

# LOGAN HAMLEY

*HE/HIM*

APPLYING FOR CO-CHAIR &  
GENERAL BOARD MEMBER

Kia ora koutou, he uri ahau nō Ngāti Rangī i te taha o tōku pāpā, i te taha o tōku māmā nō Ingarangi me Kōtirana ōku tīpuna, ko Logan tōku ingoa. He takatāpui ahau, kei Tāmaki māua ko tōku hoa tāne e noho ana.

Kia ora koutou, my name is Logan! I am a PhD student at the University of Auckland and I have been on the board for 2 years as a General Board member - I love being involved with RY and being able to contribute to a kaupapa that means a lot to me.

## **What made you want to join the RY board?**

E rua ngā tau e tū ana au hei kaipōari mō RY. Nōku te tino honore ki te whai wāhi i tēnei whakahaere, i tēnei kaupapa. He mahi aroha, he mahi nui a RY, ā, e poho kererū ana au nā ngā kaupapa kua ea i tēnei wā. Ka nui taku harikoa mehemea ka whai tonu au i te huarahi o RY hei kaipōari. Kāore e nui tōku mātauranga hei koha i a RY. Engari, ahakoa he iti, nā te aroha.

I have been on the board for 2 years now and it has been a privilege to see what RY has achieved over the time I have been on the board. I would really love to continue to be involved in this work and continue to provide a small contribution to the Rainbow Community!

## **RainbowYOUTH is on a journey to proactively and respectfully uphold Te Tiriti o Waitangi. How would you contribute to this journey?**

Kua whakaritea tētahi huarahi mā tātou e Kendra, ā, kua mahi kē au i te mahi he whakamana i te Tiriti o Waitangi i roto i a RY. He mahi nui, he mahi uaua anō hoki, engari, kei te hiahia ahau ki te whakamahi i te mātauranga kua kohikohia kia ora ai te tikanga rua i tō tātou whakahaere. He moemoeā tōku, ā, kei te hiahia au ki te whai wāhi i te Poari hei whakatinana i te moemoeā.

## **What particular skills do you think you have that would make you suitable for the RY board?**

I think I provide a critical and decolonial lens. I believe I am values driven, and that my values and the values of RY are closely aligned and this means I feel comfortable bring forward my ideas but also to have those be challenged and reflexively think about what is the best outcome that aligns with the vision.

Having been involved with the board for 2 years I think I have been able to gain new skills in governance and decision-making over time and that this has meant that I feel more confident to provide insight and perspectives across different parts of RY.