**Peseti Tupou Vea: Curriculum Vitae (CV)**

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| 1. Personal statement |
| I am a professional, committed, qualified teacher who had gained a wide variety of experiences in teaching English as a second language and as a subject from a variety of schools ranging from the outer islands in Tonga, the main island of Tongatapu and Japan. I enjoy meeting new people and learning about other cultures. I am an optimistic, hardworking and a considerate person. |

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| 1. Education History and Qualification | | |
| Year | **Institutions** | **Qualification** |
| 2024 | University of the South Pacific (USP) | **Currently Undertaking**-Post Graduate Diploma in Arts |
| 2013 | i-to-i Online TEFL Course UK | * 120 hours certificate |
| 2008-2010 | The University of Waikato | * Master of Education * Post Graduate Diploma in Literacy |
| * Full Master thesis title: “*Implementing Critical Literacy in a Tongan Bilingual Classroom* supervised by Professor Terry Locke, Waikato University.   Retrieval Site: <http://researchcommons.waikato.ac.nz/handle/10289/5021> | | |
| 2001-2004 | The University of Waikato | Bachelor of Education |
| 1995-1997 | Tonga Institute of Education | Diploma in Teaching (English and History) |
| 1994 | Tonga National Form 7 | Bursary Pass in English and Economics |
| 1988-1993 | Tonga High School | Pacific Senior Secondary Exam (Form 6)  Tonga School Certificate (Form 5) |

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| 1. Work History and Experience | | |
| Year | **Employer** | **Position** |
| 2020-2021 | IOE: USP-Tonga Campus | Consultation: TESA |
| July 1st, 2017 to present | The University of the South Pacific- FALE | FALE SLS- Specialist- Tonga Campus (‘Atele) |
| August 2016, 11- June 30th 2017 | Ministry of Education and Training, Tonga (MET) | Senior Lecturer- English (Tonga Institute of Education-TIOE) |
| July 2011, 31st –August 1st, 2016 | Iwaki Board of Education (Japan JET Program) | Assistant Language Teacher (ALT)-Junior High School. |
| 2010 October, - July 30th, 2011 | Tonga Institute of Education | Assistant Graduate Lecturer (Teaching Core English and Education courses) |
| 2004-2007 | Ha’api High School (Tonga Ministry of Education) | Assistant Graduate Teacher (Teaching English to Forms 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6) |
| 1999-2000 | Tonga High School (Tonga Ministry of Education) | Assistant Diplomat Teacher (Teaching English and History for Forms 1,2 3) |
| 1998 | Niua Toputapu High School (Tonga Ministry of Education) | Assistant Diplomat Teacher (Teaching English and Social Science: Forms 1, 2 and 3) |

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| 1. Workshops/seminars/short courses attended. | | |
| Workshop Title/Year/Date | **Host Institution/facilitator** | **Qualification/Awards** |
| TESA- Tonga Education Support Activities  2020-2021 | Institute of Education (USP-Tonga campus | -Training Field officers and Primary school teachers throughout Tonga, Haapai and Vavau- Literacy |
| English for Academic preparation.  29th January-15th February, 2008 | The University of Waikato Pathways College | Certificate of Participation |
| Adaptive Mentorship Workshop. January 25-26, 20011 | The University of South Pacific.  (Tonga Branch). | Certificate of Participation |
| Short Course in Basic Assessment. March 21st -23rd, 2011. | Tonga Institution for Higher Education. Tonga Ministry of Education. Tonga. | Certificate of Training |

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| 1. Referees | | |
| Name | **Post/Contacts** | **Employer** |
| 1. Dr. Mo’ale ‘Otunuku | **Post title**: - Research Fellow- Institute of Education,USP- Tonga Campus  **Contacts**: [moale.otuuku@usp.ac.fj](mailto:moale.otuuku@usp.ac.fj) | The University of the South Pacific |
| 1. Dr. Raelyn L ‘Essau | **Post Title:** Deputy Director (Planning Division)  **Contacts:** [esaurl@gmail.com](mailto:esaurl@gmail.com)  Tong Institute of Education (TIHE)  Community and Training Centre  Pahu  Phone number: 24-122  Mob: 7729279 | Ministry of Education and Training (Tonga) |
| 1. Ms. ‘Ana Uaafe Veikoso | **Post Title**: Principal- Ha’apai High School  **Contacts**: [uaafesnr69@gmail.com](mailto:uaafesnr69@gmail.com) | Ministry of Education and Training (Tonga) |