



# Alumni News



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Dear Alumni

Welcome to the May 2017 edition of the KPMG New Zealand Alumni E-comm. This monthly update is a great way to keep you connected to KPMG New Zealand. We value your feedback and if there is something in particular that you would like to hear more about please get in touch with us via our Website, Alumni email address or KPMG Alumni page on LinkedIn.

See below for some of our latest news, publications and events which we hope will be of interest to you:

- FIPS Quarterly: December 2016. Our latest FIPS Quarterly reports that 'normal transmission has been resumed' in the banking sector.  
<https://home.kpmg.com/content/dam/kpmg/nz/pdf/April/fips-december-2016-quarterly-kpmg-nz.pdf>
- Technology in Tax: Embracing the now & thinking the future. A must read for all forward looking tax professionals  
<https://assets.kpmg.com/content/dam/kpmg/au/pdf/2017/tax-technology-now-and-the-future.pdf>
- Cyber security guide for SMEs. New Zealand SMEs are often underestimating the impact a cyber-attack could have on their reputation and must take steps to protect it.  
<https://assets.kpmg.com/content/dam/kpmg/nz/pdf/May/cyber-security-guide-for-smes-kpmg-nz.pdf>
- Project management Survey 2017. Our report provides a timely 'wake-up call' to New Zealand organisations, demonstrating that effective project management is a critical competitive differentiator.  
<https://home.kpmg.com/content/dam/kpmg/nz/pdf/01816%20PMS%20ReportCompressed.pdf>
- Key Audit Matters: Auditor's report snapshot provides our insights and observations on Key Audit Matters (KAMs) from published audit reports of 16 entities.  
<https://assets.kpmg.com/content/dam/kpmg/nz/pdf/May/december-kams-snapshot%202017-kpmg-nz.pdf>
- IFRS 15: Revenue – Are you good to go? The clock is ticking. In a matter of months, the new revenue recognition standard – IFRS 15 – will change the way that many sectors account for sales contracts. Our series of "Are you good to go?" publications, gives you what you need. We'll be issuing these publications regularly from now until July  
<https://home.kpmg.com/xx/en/home/services/audit/international-financial-reporting-standards/revenue/ifrs-15-for-sectors.html>

### We want to hear from you

[Contact us](#) with your questions and feedback.

If you haven't already done so, you can also join the [KPMG New Zealand Alumni & Current Professionals](#) group on LinkedIn. Simply follow this [link](#) and click 'Join'.



We'd love to keep in touch with you. Please take a minute to update your contact details [here](#).

We value your connection with us and invite you to visit our Alumni website periodically to stay abreast of all the latest news and happenings at KPMG New Zealand. Please reach out to us if you would like additional information regarding any of the above topics.



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