

Kia ora

Thank you for your interest in the new AQUA Mentoring Program! Please fill out the below survey so we can try match you as best as possible. Please note that Ques 1 and 2 are mandatory, but the remainder are optional. Please only answer what you feel comfortable with.

Please note that we can only accept you into the program if you sign and date the below disclosure and the Code of Conduct.

Ngā mihi

The AQUA Mentoring Committee

Disclosure:

I acknowledge that this information will be used only for the purposes of the AQUA Mentoring Program 2022. I understand that the data will be deleted and not used for any other purposes by AQUA or anyone else.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Mentee Questions**

- 1) What is your career stage?
  - a. Undergraduate/Honours
  - b. Masters
  - c. PhD
  - d. 5 years active post-PhD
  - e. 5-15 years active post-PhD
  - f. >15 years active post-PhD
  
- 2) What is your area of expertise?

Optional:

- 3) What are you looking to get out of the mentoring program?
  - a. Advice on promotion
  - b. Advice on career progression
  - c. Advice on teaching
  - d. Advice on grants
  - e. Advice on work-life balance
  - f. How to build a network
  - g. Writing advice and publishing
  - h. What should I prioritize in my role?
  - i. Other \_\_\_\_\_
  
- 4) What has your path through Quaternary Science looked like so far? [e.g., direct from Honours to PhD, mature student, took a career break, working in industry]

- 5) Where do you hope your Quaternary Science career will take you? [e.g., stay in academia, work in industry, take up a position in a research facility, consultancy, undecided]
  
- 6) Do you have any specific circumstances or skills which you would like us to try take into account when we match you up with a mentor? If so, please state (E.g. guidance on navigating a non-standard career path, parenting in academia, would you prefer a mentor with a particular gender, would you prefer a mentor with a similar ethnic background?)

### **Mentor Questions**

- 1) What is your career stage?
  - a. Masters
  - b. PhD
  - c. 5 years active post-PhD
  - d. 5-15 years active post-PhD
  - e. >15 years active post-PhD
  
- 2) What is your area of expertise?

Optional:

- 3) What are you looking to get out of the mentoring program?
  
  
- 4) What has your path in Quaternary Science looked like so far? Do you have experience within an academic setting, at a research institute, and/or in industry?

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