

# MASTER OF MUSEUM AND HERITAGE PRACTICE

VICTORIA  
UNIVERSITY  
WELLINGTON

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O TE ŪPOKO O TE IKA A MĀUI



## Launch your career in the museum and heritage sector

The Master of Museum and Heritage Practice (MMHP) programme is an integral part of New Zealand's museum and heritage sector. Designed for, and with, the sector, it will give you the practical skills, theoretical knowledge and sector experience you need for a career in GLAM (galleries, libraries, archives and museums) or in heritage management.

Studying in the Museum and Heritage Studies programme, you will learn from academics with strong local and international networks, along with highly qualified professionals drawn from the sector.

The programme provides a balance of academic research and professional skills, including bi- and cross-cultural understanding. Kick off your study with a three-day wānanga: experience a pōhiri, stay on a marae and learn about tikanga Māori alongside members of the museum and heritage sector.

Take advantage of Wellington's rich cultural resources: enjoy numerous field trips and meet with experts from local institutions.

### INTERSHIPS

Gain real-world experience of working in the sector through an internship with one of the dozens of organisations involved with the programme. You will get practical experience, make those all-important contacts and learn from working professionals.

The programme also offers opportunities to become career-ready through attendance and presentations at seminars, conferences, workshops and social functions.

### FUTURE CAREERS

With an emphasis on career development, the MMHP programme will help you build valuable relationships with peers, university staff and future colleagues, and become part of a strong professional network.

You will be prepared for a range of roles in a variety of organisations. Our graduates are in museums, art galleries, libraries, archives, central government, local authorities and community and heritage organisations.

## SARAH POWELL

RIGHTS SPECIALIST, TĀMAKI PAENGA HIRA /  
AUCKLAND WAR MEMORIAL MUSEUM

“The undoubted passion and depth of knowledge of the museum and heritage realm came through the academic staff, who excelled at encouraging students to step beyond their limitations. I had access to opportunities and professional contacts within the museum sector that have been invaluable for the progression of my career.”



## OTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Victoria University of Wellington offers the most comprehensive suite of postgraduate programmes in Museum and Heritage Studies in New Zealand. The qualifications are part of a tiered family, with each one counting towards the next step. This lets you choose the qualification that best suits your current situation and build on this later, should you so wish.

### POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN MUSEUM AND HERITAGE PRACTICE

(60 points, March to November)

### POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MUSEUM AND HERITAGE PRACTICE

(120 points, March to November)

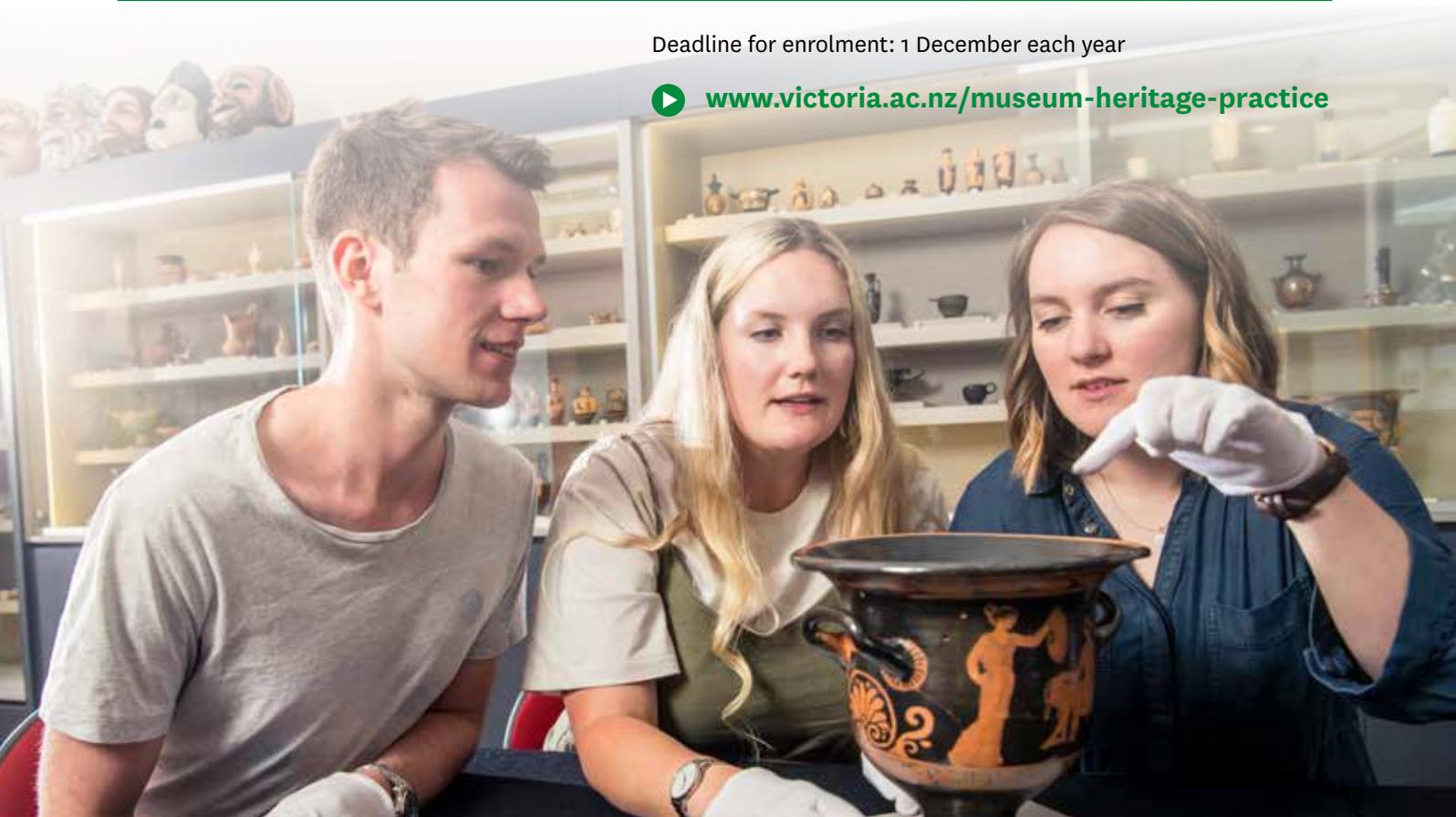
### MASTER OF MUSEUM AND HERITAGE PRACTICE

(180 points, 12 months)

The option to do a Master of Arts by thesis after completing the Postgraduate Diploma is available. Museum and Heritage Studies also offers a PhD programme.

Deadline for enrolment: 1 December each year

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