### LAIDLAW COLLEGE

Te Wananga Amorangi

# 645.715 Māori Christianity Course Outline

NQF Level: 7 Credit Value: 15

### **DELIVERY MODE**

Auckland

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course introduces students to Christianity with particular emphasis upon Māori experience, concepts and principles. It locates an indigenous Māori approach to theology within the broader scope of Christian theology. It weaves together the threads of Bible, theology, spiritual insight, experience, and culture in Māori perspective to develop a framework for engaging the Gospel in contemporary Aotearoa New Zealand.

#### Course pre-requisites and co-requisites

There are no co-requisites or pre-requisites for this course.

# LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the end of the course, students should be able:

- 1. Demonstrate a critical understanding of key Māori concepts and principles in Māori Christianity.
- 2. Critically evaluate how Māori concepts and principles contribute to theology in Aotearoa New Zealand and how the Gospel engages with such Māori concepts and principles.
- 3. Identify the influence and impact of Christianity upon Māori.
- 4. Integrate an understanding of Māori Christianity with the insights of other theological or academic disciplines.
- 5. Analyze a contemporary issue using Māori theological concepts and principles.