

PROGRAMME DAY 1**TUESDAY 23RD APRIL**

- 8.30 Coffee and registration Foyer of Biology Building, 5 Symonds Street
- 9.00 *Welcome*
Dean Peterson Antarctica New Zealand
- 9.15 *Opening Guest Speaker*
Rick Christie Chair of Science and Innovation Advisory Council
- 9.30 *Representing New Zealand's interests in Antarctica: current issues and priorities*
Gill Wratt Antarctica New Zealand
- 10.00 *Too much ice in the drink? A penguin's dilemma*
Peter Wilson Landcare Research Ltd
- 10.30 Refreshments and poster session
- 11.00 *Tomorrows 'beakers' today: sixth form students from Tauranga Girls' College on The Ice*
Liam Nolan Tauranga Girls' College
- 11.30 *Ross Sea Region 2001: key conclusions from Antarctica's first state of the environment report*
Emma Waterhouse Antarctica New Zealand
- 12.00 *Developing an integrated approach to assessing biodiversity in coastal ecosystems of the Ross Sea*
Simon Thrush National Institute for Water and Atmosphere Ltd
- 12.30 Lunch
- 1.30 *The human imprint and its interaction with natural forms*
Margaret Elliot Artist
- 2.00 *Cheating the cold: antifreeze expression in developing dragonfish*
Clive Evans University of Auckland
- 2.30 *Current issues for the Antarctic Treaty system*
Felicity Wong Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
- 3.00 *Natural History Filmmaking and Communication: possibilities in the deep south*
Lloyd Davis University of Otago
- 3.30 Refreshments and poster session
- 4.00 *A freelance perspective*
Gus Roxburgh Independent Journalist
- 4.30 *Adélie penguins, ancient DNA and evolution in the Antarctic*
David Lambert Massey University
- 5.00 Close
- 6.00 Private viewing of Kelly Tarlton's Antarctic Encounter and Underwater World, 23 Tamaki Drive, Orakei
- 7.00 Dinner at Jacques Cafe adjacent to Kelly Tarlton's Antarctic Encounter and Underwater World

PROGRAMME DAY 2**WEDNESDAY 24TH APRIL**

8.30	Registration	Biology Lecture Theatre 100
8.40	<i>Introduction to the day's proceedings</i> Dean Peterson	Antarctica New Zealand
8.45	<i>Behavioural and endocrine responses of Adélie penguins (<i>Pygoscelis adeliae</i>) to people</i> John Cockrem	Massey University
9.00	<i>Geology of the Darwin Glacier region, southern Victoria Land, Antarctica</i> Alanna Simpson	University of Otago
9.15	<i>Hydrocarbon spills on soils of the Ross Sea region - How do they impact on soil bacterial communities?</i> Jackie Aislabie	Landcare Research Ltd.
9.30	<i>LINZ strategic plan and future work programmes for the Ross Sea region</i> Graeme Blick and Dave Mole	Land Information New Zealand
9.45	<i>Does the enzyme citrate synthase from several Antarctic fish show evidence of cold-adaptation?</i> Craig Marshall	University of Otago
10.00	<i>K407: Environmental monitoring and management 2001/2002</i> Rebecca Roper-Gee	Antarctica New Zealand
10.15	<i>Biodiversity and performance of mosses and lichens</i> Allan Green	University of Waikato
10.30	Refreshments and poster session	
11.00	<i>2001/2002 season review</i> Julian Tangaere	Antarctica New Zealand
11.30	<i>Origin of Antarctic permafrost: When were the Dry Valleys last wet?</i> Warren Dickinson	Victoria University of Wellington
11.45	<i>An investigation of the chemical and thermal structure of melt water ponds at Bratina Island, Antarctica</i> Briar Waite	University of Auckland
12.00	<i>Late Cenozoic glacial geology of the Rennick Glacier region, northern Victoria Land</i> Paul Augustinus	University of Auckland
12.15	Lunch	
1.15	Science Strategy presentation and discussion	
2.30	Presentation and discussion on the future (ANDRILL, Bidding Round, BioRoss, CoRE, LGP)	
3.30	Refreshments and poster session	
4.00	Presentation and discussion on the future continued	
5.00	Close	

