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Website field	Information needed
<b>Title</b>	E oho! Pre-Treaty personalities and policies – a European focus
<b>Summary</b>	9(2)(a) [redacted] the key stages leading up to Britain's decision to conclude a Treaty with the chiefs of Aotearoa New Zealand.
<b>Series</b>	E oho! Waitangi series
<b>Date(s)</b>	Wednesday 12 February 2025
<b>Event start and finish time</b>	12:10pm to 1:30pm
<b>Cost</b>	Free
<b>Venue</b>	Taiwhanga Kauhau Auditorium, Lower Ground Floor
<b>Zoom registration page</b>	Complete
<b>RSVP for the in-person event</b>	No
<b>Event details (about 200 words)</b>	<p>In 1883, the British historian John Seeley famously remarked that the British Empire had "conquered and peopled half the world in a fit of absence of mind". The assessment may seem flippant, but it is seldom far from the surface when surveying the contours of European interest in New Zealand leading up to the Treaty of Waitangi (1840).</p> <p>What was the engine of this involvement? And how was it that in so many cases, personalities triumphed over policies?</p> <p>This talk will focus on the key stages leading up to Britain's decision to conclude a Treaty with the chiefs of Aotearoa New Zealand, and in the process, reveal something of the methods and motives of those involved in the preceding two centuries of European intervention.</p>
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