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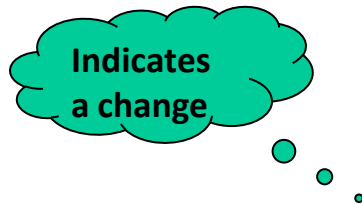
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Tertiary Education & Job Series

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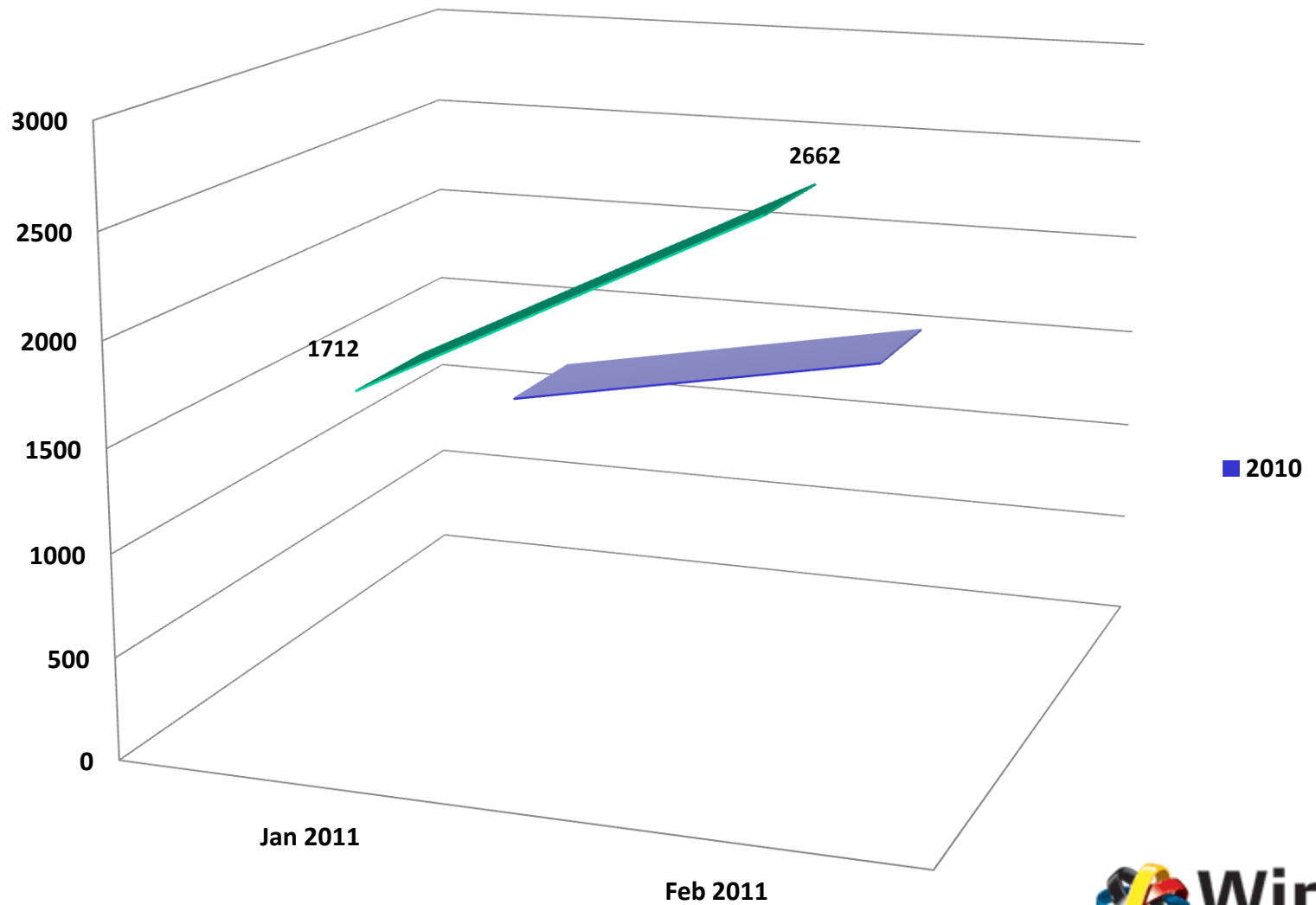
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Recent Insights

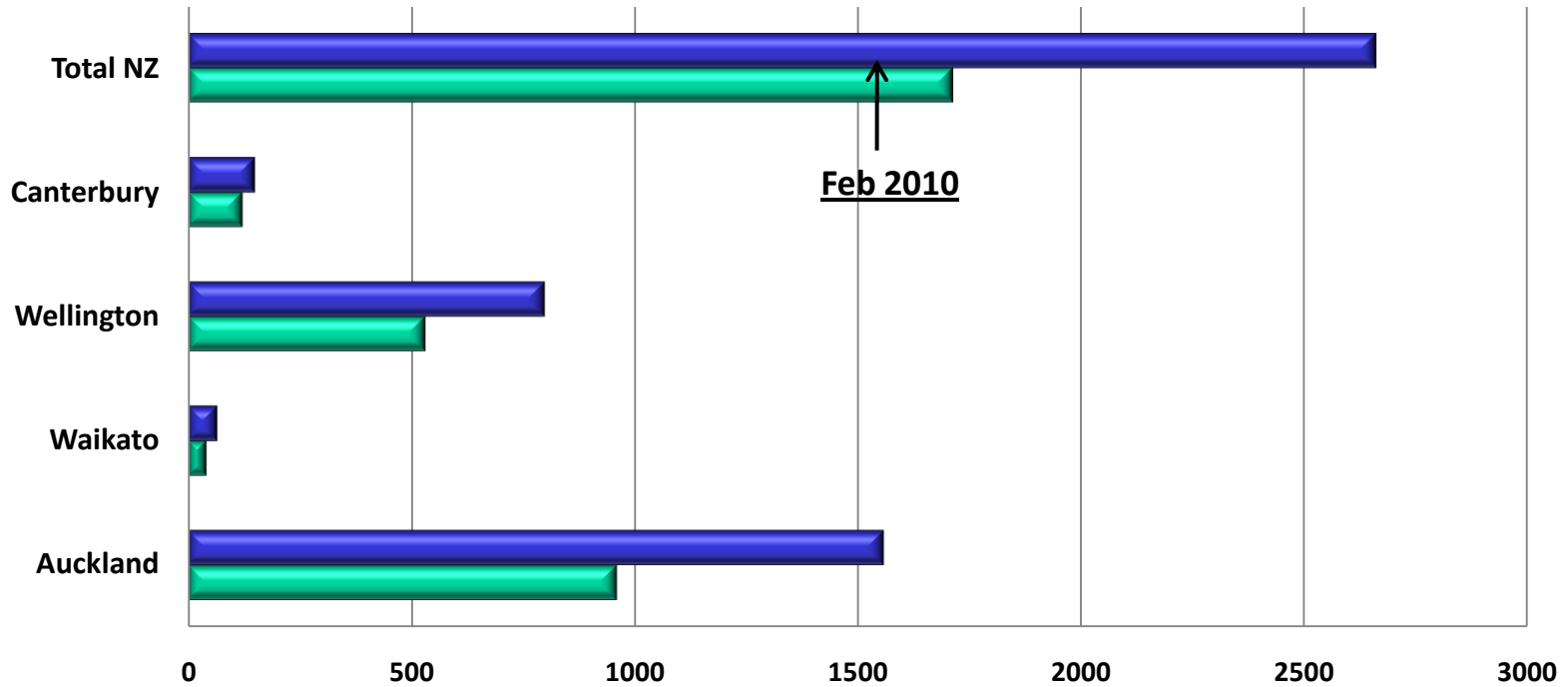
- ICT jobs advertised on Seek & Trademe for February 2011 are tracking well ahead of this time last year
- There are 806 ICT jobs in NZ containing Linux
- Seek ICT jobs containing Linux exceed jobs containing Microsoft by 50%
- Wintec diploma and first year degree enrolments have increased approximately 50% on the 2010 enrolments

Seek IT Job Trends NZ 2011



Source: [Seek ICT](#) (Accessed February 2011)

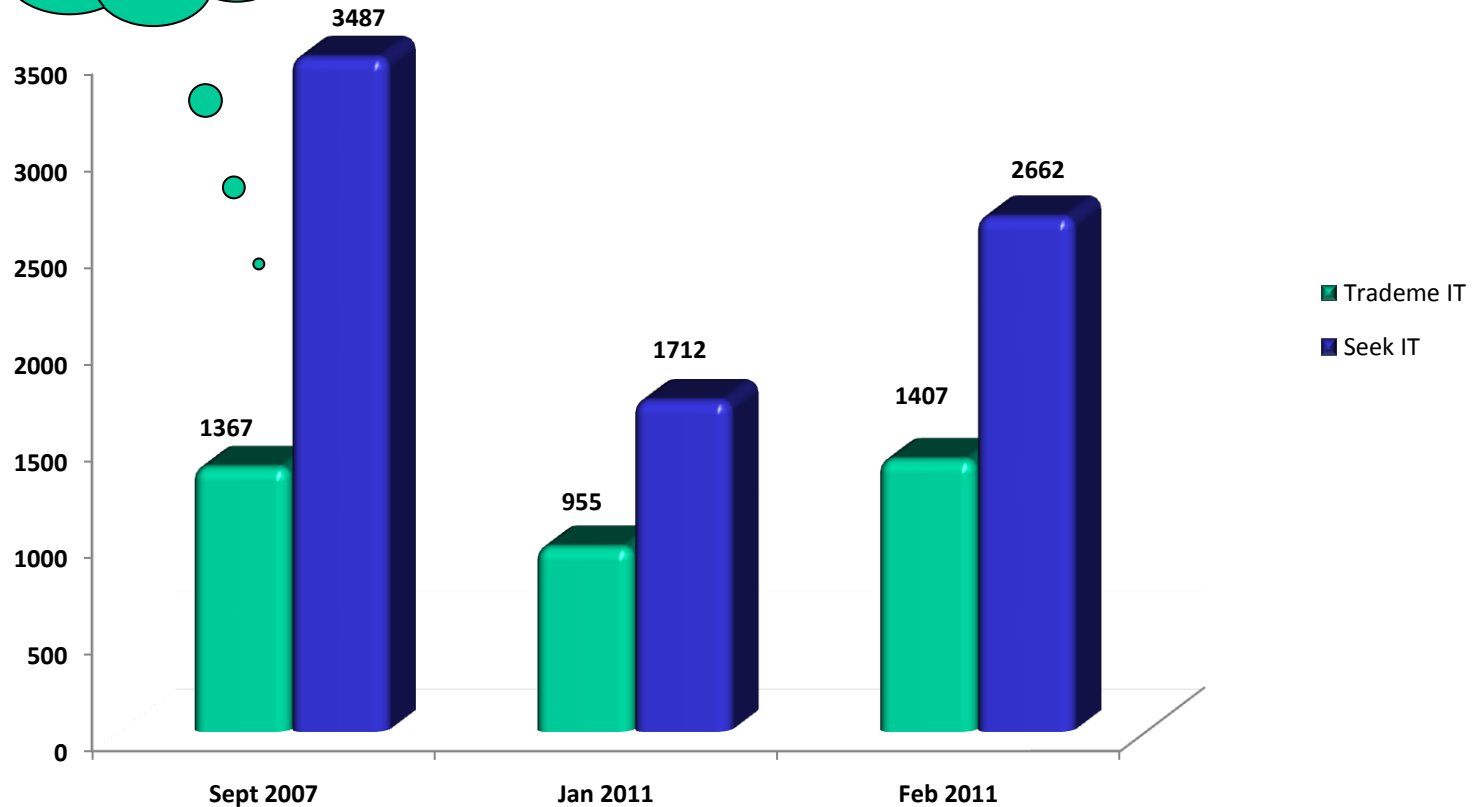
Seek ICT Jobs NZ Jan - Feb 2011



	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Canterbury	Total NZ
■ Feb-11	1559	66	800	151	2662
■ Jan-11	960	42	532	123	1712

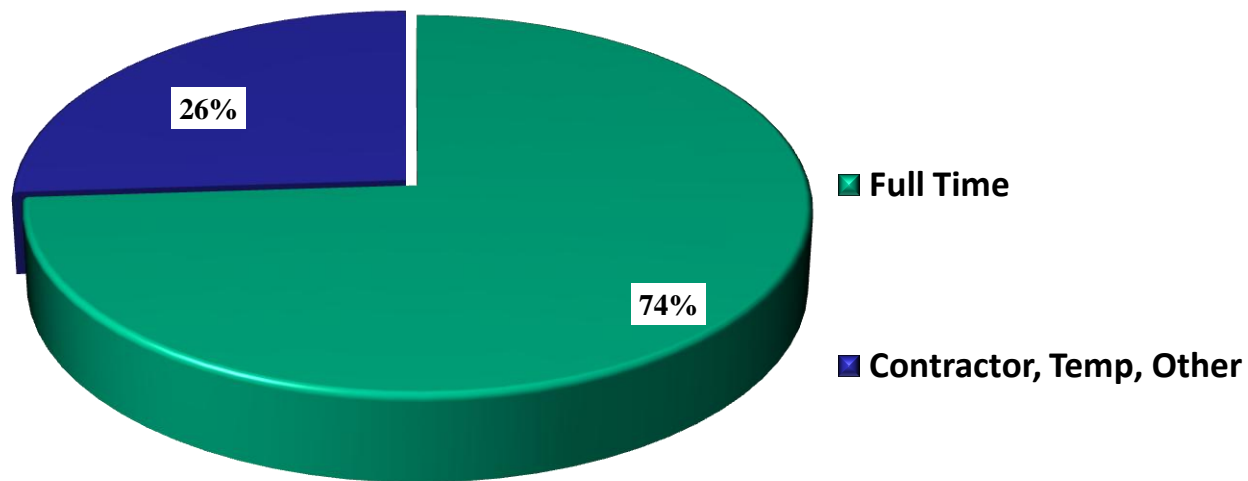
ICT Jobs NZ Seek & Trademe

2007 Peaks
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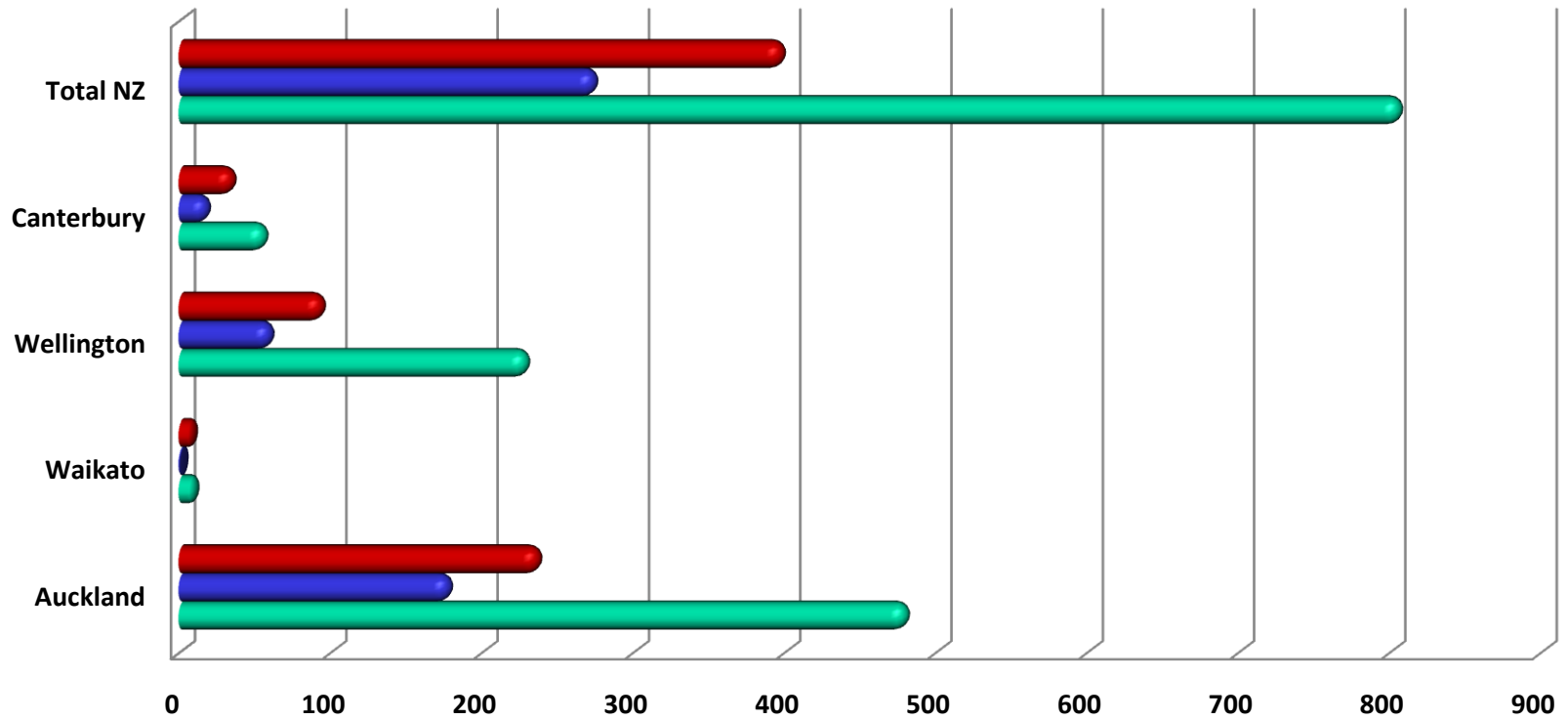


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Seek ICT Work Type NZ February 2011

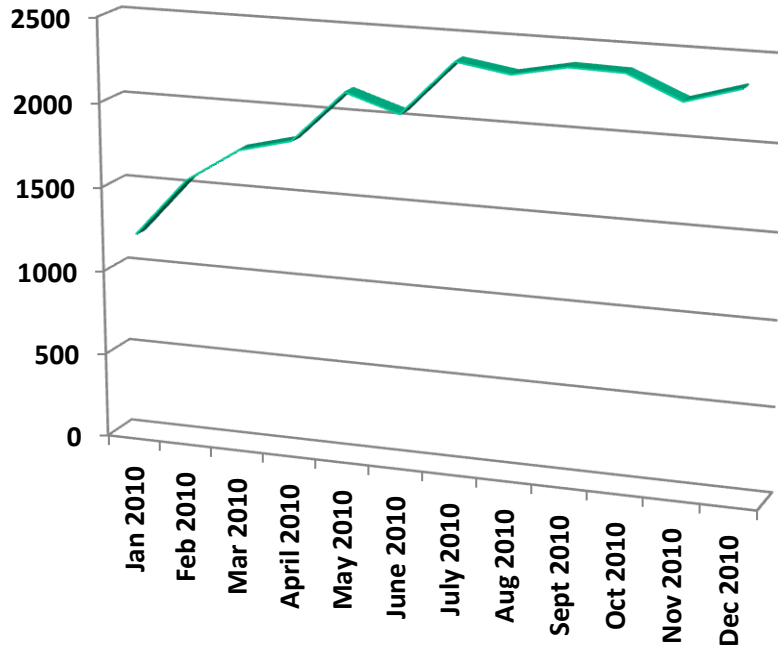


Seek ICT Jobs by Industry Certification February 2011



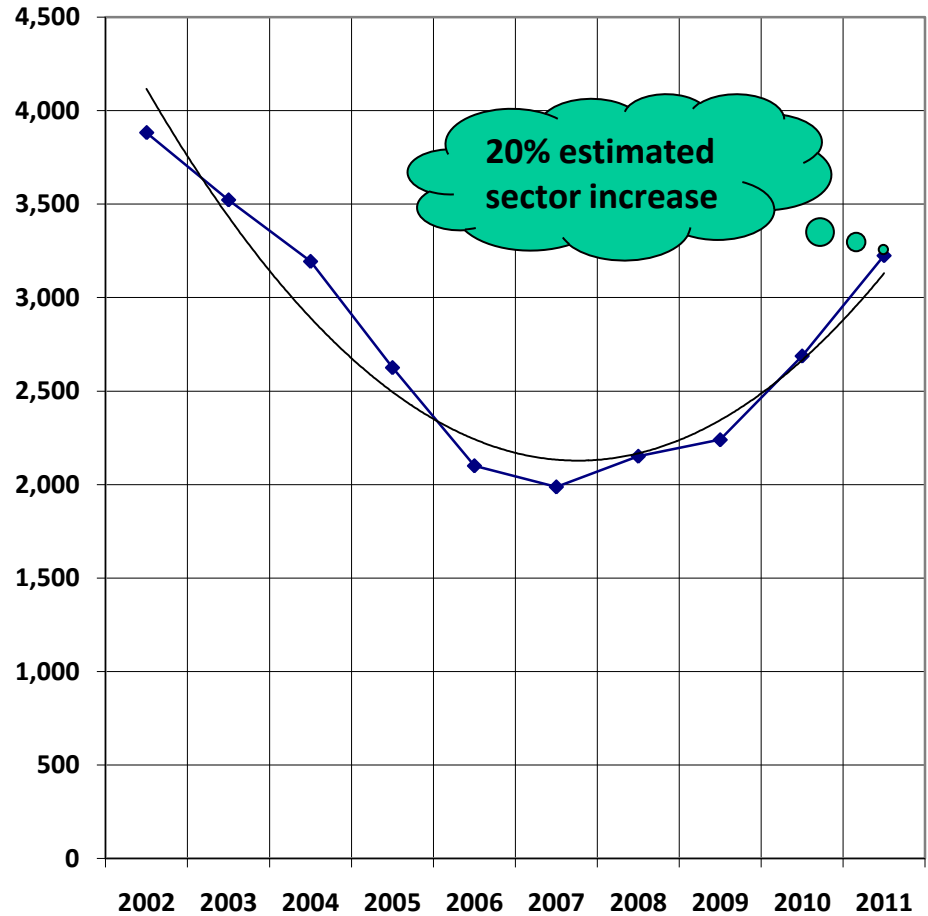
	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Canterbury	Total NZ
■ Microsoft	237	9	94	35	398
■ Cisco	178	1	60	18	274
■ Linux	480	10	229	56	806

Seek ICT Job Trends NZ 2010



Source: Robertson, December 2010

Institutes of Technology & Polytechnics (ITP) IT Enrolment Trends (Diploma & Degree EFTS) 2002 to 2011



Source: NACCQ EFTS
(Accessed December 2010)



Recent News Items

'Looking for Linux Talent'

- Employment research firm Dice - Skills in the open source operating system are in particular demand
- Job postings on the IT and engineering site seeking Linux knowledge have increased a full 47 percent over last year
- Linux professionals tend to get a significant salary premium of as much as 10 percent over other IT workers

Source: [PCWorld](#) (Accessed Feb 2011)

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Telecom NZ

- Looking for 300 IT staff – work previously outsourced to computer company Hewlett-Packard being brought back in-house
 - HP staff first in line
 - Bulk of new roles split between Wellington & Auckland
 - Up to 20 new roles to be created in Christchurch & Hamilton

Source: [Stuff.co.nz](#) (Accessed Feb 2011)

Recent News Items

ICT Needs to Up Their Game (Jane Kennelly – director of Frog Recruitment)

- *“The ICT sector is full of amazing opportunities.....*
- *.....but the industry doesn’t seem to be able to showcase itself in a way that makes it understandable or inviting.....*
- *It’s an area where we’re going to have a [skills] shortage....*
- *If young people aren’t attracted into industries with skills shortages the only option is to bring people in from overseas”*

Source: NZ Herald Education Supplement; Wed 26th Jan, 2011

Conclusions:

- *Global demand for IT talent increasing*
- *Continuing focus on industry certification*
- *Skill shortage will grow*
- *The ICT sector is full of amazing opportunities*
- *Comments/feedback welcome - email:*

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