



15 MINS WALK TO RAILWAY STATION

For those registered for the hackfest, don't forget that it is at Catalyst House on **Friday, 21 March 2014**. Bring your laptop and get involved! The hackfest begins at 9am, finishes at 4pm with drinks.

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WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND - MARCH 2014

Kia ora. Welcome to Mahara Hui 2014 in Wellington, New Zealand. We've put together a handy map for those out-of-towners to help you around the city centre.

Wellington can be explored easily on foot, but there are transport options available, too. Buses in the inner city will cost \$2 (city fare), and Combined Taxis has a large fleet in the city (0800 THE CAB).

Free wifi is available along the waterfront and in the CBD.

Accommodation

- 1 Abel Tasman Hotel 169 Willis Street
- 2 Grand Mercure Central City Hotel 130 Victoria Street
- 3 Trinity Hotel 166 Willis Street
- 4 West Plaza 110 Wakefield Street

- ATM
- Bus stop
- Cinema
- Parking *
- Public toilets
- Food
- Supermarket

* Parking is available for conference participants at Te Papa. The special day event attendees rate is \$9.00 and the evening special is \$6.00 from 5pm to 2am the next day. Day hourly parking rate is \$3.50 and night hourly is \$2.00 from 5pm to 2am the next day. Rates for parking are inclusive of GST. Conference participants need to bring their parking tickets to the function venue to be able to get them validated.

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Conference schedule

Wednesday, 19 March 2014

	RANGIMARIE 1 ROOM	THEME	ANGUS ROOM	THEME
08:30-09:15	Registration			
09:15-09:45	Mihi, conference opening			
09:45-10:45	Keynote: Mahara and the challenges of adulthood Mark Nichols			
10:45-11:15	MORNING TEA (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
11:15-11:45	Experienced teacher portfolios – Documenting your teaching practice Melanie Taylor	PD	Analytics for Mahara Matthieu Aubry	Integration
11:50-12:20	Using MyPortfolio in the classroom Sue McLachlan	School, MyPortfolio	Bringing social networking features to Mahara Yuliya Bozhko	Features
12:20-13:20	LUNCH (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
13:20-13:50	Where can we fit ePortfolios in a New Zealand secondary school environment? Alan Grant	School, MyPortfolio	What should you consider when introducing educators to Mahara? Allison Miller	PD
13:55-14:25	Building a Personal Learning Environment with Mahara Pascale Hyboud-Peron	PD	ECARx: Early career academic researchers' experience using ePortfolios Misty Kirby	Community, Tertiary
14:30-15:00	Online moderation Alan Sorensen	MyPortfolio	Height vs depth in the design of badge frameworks Scott Beattie	Tertiary, Features
15:00-15:30	AFTERNOON TEA (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
15:30-16:00	MyPortfolio for schools: Developing practice with future teachers and the University of Canterbury Christina Sands, Julie Mackey, Nicki Dabner and Niki Davis	MyPortfolio, Tertiary	ePortfolio, a tailored system for nursing professional development and regulatory recertification Liz Manning, Maureen Kelly and Taima Campbell	PD, Health
16:05-16:35	Use of ePortfolios for teacher appraisal and registration Julian Adamson	PD, MyPortfolio	MyPortfolio in support of the New Zealand National Aspiring Principals Programme (NAPP) Jill Lunn and Roger Sommerville	Community, MyPortfolio
16:40-17:10	Mahara – Its strengths and limitations Richard Jones and Jill Margerison	School	Mahara gives theology a WOW factor! David Bell	Community, Tertiary
17:10-late	NETWORKING & DRINKS (Mac's Brewbar, 4 Taranaki Street)			

Thursday, 20 March 2014

	RANGIMARIE 1 ROOM	THEME	ANGUS ROOM	THEME
09:00-09:15	Opening Day 2			
09:15-10:10	Make 5 wishes: The future of Mahara Plenary			
10:15-10:45	Using Mahara as an electronic portfolio system for recording of continuous professional development (CPD) and competency for nurses Louise Botha	PD, Health	Contributing to Mahara as student Leo Xiong	Open source
10:45-11:15	MORNING TEA (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
11:15-11:45	Practice makes perfect Anne Stevens and Robyn Boladeras	PD, Health	MyPortfolio in New Zealand schools Ian Munro	MyPortfolio
11:50-12:20	A community of practice for Australian education leaders Helen Eddy	Community, Features	Smart evidence: Improving ePortfolio quality through intervention Misty Kirby and Shane Nuessler	Tertiary, Features
12:20-13:20	LUNCH (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
13:20-13:50	ePortfolios for everyone: Web accessibility in Mahara Jono Mingard and Julius Serrano	Features	Benefits and issues for multi-institution Mahara sites Craig Eves	Education, MyPortfolio
13:55-14:25	Reflection, evaluation and action planning Melanie Taylor	PD	AUT Mahara and beyond Shen Zhang and Lisa Ransom	Tertiary, Integration
14:30-15:00	Learning is social with Mahara Pascale Hyboud-Peron	Education	Booklet: A meta-artefact to implement résumé-like artefacts Christophe Declercq	Features
15:00-15:30	AFTERNOON TEA (Rangimarie 2 Room)			
15:30-16:00	Ways you can contribute to Mahara Aaron Wells	Open source, Features		
16:05-16:30	Conference closing			

KEYS

Community	Building a community of practice using Mahara	MyPortfolio	MyPortfolio.school.nz in New Zealand
Education	Enhancing the educational experience through the use of Mahara	Open source	Open source
Features	New features or plugins for Mahara	PD	The place of ePortfolios in professional development
Health	Using ePortfolios with health professionals	School	Creating and expanding ePortfolios in secondary school
Integration	Integrating Mahara with other systems	Tertiary	Working with ePortfolios in tertiary education