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**QUALIFICATIONS**

Massey University

**Master of Emergency Management with Distinction**

**2020**

Massey University

**Graduate Diploma in Emergency Management**

**2015**

Open Polytechnic of New Zealand

**New Zealand Certificate in Adult and Tertiary Teaching (Level 5)**

**2021**

Ara Institute of Canterbury

**New Zealand Certificate in Information Technology Essentials (Level 4)**

**2022**

**ACHIEVEMENTS**

**Certified Emergency Manager (CEM)**

**2013**

International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM)

**2018**

**IAEM 2018 Graduate Student Scholarship**

**2018**

International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM)

**Award for Service during COVID-19 Response**

**2020**

Wellington Region Civil Defence Emergency Management Group

**MEMBERSHIPS**

International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM)

International Critical Incident Stress Foundation (ICISF)

US National CERT Association - charter member (NCA)

**EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE**

Waimakariri District Council

**Emergency Management Officer**

**Feb 2022 – present**

Operational Response and Community Resilience.

Wellington Region Emergency Management Office

**Emergency Management Advisor - Community Resilience**

**Jan 2020 – Jan 2022**

Community Resilience Advisor for Hutt Valley.

Community Response Consultants, Christchurch

**International Consultant**

**April 2019 – Jan 2020**

Community resilience projects in Brazil, Germany, Indonesia, and Sri Lanka.

CERT Brasil, Nova Friburgo – Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

**NGO Director**

**May 2012 – April 2019**

Disaster Risk Reduction and community resilience programmes.

Iris Relief, Abilene - TX, USA

**Emergency Management Coordinator**

**Jul 2014 – Oct 2018**

Trained responders in USA, Mozambique, Belize, Puerto Rico, and Guatemala.

Crisis Response International, Nashville – TN, USA

**Volunteer Disaster Responder**

**Mar 2011 – Dec 2017**

Participated in disaster response training and deployments in USA and Israel.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION**

IAP2 - International Association for Public Participation <b>Engagement Essentials Certificate</b> CDEM and Community Engagement.	<b>September 2022</b>
Land Search and Rescue New Zealand <b>Applied Coordinated Incident Management (CIMS4)</b> NZQA Unit Standards 29553 and 29554.	<b>March 2022</b>
Peter Coughlan & Associates Limited <b>Practical Business Continuity &amp; Crisis Management</b> Online 14-hour course.	<b>September 2021</b>
National Emergency Management Agency, Wellington <b>Emergency Management Officer Induction</b> Emergency Management Officer (EMO) Induction course.	<b>September 2020</b>
International Technical Rescue Association <b>USAR Awareness CAT-1A</b> USAR Awareness CAT-1A (Orange Ticket) course, Wellington.	<b>August 2020</b>
National Emergency Management Agency, Wellington <b>Integrated Training Framework Intermediate</b> Training course with WREMO and online assessment by NEMA.	<b>March 2020</b>
Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service <b>Civilian Response Train the Trainer</b> Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERT) Civilian Response Basic Active Shooter Level 1 instructor training by Texas State University (online).	<b>July 2019</b>
UMBC Training Centres, San Antonio - TX, USA <b>Assisting Individuals in Crisis and Group Crisis Intervention</b> In-person individual (CISM) and group (CISD) crisis intervention training certified by the International Critical Incident Stress Foundation (ICISF).	<b>January 2018</b>
American Red Cross <b>Advanced Instructor Fundamentals</b> American Red Cross Basic and Advanced Instructor Fundamentals courses.	<b>January 2015</b>
National Emergency Training Centre, Emmetsburg – MD, USA <b>CERT Train the Trainer and Programme Manager</b> In-person FEMA Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Programme Manager and Train the Trainer courses.	<b>February 2013</b>

**OTHER**

- Hold NZQA Unit Standards in Candidate Assessment (4098), Occupational Health and Safety (497, 18408, 29315, 31292), Civil Defence (528, 7332, 7334), and Fire and Emergency Management (3271, 32158, 4647) among others
- Proficient with Microsoft Office 365, Microsoft Teams, and other common software packages
- Participated in International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) Aotearoa New Zealand 2022 Certification Exam Content Development and CEM/AEM Standard Setting panels as a Subject Matter Expert
- Completed Te Tiriti o Waitangi training course with Greater Wellington Regional Council (2021)
- Completed Code of Ethics for Youth Work in Aotearoa course with Rerenga Awa / CYWC (2022)
- Current New Zealand drivers' license
- Fluent in Brazilian Portuguese
- Fully vaccinated against COVID-19