

TĪAHO - to shine AHO - 3. (noun) line of descent, genealogy.

This waiata (song) is the 2nd release from Huia's KAWAKAWA album project for 2024. Highlighting every song is the aim and this waiata is all about shining bright! This tune has a slinky baseline, sharp chunky snare and could flow in a multitude of genres. Just like the latest releases from Huia, it is something different for te reo Māori music with beats by Rei and artwork by HūHā Music x Rei Hamon Art.

In full te reo with a bilingual version on the way, TĪAHO AHO is an aural exploration of electronic, world and chill-beat fusions and stacked harmonies, up to 10 layers at times. With her music latest travels to Tkaronto (Toronto, Canada) Huia's music is travelling through the world scene, with her last release 'WAKA HUIA' hitting #1 on Ethnocloud (World Music Harts) and Student radio highlights (Te Ahi Kā - RDU #1).

This project is beautifully recorded, mixed and mastered at Kog studio by Chris Chetland and by Te Māngai Pāho. Kupu by Lois McIver. Stay tuned for an audio/visual experience, featuring glimpses of her world travels and the small intimate moments that keep us grounded and safe.

TRAP x MĀORI x PT - WAKA HUIA' ft Portuguese artist Meta_ is also out now! For more info please go to - www.iamhuia.com // huia@kog.co.nz