## LUPAB Established!



The inaugural meeting of the Lincoln University Planning Advisory Board (LUPAB) took place 14 December 2009 at the offices of *Davie, Lovell Smith and Partners*. The Advisory Board is intended to be a key body assisting the Department of Environmental Management in understanding the educational, professional and research needs of professional planners. It provides support, comment and advice on a broad range of current activities and future developments. Its members represent a cross-section of experienced professionals from planning and associated disciplines within the Canterbury region. Those at the first meeting were: Kim Seaton (Chair), Ivan Thomson, Dean Chrystal, Bob Batty, Malcolm Douglass, Geoff Kerr, Hamish Rennie and Ali Memon.

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