

## Notes: Creative New Zealand – Ngā Toi Māori

11am, Friday 17 April 2020

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**Please see below our notes taken from the Creative NZ hui for Ngā Toi Māori. The speakers discussed the ins and outs of the Arts Continuity Grant and answered questions from the audience (see bottom of doc).**

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- Emergency Response Grant: \$16 million comprising \$4.5 million of new funds and \$11.5 million of repurposed funds.
- Phase one runs until 30 June, with phase two kicking in after this. There will be a hui at the end of the month on this.
- Two main funding streams:
  1. Emergency Relief Grant to support art practitioners – contribution towards loss of income and aligned to WINZ grant. Must have had WINZ wage subsidy granted to apply, with this grant providing a top up to \$25 per hour (part time & full-time categories paid in a one-off lump sum). Need to submit an artist CV or list of artistic projects you've been involved in. You don't need to have applied to CNZ for funding previously to be eligible.
  2. Arts Continuity Grant, supporting the creation of new work or the reframing of an existing project in light of COVID-19, including creative and professional development, promotion and distribution.

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## Arts Continuity Grant

- Support can be provided for the creation of work, research, the presentation of work, running workshops, promotion and distribution of work.
- To be eligible, projects must conclude by 30 September 2020 and must be able to be delivered at the alert level in place at the time of decision making (i.e. level 4 with a contingency for level 3).
- Three areas of the fund: general, Maori and Pasifika. If applying under the Maori category, must demonstrate Mātauranga aspect of project.
- Can include one phase of a project if the whole project is not expected to complete by 30 September, so long as that phase is completed by that date.
- Speedy turnaround – three weeks.
- Demonstration of application process – straightforward, main menu bar at the top and make sure you save at each level. Ensure detail is provided, including timeline for delivery and the people involved.
- Budget – either via Excel spreadsheet or creating a new CNZ document – Kereama can help with this.

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### Arts Continuity Grant (cont.)

- Support material is important and should be the first thing to do as it can take some time to gather that all together. A tip in terms of only being able to submit five support documents – PDF all your letters of application together so it is just one document.
  - The fund excludes overseas travel and large audience performances; however, it is also open to NZers living overseas currently.
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### General & Questions:

- If you are part way through a CNZ funded project and COVID-19 has impacted your ability to deliver within the required timeframes, a one-year extension can be granted. Contact CNZ.
  - Upskilling: international courses are eligible for funding if they are not delivered in Aotearoa. You would need to demonstrate the benefit of the course to you as an arts practitioner as well as to NZ as a whole. Noted Berkley is offering great international programmes. You would need to complete the programme by 30 September 2020.
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- In terms of obtaining equipment such as cameras and good mobile phones, CNZ has relaxed the rules around applying for funding for capital equipment. If you need specific equipment to practice an art form, there is a fund available (maximum \$5000) as part of your budget, however it is restricted to hardware and IT.
- If you have nowhere to display/promote your mahi, then apply for funding to support research and development, eg performance arts, sculptor. Look at ways you can collaborate and create an online platform.
- Suggested that CNZ develop some PR at a national level to demonstrate the importance of the arts and the impact on the sector. CNZ has an advocacy campaign starting today and running for three months on mainstream TV and Maori TV.
- CNZ is also focusing on advocacy and advising the government on policy, so if you have issues, they want to know what these are.
- CNZ is running specific Zoom hui: Pasifika (11am, Thursdays) and wider community (2pm, Fridays) for the next few weeks.
- Another Zoom hui relating to Maori arts will be run on Friday 24 April at the same time.
- FAQs on all funding programmes is available on the CNZ website [here](#).

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**Further questions? Email them  
to [covid19response@creativenz.govt.nz](mailto:covid19response@creativenz.govt.nz)**

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