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Visa Processing Officer Immigration New Zealand

Participating in Auckland Bioengineering the Future event

We have invited, Sankha Cooray, to be part of the Auckland Bioengineering the Future event by the University of Auckland during 8-14 May 2023.

This week-long showcase will feature a mix of interactive displays, artwork exhibitions and seminars – the current research will be connected with STEM subjects taught in schools in an engaging way. The content will be family-friendly, and entry will be free to schools and the public.

Sankha's presence will facilitate in-person discussion and demonstration of "Kiwrious project" research work that he had been working over the last 2 years.

The university is supporting his travel and accommodation.

It would be greatly appreciated if your office could expedite his visa application to be in Auckland in time for this event.

If you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank You.

Yours truly,

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