin narratives. They were followed soon after by the 'hungā wero' generation of urban self-taught and professionally trained artists who expressed identity and cultural, social and political imperatives. The 'young guns' generation appeared in the late 1980s with some of the same issues using wit and neo-urban savvy. Quick successions of 'te ringā hou artists' explored materials and technology bringing us up to where Māori art is right now - an inspiring and prolific art scene.

The art produced by indigenous Māori offers up centuries of images that tell stories of a unique living culture, and over time we have come to appreciate and understand some of the multi-faceted dimensions of historical and contemporary Māori art. The small selection of historic works have been chosen for the stories they tell about people and places, and what we can glean about the ideas behind the works, the influencing factors and circumstances of the time in which they were produced. The contemporary works add value by providing a discussion about the



KURA TE WARU REWIRU

Wahine, Whenua, Wahine 1989 acrylic on board 910 x 1450mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

PATOROMU TAMATEA [attributed]

Whakapākoko, Madonna and Child c1845 [22] wood, paua courtesy of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku



relationships between the legacy of tradition and today's approaches to contemporary Māori art.

To gain a sense of the development of traditional practice we do look to actual images from the past. Although the process of development is an ever changing and constantly evolving one, the persistence of tradition in the visual arts has thrived, and has long awaited in-depth discussion and comment.

### Whakapākoko - The image

The 1845 carved image of *Whakapākoko*, *Madonna and Child* is attributed to Te Arawa carver, Pātoromu (Bartholomew) Tamatea of Ohinemutu, Rotorua. An arresting free-standing figure, it is one of many signifiers of changes to the tradition of Māori carving, and was created to be displayed on the altar of the Catholic Church under construction at Maketu at the time. The artist skilfully integrated Christian iconography of the Madonna with a Māori traditional expression of a high born figure. In so doing, he also carved out a new direction for Māori practice. An early convert to Catholicism, the artist took the work to a Catholic priest who rejected it on the grounds that *Whakapākoko*, *Madonna and Child* was a pagan image and therefore not suitable for the Catholic Church. <sup>2</sup>

Rukupo<sup>3</sup> (d.1873) Hone Ngātoto<sup>4</sup> (d.1928) and Waitere<sup>5</sup> (d.1931) produced groundbreaking carvings during the latter part of the 19th century and forward into the 1900s. While they glanced backward to the past to acknowledge and access the origins of their

individual practices, they also experimented with, adopted and rejected new styles, tools, and materials. The proof of their practice exists today as meeting houses, church buildings and as objects. Significantly meeting houses gave prominence to materials and tools thereby changing the direction of tradition and practice. In terms of artistic endeavour the most significant meeting house projects accomplished during this time includes Te Hau ki Turangā (1839-42) which originally stood at Manutuke in near Gisborne and now stands in Te Papa Tongārewa Museum of New Zealand. As such, these meeting houses are tributes to Māori pride and heritage. Most of the houses strongly reflect the advent of Christianity, the aggressiveness of land confiscation and war and the period of the Ringātu faith and the Māori prophet, Te Arikirangi Te Kooti Te Turuki. Significant stylistic changes also occurred here.

At this time carved replicas, plaques and tourist items were produced for sale and European patronage of Māori art was born. Woven samplers, carved panels depicting local histories and narratives took on a real currency and a new cultural trade and exchange. Text and the written language found its way into carving, tukutuku, kete and whāriki designs and tāniko patterns design became subsumed into kowhaiwhai patterns. Later, kowhaiwhai designs also became multicoloured, carvings were simplified and paints were applied to carvings. Kakahu weaving, kete making, fine-mat production and the art of poi incorporated wool, and artificial dyes were used in conjunction with natural dyes. 10



Woven sampler [54535] Kete houhi [51221] Back and purple horsehair kete [55103] Poi: [1063]

wool, muka, harakeke, feathers courtesy of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku

#### REUBEN PATERSON

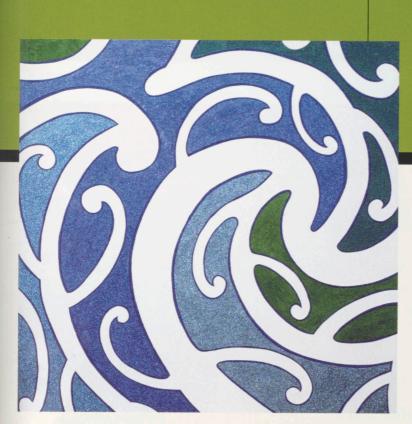
The Kaiahuwhenua and his Three Sons 2001 glitter dust on canvas

1720 x 1720mm courtesy of the artist

#### DION HITCHENS

Manaaki Patupaiarehe [detail] 2001

wood, steel 2400 x 500mm courtesy of the artist









#### MELAINA KARAITANA-NEWPORT

Ocean Pe-Anaru Pureau and Ahere Charles Gilles 1999 Inkjet print 915 x 2490mm

#### MAUREEN LANDER

courtesy of the artist

interlace kete and kete-scopes 2001 muka, lacebark, fake fur, harakeke, lace dimensions variable courtesy of the artist There was a lapse in the number of meeting house projects for twenty-two years between 1914 - 1926. Concerned about this lack, Sir Apirana Ngāta, Member of Parliament, and the equally esteemed Māori leader Te Rangi Hiroa (Dr Peter Buck) alerted the Government of the day to the decline of Māori arts and a wavering cultural integrity of some art forms. <sup>11</sup> We now rightly elevate Tā Apirana and others to the position of original champions, from a remarkable period in Māori art, social and political history. In his time, he prepared the way for future generations to forge ahead and explore the future for Māori art that has continued to adapt, change, recover, continue and evolve with dynamic force.

Not only leading artists but also mentors, 'the trail-blazers' generation' <sup>12</sup> used their newly acquired knowledge to explore the many dimensions of customary art and became the modern Māori 'fine-art-set'. In a structural way they reflected what could be referred to as 'building bridges between Māori and Pākeha'. As mediators between two worlds they were ready to experiment and set new standards, articulating modernist concerns along-side indigenous inspirations. Their practice had the benefit of an energised Māori identity. Some of the catalysts were education, Māori trade training, employment, cultural pride, fused with Western 'know-how, urban-style'.

Interestingly, this period of rapid changes also produced the highest number of inter-marriages between Pākeha and Māori, setting the scene for the invention of biculturalism, New Zealand style. For the most part Māori more than managed the urban environment

and adapted quickly to the new distractions of the cities. Bastion Point <sup>13</sup> day (25th May 1978) became a huge political turning point for all Māori, in the already tough game of cultural politics and in a very public way Māori admitted that they lacked political power. This had the effect of drawing Māori closer to urban marae and increased membership of urban networks. <sup>14</sup>

### Te Hungā Wero - Confronting Change

Raising consciousness is the business of all generations of artists and the landmark touring international exhibition Te Māori: Māori Art from New Zealand Collections [1986-7] made this point penetratingly clear. Encouraged by this success, artists upped the ante with unyielding gritty expressions of encounter and vision for the future of Māori art. They mentored emerging artists enabling a growth in practice and Māori language. 15 All generations of artists were extremely productive, generating the use of new materials, ideas and expressions. By confronting and engaging Māori and Pākeha ideas, they reflected a rich contemporary practice while managing teaching careers and juggling families. At the same time a new phase of art writing and critique, spurred on in part by the emergence of strong Māori voices, burst onto the contemporary New Zealand art scene. Sometimes the art and the dialogue were generated in parallel with political and major social upheavals. At other times it simply signalled new directions and struggle. Indigenous rights, land rights, sovereignty, identity politics and the Treaty of Waitangi emerged as the most



EMILY KARAKA

Te Uri o Te Ao 1995

oil on canvas

3000 x 3800mm

Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki



telling points for debate, and it was difficult to separate out art and politics. Robert Jahnke, (b.1951) was among the main architects of change during the late 1980s and early 1990s. From the East Coast tribe of Te Whanau a Rakairoa o Ngāti Porou, his installation work *CON Version 3.33R* is characteristic in style and content of an engaging and confronting oeuvre. Likewise, Emily Karaka (b.1952) of Ngāi Tai and Waiohua ancestry has focussed her practice on the Treaty of Waitangi and indigenous landrights.

Of Ngāpuhi and Ngāti Kahutoi ancestry, Kura Te Waru Rewiri (b.1950) draws inspiration from recounted whanau stories of the Rātana faith. By memorialising Rātana symbols she acknowledges the imposition and adaptation to Christianity and captures memories and moments in art, social and political history, while also addressing adaptability in a continuum.

PETER ROBINSON

Strategic Plan 1998 oil and acrylic on jute 2500 x 5000mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

Te Tira Tutuki - The Young Guns Generation

Meanwhile, inherited knowledge, language, traditional values and beliefs were the casualties of those born to the urban drift generation. Artists however, embraced their de-tribalisation as positive attributes. On the 27th July 1987 the Māori language was declared an official language of New Zealand. The resurgence of language was made possible through the promotion of kohangā reo and kura kaupapa Māori, and Māori language was on its way to recovery. An important landmark for artists, it enabled access to traditional knowledge that was previously missing or

inaccessible. In some cases this new knowledge was gained simultaneously and cross-generationally. Experimenting with a wide range of Māori art forms, new media and visual art language, a fusion of contemporary Māori art emerged that set the scene for a sophisticated but ever-present tension between Māori and Pākeha.

Paintings by Shane Cotton of Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Hine and Te Uri Taniwha (b.1966) presents the rhythmic text of karakia in Māori language—

figurative and narrative imagery contained within cells. A fluid kowhaiwhai camouflage form speaks to the shaping, renaming and defining of identity. By offering multiple access points to a complex but transparent Māori and settler history he is perhaps continuing the work that Tamatea started in 1845.

Of Ngāti Koroki and Kahukura heritage Brett Graham's [b.1967] sculptures take us back to the

beauty and simplicity of the single chisel marks as seen in his works *Turangāwaewae and Tu Pasifika*. <sup>16</sup>

As an accessible, popular and savvy artist, Michael Parekowhai [b.1968] upholds Ngā Ariki, Ngāti Whakarongo and Te Aitangā a Mahaki attitudes. Representing the ribs of the house, the installation *The Bosom of Abraham* comprises Italian light fixtures that illuminate graphic kowhaiwhai designs taken from numerous wharenui throughout the country, specially chosen by the artist. They make a potent comment on the generic visual currency of kowhaiwhai that ranges between cheap souvenirs to major corporate logos. Known for the way that

SAFFRONN TE RATANA

Untitled 2 2000 pencil on paper 190 x 140mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki



#### FIONA PARDINGTON

Taniwha Soap 1995 gelatin silver print 805 x1080mm

Chartwell Collection Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki



his installations are vested in both 'Māori meaning' and Pākeha principles, Parekowhai is fast becoming a national bicultural hero. Counterpart Lisa Reihana (b.1964) of Ngāpuhi, Ngāi Tu and Ngāti Hine ancestry has created a digital marae installation drawing on images of female atua. On the futuristic side of possibilities for meeting houses that exist in digital space, a beautiful Hinepūkohurangi is depicted levitating above a horizon line, her head looking skyward on her return to her sky parent Ranginui. In a further work a striking Mahuika beckons. By way of contrast, and of Ngāi Tahu descent, Peter Robinson (b.1966) is concerned with cultural belongings, nonpolitical correctness, cultural bits and pieces and binary systems that contain information about identity. Renowned for his robust 1993 Māori 'percentage' paintings, his Māori-ness hovers between black and white waka-identity paintings and a giant satirical Strategic Plan that points to careerism and relationships with art institutions. Like his Ngāi Tahu equal Jacqueline Fraser, he engages an international language to reach a wider audience.

### Te Ringā Hou - Recent Talent

Artists entering the new millennium are a fascinating group because their production is as far-reaching and strengthening as the art that their ancestors created. Te ringā hou artists <sup>17</sup> had a very different entry onto a contemporary art scene that was outwardly driven by identity politics but inwardly focussed on positions in history as well as physical location. They interact with knowledge, information and technology in a manner that is starting to set them aside from their peers. Equally exciting are the critics

who come from a wide ranging group of art historians, academics, curators, writers, art commentators and professional practitioners in the field of Western and Māori art history <sup>18</sup>.

As a symbol, the meeting house encapsulates all that is meaningful to Māori. Whakapapa, art, political and social history are all recorded in the house. But in and of itself, the house represents ancestors because every aspect of the structure represents a part of the human body. Ngātaiharuru Taepa (b.1976), himself a descendant of Te Arawa and Ati Awa carvers trained in the tradition of customary carving, creates abstract resonances of the weatherboards used to construct meeting houses from the 'Ngāta revival period'. Painted bronze circles on board are stacked one above the other in progression from dark to light, suggesting an echoing element of where we have come from. Of Ngāi Tuhoe descent, Saffronn Te Rātana (b.1975) paints abstracted ancestral forms using an impasto technique. The figures are often contained and float in an alien or altered space. She has developed an enigmatic methodology of cataloguing figures that have their origins in the carved image, perhaps mirroring ancestral traits as well as the different levels of the human continuum. Of Kai Tahu and Kati Mamoe ancestry, Fiona Pardington (b.1961) has long been interested in the figurative form and for Pūrangiaho she focuses on the abstracted human form of the hei tiki. Un-named and never before exhibited, these seven photographs of green-stone hei tiki from Kai Tahu carry the names of geographical points in Te Waipounamu. 19

#### ROBERT JAHNKE

#### CON-Version 3.33R 1995

wood, lead 1400 x 2500 x 250mm Chartwell Collection Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

#### KURA TE WARU REWIRI

Old and New Beginnings 2001 acrylic on canvas board 460 x 300mm courtesy of the artist and Ferner Gallery







#### NGATAIHARURU TAEPA

#### Bronze Circles (detail) 2001

acrylic on board 2400 x 2400mm courtesy of the artist

#### BRETT GRAHAM

#### Tu Pasifika 1999

wood 2000 x 2000mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tâmaki









#### SAFFRONN TE RATANA

#### I.lp.blk.1 2001

[diptych]

acrylic on board

300 x 2400mm

courtesy the artist and Ferner Gallery

#### JOHN WALSH

#### Toku Whanau Ataahua 2001

oil on aluminium

480 x 635mm

courtesy the artist and John Leech Gallery





### SHANE COTTON

The Waka Transformation 2001 acrylic on canvas 700x 1000mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaķi

MICHAEL PAREKOWHAI

The Story of a New Zealand River 2001 baby grand piano, paua, gold leaf dimensions variable purchased by The Thanksgiving Foundation Ruckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

BRETT GRAHAM

Turangāwaewae 1999 wood 2000 x 2000mm collection of Jenny Gibbs Trust Rangi Kipa, (b.1966) of Ati Awa descent, concerns himself with new and old materials. Equally at home carving corian or whalebone, Kipa fuses elements of carving and tā moko but his range never veers far from customary practice. Of Te Aitangā a Hauiti ancestry, John Walsh (b.1958) paints surreal images of intriguing figures in his series of works entitled *Aroha and Tikangā* and *Haere Tawhiti*. A cast of creatures who look only part-human appear in transit between this world and the next. Their means of transport is a floating futuristic helix with underworld tones while the characters *Aroha and Tikangā* play out the dramas of life, love and lore.

Trained as a pattern-maker in the fashion industry, Ngāi Tahu Lonnie Hutchinson (b.1963) creates installations that respond to architectural elements and building materials. *Wikitoria's Room* is a well-expressed response to hybrid structures, colonial windows and imported lace patterns. While fusing traditional kowhaiwhai patterns with lace, perhaps Hutchinson is seeking a structural design

debate that locates indigenous design at the centre of contemporary Māori practice. Drawing on his Ngāti Rangitihi and Ngāi Tuhoe heritage, Reuben Paterson (b.1973) draws on kowhaiwhai designs to map out pakiwaitara narratives. He paints huge canvases with swirling glitter curls that represent short journeys. These expeditions including symbolic, literal, spiritual and metaphorical excursions are visited and re-visited through painted glitter panels that contribute to a new and exciting art history.



Dion Hitchens (b.1970) of Ngāi Tuhoe and Ngāti Porou origins makes huge installations that have an environmental imperative that is monumental and original. Of Te Ati Haunui a Paparangi and Tuwharetoa descent, Isiaha Barlow (b.1977) also mixes Christian iconography with Russian orthodox painting tradition, using a Byzantine style. His series of twelve Māori saints 20 paintings cleverly takes elements of each artist's practice thereby pointing out their contribution to contemporary Māori arts. Beatifying and elevating Māori men to a status of sainthood denotes a religious imperative with tongue-in-check playfulness. Contrastingly, and as Barlow's peer, Gina Matchitt's (b.1966) Jesus Nike and Praying Nike brooches debate the degrees of religious imposition that impact on indigenous Māori spirituality. Of Te Arawa and Whakatohea descent, Matchitt eloquently comments on the way that 'cool' labels drive local economies, from holistic communities to global commercial ones.

John Miller (b.1950) is Ngāpuhi, Ngātiwake-ki-uta, Uri Taniwha and Ngāti Rehia. Miller's practice spans some 30 years. As a Māori photographer of significance, he documented the first Māori Artists and Writers Conference held at Te Kaha in 1973 (and continues to do so) and photographs numerous important social and political events that Māori participate in or are featured in. Established fibre artist and of Ngāpuhi ancestry, Maureen Lander (b.1942) works closely with muka and environmental groups to protect indigenous fibre sources. Her interest in historic items in museums all over the world has contributed greatly to the revival of fibre artistry and the revitalization of innovative uses of



# JOHN MILLER

Porch, Tukaki wharenui. Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae, Te Kaha. Local kuia and Ringatu Pou Paora Delamere with Haare Tahapehi. June 1973 2001 gelatin silver print toned with gold

479 x 483mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

materials. Of Kai Tahu ancestry, Areta Wilkinson's (b.1969) jewellery is powerfully poignant. She skilfully constructs brooches from natural materials and fine silver drawing on the art of string games. Natalie Robertson (b.1962) of Ngāti Porou has created a compelling photo essay of the small south-western Waikato community of Mangākino revealing a gripping insight into the social events and ordinary everyday things that knit a community together. <sup>21</sup> Bloodlines and genealogical connections is the theme that runs through Melaina Newport- Karaitiana's (b.1975) work. Of Ngāti Kahungunu, Ngāti Ruru, Ngāti Tamehake and Ngāti Kahuranaki ancestry she investigates whanau, place and identity through the medium of photography. Intimate familial portraits reveal and mirror a history of representations of those she loves dearly and those she wishes to be near.

# Cultural Recovery and Indigenous Pride

All of the artists in *Pūrangiaho Seeing Clearly* come to the exhibition on an equal footing with each other, with the common purpose of showing a continuum of Māori art practice that is informed by the legacy of tradition. From the starting point of *Whakapākoko*, *Madonna and Child* the spirit of the past is reflected in each of the works. They serve as reminders of the cyclical nature of Māori tradition. How we approach cultural recovery and indigenous pride is being explored and contested by contemporary Māori artists. Accordingly, as the world becomes smaller through globalisation access to knowledge and information about who we are and where we come from is split at the intersection of the spoken and written word and new technologies. Meanwhile artistic ideas continue to point forward to the future.

### ARETA WILKINSON

Tane and Wahine 1998
pohutukawa, pounamu, cotton,
silver
170 x 190mm
collection of The Dowse Art Museum

### GINA MATCHITT

Jesus Nike 1999 105 x 40mm laminated card, fine silver, stainless steel Chartwell Collection Ruckland Art Gallery Toi o Támaki

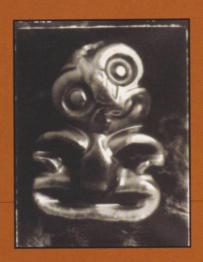
### BANGI KIPA

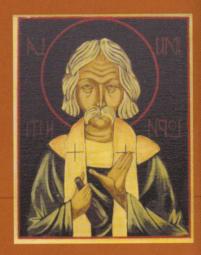
Hei Tiki 2001 corian, paua 58 x 98 x 12mm courtesy of the artist

- Of Ngai Tuhoe, Tuwharetoa, Whanau a Apanui descent, composer musician Whirimako Black wrote Te Tini a Toi to teach whakapapa to her children and pay respect to important ancestors. She states: The constant uttering of 'Heke heke nga aho' means the ever descending lines of genealogy.
- 2. A written account of the work at the time makes the comment that the full facial ta moke of Whakapākoko, Modonna and Child is that of a man. Whakapākoko took pride of place at a special ceremony of welcome held at the Auckland War Memorial Museum in November 1986 when the Pope visited New Zealand. My thanks to Chanel Clarke, Curator Māori at Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku, for her insights and curatorial notes on Whakapākoko, Modona and Child.
- 3. Tohungā whakairo, Raharuhi Rukupo, worked on the carved meeting house Te Hau ki Turangā that is on permanent display at the Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongārewa, with his contemporaries Mahumahu and Natanahira Toromata. Raharuhi also worked on the carved war canoe Te Toki-a-Tapiri on permanent display at Te Papa Whakahiku The Auckland War Memorial Museum.
- 4. Master carver Hone Ngåtoto, of Ngåti Porou, was famous for his use of a straight-blade chisel. He completed the carvings in the St Mary's Memorial Church before he died in 1928.
- 5. Of Ngåti Tarawhai descent, Tene Waitere was not only famous as a tohungå whakairo, but also pioneered carved panel samplers showing ta moko designs and the faces were carved at an angle, rather than front-on.
- 6. The larger scale projects they worked on covered the full range of Māori artforms and practices, and as such required the support and generosity of communities of people, because to carry out and complete these projects required incredible human and natural resources. From cutting down trees, shaping the timber, making the first chisel mark, and putting into place the meeting house framework in preparation for fitting the outside of the house, each step was part of a holistic tradition. Poutokomanawa were designed and made, tukutuku panels were generated, kowhaiwhai scrolls painted, the lining and thatching of the house was carried out and the finely woven mats were made to cover the earth floors. Māori employed European materials and tools, which in itself constituted an innovation. Māori art and culture at this time was also captured extensively on film and through the photography of renowned filmmaker, James McDonald, for the then Dominion Museum.
- 7. Thanks to the studies of Professors Hirini Moko Mead, Jonathan Mane-Wheoki and Drs. Ngāhuia Te Awekotuku, Roger Neich, Paul Tapsell, Anne Salmond, Judith Binney, Dave Simmons, Margaret Orbeil and others, we know that Malori art history was already well developed before the arrival of settler culture. The late 19th century and early 20th century was notable for the intense political, social and religious activities, interchanges and collisions between Máori and settlers.
- 8. Other major meeting house projects from this period include Tamatekapua, Rotorua (1872), Te Tokangānui a Noho at Te Kuiti (1873), Te Whai-a-te-motu at Ruatahuna (1880), Ruataupare at Te Teko (1882) Takitimu at Martinborough (1887), Rongopai at Waituhi (1887), and Porourangi at Waiomatatini (1888).
- 9. Some of the notable stylistic shifts at the time included; humanistic representations of ancestors, Europeanised tekoteko figures, the use of perspective, self portraits, ancestors dressed in collar, tie, hat and waistcoats wearing European moustaches, birds, mountains, monkeys and dogs on maihl, sunflowers, naturalistic sprays of flowers on ancestral figures, pots of flowers, sailing ships, guns, text, numerals, chairs, trains, cars, action scenes, Christian symbols, painted portraits of European and playing card motifs, to name a few.
- 10. Under the influence of Maggie and Bella Papakura, Te Arawa iwi formed Māori concert party groups to entertain tourists, thereby adding a Māori-flavoured dimension to official government functions. Iwi groups also travelled to Australia and England as ambassadors of a perceived declining, but living, Māori culture.

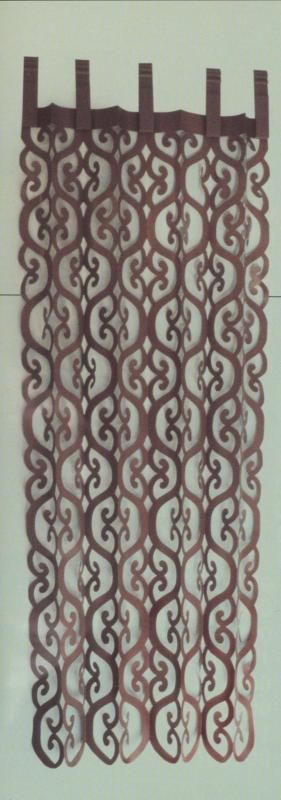
- 11. In doing so, Ngâta essentially spearheaded the 20th century renaissance of newold Māori art with the establishment of the Rotorus School of Māori Arts in 1928.
  Although he was known for his conservative views concerning innovation and cultural
  identity, the resurgence of Māori arts was a means to uplift slinking Māori self-esteem,
  brought about by two World Wars and the Depression years. Outstanding artists from
  this period include Piri Poutapu and Hone and Pine Taiapa. The Waitangi Centennial
  meeting house project (opened 1940) was one of the most significant outcomes of the
  Neata revival at this time.
- 12. This group includes Arnold Wilson, Fred Graham, Ralph Hotere, Sandy Adsett, Cliff Whiting, Para Matchitt, Clive Arlidge, Cath Brown, John Bevan Ford, Mere Kururangi, Katerina Mataira, Elizabeth Mountain, Hirini Moko Mead, Selwyn Muru, Sandy Adsett, Mere Poutu, Selwyn Wilson and Muru Walters.
- 13. Ngati Whatua ki Orakei came to the attention of all Maori in the 1950s and 1950s for the removal of Ngāti Whatua from ancestral lands on the Tāmaki waterfront. Later under the order of Prime Minister Muldoon, protestors were forcibly removed from Bastion Point (Orakei) as Maori and Pākeha united to protest indigenous landrights and unresolved land confiscation by the Crown.
- 14. Such groups included Ngā Tamatoa Council, The New Zealand Māori Artists and Writers Association (later renamed Ngā Puna Waihangā), New Zealand Māori Council, the New Zealand Māori Wardens, Māori Congress and the Māori Women's Welfare League. Irrespective of the social and political upheavals of the day it was their inherited knowledge and a pride in Māori identity that sustained Māori identity at this time.
- 15. Artists included Buck Nin, Sandy Adsett, Ross Hemara, Kura Te Waru Rewiri, Robert Jahnke. Diane Prince. Matt Pine and others.
- 16. From an exhibition entitled Place Tu Stand this compelling series brings into light his Tainui, Ngåti Koroki and Ngåti Kahukura ancestry, with the saying by King Tawhiao during the New Zealand Iand wars between the Crown and Tainui; 'Pirongia will be the symbol of my strength of character, Kemureti [Cambridge] is the washbowl of my sorrow, Ngåruawahia is my footstool'.
- 17. This group includes Natalie Robertson, Gina Matchitt, Reuben Paterson, Dion Hitchens, Saffronn Te Râtana, Melaina Karaitiana-Newport, Hemi MacGregor, Rona Ngāhuia Osborne, Nigel Borell, Tame Iti, Nathan Pohio, Isiaha Barlow, Huhana Smith, Areta Wilkinson, Darryn George, Lonnie Hutchinson, Keri Whaltiri, Kirsty Gregg, Eugene Hansen, Olivia Haddon and Grace Voller.
- 18. This group includes Jonathan Mane-Wheoki, Ngåhuia Te Awekotuku, Rangihiroa Panoho, George Hubbard, Megan Tamati-Quenelle, Robert Jahnke, Ngåhiraka Mason, Deidre Brown, Ngårino Ellis and Julie Kipa who all offer perspectives that mediate and change the way that Māori art practice is discussed, interpreted, debated and appreciated.
- 19. Catalogued and assigned a reference number, Pardington brings this collection of hei tiki alive through the agency of photography, as if to invoke their whakapapa. As familiar objects of personal adornment that are also freely available as cheap plastic souvenir objects. As such they sit at the 'taniwha' end of commercial appropriation of a meaningful Maori symbol.
- 20. The complete series of saints include St Arnold (Wilson), St Fred (Graham), St Ralph (Hotere), St Para (Matchitt), St Cliff (Whiting), St Muru (Walters), St John (Bevan Ford), St Selwyn (Muru), St Buck (Nin), St Darcy (Nicolas), St Sandy (Adsett) and St Bob (Jahnke).
- 21. The township of Mangākino was conceived as a temporary construction hydrotown in the 1950s and Robertson documented the community residents between 1989,1992











# FIONA PARDINGTON

Hei Tiki Otago [16401] 2001 gelatin silver print 200 x 240mm courtesy of the artist and Jensen Gallery

ISTAHA BARLOW

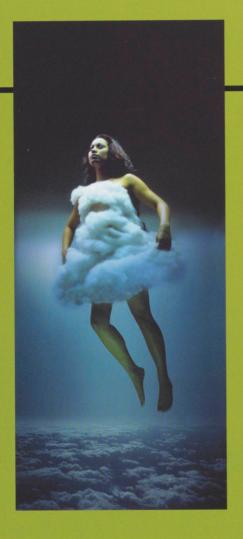
St. Ralph 2000 tempera and gold paint on linen on board 290 x 240mm courtesy of the artist

LONNIE HUTCHINSON

Wikitoria's Room (detail) 2001 builders paper, plastic dimensions variable courtesy of the artist

### JOHN MILLER

Tukaki wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-atiki-marae Te Kaha. Mihi Roberts, Brown Reweti M.P. Eastern Maori and Hone Talapa. June 1973 2001 gelatin silver print, gold toned 479 x 483mm Buckland Art Gallery Toi o Tamaki



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# LISA REIHANA

Digital Marae 2001 colour photograph (detail) 2000 x 1200mm courtesy of the artist

# PETER ROBINSON

I Am I, I Am Not I 2001 lambada print 3190 x 1200mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

# List of Works

BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangătira
St Ralph 2000
tempera and gold paint on linen or
board
290 x 240mm
courtesu of the artist

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BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangătira St Bob 2000 tempera and gold paint on linen or board 290 x 240mm courtesy of the artist

BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangātira St Buck 2000 tempera and gold paint on liner board 290 x 240mm courtesy of the artist BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangâtira St John 2000 tempera and gold paint on linen on board 290 x 240mm courtesy of the artist

BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangâtira St Sandy 2000 tempera and gold paint on linen on board 290 x 240mm

BARLOW Isiaha Te Rangātira
St Muru 2001
tempera and gold paint on linen on
board
290 x 240mm
courtesy of the artist

COTTON Shane
The Woka Transformation 2001
acrylic on canvas
700 x 1000mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

COTTON Shane
Lying in the Black Land 1998
oil on canvas
2000 x 2000mm
courtesy of Jane Vesty and Brian
Sweeneu

COTTON Shane
Stelliserous Biblio 2001
acrylic on canvas
2000 x 3000mm
courtesy of the artist and
Gow Langsford Gallery

COTTON Shane
Eden to Ohoewai 2000
acrylic on canvas
2000 x 3000mm
courtesy of the artist

GRAHAM Brett
Tu Pasifika 1998
laminated wood
2000X2000mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmak

GRAHAM Brett
Turangāwaewae 1998
Iaminated wood
2000 X 2000mm
courtesy Jenny Gibbs Trust

HITCHENS Dion
Te Wao Nui a Tane 1999 (displayed
as part of Manaaki Patupaiarehe)
willow, steel
dimensions variable
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

HITCHENS Dion
Manaaki Patupaiarehe 2001
steel, totara
dimensions variable
courtesy of the artist

HUTCHINSON Lonnie Wikitoria's Room 2001 builders paper, plastic dimensions variable courtesy of the artist

JAHNKE Robert
CON-Version 3.33R 1995
wood and lead
1400 x 250 x 250mm
Chartwell Collection
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tämaki

JAHNKE Robert KOHA 1998 (reconstructed 2001) Chocolate fish, steel pins 840 x 2550mm courtesy of the artist

JAHNKE Robert Kaha 2000 totara, stainless steel, aluminium 1100 x 980 x 520mm Private Collection, Auckland

JAHNKE Robert Kia Kaha 2000 totara, stainless steel, aluminiun 1500 x 420 x 300mm Private Collection, Auckland

KARAKA Emily Polynesian Potae 2000 acrylic on canvas 2400 x 1500mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

KARAKA Emily
Pot of honey 2000
acrylic on canvas
2400 x 1500mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămak

KARAKA Emily
Pilanting, Searching, Rising: Taupiri
is the Mountain, Waikato is the
River 1993
oil on canvas
2200 x 9085mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki,
gift of the Auckland City Council
Employment Department

KIPA Rangi Hei Matau 2001 corian 65 x 55 x 8.5mm courtesy of the artist

KIPA Rangi
Hei Tiki 2001
corian, paua
58 x 98 x 12mm
courtesu of the artist

KIPA Rangi Ngūru 2001 corian, paua 50 x 90 x 40mm courtesy of the artist

KIPA Rangi Medallion 2001 corian, paua 50 x 80 x 12mm

LANDER Maureen Kete scopes 2001 harakeke, fake fur dimensions variable courtesy of the artist

LANDER Maureen
Interlace kete
lacebark, lace, ribbon
dimension variable
courtesy of the artist

MATCHITT Gina
Jesus Nike 1999
Iaminated card, sterling silver,
stainless steel
105 x 40mm
Chartwell Collection
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tâmaki

MATCHITT Gina
Pall Mall Cross 1999
Iaminated card, sterling silver,
stainless steel
75 x 55mm
Chartwell Collection
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

MATCHITT Gina
Proying Nike Madonna 1999
laminated card, sterling silver,
stainless steel
105 x 40mm
collection of The Dowse Art Museum

MATCHITT Gina Riona Whero Cross 1999 aluminium, fine silver, stainless steel 75 x 55mm Collection of The Dowse Art Museum

MILLER John
Moming karakia, Te Koha-nui-a-tiki
marae, Te Kaha Sunday 3rd June 1973
2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
479 x 483mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

MILLER John
Porch, Tukaki wharenui. Te Kahanui-a-tiki marae, Te Kaha. Local
kuia and Ringōtu Pou Paara
Delamere with Haare Tahapehi.
June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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MILLER John
Porch, Tukaki wharenui. Te Kaha-nuia-tiki macre, Te Kaha. Mihi Roberts, Brown Rewett M-P. Eastern Möori and Hone Taiapa. June 1973 2001 gelatin silver print, gold toned 479 x 483mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

MILLER John
Tukaki wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki
marae, Te Kaha. Hone Tuwhare with
local kuia Kiritahangá Paihipi,
June 1973 2001
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MILLER John
Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha.
Buck Nin and Wiremu Henare.
June 1973 2001
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MILLER John
Tukaki wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki
marae Te Kaha. Ringātu Pau Paora
Delamere and Elizabeth Irihapeti
Murchie, June 1973 2001
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MILLER John
Tukaki wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki
marae Te Kaha. Hana Jackson/Te
Hemara, June 1973 2001
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Takakai wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-atiki marae Te Kaha. Marilyn Webb and Ralph Hotere. Brown Reweti (right) June 1973 2001 gelatin silver print, gold toned 479 x 483mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

MILLER John
Literature discussion group, Tukaki
wharenui Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae
Te Kaha. Witi Ihimaera and Rowley
Habib/Hapipi June 1973 2001
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MILLER John
Tukaki whorenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki
marae Te Kaha. Kura RewiriThorsen/Rewiri, Ngāhuia
Volkerling/Te Awekatuku, Anne Iti
and Tame Iti, June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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MILLER John
Classical music recital, Tukaki
wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae
Te Kaha. Tangāta whenua join the
hui for performances of oratory and
music, Saturday 2nd June 1973
2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned

Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

479 x 483mm

MILLER John
Artists' exhibition Te Kaha Māori
District High School Te Kaha. Dr Doug
Sinclair demonstrates traditional
drilling techniques. June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
479 x 483mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

MILLER John
Artists' exhibition Te Kaha Máori
District High School Te Kaha. Work
by Para Matchitt. June 1973 2001
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Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Támaki

MILLER John
Artists' exhibition Te Kaha Mäori
District High School Te Kaha. Kuia
Kiritahanga Poihipi with work by
Rei Haman. June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

MILLER John
A waiata for departing friends Te
Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha. Syd
Jackson, {?} Chris Sidney, {?} Pura
Jackson, Hana Jackson/Te Hemara,
Brian/Morehu McDandid, Val Irwin,
Ngāhuia Volkerling/Te Awekotuku,
Haare Williams. Manday 4th
June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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MILLER John
Porch, Tukaki wharenui, Te Kahanui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha. Selwyn
Muru with local kuia. June 1973
2001
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MILLER John
Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha.
Rowley Habib/Rore Hapipi, Ngàhuia
Valkerling/Te Awekotuku, Para
Matchitt. June 1973 2001
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MILLER John
Evening concert, Tukaki wharenui,
Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha.
Sonny Waru and Syd Jackson.
Saturday 2nd June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

MILLER John
Evening concert. Tukaki wharenui,
Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki marae Te Kaha.
Classical music recital. Nan Wirepa
(from Whanarua Bay) an piano and
Stephen Sheath on cello. Saturday
2nd June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
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Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

MILLER John
Tukaki wharenui, Te Kaha-nui-a-tiki
marae Te Kaha. Dun Mihaka,
Heretaungh 678 Baker, left background. June 1973 2001
gelatin silver print, gold toned
479 x 483mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

NEWPORT-KARAITIANA Melaina Ocean Pe-Anoru Pureau & Ahere Charles Gilies 1999 ink jet print 915 x 2490mm courtesy of the artist

NEWPORT-KARAITIANA Melaina Ahere Charles Gillies 1999 ink jet print 915 x1200mm courtesy of the artist

NEWPORT-KARAITIANA Melaina Ocean Pe-Anaru Pureau and Oenise 1999 Ink jet print 915 x 1200mm courtesy of the artist

PARDINGTON Fiona Greenstone hei tiki 30189, Timaru 2001 gelatin silver print 200 × 240mm courtesy of the artist and Jensen Gallery

PARDINGTON Fiona
Greenstone hei tiki 30182, Kaiapoi,
2001
gelatin silver print
200 x 240mm
courtesy of the artist and

PARDINGTON Fiona
Hei tiki 49406, Ngài Tahu 2001
gelatin silver print
200 x 240mm
courtesy of the artist and
Jensen Gallery

PARDINGTON Fiona
Greenstone hei tiki 30176,
Waikouaiti 2001
gelatin silver print
200 x 240mm
courtesy of the artist and
Jensen Gallery

PARDINGTON Fiona Greenstone hei tiki 30182, Whareakeake — Murdering Beach 2001 gelatin silver print 200 x 240mm courtesy of the artist and PARDINGTON Fiona Tiki greenstone 16401 Otago 2001 gelatin silver print 200 x 240mm courtesy of the artist and Jensen Gallery

PARDINGTON Fiona Greenstone hei tiki 30184.1, Ngāi Tahu 2001 gelatin silver print 200 x 240mm courtesy of the artist and Jensen Gallery

PAREKOWHAI Michael
The Bosom of Abraham 1999
fluorescent bulb, Italian light fitting,
vinyl [14]
1300 x 220 x 80mm
Collection of The Dunedin Public
Art Galleru.

PAREKOWHAI Michael
The Story of a New Zealand River
2001
baby grand piano, paua, gold leaf
dimensions variable
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki
Purchased by The Thanksgiving
Foundation

PATERSON Reuben
The Wharenui that Dad Built 2000
glitter dust on canvas
1720 x 1720mm
private collection, Auckland

PATERSON Reuben
The Kaiahuwhenua and his Three
Sons 2001
glitter dust on canvas
1720 x 1720mm
courtesy of the artist

PATERSON Reuben
The Kookako and the Wai Pipiha 2001
glitter dust on canvas
1720 x 1720mm
courtesy of the artist

PATERSON Reuben
C.UR.CHIN (psychedelic kina) 1995
acrylic on canvas
56 x 52mm
courtesu of the artist

REIHANA Lisa

Digital Marae [installation] 2001

colour photograph, video

dimensions variable

courtesy of the artist

Concept/Directors. Lisa Reihana

Directors Assistant: James Pinker

Photography: Greta Anderson,

Andre Jewell

Additional Photography/Digital

Manipulation: Buggy G Riphead

Costume Design: Robert Buck

Make-up & Hair: Kelly Mitchell

Intern: Leijani Kake

Models: Mahuika - Rongo Reihana Marakihau - Leilani Kake Hine-pukohurangi, Hine-wai -Marissa Lewis Kurangaituku: Suzanne Tamaki

ROBERTSON Natalie
Kirikiriroa ki Kawerau (driving
home) 1999
C type prints
1500 x 3500mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

ROBERTSON Natalie
Ratana Christening Service for six
babies in the William's whanau.
March 1992
silver gelatin print
460 x 540mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Jonos Tupaea, Shereece Walker and
Trisha Totoro at Korari Crescent
before Lorraine Walker and Sam
Tupaea's wedding, February 1992
silver gelatin print
S50 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Pulling the hangi out for Whitu
Karauna and Leeanne Cooper's
wedding, Pouakani Marae.
5 May 1990
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
The Big Three Hunting Competition,
Mangākino Hotel. Queen's Birthday
Weekend. June 1990
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesu of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Rapahoe Christmas Party, Gang
Headquarters, December 1991
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Jackie Baines sweeping the
Settlers Hall ofter the rugby club
social, Tihoi Road, October 1990
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalia

Te a Tahi netball trip to Turangi. Helen and Jennifer Ann Trueman, Ann Howden and baby, John and daughter Dolly staying at Aunty Kina's house. August 1991 silver gelatin print SSO x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie

Joanne Robertson waiting for her father Garrin Robertson to go hunting. Rangioro Street. April 1991 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON N

Aunty Becky Karauna and her grandson Damien Karauna, pri ing the garden at Pouakani Marae April 1991 silver gelatin print 460 x 540mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie

Ed Williams and Mrs Rangi Stanley at her 76th birthday party. Kauri Street. May 1992 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie

Kathy Robertson and her cousin Grant palmer with kouraura. Lake Maraetai. January 1991 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie

Brian Wilson and David Kingi after their team won the 1989 Annual Mangakino Roft Race. Lake Maraetai. March 1989 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

Te Kohangā Rea o Mangākino, Pouakani Marae 1992 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Albert Wilson [skateboarding is not a crime], Town Square 1990 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Tommy Johnston, Eru Rangirangi,
Dianne Bidois, Celia Reisman and
Dick Mourere, Talent Quest,
Mangäkino High School 1990
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Hari Ahipene getting ready for
Elaine Blossom's 21st Mira Street
1991
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie Mrs Rangi Stanley at her 76th birthday party, Kouri Street. May 1992 silver gelatin print 550 x 640mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Garrin Robertson singeing a pig,
Rangiora Street 1992
silver gelatin print
550 x 640mm
courtesu of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie

Maggie Trueman, Loha Walker and Serena Mackey before Lorraine Walker and Som Tupaee's wedding. Karari Crescent. 29 February 1992 silver gelatin print 320 x 660mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie Christening of Sandra Maria Tonihi. March 1992 silver gelatin print

820 x 660mm courtesy of the artist

Joanne Robertson, Rangiora Street 1991 silver gelatin print

silver gelatin print 820 x 660mm courtesy of the artist

ROBERTSON Natalie
Rangi Robertson and Darleen
Crockett at the Annual Mangåkino
Raft Race, Lake Maraetai.
February 1989
silver gelatin print
820 x 660mm
courtesy of the artist

ROBINSON Peter Strategic Plan 1998 oil, acrylic on jute 2500 x 5000mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki ROBINSON Peter
Painting 1993
tar, wax, earth, oil on canvas
800 x 5600mm
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

ROBINSON Peter I Am I, I Am Not I 2001 lambada print 3190 x 1200mm Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tămaki

TAEPA, Ngātaiharuru Bronze circles 2001 acrylic on board 2400 x 2400mm courtesy of the artist

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lil.blk.tlz 1, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist an
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lil.blk.tlz 2, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lill.blk.tlz 3, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Galleru

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lil.blk.tlz 4, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lil.blk.tlz 5, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
Lil.blk.tlz 6, 2001
mixed media on paper
420 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
BIk.PI 2001
acrylic on board
600 x 2400mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE RATANA Saffronn
I.l.p.blk.1 2001 (diptych)
oil on board
300 x 2440mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE WARU REWIRI Kura
Whenua, Wahine, Whenua 1989
acrylic, manuka on hardboard
2000 x 300mm each panel
[8 x panels]
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki

TE WARU REWIRI Kura I ngā haerengā atu me ngā hokingā mai 2001 oid no canvas 910 x 1450mm Private collection, Wellington

TE WARU REWIRI Kura
Old and New Beginnings 2001
acrylic on canvas
460 x 300mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE WARU REWIRI Kura
AO (A-Arepa/Alpha
O-Omeka/Omega) 2001
acrylic on canvas
351 x 457mm
courtesy of the artist and
Ferner Gallery

TE WARU REWIRI Kura Shadow of the Rose 2001 acrylic on canvas 450 x 300mm, courtesy of the artist and Ferner Gallery

WALSH John
Haere Tawhiti 2001
oil on board
920 x 1200mm
courtesy of the artist and
John Leech Gallery

WALSH John
Toku Whanau Ataahua 2001
oil on aluminium on board
480 x 635mm
courtesy of the artist and
John Leech Gallery

WALSH John
Toku Whanau Ataahua 2001
ail on aluminium
480 x 635mm
courtesy of the artist and
John Leech Gallery

WALSH John
Waka Taua 2001
oil on board
910 x 1200mm
courtesy of the artist and
John Leech Gallery

WALSH John
Tipi Haere 2001
oil on board
910 x 1200mm
courtesy of the artist and
John Leech Gallery

WILKINSON Areta
Tane and Wahine 1998
pohutukawa, pounamu, cotton,
silver
105 x 40mm
Collection of The Dowse Art Museum

WILKINSON Areta
Bundle 2001
black lipped oyster shell, 24 carat
gold and string
dimensions 2.5mm [6]
courtesy of the artist

Historic Works

Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum Te Papa Whakahiku

Whakapākoko, Madonna and Child [22] c 1845

Poi [10163] netted flax string poi stuffed with raupo fluff, diamond strip on outer

Kete Houhi [51221] chequered pattern, has red and white rosettes and tassels

Rosette with foil pois [50793] eight miniature poi on muka rosette

Black and purple horsehair kete [55103] decorative element on each side

Woven sampler [54535] flax, pink wool and fowl feather sampler

Kete muka [49973] fringed yellow muka kete, patterned squares with cross stitch

Bone ear pendant [653] Taranaki

Poi [46520] with fringe, red and green

Poi [295] with paua

Hei tiki

# Artists' Biographies

# Isiaha Te Rangātira Barlow

b.1977 ATIHAUNUI-A-PĀPARANGI, NGĀTI TUWHARETOA

# Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Matatau: taioho ki apiti, Manawatu Museum and Science Centre, Palmerston North. 2000 Noumea contemporary art biennale, Tjibaou Cultural Centre, New Caledonia. 1999 Year 4, Manawatu Museum and Science Centre. 1996 Ngô Puna Waihangô, Whangânui Art Gallery.

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### Journals/Articles

Lewis-Harris, Jackie, 2001. 'Our identity lies ahead: Fourth Noumea Biennale'. *Art Asia Pacific*. 31: 23-25

### Selected Websites

http://cubey.com/?m=19

# Shane Cotton

b.1964 NGĀ PUHI

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 Blackout Movement, Gow Langsford, Auckland 2000 Te Timatangá: From Eden to Dhaeawai, Dunedin Public Art Gallery, Dunedin; 1999 Shane Cotton, Hocken Library Gallery, University of Otago, Dunedin.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Te Maungā Taranaki: Views of a mountain, GovettBrewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth Toioho ki apiti,
Manawatu Museum and Science Centre, Palmerston North
Darkness and light; Looking at the landscape, Auckland Art
Gallery Toi o Tāmaki, Auckland. 2000 Mua ki muri: back to
front, Manawatu Art Gallery, Palmerston North Eloquent
Polarities: The Chartwell Collection - recent acquisitions,
Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki, Auckland Parihaka:
The art of passive resistance, City Gallery, Wellington. Te ao
tawhito/Te ao hou = Dld Worlds/New Worlds: Contemporary
art from Aotearoa/New Zealand, Art Museum of Missoula,
Missoula, Montana; Maui Arts and Cultural Centre, Hawai'i.
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www.gowlangsfordgallery.co.nz

### Brett Graham

b.1967 NGĀTI KOROKI KAHUKURA

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2000 New Work, New Work Studio, Wellington. 1998 Place Tu Stand, Vavasour Godkin Gallery, Auckland. 1996 Bravo Bikini, New Work Studio, Wellington. 1995 Te Kohao o Te Ngira, Artis Gallery, Auckland: Tainui, Museum of Art and Historu. Hamilton.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Parihaka, The Art of Passive Resistance, City Gallery Wellington. Prospect 2001: New Art New Zealand, City Gallery Wellington. 2000 Ngō Puna Waihangō £xhibition, Hawkes Bay Exhibition Centre, Hastings. 1999 50 Contemporary Māori Sculptors, The Dowse Art Museum, Lower Hutt. 1998 Te Ara o Tainui, Waikato Museum of Art and History, Hamilton. 1997 Fred and Brett Graham £xhibition, Manawatu Art Gallery, Palmerston North. 1996 Sculpture 96, Artis Gallery, Auckland Asia-Pacific Contemporary Triennial, Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane, Australia.

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### Journals/Articles

Simpson, Peter, 2000, 'Parihaka: a very real symbol'. Art New Zealand. [97]: 54-59. 'Contemporary Māori Art', Howkes Bay Today, Hastings. 13 December 2000. Paam-Pengelly, 'International Arts Community looking for the 'lost soul' of Art'. TU Mai, Auckland. October 2000. Brown, Peter, 1998-99, 'Tjibaou Kanak Cultural Centre and Arts festival, Noumea". Art Monthly Australia. [116]: 27-29. Losche, Diane, 1997, 'Nervous culture', Art Asia Pacific. [15]: 34-35. Brown, Sarah, 1997, 'Mastering the understatement'. Pradesign, June/July: 32-34. Mane-Wheoki, Jonathan, 1996, 'Korurangi/Toihoukura: brown Art in white spaces', Art New Zealand. [78]: 43-47.

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### Dion Hitchens

b.1973 NGĀI TUHOE, NGĀTI POROU

# Selected Group Exhibitions

2000 Noumeo Contemporary Art Biennale, Tjibaou Cultural Centre, New Caledonia. 1999 Posifika, Lane Gallery, Auckland Omoshiro O Buje Ien 99, Art Land Gallery, Japan. Te Ao Kôhatu Gallery, Taneatua. Atea, Window Work, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki, Auckland. Rima, Lane Gallery, Auckland 1998 Kupengā, Stone symposium, New Plymouth. Posifika, Lane Gallery, Auckland. 19 Toi Hou, George Fraser Gallery, Auckland. 1997 Archill Gallery, Auckland. 1996 Kupengā, Stone symposium, New Plymouth. Tu Kotahi, Townhall, Wellington. 1995 Taretangā, Stone symposium, Wellington.

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### Journals/Article:

Morgan Kendrah, 1999, 'Atea' Gallery News, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki, McNamara, 'In a dark city Art generates power'. New Zealand Herald, Auckland, 14 March 1998. Hayter, Rebecca, 1993, 'Artist: Dion Hitchens'. Art News Auckland. 13(3): 16.

### Related Websites

www.elam.auckland.ac.nz/tetoihou/gallery.html

### Lonnie Hutchinson

b.1963 NGÃI TAHU, SAMOA

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2000 Coconut dreams, School of Fine Arts Gallery,

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Tautai international sculpture symposium, Auckland, New Zealand. Out of the blue, Hawkes Bay Museum, Napier Digital research, performance, collaborative sound and imaging, Robert McDougall Art Gallery, Christchurch. Wahine Pacifica, Te Wa The Space, Wanganui 2000 Island Crossings, Global Arts Link, Ipswich, Brisbane, Australia Biennale d'art contemporain, Tjibaou cultural centre, Nouméa, New Caledonia 1999 Fireworks: Art of the Pacific Age, The Edge, Auckland, New Zealand Hiko!, Robert McDougall Art Annex, Christchurch, New Zealand.

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Ross, 'Pacific remedy', Christchurch Press. Christchurch. 30 August 2000. 'First woman awarded residency', Christchurch Press, Christchurch, 31 May 2000. 'Coconut dreams', University of Canterbury, School of Fine Arts, Canterbury, 13 September 2000. 'Gallery focuses on emerging artists', Christchurch Star, Christchurch, 22 March 2000. Milburn, Felicity, 1999, 'Hiko: new energies in Māori art', Bulletin, Robert McDougall Art Gallery, 117: 12-13 Venning, 'Modern Mäori art vibrantly diverse', Christchurch Press, Christchurch, 30 June 1999.

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### Robert Jahnke

b.1951 TE WHANAU-A-RAKAIROA O NGĀTI POROU

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 Alpha Omega, Te Tuhi The Mark, Pakuranga. 2000 Back to Front: Mua ki Muru, Manawatu Art Gallery, Palmerston North. 1999 Back to Front: Mua ki Muru, Commons Gallery, University of Hawai'i at Manoa, Oahu, USA. 1998 Koha, Artis Gallery, Parnell. 1997 Transplanted Culture, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Parihaka: the Art of Passive Resistance, City Gallery Wellington. Matatau: toioho ki apiti, Manawatu Museum and Science Centre, Palmerston North. 1999 Ngå Korero Aoteatea, The Dowse Art Museum, Lower Hutt. Timatangā Hou: new beginnings, Gisborne Museum and Arts Centre,

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### Related Websites

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# Emily Karaka

b.1952 NGĀTI WHATUA, WAIOHUA

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 Claims Wai 423 and 357. Te Tuhi - The Mark, Pakuranga, Auckland. 2000 Karaka: Red Roses my Mother, Golden Chrysanthemum, my Lover in Celebration, Te Taumata. Auckland. 1999 Emily Karaka, Ferner Gallery, Wellington. 1997 Emily Karaka: Waharoa o Ngãi Tai, Fisher Gallery, Auckland.

# Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Layering on the paint, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki. 2000 Noumea Contemporary Art Biennale, Tjibaou Cultural Centre, New Caledonia. 1997 Waharoa o ngā tai, Fisher Gallery, Auckland. 1997 Whakatu, Contemporary Māori Art, Bishop Suter Gallery, Nelson.

Karaka, Emily, 2001, Emily Karaka: claims Wai 423 and 357, Te Tuhi - The Mark. Kedgley, Helen, 2000, Think colour: Art is never just black & white, Porirua City, N.Z: Pataka Porirua Museum of Arts & cultures. Mason, Ngāhiraka, 2000, 'New Horizon's: Future Directions', Biennale d'art contemporain, 2000, Nouméa, New Caledonia: A.D.C.K. Ihimaera, Witi, 1997, Waharoa o Ngãi tai, Auckland: Fisher Gallery. Hubbard, George, 1996, Korurangi: New Maori Art, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki.

### Journals/Articles

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### Miscellaneous

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### Rangi Kipa b.1966 TE ATL AWA

# Selected Solo Shows

2001 Tukua kia whiti, Kina, New Plymouth. 2000 New Plymouth, Solo Exhibition. 1999 Wellington, X Factor Gallery. 1998 Wellington, X Factor Gallery. 1997 Porirua, The Dowse Art Museum. He Taongā Whakarakai New Plymouth, Taranaki Museum. Festival of the Arts, Moko Firehouse Gallery, New York.

### Selected Group Shows

2001 Te Maungā Taranaki; Views of a mountain, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, Gisborne. 2000 He taongā, Māori Arts Exhibition, Rome and Florence, Italy. Parihaka the art of passive resistance Wellington City Gallery. Te ao tawhito/Te ao hou = Old Worlds/New Worlds: Contemporary art from Aotearoa/New Zealand, Art Museum of Missoula, Missoula, Montana; Maui Arts and Cultural Centre, Hawai'i. 1999 Ngã korero Aoteatea; Māori narratives, The Dowse Art Museum, Lower Hutt.

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McLean, Robyn, 'The making of Rangi Kipa'. The Daily News, Taranaki, 10 March 2001, Birch, 'Love that mountain', Daily News, New Plymouth, 17 February 2001. Paama-Pengelly, Taranaki feasts on Māori artists', TU Mai, Auckland. May 2001. Roseman, 'Virtual Tart part of Edible Book art festival', Daily News, New Plymouth, 7 March 2001. Lambert, 'Māori artists aim to work together', North Taranaki Midweek/Weekender, New Plymouth, 25 October 2000. Maetzig, 'Māori art online for all to see', Daily News, New Plymouth, 2 October 2000.

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### Maureen Lander

b.1942 NGĀPUHI-TE HIKUTU, HOKIANGĀ

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

**1999** Head Hands Heart, Centre of Contemporary art, Christchurch. **1996** Grass skirts, Fisher Gallery, Pakurangā.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Cyber cultures: Sustained release, Moving image centre, Archill Gallery, Auckland. 2000 Out of the ordinary, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki. Hyperthreads, Fisher Gallery, Auckland. 1998 Non omnis moriar: I shall not altogether die, Hawkes Bay Museum, Napier. Haze, Auckland Art Gallery, Auckland. Stories for curious minds, Fisher Gallery, Pakurangā, Te Papa Tongārewa, Wellington. 1997 Material evidence: 100 headless women, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, Taranaki.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

**2000** Merchandise, Gallerie A, Geneva Switzerland. **1999** Merchandise, Royal Jewellery Auckland.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

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### Selected Group Exhibitions

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# Selected Solo Exhibitions

2000 New Work, George Fraser Gallery, Auckland.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

**2001** Matariki tau mai, Art Station, Auckland. Out of the Blue, Hawkes Bay Exhibition Centre, Hastings.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 One night of love, Adam Gallery, Wellington. Promise, Jensen Gallery, Auckland. 2000 Veronica's Veil, George Fraser Gallery, Auckland. 1999 Cameo, Jensen Gallery, Auckland. 1997 Proud Flesh, New Gallery, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tämaki, Auckland. Heartsick, Dunedin Public Art Gallery, Dunedin.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 Michael Parekowhai, The Andy Warhol museum, Pittsburgh. 2000 The Beverly Hills Gun Club, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland. 1999 Kitset Cultures, Djamu Gallery, Sydney, Australia. Patriot: Ten Guitars, Artspace, Auckland. 1997 Recent Paintings, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

1997 Space Lister Building, Auckland.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Cameo project, Te Tuhi-the mark, Pakurangā. Māori art, Awataha Marae, Auckland. The Wharenui that Dad Built, Te Tuhi-the mark, Pakurangā. 2000 Noumea Contemporary Art Biennole, Tjibaou Cultural Centre, New Caledonia. 1997 Peter Hill, The Art Fair Murders, a novel and installation, New Gallery, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki, Auckland. Step on it, Christopher Moore Gallery, Wellington.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

**1999** Fluffy Things, Archill Gallery, Auckland. **1998** Fluffy Things, Performance Space, Sydney, Australia.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2000 Kirikiriroa ki Kawerau, Ramp Gallery, The Waikato Polytechnic, Hamilton. 1999 Pokai Whenua; Travel the Land, Room 35, Gitte Weiss Gallery, Sydney. 1998 Pokai Whenua; Travel the Land, Archill Gallery, Auckland Mangākino; Heart of the Dam Country, Mangākino Civic Chambers, Mangākino. Mangākino; Heart of the Dam Country, Taupo District Council Chambers, Taupo.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

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### Selected Group Exhibitions

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### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Matatau: toioho ki apiti, Manawatu Museum and Science Centre, Palmerston North. Te Atinga exhibition, Rotorua Te Atinga exhibition, New Plymouth. 2000 Te Ra festival, Maia gallery, Iairawhiti Polytechnic, Gisborne. VIII Festival of Pacific Arts, Nouméa, New Caledonia 1999 Matatu, Te puhi a toi, Palmerston North Fathers and Sons, Pataka gallery, Porirua. Mahurangi, Pipitea marae, Wellington. 1998 Te kopana, Pipitea marae, Wellington.

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 F.C.Pl: New Paintings, Ferner gallery, Wellington. 1999 Ngå korero Aoteatea; Mäori Narratives, The Dowse Art Museum, Lower Hutt. Tuhoe exhibition, Te Ao Kohatu Gallery.

### Selected Group Exhibition

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b.1950 NGĀTI KAHU, NGĀPUHI

### Selected Solo Exhibitions

1999 Kura Te Waru Rewiri: A survey, Ferner Gallery, Auckland. 1998 Te Uri mai o te motu, Centre of Contemporary Art, Christchurch.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Matatau: toioho ki apiti, Manawatu Museum and Science Centre, Palmerston North. Te maungā Taranaki: wiews of a mauntain, Govett-Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth. 2000 Mua ki muri: back to front, Manawatu Art Gallery, Palmerston North. 1999 Century of New Zealand Fine Art, Baycourt Gallery, Taurangā. 1998 Kauwae, Gisborne Museum and Arts Centre, Gisborne. Nga Taongā o Taitokerau, Whangārei art Museum, Auckland Art Gallery Toi o Tāmaki. Atea, Manawatu Art Gallery, Palmerston North. Taongā iti, Marina quarry, Whangārei. Rudolf Gopas and his students, Centre of Contemporary Art, Christchurch.

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### John Walsh

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# Selected Solo Exhibitions

2001 New work, John Leech Gallery, Auckland. 1998 New Work, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington.

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2001 Coastlands Rimu Room Art Award 2001, Rimu Room, Paraparaumu. 2000 Ngā Puna Waihungā Exhibition, Hawkes Bay Exhibition Centre, Hastings. Wanangā 2000, Gisborne Museum and Arts Centre, Gisborne. 1999 Surf in art, Wainui Beach school, Gisborne. 1998 Dream collectors, Te Papa Tongárewa, Wellington. 1997 Tihei mauri tu: Life force, Page 90 Artspace, Wellington. 1996 Big heads small room, Gisborne Museum and Arts Centre, Gisborne.

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### Areta Wilkinson

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### Selected Solo Exhibitions

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# Māori Glossary

### Whakarārangi Māori

Most Māori words do not change in the plural. The macron indicates a long vowel.

aho n. line or string (v) radiant light or to shine

**harakeke** *n*. the general name for flax (*phormium tenax*), of which there are many named varieties

 $\label{eq:heisenberg} \mbox{\sc hei tiki $n$. a greenstone ornament worn suspended from the neck}$ 

heke v.i descend; (n) rafter

hungā n. people; a group of people

iwi n. bone; strength; nation; tribe; people

kaitaka paepaeroa n. dress cloak made of finest flax with ornamental border

kakahu n. garment

**karakia** *n*. incantation, particularly the ancient rites proper to every important matter in the life of the Māori; prayers

kete n. woven basket

kete muka n. woven basket made from muka (flax)

kõhangā reo n. language nest; language teaching programme to teach pre-school children from infancy to speak Māori

**kowhaiwhai** *n*. painted patterns traditionally on rafters

**kura kaupapa** *n*. primary and secondary schools in which Māori is the main language used

maihi (or māhihi) n. facing boards on the gable of a meeting house, often having the lower ends ornamented with carving

Māori n. indigenous Māori

marae n. enclosed space in front of a meeting house; the courtyard

muka n. processed harakeke fibre

**noa** adj. free from tapu (taboo) or restriction; of no moment; ordinary

**Pākeha** *n* a person of predominantly European descent **pakiwaitara** *n*. fiction, legend, folklore; scandal, subject of

gossip

poi n. woven ball with a string attached, which is swung

and twirled rhythmically to the accompaniment of a song poutokomanawa n. centre post which holds up the ridgenole of a large house

rangātahi n. fishing net in good condition 'ka pū te ruha ka hao te rangātahi'; modern word for youth

Rātana n. religion founded by Tahupotiki Ratana

Ringātu n. religion founded by Te Arikirangi Te Kooti Te

Ringā n. hand

tā moko v.t. to tattoo (tā) with tattoo patterns (moko); n. Māori tattoo

tāniko n. decorative Māori weaving technique

taniwha n. supernatural being or fabulous monster supposed to reside in deep water or under the ground

**tapu** *adj.* sacred, under religious or ceremonial restriction; beyond one's power; inaccessible

**tekoteko** *n*. technically, the carved figure on the gable of a house or the figurehead of a canoe; commonly taken to mean a carved figure

te ringā hou n. novice; new hand [hou = new, recent, fresh]

tohungā n. expert, generally a religious expert; priest tohungā whakairo n. master carver

toin. art; knowledge; origin; source of humankind

toi hou n. literally 'new art'

**tukutuku** *n*. ornamental woven latticework usually placed between carved posts in a meeting house

tūrangāwaewae n. literally a standing place for the feet

waka taua n. war canoe

wero n. a challenge

whakairo v.t. to ornament with a pattern, used of carving, tattooing, painting, weaving; more generally applied today to wood carving

whakapākoko n. carved image

whakapapa n. genealogy

whakawhānaungātangā n. kinship, family relationships

whare n. house, hut, shed, habitation

wharehuin, meeting house

wharenui n. large house, usually the main carved meeting

whāriki n. floor mat; v.t. to spread out on the ground; to cover with mats



