

'Talent Management: How do we keep our best and brightest and how do we attract the best talent from abroad.'

New Zealand is often perceived as having a skills shortage, with a large section of New Zealanders living abroad. Is this the case and what kind of affect is this having on our economy?

These thought leaders will offer their insights into whether New Zealand is suffering from the ongoing trend to move abroad. They will also look at what businesses and the country in general can do to improve the quality of the talent pool in New Zealand.

Attracting and retaining the best staff has never been more important. Businesses have been forced to survive with less staff, yet achieving greater results.

AmCham has brought together thought leaders from across New Zealand to provide businesses with the most up-to-date information on the current state of affairs and the best tactics to attract and retain talent.

How political and economic decision have made the option of moving abroad even more appealing. What are the implications of the current government staying in power?

Rod Oram Political and Economic Commentator, Sunday Star Times

How New Zealand can leverage its existing expat population to create a better network of talent. With the world's third largest sporting event soon hitting our shores, Kea is looking to maximise its impact through the innovative 'PassItOn' project

Ross McConnell Executive Director, Kea NZ

Talent is critical to New Zealand's future economic success. In a world where Kiwi talent can earn a significant premium by moving abroad, what moves can businesses make to counter this and to ensure that talent is retained.

Gareth Chaplin Chief Economist, New Zealand Trade and Enterprise

What New Zealand businesses need to do in order to attract the best and brightest graduates from home and abroad. Realising the potential of students for part-time work when they are studying will often bring them back as valuable full-time graduates

Paul Kennedy CEO, Student Job Search

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Date: *Thursday 29th April 2010*

Venue: *Simpson Grierson
Level 28 Lumley Centre
88 Shortland St
Auckland*

Time: *Registration 3.30pm for a 4pm start
5pm-6.30pm networking refreshments*

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