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*Pūtea Hāpai Oranga
Funding to Enhance Lives*



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**Participatory
grantmaking for Pacific
communities in South
Auckland**
In partnership with MYD



“We want to support the aspirations of Pacific people by putting them at the heart of the grant-making process to influence where funding goes to meet the community’s priorities.” – Foundation North

Let's take a closer look...

What this involves?

We are looking for up to 10 Pacific leaders to participate in grant-making!

Who are we looking for?

- Pacific youth aged 18-28 years.
- Who are proud of South Auckland, thrive in its diversity and culture, and keen to amplify its strengths and explore hidden gems.
- Are able to commit some time over the next 6-9 months to engage in the grant-making process.

(You don't need any experience in grant-making! Just an openness to learning)

What will it involve?

The experience will involve working alongside a group of your peers to design a fund that supports the aspirations of Pacific youth and communities across South Auckland. You get to choose the fund's purpose, who can apply, how opportunities/applications are assessed, and make funding recommendations to Foundation North.

The commitment will be around 2-3 hours a week, for 10-12 weeks, spread over the next 6 months (June-December 2021). Koha will be offered as a form of our gratitude for your contributions and time.

This participatory grantmaking initiative is more like a side-gig, rather than a job, and is an opportunity to give back to your community.



How to express your interest?

- Tell us about yourself – who are you, and what do you love about South Auckland?
- Why do you want to participate in this project?
- What will you bring to the project? (can be anything awesome – skills, experience, connections, insights, attitude, humour...)
- Don't forget your contact details and how we can reach you.

Send to **Jana Wilson** (jana.wilson@foundationnorth.org.nz) by 16 June via any format you like – a short video, brief written document, poem or story....

How will participants be chosen?

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A Pacific panel who represents the community will decide who the participants will be. This Panel will review your material, make their decisions, and notify Foundation North.

What happens next?

Foundation North will make contact directly with you, by mid **June**.

Do you have any questions?

Please contact Jana Wilson, Foundation North, jana.wilson@foundationnorth.org.nz





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Thank you
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