

INFINZ AWARDS 2021



The winners of the 2021 Award categories were announced on Tuesday 18 May at the 2021 INFINZ Awards Gala Dinner at Shed 10, Auckland City.

Winners Announced

CRAIGS INVESTMENT PARTNERS - Market Leaders Best Investor Relations Award

- Meridian Energy

GUARDIAN TRUST - NZ Debt Market Issue of the Year

- Auckland Council \$500m secured unsubordinated 30 Year fixed rate Green Bonds
Issuer: Auckland Council
Joint Lead Manager and Green Bond
Co-ordinator: ANZ
Joint Lead Managers: BNZ, Westpac

CHAPMAN TRIPP - Fund Manager of the Year – Equities

- Fisher Funds

FITCH RATINGS - Fund Manager of the Year – Bonds

- Fisher Funds

MinterEllisonRuddWatts - M&A Transaction of the Year

- Sale of Ultrafast Fibre Limited for \$854m
Vendors: WEL Networks and Waipa Networks
Lead Financial Adviser: Cameron Partners

BLOOMBERG - Excellence in Treasury

- SkyCity

HUNTER CAMPBELL - Diversity & Inclusion Award

- Westpac NZ: He Huarahi tū Ngātahi - Pathway to Inclusion

PwC - NZ Equity Market Transaction of the Year

- Auckland International Airport: \$1.2bn capital raise consisting of a \$1bn fully underwritten placement and a \$200m non-underwritten share purchase plan (SPP)
Issuer: Auckland International Airport
Joint Lead Managers and Underwriters: Citigroup Global Markets, Credit Suisse (Australia), Jarden

LINK MARKET SERVICES - Sharebroking Firm of the Year

- Forsyth Barr

NZX - Emerging Leaders Best Investor Relations

- Pacific Edge

CFA SOCIETY - Research Analyst of the Year

- Stephen Ridgewell, Craigs Investment Partners

CFA SOCIETY - Emerging Research Analyst Award

- Jeremy Kincaid, UBS New Zealand

TAX MANAGEMENT NZ - Excellence in Institutional Banking

- ANZ View Bills Service

UNIVERSITY OF AUCKLAND BUSINESS SCHOOL Emerging Leader

- James Palmer, Chief Executive, Christian Savings and Community Finance

PUBLIC TRUST - Debt Deal of the Year

- Facilities provided to Electric Kiwi Limited and The Energy Collective
Borrower: Electric Kiwi Limited, ReAmped Energy
Sole Financier: BNZ

CALDWELL PARTNERS - Leadership Award

- Darrin Grafton, Chief Executive Officer, Serko

INFINZ Fellows

- Gavin Walker
- Fran O'Sullivan
- Louise Tong

INFINZ Distinguished Fellow

- Catherine Savage

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