Dear alumni and friends,

This month we welcome new grads to the alumni and friends community. Congratulations to all those of you who took part in the spring graduation ceremonies last week – we look forward to hearing more from you!

We value the contribution that you make to the University as one of our alumni and friends. As we gain more and more alumni, we occasionally lose touch with some of you. We’re keen to get back in touch with these “lost” alumni, but we need your help.

To help us to get back in touch, we’ve launched a new webpage that allows you to look and see if your classmates or friends are lost, and let us know how we can get in touch with them. Find out more about lost alumni and how you can help.

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**Alumnus appointed new Pro Vice-Chancellor (Māori)**
The University of Auckland has appointed alumnus Jim Peters to the position of Pro-Vice Chancellor (Māori). [Full story](#)

**Successful alumni gatherings in North Asia**
We had a successful visit to alumni and friends in North Asia in early September. Find out more about the functions and view photos of who attended:

- **Hong Kong**
- **Beijing**
- **Shanghai**
- **Seoul**

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**Upcoming events**

- **27 OCTOBER**
  - MBA alumni reunion

- **25 NOVEMBER**
  - Engineering centennial dinner

- **2 DECEMBER**
  - Snowsports Club 40th birthday dinner

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**Lecture series**
The annual Vice-Chancellor’s lecture series. This year’s theme: Modern plagues: Epidemics of infectious diseases in the 21st century.

Lectures are on:

- **25 October**
- **1 November**
- **8 November**
- **15 November**

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Eminent Māori figure mourned
Alumni and friends of The University of Auckland mourn the passing of one of Māoridom’s most eminent and respected figures, Emeritus Professor Sir Hugh Kawharu
Full story

Until next month,

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