

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Hannah Bailly is an MA candidate in the Department of Anthropology and Archaeology at the University of Otago. Her research on yoga was conducted to fulfil part of the requirements for a BA Honours, and is informed by over twenty-five years' experience as a yoga practitioner. Hannah is currently researching perceptions of health and the body amongst South Asian migrants to New Zealand's South Island.

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Professor Helen Moewaka Barnes (Ngāti Wai / Ngāti Hine / Ngāti Manu) is the Director of Whāriki and Co-director of the SHORE and Whariki Research Centre at Massey University, Auckland. She has worked more recently on relationships between the health of people and the health of environments, sexual coercion, alcohol and youth well-being and identity. Her work is both qualitative and quantitative and she is also involved in developing research within Māori paradigms.

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Dr Kelly Dombroski is a Lecturer in Human Geography at the University of Canterbury in Christchurch, New Zealand. Her research interests converge around the home, everyday life, and the body as sites of social and economic change. Her empirical work is based in multi-ethnic northwest China and in urban Australia and New Zealand.

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Dr Trisia Farrelly is a Lecturer in Sociocultural Anthropology with the School of People, Environment and Planning at Massey University, Palmerston North. Her research interests include community-based development; protected area management; conservation; indigenous Fijian epistemologies and methodologies, development, indigenous Fijian micropolitics, governance, and entrepreneurship; socio-cultural analyses of waste minimisation; informal economies; collective memory work; Pacific Islands waste management.

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Professor Christine Griffin is Professor of Social Psychology at the University of Bath, UK. Christine is a researcher in youth, identity and consumption. Her recent research has focussed on young people's alcohol consumption, especially their uses of social media and digital technologies in relation to the widespread culture of intoxication.

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Dr Fiona Hutton is at the Institute of Criminology, School of Social & Cultural Studies, Victoria University of Wellington. Her current research interests focus on youth crime, youth cultures, drug and alcohol use, gender, risk and harm minimisation.

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Dr Mike Lloyd is a senior lecturer in Sociology at Victoria University of Wellington. Mike had a previous career as a horticulturalist; as a sociologist he is interested in the intricacies of practical, grounded, social activity.

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Associate Professor Tim McCreanor belongs to the Whāriki Research Group, SHORE and Whāriki Research Centre, Massey University, Auckland. He has a

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special interest in qualitative research and discursive methods in the study of culture, equity and justice.

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Maree Martinussen has just completed an MA in Sociology at Victoria University of Wellington and is about to embark on PhD study.

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Tony Mitchell is an honorary research associate in cultural studies at the University of Technology, Sydney, and an honorary fellow in the department of music at the University of Otago. He is the co-editor of *Home, Land and Sea: Situating Music in Aotearoa New Zealand* (2011), and editor of *Global Noise: Rap and Hip Hop Outside the USA* (2001).

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Patricia Nyland is a PhD student, School of Psychology, Massey University, Wellington. Her research is focused on the social practices of friendship within our dominant neo-liberal and globalised social networking culture.

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Dee O'Carroll of the Whāriki Research Group has completed a PhD on how Māori are engaging with new social networking sites, such as Facebook, Bebo, Twitter, Google+ etc, and the impact SNS is having on Māori ways of communicating (kanohi ki te kanohi).

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Lina Samu is a PhD student at the SHORE and Whāriki Research Centre, Massey University. Her research question asks: How are social networking sites and online tools being used by young Pasifika adults aged 18–25 years in Aotearoa in their social lives (including the way in which alcohol may be used) and in their identity creation/formation?

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Dr Rochelle Stewart-Withers is a Lecturer with the Institute of Development Studies, School of People, Environment and Planning at Massey University,

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Dr Kerry-Ellen Vroman works in the Department of Occupational Therapy, University of New Hampshire, USA. Dr Vroman's research interests include qualitative methodologies, online technologies, psychosocial influences on health and illness adaptation, community mental health and community-based rehabilitation with young-adults.

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Professor Margaret Wetherell is in the School of Psychology, University of Auckland, returning after a 30 year career in Social Psychology in the UK. Her current research is in discursive and affective practices.

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