

## Newsletter December 2014



### Welcome

Kia ora – Greetings

Welcome to our regular news update. This is the official newsletter of Imperial College of New Zealand (ICNZ).

In this newsletter, we would like to update you on our activities, events, ongoing improvements and upcoming intakes. We are grateful for your comments, support and suggestions for improvement.

### 2014 Achievements

Imperial College of New Zealand is pleased to share the 2014 achievements:

- Successful commencement of “Diploma in Management – Level 7”
- NZQA approval for “Imperial’s Internal English Proficiency Test”

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## 2014 Achievements continued

- NZQA moderation outcome shows that all assessments met the national standards
- Achieved 100% student's retention towards NDBL6. (Retention means the students who successfully completed NDBL5 and continued towards NDBL6 with ICNZ)
- Significant growth in Students Enrolment as a result of student support, quality teaching and resources provided by the college
- Extended space and other facilities to meet the student growth
- Our students Sarabjeet Singh, Dilbag Singh and Ramneet Singh Jaggi have actively attended International Student Ambassador (ISA) meetings with New Zealand Police, Auckland City District



## Advisory Board Meeting

Our last advisory board meeting of 2014 was held on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2014 with our respected board members. Their ideas, input and enthusiasm are always helpful for us.

Advisory board has assisted us in making valuable improvements by contributing their expert advices on our educational processes, performance and to ensure that the standards followed at the college are consistent with industry and educational expectations of students.

Imperial College of New Zealand is grateful to our board members for their continuous support, guidance and willingness to serve in our advisory board.

## Student support @Imperial

The College has Student support staff available to provide students with a range of services and support while they are studying with us.

Imperial College of New Zealand is a committed supporter of on-going excellence in education and therefore organised a series of seminars on 'student's personal and career growth' throughout the year 2014. These seminars include: Treaty of Waitangi, Personal Safety, Immigration, New Zealand Legal structure, Career development, CV writing, Networking skills, Communication skills and Job interviews.



(Students attending seminar)

## Student Monthly Meetings

Imperial College of New Zealand has identified and fulfilled the need of regular meetings with the students. Monthly meetings are organised with the students, where Principal meets all the students and discuss their attendance and progress reports. In addition to this, students are provided information with latest College and industry updates. Student's feedback is also taken during these meetings and actions to the previous meetings are also discussed with the students.



(Students attending monthly meeting with Principal)

## Students Get-Together



(Students during trip to Cornwell Park)



(Students at Mission Bay)



(Students at One Tree Hill)



(Students at Bowling Centre - Auckland)

## 2015 Intakes

### DIM – Level 7

- 27<sup>th</sup> January, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 18<sup>th</sup> May, 13<sup>th</sup> July, 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2<sup>nd</sup> November

### NDBL5 intakes are:

- 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 20<sup>th</sup> April, 25<sup>th</sup> May, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 24<sup>th</sup> August, 12<sup>th</sup> October, 16<sup>th</sup> November

### NDBL6 intakes are:

- 27<sup>th</sup> January, 9<sup>th</sup> March, 30<sup>th</sup> March, 1<sup>st</sup> June, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 26<sup>th</sup> October

### General English intakes are:

- Every Monday (except if public holiday falls on Monday).

### Interpreter Course intakes are:

- 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 15<sup>th</sup> June, 10<sup>th</sup> August

### TESOL intakes are:

- 20<sup>th</sup> April, 28<sup>th</sup> September



(Students at Mt Eden)



(Interpreter graduate with his tutor)

## **Testimonial from Prabhjot Singh (National Diploma in Business - Level 6 Graduate)**

*"My name is Prabhjot Singh and I am from India. I have studied in New Zealand for two and half years. The first moment I came to Imperial College of New Zealand, I met with energy and enthusiasm. The faculty and staff at this institution are of great help and top quality. They want all their students to do well. This college has so many opportunities for the students to get the help they need. Tutors helped me beyond words I can say. This college always takes priority to support their students. I really believe it is a privilege to studied from this college and I am so glad I made that decision"*

## **Testimonial from Linda Dieb (Language student)**

*"My name is Linda Dieb. I study at Imperial College. I chose this college because of the high quality English language education program. Another big plus about Imperial is its location; the school is in the central city; therefore, students have almost everything they need around them such as library, shopping and cafeteria. I have been studying here for six months and I plan to stay until I pass the IELTS test. Then I want to study accounting at University, and I think I am in the right place to reach my goal."*

## **Introducing New Staff**

We are pleased to announce the new members at Imperial College of New Zealand

**Junaid Hilal** has joined us as a Business Lecturer. Junaid is teaching Diploma in Management – Level 7.

**Chetna Mathur** has joined us as Business Lecturer. Chetna is teaching National diploma in Business – Level 5.

Welcome Junaid and Chetna!

### **Summer Break**

**Please note that we will remain closed for Christmas and New Year Holidays from 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2014 till 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2015.**

**There will be no public access from 5:00pm, 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 2014 till 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2015. College will reopen on 5<sup>th</sup> January 2015.**

## **Christmas and New Year Greetings!!**

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your business throughout the year. You have made 2014 a great year for us and we hope that next year will also be a successful one.

We wish you all a Happy Holiday Season, Merry Christmas and a prosperous new year. Look forward to a brilliant future!!

Sincerely  
**Kanwalpreet Kaur**  
Principal, Imperial College of New Zealand