

Course Title: **Maori Governance Structures**

Course Code: **LAWS773**

Descriptor Start Date: **01/01/2021**

POINTS: **15.00**

LEVEL: **7**

PREREQUISITE/S: **75 points from Part II**

COREQUISITE/S: **None**

RESTRICTION/S: **417546**

LEARNING HOURS

Hours may include lectures, tutorials, online forums, laboratories. Refer to your timetable and course information in Canvas for detailed information.

Total learning hours: 150

PRESCRIPTOR

Examines the customary and statutory regimes that both enable and limit the internal and external relationships of Maori entities with particular emphasis on business transactions, agency, and taxation issues.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. Demonstrate understanding of the inadequacies of existing legal structures in dealing with the wide-ranging social and economic operations of Maori tribal organisations in today's world.
2. Demonstrate understanding of the significance of the Treaty of Waitangi to the governance of Maori entities .
3. Demonstrate understanding of the key concepts, principles and factors in providing governance structures that match the frameworks necessary for full and effective Maori services and businesses.
4. Critically evaluate legislative responses to the question of Maori governance issues.
5. Demonstrate development of critical, analytical and problem-solving skills.
6. Demonstrate capabilities in research and legal writing.

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CONTENT

?Issues in the relevance and applicability of existing legal structures such as trusts and companies to the social and economic operations of Maori;
The Treaty of Waitangi in the context of Maori governance structures;
Key concepts, principles and factors in providing full and effective Maori governance structures;
Relevant legislation.

LEARNING & TEACHING STRATEGIES

An appropriate range of strategies that may include lectures, workshops & online learning.

ASSESSMENT PLAN

Assessment Event	Weighting %	Learning Outcomes
Examination	50.00	-
Research Paper	50.00	-

Grade Map	MAP1
	A+ A A- Pass with Distinction
	B+ B B- Pass with Merit
	C+ C C- Pass
	D Fail

Overall requirement/s to pass the course:

LEARNING RESOURCES

Details of all learning resources (including journals, databases, websites etc) are available on Canvas. Required Text(s): If there is a required text, details are available by searching the University Bookshop's website: www.ubs.co.nz

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Principal Programme:	AK1008, Bachelor of Laws
Related Programme/s:	AK1009 LLB(Hons), AK2601 CertLegalSt

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