



INFINZ 2023 Conference Student Scholars

As part of our program to reach out to students, the Board has provided for the following senior finance students to attend the INFINZ Conference on a complimentary basis.

Senior finance students from universities around New Zealand were invited to apply for the INFINZ Scholarships. Applicants needed to not only have good grades in finance related subjects, but the students also had to demonstrate leadership aptitude and a sincere desire to forge a career in the financial services eco-system. Many of the selected students have, for example, had leadership roles in their respective Investment Clubs.

The profiles of the selected INFINZ Student Scholars are given below. Please consider them for internships and other employment opportunities.

	<p>RAVEN CAIN</p> <p>Massey University: Bbus (Finance and Accountancy)</p> <p>I am President of the Women in Economics and Finance Club, an active member of the Investment Club, and Associate Fund Manager (Student Investment Fund).</p> <p>I wish to pursue my passion for finance and empower women's success. I look forward to hearing from industry experts on NZ's financial ecosystem and expanding my network.</p> <p>raven.cain2012@gmail.com www.linkedin.com/in/ravencairn</p>
	<p>ARIEL CAO</p> <p>Auckland University of Technology: Master of Applied Finance.</p> <p>I have a strong interest in the capital markets. I am looking forward to making new connections at the 2023 INFINZ Conference and hoping to gain further insight into sustainable finance and intergenerational investment.</p> <p>arielcao510@gmail.com https://www.linkedin.com/in/yiwei-cao-774684219/</p>



ALANA CHHOUR

University of Auckland: Masters of Bioscience Enterprise, BSc

I am currently interning as an investment analyst at a deep-technology venture capital fund, investing in early-stage, purpose-driven innovative companies. I am also writing my thesis on the impact of the standardisation of ESG reporting in VC-funded companies, which aligns with my interests in sustainable finance and social equity.

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BETHANY ENRIGHT

Massey University Albany: Bachelor of Business (BBus) double majoring in Finance and Financial Planning and Advice along with the Certificate in Financial Advice (CertFinAdvice).

I have been working as a part-time analyst at an Investment Bank in Auckland while studying full-time, for almost a year now. I am involved in the Massey University Investment club and Women in Economics and Finance club. I am looking for unique ways that people in the financial industry collaborate to solve pressing business challenges in Aotearoa.

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PRANAV GAKHAR

Final-year Finance and Economics undergraduate at AUT.

I am the Editor-in-Chief of The AUT Investment Club Newsletter. I have a strong passion for the Asset management industry and seek to network with industry professionals and deepen my understanding of fund management principles at the conference.

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KITTY GREENSILL

Victoria University of Wellington: Bcom (finance) / LLB

A final year student joining Cameron Partners next year and currently an executive member of the VUW finance and investment club.

I am looking forward to hearing from industry leaders on how the financial service sector can collaborate to solve climate related issues.

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KEELAN HEESTERMAN

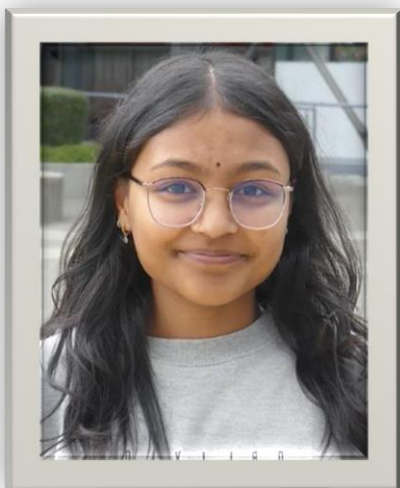
Victoria University of Wellington. Bachelor of Commerce majoring in Public Policy and Commercial Law.

My interest centres around the intersection of public policy, business and finance.

I hope to better understand the mechanics of the financial sector and its role in interacting with our current policy settings and goals, as we work for better economic and environmental outcomes.

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ABIRAMI KABILAN

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I have a keen interest in financial markets, in particular, how ethical investing can drive positive change in this sector.

I look forward to gaining valuable insights from industry experts on creating change in the financial services ecosystem.

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SONIKA KUMAR

Auckland University of Technology/Master in Business Management

I have a strong passion for investment management, fintech, sustainable finance, risk management, and entrepreneurship. I believe that participating in the INFINZ Conference Scholars for 2023 will provide me with the opportunity to gain profound insights, establish valuable connections, receive guidance for advancing my career, find inspiration for my entrepreneurial aspirations, and stay updated on the latest research and innovations in the field of finance.

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AUNG PHYO (ANDREW) LWIN

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I work as a part-time Reconciliation Specialist at Link Market Services while pursuing my studies at AUT. My passion lies in financial analysis, specifically in M&A and equity markets.

I am looking forward to gaining insights into market trends, macroeconomic outlooks, industry-specific knowledge and networking with professionals at the conference.

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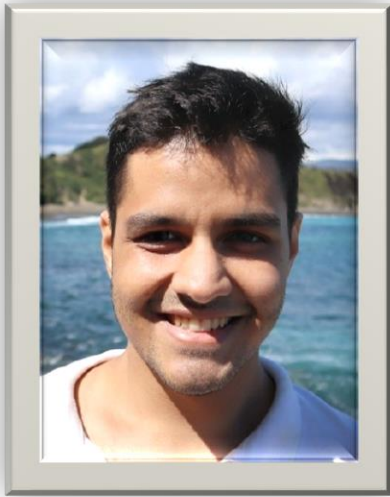
KYLIE MILLS

I am in my final semester studying Finance and International Relations at the University of Auckland.

I look forward to gaining insights from leaders in the finance industry, which I plan to apply in my role as a Graduate Analyst at Forsyth Barr next year.

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KARAN MOHINDRA

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I've always felt at home with Finance, be it thinking of a savings plan to pay for University, being in the dealing room when the markets open (and close), frantically checking BBG Anywhere late at night for economic data releases or trying NOT to use Goodwill to balance the balance sheet. I'm excited to broaden my horizons, understand ESG better and be inspired by a group of people who are just as passionate about Finance, if not more!

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SIUEVA SAPATI

AUT University final year in Bachelor of Business studying Accounting (major) and Supply Chain Management (minor)

I am interested in the costing and return on investment methods in financing a Capex portfolio. Thus, provide informed decisions by addressing both the social and environmental impacts of the business operations on the ecosystem and its asset's structure.

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ESETA TAGIILIMA

Auckland University of Technology (Bachelor of Business)
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I presently serve as the AmCham Board representative for AUT and I am a student ambassador. By networking, communicating, and taking part in numerous events, these two positions have helped me develop my leadership abilities. I'm looking forward to meeting new people at the INFINZ Conference and learning more about the opportunities and challenges that businesses in New Zealand are experiencing both locally and abroad.

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JESSE TANG

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As the Director of Projects for the Impact Consulting Group, I lead pro-bono initiatives across the financial inclusion and microfinance space. I currently work with Nikko Asset Management and am passionate about leveraging finance to drive positive change. I am grateful to be attending the conference and hope to develop insights on how to foster prosperity in New Zealand.

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MATTHEW WAGSTAFF

Victoria University of Wellington: BCOM (Finance & Accounting).

I am a committee member of VUW Beta Alpha PSI. I am looking forward to making new connections and hearing what industry leaders have to say about the current economy and the potential effect the election will have on it.

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