

National Executive Candidates 2025 – 2026

Curriculum Vitae



Name: Julie-Anne Roberts
Nominated for: Support Staff Representative
General Membership Representative

Relevant skills, attributes and qualifications:

I started working in education in 2006 at a small South Auckland decile 1 Primary school. I joined NZEI in January 2006 and have been an active member of NZEI since then. In 2015 I moved from the Primary School to a reasonably large South Auckland Secondary School to take up the role of LDS - Admin Manager/Enrolments/Events/Hauora and Community.

In 2015 I was involved in the planning and the establishment of the Counties Manukau Area Council that was officially launched in 2016. In 2020 I took on the Support Staff National Executive Representative for a year and then I was on the National Executive as a General Membership Representative

My school Principal and colleagues support my roles within NZEI and are very encouraging of the work I have undertaken and continue to do within NZEI.

NZEI experience:

Counties Manukau Area Council – SSNCKT Representative - currently

Admin PLD Working Group member – 2023 – currently

Support Staff Scholarships selection member – 2022-2023

NZEI National Executive General Membership Representative – 2021 – 2022

NZEI Representative CTU Women’s Biannual Conference - 2021

NZEI National Executive Support Staff Representative – 2020

Admin Pay Equity Negotiation Team Leader – 2020 – 2023

Pay Equity Team – Admin 2018 - currently

Counties Manukau Area Council – Chairperson 2018-2019

Auckland Education Summit Hui Attendee – 2018

Pay Equity Rally Organiser and Speaker – Auckland May 2018

NZEI Associate Award for Activism - 2017

Support Staff Fees Working Group – 2017 – 2019

Counties Manukau Area Council – Secretary 2016 – 2017, 2023 - currently

Support Staff Mentor – Support Staff Annual scholarships 2016, 2017,

Support Staff Speaker – NZEI/PPTA Bulk Funding combined meeting at Manukau September 2016

Support Staff Industrial Forum Representative - 2012

Auckland Area Council – SSNCKT Representative 2011 - 2016

Support Staff Work Site Rep – 2011 – 2015 at my previous school and 2017 – 2019, 2022 - currently

Papakura Branch President – 2011 – 2019, 2023 - currently

Facilitated Support Staff PUM’s – 2010 - currently

Support Staff Negotiation Team – 2011

Attendee at NZEI Annual Meeting/Conference – 2009 – currently [every year]

Other background and personal information:

I enjoy working together for our common vision while maintaining a focus on the sector campaigns. I am committed to and encourage others to be conversant around Tiriti o te Waitangi. I work hard to promote the values, objectives and policies of NZEI Te Riu Roa within all sectors in our membership.

I feel really passionate about Support Staff especially all my Secondary School colleagues who can often feel like they aren't part of NZEI Te Riu Roa due to their mahi being in a PPTA site. It is time that all Support Staff in education are recognised for the vital roles we play in education and look forward to all Support Staff getting the professional recognition that we deserve. It was a privilege to represent my Administrator colleagues during the Pay Equity negotiations. Currently I am involved with the Pay Equity PLD Working group with MOE & NZSTA for Administrators, Science Technicians and Librarians and after nearly a year of going backwards and forwards and getting nowhere I can finally see the light at the end of the tunnel, and I look forward to when we can present a report to our members and non-members in these sectors.

*Nominated by: **Counties Manukau Area Council***