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Postdoctoral Fellow

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The Centre for Sustainable Cities is an exciting collaboration funded by the Tertiary Education Commission to provide a research base for sustainable urban development. Researchers from New Zealand universities, Crown Research Institutes and government agencies are working together to contribute to:

- * Sustainable, safe and healthy housing design;
- * Better integrated land use and transport system planning;
- * Energy efficiency design to reduce energy use and carbon emissions and improve air quality;
- and
- * Meaningful participation in local governance.

The Centre is seeking a talented Postdoctoral Fellow, who will be based in central Auckland. The Fellow will be jointly hosted by the Centre for Social and Health Outcomes Research and Evaluation at Massey University and the School of Geography, Geology and Environmental Sciences at the University of Auckland. The role will involve liaising with local government concerning sustainability research needs, contributing to the development of research ideas, conducting research and disseminating research-based information.

Candidates will:

- * Have a PhD in a relevant discipline;
- * Demonstrate an ability to conduct and publish independent research;
- * Be motivated to contribute to urban sustainability; and
- * Have the flexibility needed to work with researchers from various disciplines as well as community, and local and regional government stakeholders.

The Fellowship is for 20 months. The appointment starts July 2009 or as soon as possible thereafter.

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