



About BRANZ and ConCOVE

A multi-faceted, science led organization, BRANZ uses independent research, systems knowledge and its broad networks to identify practical solutions that improve New Zealand's building system performance. The BRANZ vision is to challenge Aotearoa New Zealand to create a building system that delivers better outcomes for all.

Centre of Vocational Excellence [CoVE] for the Construction and Infrastructure Industries or ConCOVE has been setup to drive innovation and strengthen links between education providers and industry. ConCOVE seeks to connect and align industry, learners and vocational education to re-imagine clear, equitable and supported career pathways within the Construction and Infrastructure sector.



Purpose of the survey

The information you provide will be a valuable component in a research project undertaken by BRANZ and ConCOVE, which examines the knowledge, competencies and experience required of the construction sector's workforce to help transition to a zero-carbon built environment. This research project seeks to provide information and resources to support the construction sector in addressing climate change.



Why

You have been identified as someone who works in the construction sector. We are seeking a diverse range of views and experiences across the sector.



The Future of Work and the Transition to Zero Carbon

Thank you for undertaking this survey for the Building Research Association of New Zealand [BRANZ] and the Construction and Infrastructure Centre of Vocational Excellence [ConCOVE].



Do I have to complete the survey

No. Completion of this survey is voluntary. If you decide not to participate it will not affect your relationship with BRANZ or ConCOVE now or in the future. Once you have completed the survey it is not possible to withdraw your answers, except in extraordinary circumstances.



About the survey

The survey is designed to be fairly quick and easy to complete. The survey has four sections: I: Participant demographics. II: Awareness of climate change. III: Knowledge and skills in relation to zero carbon construction. IV: Preparing for the transition to zero carbon. Within the four sections there are approximately 27 questions. The survey should take no more than 10 minutes of your time.



Confidentiality and privacy

Your answers are important to us and will remain confidential. Any information collected will be securely stored without any identifying information. Only researchers Dr Casimir MacGregor, Orin Lockyer [BRANZ] and Teresa Poli [ConCOVE] will have access to the data, which will be held securely on the Qualtrics and BRANZ servers.



What happens with the results?

BRANZ and ConCOVE researchers will publish results in peer reviewed journals, conference papers, research reports and other materials for industry and government, such as information in Build magazine. Your personal details will not be identifiable in any publication.

What should I do if I want to contact the researcher before I decide?

If after you have read this information you have any queries, please contact Dr Casimir MacGregor, Senior Social Scientist, BRANZ. If you would like more information at any stage, please do not hesitate to contact him on [04] 238 1315 or email casimir.macgregor@branz.co.nz

Thank you for taking time to consider this study

