

# EMPLOYEE VOLUNTEERING

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## Congratulations Awardees

### Victoria University of Wellington Corporate Challenge 2020



# The VUW Corporate Challenge Awardees



**Reduced Inequalities category:** St Vincent de Paul with Parliamentary Service; Earthlink with Wellington Electricity Corporation; Kiwi Community Assistance with AJ Park Ltd; Te Omanga Hospice with Pynenberg and Collins Architects.

**Life on Land category:** Manawa Karioi Reserve with Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade – APEC team; McClintock Reserve

with ACC; Trellissick Park with The Treasury and Victoria University staff; Matiu/Somes Island with NZ Post Group, IAG, and Vocus Group. Presented by the Hon Poto Williams.

## Celebrating the EV programme

At a slightly delayed event in July, due to Covid-19, Volunteer Wellington, along with Victoria University of Wellington hosted a warm and heartfelt event at KPMG. It was an opportunity to celebrate all of the wonderful Employee Volunteers who step away from their jobs to go and volunteer for one of our marvellous Community Member organizations.

“ It feels good to know that our workplace supports the community through allowing staff to volunteer.”

**VUW STAFF MEMBER**

VUW Vice Provost Academic Stuart Brock presented **two special awards**:

**MBIE – Business, Resources and Marketing** department received **a Stand-out Project Award** for activating an entire government department across **twenty projects, involving 220 volunteers in three weeks**.

**The Covid Volunteering Heroes awards** went to **Kiwi Community Assistance, Kaibosh, Victoria Student Volunteer Army, Wellington City Mission and St Vincent de Paul**. It recognized the outstanding work of these organizations during the Covid-19

lockdown, to ensure food security for the vulnerable members of our community.



**HAPPY MBIE VOLUNTEERS AT REMUTAKA FOREST PARK**



**NZ POST CELEBRATE THEIR AWARD**



**MINISTER WILLIAMS WITH VW BOARD MEMBERS**

“ Please connect with me if you wish to undertake a volunteering project in the latter part of the year.

We are definitely open for business!”

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### Employee Volunteering Partners

ACC, AJ Park Ltd, ANZ National Bank, AsureQuality, IAG New Zealand, IBM New Zealand, KPMG, Massey University College of Creative Arts, Mercer Ltd, Ministry of Business Innovation and Employment-Legal, Ministry of Business Innovation and Employment – Capability Services, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Ministry of Justice, Parliamentary Counsel Office, Parliamentary Service, Pynenberg & Collins Architects, The Treasury, Victoria University of Wellington, Vocus Group, Wellington Electricity Corporation, Z Energy



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