

Where are they now?

Brigid Buckley – Brigid completed her Dip. Resource Studies in 2008 and is now working for Federated Farmers as a policy advisor in Wellington. Her key focuses are on policy and plan development for the Wairarapa and Hawke's Bay regions as well as participating in any regional forums and strategies that directly relate or may impact on agriculture activities. She also focuses on water policy development at a national level.

Kirsten Klitscher - Kirsten completed her BRS in 1994, and is currently working as a Senior Resource Planner with the NZ Transport Agency, based in the Agency's Dunedin office. Since completing her degree, Kirsten has worked as both a council and consultant planner throughout the South Island, and has also undertaken some additional study.

Harriet Johns – Harriet completed her MApp Sc (Environmental Management) in February 2009 while working full time for Aurecon in their Tauranga office. She has recently transferred with the company back to Christchurch where she is employed as a Consultant Planner with a wide range of projects and clients.

Sam Freeman-Moir – Sam completed a MEP in 2009 and is enjoying working as a Strategic Planner with the Wyndham City Council in Melbourne. His role, while varied, is centred on environmental issues.

Genevieve Hilliard – Genevieve completed her MEP in 2009 and is a planner with Lakes Environmental (the resource management/regulatory arm of Queenstown Lakes District Council). Genevieve is based in Wanaka and is a part of the Resource Consent Team.

Sharleen Gargiulo - Sharleen completed her MEP in 2010. Following this, she was contracted by Nelson City Council (NCC) to contact a range of people living in higher density housing via a mail-out survey. The results of the survey will feed into future NCC policy decisions concerning the where, what and how more intensive residential development might happen. Since completing this she has moved to the UNESCO world heritage listed Fraser Island, Australia, and is working for an eco-friendly resort, where she hopes to save and travel further abroad.