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Name

Dr Bob Frame

Current Employment

- Science Leader of the Sustainability and Society Group at Manaaki Whenua Landcare Research
- Board member the Natural Step New Zealand and Viresco

Education

- PhD (Electrical Engineering), University of Strathclyde 1982
- BSc (Electrical Engineering), Strathclyde University, UK 1978
- VUW Summer Schools on Discourse Theory

Work History

- Lecturing and research appointments in Scotland, Switzerland, and a year with the Chinese Academic of Sciences in the early 'eighties,
- Joined the British Council in 1986.
- British Embassy (Beijing) - 1987 to 1990 managing educational and scientific links between universities in the UK and China.
- British High Commission (New Delhi), managing UK scientific exchange and development projects in India - 1990 to 1994
- British Council's Director of Development and Training Services, for Asia and the Americas and as an Institutional Development Consultant in India and Nepal.
- Director of Academic Services at the University of Otago in 1999

Key Career Highlights

- Dr Frame has worked in South Asia, China and Latin America on behalf of the British and New Zealand governments, DFID, AusAID, NZAID and the Asian Development Bank
- Bob is the lead author of three books and co-author of 50+ published papers and numerous reports.

Awards

- Ministry of Research, Science and Technology (NZ): "Future Directors" award in 2002.

Family

Yes. Married to Caro Mackenzie, two sons, Dougal (7) and Gus (5)

Quirky facts

In his distant past he trained as a physicist of which he has forgotten everything. He now considers his research to be 'transdisciplinary'. He has forgotten most of his Mandarin.

