



Whanaungatanga: Obligations based on relationships linking individuals to generations based on kin and non-kin and built on experience and place.

Artist's note on symbolism

Koru: The koru represents new beginnings, growth, and the unfolding of life. It is derived from the unfurling fern frond and holds cultural importance for the Māori people. The koru's symbolism extends beyond its representation as a natural form and carries broader meanings in Māori art, spirituality, and identity.

These koru aim to express the ideas relating to interconnectedness and relationships by each koru unfurling from another, close proximity and the way each koru creates a space for the surrounding koru.

Tatai whetu (background pattern): This design comes from rāranga (weaving) and acknowledges Māori people's understanding of the cosmos, whakapapa, atua and the Māori creation story which creates a frame work for our identity and how that is expressed in they way we foster relationships with others.

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Chloë Reweti is of Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Tukorehe and Irish (Moate) descent. She works as an independent designer, and was previously an art director and senior designer at Wētā Workshop.

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