

Being 'Tiriti-led': What does it mean for journalism education?

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Note: This qualitative research has just commenced!

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Brash talk to student club cancelled due to security concerns

Professor Thomas says she supports free speech on campus, but totally opposes hate speech. “Mr Brash’s leadership of Hobson’s Pledge and **views he and its supporters espoused in relation to Māori wards on councils was clearly of concern to many staff, particularly Māori staff.** Whether those views would have been repeated to students in the context of a discussion about the National Party may seem unlikely, but I have no way of knowing. In my opinion the views expressed by members of Hobson’s Pledge come dangerously close to hate speech. They are certainly not conducive with the **University’ strategy of recognising the values of a Tiriti o Waitangi-led organisation.**”

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OPINION: He walked out of the room, silencing te reo in his own mind at least.

KiwiSaver is racist
5 min ago OPINION: Time to claim your KiwiSaver bribes, but there's a correlation between skin colour and who gets them.

Budget: The winners and losers
Conservationists can celebrate, but there's a sting in the tail for those earning the average wage.

Lightbox crashes nationwide
Upgrade to Spark's video service Lightbox caused it to go down for hundreds of customers.

Budget shock proofs NZ: PM
Good things take time, Jacinda Ardern says, as she describes the Budget as "just a start".

Police van rammed by stolen SUV
The driver of a stolen Isuzu SUV rammed head first into a police car, before chasing it down.

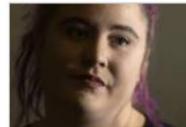
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- 5:00 AM Red sheds go plastic bag free
- 5:00 AM I found out my sister is a prostitute
- 5:00 AM KiwiSaver is accidentally racist
- 5:00 AM Four years jail for porn hoarder
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- 5:00 AM Blended family dramas

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- Markle's Dad won't attend wedding
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Don Brash says he's "dumbfounded" after being "uninvited" from a speaking event at Massey University.

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/politics/2018/08/don-brash-uninvited-from-massey-university-speaking-event.html>

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Internal emails reveal Massey University vice-chancellor more concerned about Don Brash racism than security

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“In an Official Information Act request, by right-wing blogger David Farrar, documents show that security was not the main concern, but Thomas saying she didn't want a **"te tiriti led university** be seen to be endorsing racist behaviours".”

Massey University strategy 2018-2022 includes:

As a Tiriti-led University we are committed to demonstrating authentic leadership in contemporary Aotearoa New Zealand as we uphold Te Tiriti o Waitangi, the founding document of our nation, and its principles through our practice. Massey embraces this not just as an obligation but as a real opportunity for the nation and its people. The University will champion new strategies for advancement and integration of te reo Māori and Māori knowledge, it will demonstrate informed practices consistent with tikanga Māori and will embrace kaupapa Māori across our activities. Massey's teaching and research will contribute to advanced outcomes for whānau, hapū and iwi.

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- Semi-structured interviews (Tracy, 2013) with Māori leaders and experts in Te Tiriti o Waitangi
- Purposive sampling (Daymon & Holloway, 2011)
- Grounded theory method of analysis (Glaser & Strauss, 1967)

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What is Tiriti-led?

When you're talking about something being Te Tiriti-led you are starting with the Treaty of Waitangi and what that was about. For me... it was intended to bring two peoples together - two peoples from different cultures. The concept as I see it was about respecting two different spheres. You can think of two cultures as being two circles. That's the Māori one and that's the Pākehā one. Each has its own integrity in its own sphere but there's a commonality. As the two groups get to know one another that area of commonality will increase.



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What is Tiriti-led?

Tiriti-led is a Pākehā concept. It is not a Māori concept. The only institutions that pay attention to that are Pākehā institutions, not Māori. Māori are led by social principles. Things that are embedded in the culture, like manaakitanga, kaitiakitanga, awhinatanga, rangitaratanga. While those principles should be the foundation of the Treaty, whether they are or they are not, I don't really know. When I was (head of) at Awanuiārangi I never thought to be guided by the Treaty. I sought to be guided by the culture.



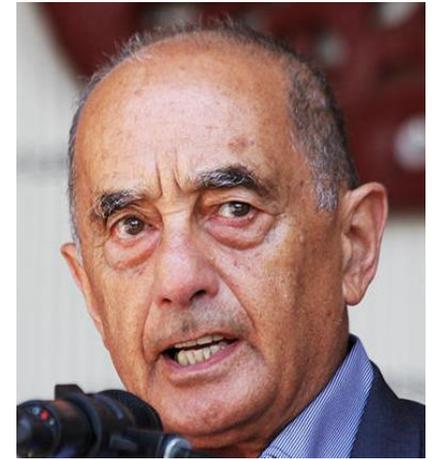
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Tiriti-led in education

In the field of education for example that would be acted out in these terms: you would have a kura kaupapa for the Māori side, kōhanga reo, wānanga, all of which deals with how Māori deal with themselves in their own culture and in their own way. Only a fraction of Māori will go to those things, most will go to the mainstream.

That is a Te Tiriti-led system of education where you're trying to get both sides to grow their own culture and each culture is to be respected with both cultures knowing a little bit more about each other so that area of commonality grows. That to me is a Te Tiriti-led process.



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If you look at the Wānanga we created, over the last 20 years we've had over 300,000 people graduate between certificate and degree levels. There's no place in the world where an institution has been able to achieve that level of change.



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What I have always believed is that, according to the Treaty, we should have our piece of that pie that allows us to develop our own approach to education, our own approach to incarceration, our own approach to handling social issues including health, housing and on and on... Because who understands our problems better than we?



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Tiriti-led in journalism education

- “Don’t defame anybody. Show respect.”
- “The big thing about Māori and broadcasting the news is that you should be always consistently respectful. That does not prevent you from being hardline. “
- “It’s the manner. You can report anything, it’s the way you do it.”
- “How would you write up Ngatata (Love)? You would acknowledge very carefully the good work he has done. And you would just report on the facts but you wouldn’t start off with a big headline that says ‘So and so falls from grace’ ”
- Don’t use Māori TV and Te Karere as exemplars of good practice.
- Case studies of differences in reporting Māori and Pākehā stories.
- Widespread inclusion of Te reo and tikanga Māori.
- “Increase your Māori academics and you’ll get more Māori students”.

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