

Massey University Library invites you to our annual Bicultural Seminar

## KAKANO RUA 2014

## PARTNERSHIP, PROTECTION AND PARTICIPATION IN PRACTICE – ON THE WHENUA RANGATIRA (BASTION POINT)

## BY MARGARET KAWHARU Senior Māori Advisor Albany

In the 1970s, Whenua Rangatira (formerly Bastion Point) was famously occupied for 507 days against the government's plans to develop housing on Ngāti Whātua o Ōrākei land. In 1991, as a result of a Treaty of Waitangi claim settlement, 48ha of land was returned to hapū ownership to be managed as a park, in a co-governance arrangement with Auckland Council, known as the Ngāti Whātua o Ōrākei Reserves Board. More than twenty years on, with an added 33ha from subsequent Treaty settlement processes in 2012, the Reserves Board nurtures an ambitious programme of works that continue to benefit the hapū and the general public of Auckland.

As a presiding board member of the Ngāti Whātua o Ōrākei Reserves Board, Margaret shares her insights on Ngāti Whātua's historic role in civic affairs in efforts to actively enhance outcomes for everyone. She presents the Ngāti Whātua o Ōrākei Reserves Board as a successful example of a bicultural approach to decision-making and shared governance.

WHEN: Wed 23 July, 2014 1-3pm
WHERE: Staff Lounge, Study Centre, Massey University, Albany Campus Gate 1, State Highway 17, Auckland (Map attached)
ENTRY FEE: Koha – Gold Coin (Light refreshments provided)

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