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Instructions

Thank you for completing your funded initiative. This form will be placed on our website for transparency and enables us to understand and share your grant results.

Please complete and submit this form no later than the date stipulated in your funding agreement.

If you cannot meet the deadline, contact us to arrange an alternative date by emailing <u>fun</u> <u>ding@internetnz.net.nz</u>. You may not be eligible to apply for further grants from InternetNZ if this is not submitted. The completion of this form should be overseen by someone with intimate knowledge of the funded mahi.

Final project report

* indicates a required field

Initiative title *

Tech Summit 2022

Provide a short summary of the work that was completed as part of this grant. * 4Phase Games attended the Canterbury Tech Summit 2022 in Christchurch for the first time. This summit has multiple speakers and presentations relating to different facets of the tech industry and brings together a host of sponsors and technologists in the one convention.

4Phase Games is a Māori company that creates interactive media and is based in Taranaki. They are currently based in Taranaki and the core creative team is made up of three people, supported by whānau and friends in the tech industry. Morgana Watson is the Creative Director and currently studying her Masters with the University of Canterbury which is how she was notified about the Summit. Through further investigation she discovered the Internet NZ grant that supports summit attendance and so made the necessary steps to apply; which was successful.

In order to make the most of their trip and networking opportunity, Morgana lined up meetings prior to departure. They also met with CODE (Dunedin) Chief Executive, Tim Ponting who was highly influential in helping to build the strategy for 'next steps' for the team and their game.

The Summit was a plethora of sponsors and speakers, that were professional and informative. There was a lot of free merchandise that everyone was encouraged to indulge in.

Because 4Phase Games is a Māori company it was a priority to see Elle Archer's presentation (Chair of Te Matarau - Māori Tech Association) which was inspiring and informative.

Describe the "who, what, where and when" of your initiative.

What are the outcomes of this project? *

As a team, 4Phase was not sure what to expect at the conference considering it was their first time, however they have made some very positive and beneficial network connections.

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Upon many impromptu conversations, there was a great interest in Māori (Indigenous) game making and willingness to help in whatever capacity people could. This gives great encouragement to the team and opens up new avenues of opportunity. Successful grant applications also help solidify a relationship with Internet NZ.

Post-summit Zui (Zoom Hui) have been made

Emails exchanged and information shared regarding legal obligations for our project

Funding opportunities for the video game being created

Old acquaintances reigniting as new friendships

New network connections from the sponsors of the summit Describe major achievements resulting from this grant.

Which population group/s were affected by this project or program? *

Ethnic and racial groups > Indigenous peoples > Māori Please choose only the group/s that were at the very core of this project/program.

	If you have any photos or supporting documentation, please share it below.
Upload files:	No files have been uploaded
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Provide additional details:	Please include captions, if relevant
Can we use your media content in our communications? *	● Yes ○ No ○ Please contact us first e.g. in our annual report

Financial report

Please provide details of funds received and spent in relation to this grant.

Income	\$	Expenditure	\$
Internet NZ	\$6,661.00	Flights/Accomm	\$4,854.00
	\$	Transfers	\$149.00
	\$	Summit tickets	\$458.00

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\$	Koha	\$1,200.00
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Total Income Amount

Total Expenditure Amount Income - Expenditure

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Feedback

You are almost at the end of your final report. Before submitting, please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

Please indicate how you found the acquittal process:

○ Very easy ● Easy ○ Neutral ○ Difficult ○ Very Difficult

How many minutes in total did it take you to complete this form? 20

Estimate in minutes (i.e. 1 hour = 60 minutes)

Do you have any feedback on this process?

I think Ciara's willingness to get us over the line to create the opportunity made the difference. That coupled with Louisa (General Manager, Canterbury Tech Summit) who squeezed us in after a sold-out summit meant the trip was a success.

InternetNZ is a membership organisation. Would you be interested in hearing more about becoming a member?

● Yes please ○ No thanks ○ I am already a member

Are you interested in joining a gathering with other grantees?

 \cap Yes please

No thanks