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Dear Secondary School Teacher,

Special Offer – Free Registration for NZ Secondary School Teachers at NZIP & PHYSIKOS 2025

We are pleased to offer New Zealand based secondary school teachers an opportunity to attend the NZIP & PHYSIKOS 2025 Conference with a **fully funded registration**, courtesy of Network of Expertise (NEX) funding from the Ministry of Education.

This year's conference will feature sessions spanning the research frontier; engaging education-focused talks and workshops; insights into curriculum and assessment developments as well as the NZIP Awards Ceremony during the conference dinner.

UNESCO has declared 2025 the International Year of Quantum Science and Technology. The NZIP conference will be one of the local highlights, with speakers and sessions celebrating a century of progress in quantum mechanics and the promise of developing quantum technologies.

Important Details:

- This special offer covers conference registration only; the conference dinner is not included but can be purchased separately.
- There are a limited number of these available use the registration sign up form on the website to confirm.
- Schools must be aware that if a registered teacher cancels, the school will be responsible for a cancellation fee of \$100 if cancelled by May 20 and the full registration cost if cancelled after May 20 or in the case of a no-show.
- NZIP has the right to review and advise if a teacher does not meet the criteria for a funded registration.
- Please share this letter and your intention to attend this conference, with your school.

We encourage schools to support their teachers in taking advantage of this unique professional development opportunity. Spaces are limited, so we recommend registering early to secure your place.

For support with travel, accommodation, or other expenses, we recommend looking at the PPTA Subject Association Grant to offset these costs. <u>Read more about how to apply</u>

For further details, including registration, submission of abstracts for a workshop/presentation, and programme schedule, please visit our conference website: <u>confer.eventsair.com/nzip2025/</u>

We look forward to welcoming you to Auckland for an enriching and inspiring event. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Ngā mihi nui, Helen Housden PLD Analyst