Chile-New Zealand Education Seminar

Trans-Pacific Linkages and opportunities

Thursday 20 November, 2008

Victoria University of Wellington, School of Law
Old Government Buildings, Room GBLT2

08:45 - 09:00  RECEPTION AND COFFEE

09:00 - 09:45  WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

Moderator
Professor Roberto Rabel, PVC International, Victoria University of Wellington

Key note speakers

- H.E. Luis Lillo, Ambassador of Chile
- Karen Sewell, Secretary for Education

09:45-11:00  SESSION 1: CHILEAN TERTIARY EDUCATION DEVELOPMENTS AND CHALLENGES

Moderator and comments
Penny Fenwick
Executive Director of New Zealand Vice-Chancellors’ Committee (NZVCC)

Keynote speakers

- M. Teresa Marshall
  Executive Director, CRUCH - Chilean Council of University Chancellors
- Dr Ruth Anderson
  University Investment Manager, Tertiary Education Commission (TEC)
- Ms Lorena Ortega
  Higher Education Division, Ministry of Education of Chile
11:00-11:30  COFFEE BREAK

11:30-12:45  SESSION 2: INNOVATION AND THE CHILEAN RESEARCH SECTOR

Moderator and comments:
Dr Wynn Ingram, General Manager, Ministry of Research Science & Technology (MoRST)

Keynote speakers

- Ms Lorena Ortega
  Higher Education Division, Ministry of Education of Chile
- Anthony Scott
  Chief Executive, Science New Zealand

12:45- 14:30  LUNCH BREAK (FREE)

14:30- 15:40  SESSION 3: INDIGENOUS EDUCATION: CULTURE AND LANGUAGE RECOVERY

Moderator and comments
Michael Hollings
Principal of the New Zealand Correspondence School

Keynote speakers

- Claudio Millacura
  Deputy Coordinator of the Bilingual Education Programme, Ministry of Education of Chile
- Huhana Rokx
  Chief Executive Officer, Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori, The Māori Language Commission

15:40 – 16:00  CLOSING REMARKS

- Michael Green
  Deputy Secretary, New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
- Professor Roberto Rabel
  PVC International, Victoria University of Wellington
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