

PART 1

1a. Personal details			
Full name	Dr	Jacinta Arianna	Ruru
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1b. Academic qualifications

2012	Doctorate in Law and Geography, University of Victoria, Canada
2002	Masters of Law with distinction, University of Otago
1999	Bachelor of Laws, University of Otago
1996	Bachelor of Arts in Politics, Victoria University of Wellington

1c. Professional positions held

2013-present	Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Otago
2006-2012	Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Otago
2002-2005	Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Otago
1999-2001	Assistant Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Otago

1d. Present research/professional speciality

Indigenous peoples' legal interests to own, manage and govern land and water. Some of my work is interdisciplinary with the social sciences and comparative with Australia, Canada, United States and the Nordic countries (with new work making connections in Asia).

1e. Total years research experience

14 years

1f. Professional distinctions and memberships (including honours, prizes, scholarships, boards or governance roles, etc)

2015	Kaupapa Māori University of Otago Award for Excellence in Teaching (\$10,000) (sole recipient)
2015-present	Invited member of the College of Reviewers, Canada Research Chairs Program, Government of Canada
2014-present	Ministerial appointment to the Performance-Based Research Fund Sector Reference Group (Tertiary Education Commission)
2014-present	Editorial Board <i>Australia and New Zealand Law and History Journal</i>
2014-present	Trustee Blueskin Community Resilience Trust
2013	Otago University Students' Association New Supervisor of the Year Award (sole recipient)
2013-present	Invited Centre Associate, University of New South Wales Australia Indigenous Law Centre, Australia
2013-present	Invited member of the Nga Pae o te Maramatanga New Zealand's Centre of Maori Research Excellence Research Committee

- 2013-present Invited Editor for New Zealand's leading *Resource Management Journal* (plus editorial committee member since 2010), published 3 times per year
- 2012-present Received New Zealand Law Foundation funding for co-edited book project entitled "Te Akinga: A Maori Law Treatise" with Justice Joe Williams (\$42,000)
- 2012-present Received New Zealand Law Foundation funding to host the Australia New Zealand Law and History Society conference at the University of Otago, November 2013
- 2012 Invited Distinguished Visiting Scholar, Faculty of Law, University of Manitoba, Canada
- 2012-present Invited Book Review Editor of the international peer reviewed *Journal of Human Rights and the Environment*
- 2012-present Invited member of the Global Network for the Study of Human Rights and the Environment
- 2012-present Invited consultative editor for the relaunched *Maori Law Review*
- 2012-present Invited advisory member of the *Global Journal of Comparative Law*
- 2011 Fulbright Nga Pae o te Maramatanga Senior Maori Scholar Award (US\$17,000)
- 2011 University of Otago Rowheath Award and Carl Smith Medal
- 2010-present Invited founding member of the Editorial Committee for the international new peer reviewed journal published twice per year *Settler Colonial Studies Journal*
- 2010 Invited member of the advisory board for the *Journal of Maori Legal Writing*
- 2009 Invited guest editor of the special issue of the international peer reviewed *Journal of Water Law* entitled "Contemporary Indigenous Peoples' Legal Rights to Water in the Americas and Australasia"
- 2009 Principal Organiser of the International Indigenous Legal Water Forum, Wellington
- 2008-2011 Lead researcher in the Foundation for Research, Science and Technology funded project led by Landcare Research entitled 'Old Problems, new solutions' – responsible for leading objective 1.3 concerning Maori perspectives in water resource management (subcontact \$210,000)
- 2008-2012 Invited member of the University of Otago Research Committee to represent Maori academic staff
- 2007-2010 Elected Executive Committee Member (sole academic representative) of Te Hunga Roia Maori o Aotearoa (Maori Law Society)
- 2006 University of Otago Early Career Award for Distinction in Research
- 2006 Invited Visiting Scholar at Osgoode Hall Law School, York University, Canada
- 2004 JF Northey Memorial Book Award – New Zealand Legal Research Foundation, best book published in 2004 (co-author)
- 2002 Received Inaugural Te Amorangi National Māori Academic Excellence Award for Law
- 2002 Fulbright New Zealand Travel Award 2002

1g. Total number of peer reviewed publications and patents	Journal articles	Books, book chapters, books edited	Conference proceedings	Patents
	38	33	0	0

PART 2

2a. Research publications and dissemination

Peer-reviewed journal articles – note, only selected articles listed

- Ruru, J.** (2013) “Indigenous Restitution in Settling Water Claims: The Developing Cultural and Commercial Redress Options in Aotearoa New Zealand” 22(2) *Pacific Rim Law & Policy Journal* 311-352
- Ruru, J.** (2012) “Maori rights in water – the Waitangi Tribunal’s interim report” *Maori Law Review* [online]
- Ruru, J.** (2011) “Finding Support for a Changed Property Discourse for Aotearoa New Zealand in the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples” 15(4) *Lewis & Clark Law Review* 951-974
- Morris J and **Ruru, J.** (2011) “Giving voice to rivers: legal personality as a vehicle for recognising Indigenous peoples’ relationships to water?” 14(2) *Australian Indigenous Law Review* 49- 62
- When, N and **Ruru, J.** (2011) “Providing for Rahui in the law of Aotearoa New Zealand” 120(2) *Journal of Polynesian Society* 169-182
- Ruru, J.** (2011) “Maori Legal Rights to Water: Ownership, Management or Just Consultation?” 7 *Resource Management Theory & Practice*
- Ruru, J.** (2010) “Introducing why it matters: Indigenous peoples, the law and water” 20 *The Journal of Water Law* 221-223
- Ruru, J.** (2010) “Undefined and unresolved: exploring Indigenous rights in Aotearoa New Zealand’s freshwater legal regime” 20 *The Journal of Water Law* 236-242
- Ruru, J.** (2009) “Indigenous Peoples’ and freshwater: rights to govern?” *Resource Management Journal* 10-13
- Miller, R. J. and **Ruru, J.** (2009) “An Indigenous Lens into Comparative Law: The Doctrine of Discovery in the United States and New Zealand” 111 *West Virginia Law Review* 849-918
- Ruru, J.** (2008) “Finding Solutions for the Legislative Gaps in Determining Rights to the Family Home on Colonially Defined Indigenous Lands” 41(2) *U.B.C. Law Review* 315-348
- Ruru, J.** (2008) “A Maori Right to Own and Manage National Parks?” (2008) 12(1) *Journal of South Pacific Law* 105-110
- Ruru, J.** and Steven, M. (2007) “Maori land and non-owners’ rights” *New Zealand Law Journal* 325-326
- Ruru, J.** (2007) “Treaty of Waitangi principles 20 years on” *New Zealand Law Journal* 87-88.
- Ruru, J.** (2006) “Waka Umanga: A Comment” *New Zealand Law Journal* 251-252.
- Ruru, J.** (2006) “What Could Have Been: The Common Law Doctrine of Native Title in Land Under Salt Water in Australia and Aotearoa/New Zealand” 32(1) *Monash University Law Review* 116-144
- Carter, L. and **Ruru, J.** (2006) “‘Freeing the Natives’: the role of Treaty of Waitangi settlements in the reassertion of tikanga Maori” (2006) 2 *Te Tai Haruru. Journal of Maori Legal Writing* 14-36

Peer reviewed books, book chapters, books edited – note, only selected publications listed

- Ruru, J.** (2013) “Kua Tutu Te Puehu, Kia Mau. Maori aspirations and family law policy” in M Henaghan and B Atkin (eds), *Family Law Policy in New Zealand* (4th ed) (Wellington, LexisNexis) pp 57-97.

- Ruru, J.** (2011) *Brookers Maori Legislation Handbook* (Wellington, Brookers Ltd) 1443 pp.
- Ruru, J.**, J Stephenson, M Abbott (eds) *Making Our Place. Exploring Land-use Tensions in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: Otago University Press) 243pp.
- Menzies, D. and **Ruru, J.** (2011) "Indigenous Peoples' rights to Landscapes in Aotearoa New Zealand" in Sally Egoz (ed) *The Right to Landscape: Contesting Landscape and Human Rights* (Surrey: Ashgate) pp 141-151
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "The Right to Water as the Right to Identity: Legal Struggles of Indigenous Peoples of Aotearoa New Zealand" in Farhana Sultana and Alex Loftus (eds) *The Right to Water: Politics, Governance and Social Struggles* (London: Earthscan) pp 110-122
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "Maori and the courts" in Shona Russell, Bob Frame and James Lennox (eds) *Old Problems New Solutions. Integrative research supporting natural resource governance* (Lincoln: Landcare Research) 22-29
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "Co-governing fresh water" in Shona Russell, Bob Frame and James Lennox (eds) *Old Problems New Solutions. Integrative research supporting natural resource governance* (Lincoln: Landcare Research) 118-124
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "Wilderness as a walled garden" in M Abbott and R Reave (eds) *Wild Heart. The possibility of wilderness in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: Otago University Press) pp 172-179 plus notes on pp 229-230
- Ruru, J.**, Stephenson, J., and Abbott, M. (2011) "Tension lines" in Ruru, J, J Stephenson, M Abbott (eds) *Making Our Place. Exploring Land-use Tensions in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: Otago University Press) pp 13-20 plus notes
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "The Political and Juridical Battle in the Salt-sand Environment" in Ruru, J, J Stephenson, M Abbott (eds) *Making Our Place. Exploring Land-use Tensions in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: Otago University Press) pp 23-37 plus notes
- Stephenson, J., Abbott, M. and **Ruru, J.** (2011) "Shifting positions" in J Ruru, J Stephenson, M Abbott (eds) *Making Our Place. Exploring Land-use Tensions in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: Otago University Press) pp 201- 210 plus notes
- Ruru, J.** (2011) "Layered Narratives in site-specific 'wild' places" in H Lessard, R Johnson and J Webber (eds) *Storied Communities: Narratives of Contact and Arrival in Constituting Political Community* (Vancouver, University of British Columbia Press) pp 211-226
- Ruru, J.** "Property Rights and Maori: A right to own a river?" in Klaus Bosselmann and Vernan Tava (eds) *Water Rights and Sustainability* (Auckland: New Zealand Centre for Environmental Law Monograph Series: Volume 3, 2011) pp 51-76
- Miller, R., **Ruru, J.**, Behrendt, L., and Lindberg, T. (2010) *Discovering Indigenous Lands: The Doctrine of Discovery in the English Colonies* (Oxford: Oxford University Press) 314pp.
- Stephenson J, M Abbott, **J Ruru** (eds) (2010) *Beyond the Scene. Landscapes and Identity in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: University of Otago Press) 221pp
- Ruru, J.** (2010) "Claiming Native Title in the Foreshore and Seabed" in Louis Knafla and Haijo Westra (eds) *Aboriginal Title and Indigenous Peoples. Canada, Australia, and New Zealand* Vancouver, (Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press) pp 185-201
- Ruru, J.** (2010) "A Cloaked Landscape: Legal devices in Mount Aspiring National

Park” in Stephenson J, M Abbott, J Ruru (eds), *Beyond the Scene. Landscapes and Identity in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: University of Otago Press) pp 137-150 plus notes

Abbott, M. **Ruru, J.** and Stephenson, J (2010) “Entering Landscape” in Stephenson J, M Abbott, J Ruru (eds), *Beyond the Scene. Landscapes and Identity in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: University of Otago Press) pp 13-21 plus notes

Ruru, J., Stephenson, J. and Abbott, M. “Landscape’s Generosity” in Stephenson J, M Abbott, J Ruru (eds), *Beyond the Scene. Landscapes and Identity in Aotearoa New Zealand* (Dunedin: University of Otago Press) pp 197-202 plus notes

Ruru, J. (2010) “The Waitangi Tribunal” in M Mulholland and V Tawhai (eds) *Weeping Waters. The Treaty of Waitangi and Constitutional Change* (Wellington: Huia Publishers) pp 127-142

Ruru, J. (2010) guest editor of 2010 20 *The Journal of Water Law* special issue entitled “Contemporary Indigenous Peoples’ Legal Rights to Water in the Americas and Australasia”

Ruru, J. *The Legal Voice of Maori in Freshwater Governance. A Literature Review* (Lincoln: Landcare Research, 2009) 105pp

Ruru, J. (2009) “The Maori Encounter with Aotearoa New Zealand’s Legal System” in B Richardson, S Imai and K McNeil (eds) *Indigenous Peoples and the Law: Comparative and Critical Perspectives* (Oxford: Hart Publishing) pp 111-133.

Ruru, J. (2008) (ed), “*In Good Faith*” *Symposium Proceedings marking the 20th anniversary of the Lands case* (New Zealand Law Foundation and the University of Otago) 230pp

Other forms of dissemination (reports for clients, technical reports, popular press, etc)

50+ conference presentations nationally and internationally including many international invited keynote presentations.

2b. Previous research work

Research title: Old Problems, New Solutions. Integrating economic, biophysical, social and legal perspectives to support regional management and governance of natural resources (FRST funded 2008-2011, led by Landcare Research NZ Ltd. I led objective 3: the Maori voice in resource governance)

Principal outcome: Ruru, J, *The Legal Voice of Maori in Freshwater Governance. A Literature Review* (Lincoln: Landcare Research, 2009) 105pp

Principal end-user and contact: Maori communities, central and local government, lawyers

2c. Describe the commercial, social or environmental impact of your previous research work

My research often assists Maori communities in preparing for Treaty of Waitangi claim settlement negotiations with the Government and for presenting cases to local authorities and the courts. My research occasionally assists central and local government policy-making and drafting new legislation. Some of my work has been cited by New Zealand courts.

2d. Demonstration of relationships with end-users

I maintain a good relationship with several Maori communities, government and lawyers.