

Te Whai Toi Tangata: Institute of Professional Learning

The Institute of Professional Learning: Te Whai Toi Tangata is a bilingual, bicultural professional development organisation which is an integral part of the Faculty of Education at the University of Waikato. The Institute works collaboratively to provide quality professional learning opportunities across and beyond the education sector to grow the capacity of educators to develop their practice. We believe professional learning should be research based, culturally responsive and benefit all learners.

Strengths include

- The opportunity to link professional learning and development to academic post-graduate qualifications
- National leadership in in-service teacher education
- Research informed professional learning and development
- Partnership with Māori, at all levels.

Ontario Principals' Council

The Ontario Principals' Council (OPC) is a voluntary professional association representing 5,000 practising school leaders in elementary and secondary schools across Ontario. (<https://www.principals.ca/Default.aspx>).

LEAP (Leading Educators Around the Planet) is one of the programs included under "Professional Learning Opportunities". Through this program, educational leaders from Ontario engage in short term, high intensity, reciprocal exchanges with educational leaders abroad.

The first New Zealand exchange is being held in 2016.

Dates for the 2017 Ontario exchange are..:

Part 1 in NZ: Sun July 23 to Wed August 2: and
Part 2 in ON: Sun October 1 to Wed October 11.



"The opportunity to work with colleagues and look at New Zealand education through an intentional lens has been invaluable.

We have gained a deeper understanding and clarity about what effective collaboration looks like. Visiting schools in Canada and working with Ontario Principals Council facilitators has had a huge impact on our professional practice."

Heather Atkinson, Kris Hughes and Mary Zellman.



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PRINCIPAL LEADERSHIP – AN INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE



*International School Leadership Certificate Programme
now available in New Zealand*

Choices available:

- enrol for individual modules
- complete 6 modules to be awarded the International School Leadership Certificate (ISLC)
- extend your ISLC work into masters study
- pair with an Ontario principal and take part in the Ontario exchange programme.



INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

Principal Leadership – An International Perspective

The University of Waikato is partnering with the Ontario Principals' Council to deliver their highly acclaimed International School Leadership Certificate

The International School Leadership Certificate programme comprises 6 modules:

Certificate Level 1

- Module 1:** Principal Leadership for School Improvement
- Module 2:** Characteristics of Effective Schools and Systems
- Module 3:** Building Relationships and Developing People
- Module 4:** Setting Goals and Expectations: Using Data Informed Decision Making
- Module 5:** Leading Improvement in Classroom Instruction: Meeting the Needs of All Learners
- Module 6:** The Principal as Lead Learner: Developing a Professional Inquiry that focuses on the application of theory to practice

NOTE

The modules will be delivered in New Zealand by New Zealand principals and the University of Waikato staff who have been trained in Ontario.

There are optional links to masters qualifications at the University of Waikato. There is also the opportunity to take part in the Ontario Principals' Council exchange programme.

Ontario Principals are coming to NZ:

24th July - 3 August 2016

New Zealand Principals will be traveling to Canada:

25 September 2016 - 5 October 2016

International School Leadership Certificate – 2 Year Course – Auckland

Quality Hotel Lincoln Green, Henderson

Modules:	Term/Week:	Dates:	
1 and 2	Term 3, wk 3	10/11/12	August 2016
3 and 4	Term 4, wk 3	26/27/28	October 2016
5 and 6	Term 1, 2017	22/23	March 2017

International School Leadership Certificate – 2 Year Course – Waikato

Gallagher Core Facilities Building, Waikato Innovation Park, Hamilton

Modules:	Term/Week:	Dates:	
1 and 2	Term 3, wk 5	24/25/26	August 2016
3 and 4	Term 4, wk 2	19/20/21	October 2016
5 and 6	Term 1, 2017	6/7	March 2017

Cost: \$450 +GST per module or \$2400 +GST for modules 1-6



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