

Sub: Holiday Event! Announcement by Nexus Group – University of Auckland

Hunter Lovins, co-founder of the Rocky Mountain Institute, and world-renowned expert on sustainable development is visiting Auckland on 5th July, where she will be leading a free, open seminar on various issues of interest to the Auckland region. Being discussed:

Smart Business (9 – 11am, Wed 5th July, LIB B28):

Budding business leader?

A discussion on the current and future sustainability, and viability of Auckland business. Join a panel of businesspeople, manufacturers, retailers, and youth in discussing the sustainability of Auckland as New Zealand's business centre.

Discuss energy, globalisation, resource use, transport, recycling, and a number of other factors, with an expert group of people drawn from business, government and academia, from varied backgrounds, with far-ranging opinions and views.

Smart Cities (2 – 4pm, 5th July, LIB B28):

Spend loads of time stuck in traffic? Concerned about sprawl? Worried about the way Auckland is growing?

Auckland is a rapidly growing and changing city, and if we don't plan intelligently, we're looking at chaos not too far down the track. Come hear what the local councils, academics, business leaders, and citizens of Auckland have to say on Auckland now, and into the future.

Smart Environment (7 – 9pm, 5th July, LIB B28):

Concerned about global warming and climate change? Worried about what's happening to clean, green Aotearoa? Have serious concerns about the local environment?

Come to the Smart Environment forum to hear what the government, local councils, Iwi, and various other bodies are doing to preserve our natural capital. What do you think? Share your views and hear those of others.

Here's a great, FREE opportunity to hear the views of the people that influence Auckland. Learn more about YOUR city, and how it links to the rest of the world, be an international citizen of the first city of the Pacific!

For more detailed programme information visit www.kaitiakitanga.net/hunterlovins
Nexus is involved with organising the youth aspect of this event and we would like to get an idea of the number of people that will be attending, so if you are interested can you please RSVP us at nexus.auckland@gmail.com or if you want to find out more about Nexus and what we do visit www.nexusnz.org