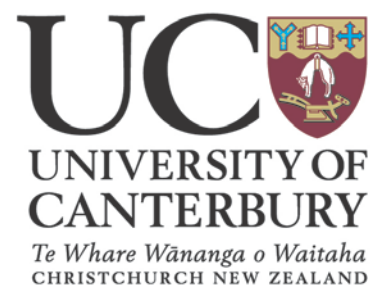


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Anna McAllister

By email: fyi-request-10412-10293cc1@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Anna

OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST OIA-19-35 – MAORI AND PACIFIC STUDENTS AND STAFF IN ARTS

I refer to your official information request dated 29 May for information on the number of Maori and Pacific enrolments and Maori and Pacific staff employment within the College of Arts. You requested:

1. *The number of staff employed since 2012 in*
 - a. *The School of Fine Arts*
 - b. *The School of Music*
 - c. *The School of Art History and Theory*
 - d. *The School of Cinema Studies*

You requested that where possible, the staff numbers be broken down into positions.

Due to low numbers, the University is not able to release this information as it would allow specific staff members to be identifiable. It is therefore withheld under s9(2)(a), to protect the privacy of natural persons. However, we can provide some summary information. The below table shows the number of Maori and Pacific staff working across the College of Arts each year since 2018.

College of Arts	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Maori and Pacific Staff	15	11	11	12	17	12	13

You also requested:

2. *The number of students enrolled since 2012 in*
 - a. *School of Fine Arts*
 - b. *School of Music*
 - c. *School of Art History and Theory*
 - d. *School of Cinema Studies*

The information you have requested is provided below. Our system categorises enrolments by departments, which may differ from the schools you requested. As such, we have provided all the relevant departments we capture, where numbers of enrolled students per year were higher than five. The "Other" category includes departments where enrolment numbers are too few to release, and have been combined

under s9(2)(a), to protect the privacy of those students. Please note that over the years some programmes and subjects have been incorporated into other departments, and some programmes have ceased. This may be reflected in the names of departments and varying numbers. In addition, if students identify as Maori and Pacifica, their information may be counted in both tables.

Maori Students

Department	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Fine Arts		20					
Fine Arts, Music and Theatre	38						
Humanities and Creative Arts	149	150	210	218	255	247	285
Language, Social and Political Sciences	161	201	210	219	273	277	330
Languages, Cultures and Linguistics	51	42					
Maori and Indigenous studies	180	168	152	160	246	293	338
Macmillan Brown Centre for Pacific Studies	9	6	<5				
Music		5					
Other	23	19	11	17	13	31	74

Pacifica Students

Department	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Fine Arts, Music and Theatre	8						
Humanities and Creative Arts	44	49	104	108	111	132	121
Language, Social and Political Sciences	74	90	121	142	145	145	150
Languages, Cultures and Linguistics	23	23					
Maori and Indigenous studies	41	46	68	70	100	113	135
Macmillan Brown Centre for Pacific Studies	24	14	11	<5	7	8	9
Other	4	16	2	7	<5	11	11

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely



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