

# REGISTER THAT!

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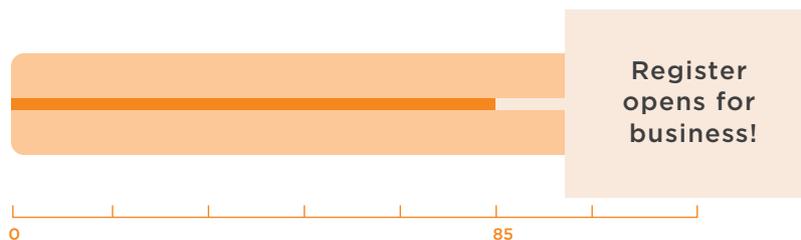
## A PROGRESS UPDATE ON THE HASANZ REGISTER OF WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

### THE HASANZ REGISTER IS OPEN FOR LISTING

[www.register.hasanz.org.nz](http://www.register.hasanz.org.nz)

The HASANZ Register is now open for listing. The HASANZ Register is a national, online database to help businesses find qualified workplace health and safety professionals. Everyone listed on the HASANZ Register must belong to a HASANZ member association and meet required competency standards, so businesses can have confidence in their advice and services. There's a charge to list on the register but it's free to use.

The HASANZ Register opens for business mid 2018.



HASANZ Register applications received to date.

Contact us at [register@hasanz.org.nz](mailto:register@hasanz.org.nz)

## REPORTING IN

*Karen Chaney - HASANZ  
Implementation Support Manager*



The HASANZ Register has been open for listings for a couple of months now and there has been an excellent response with 85 applications so far going through the approval process. Thanks to everyone in our member associations who is involved in checking these applications.

Not all of the applications received will meet the required registration standard and almost all applicants have needed to provide more information to support their application. Please check the [Application Guide](#) on the Register website to see what you need to provide when submitting your application. If the specialist categories you choose are not standard for your association, your evidence of capability in these

areas will be cross-referenced with the relevant professional association.

To allow more time for people to apply, and for member associations to process applications, HASANZ has decided to extend the launch date until we have a sufficient number of listed professionals to make the Register useful for business.

In anticipation of “opening for business” we’re now finalising the search part of the HASANZ Register or the big red help button! This involves businesses answering a set of simple questions to help them find the right type of adviser.

Time will fly by so don’t dally, apply to register now, so you will be listed on day one. Remember your [HASANZ Register ambassadors](#) are there to help you with queries about the application process and can steer you to your association’s registration standards.

## FIRST TO REGISTER!

*Health & Safety Engineer  
Rivelin Safety/Van Schaik Health &  
Safety Solutions*



Susan Edwards is the first person to be officially registered on New Zealand’s first national register of workplace health and safety professionals – the HASANZ Register. Susan was quick to submit her application as soon as listings opened. We asked her why being on the HASANZ Register is a priority for her.

*“It’s really important that, as health and safety professionals, we are professional. One of the key requirements for health and safety in any environment is that people employed in the work are competent. The HASANZ Register is a way for our profession to evolve and to prove our competence.”*

## OOPS!



Apologies if you were one of the few people who tried unsuccessfully to submit their HASANZ Register application using an Apple device. The system glitch was sorted promptly and those affected by it have been able to proceed smoothly through the application process.

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## GET FIT TO LIST



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Take these 10 steps to list on the HASANZ Register:

1. Check you meet the registration standards for your member association.
2. Gather the required evidence documents to support your application.
3. Go to [www.register.hasanz.org.nz](http://www.register.hasanz.org.nz)
4. Create a HASANZ Register account.
5. Complete the online application form.
6. Submit your application for approval.
7. Pay the required fees using the online link.
8. Application assessed by your member association and HASANZ. They may ask you to provide more information.
9. Once your application is approved, HASANZ will email you a letter confirming approval.
10. HASANZ will make your profile public when the Register opens for business and send you a registration pack, including your certificate of registration.

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## REGISTER FAQs



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### **Can businesses use the HASANZ Registered quality mark?**

The HASANZ Registered quality mark can only be used by individual practitioners because the person, not the business, is registered. Sole practitioners who have met the required standard to be on the Register can use the HASANZ Registered quality mark in association with their business name.

The HASANZ Registered quality mark will be available for use when the Register opens for business.

### **I'm an in-house health and safety professional adviser - why would I bother registering?**

Listing on the HASANZ Register is the bona fide way of demonstrating your value to your employer. It provides assurance that you meet stringent competency standards for your profession.

[See more HASANZ Register FAQs](#)

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## HASANZ CONFERENCE 2018 PRIZEWINNERS ANNOUNCED

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Congratulations to Tricia Guinness (OTNZ-WNA) and Adrian Brown (NZISM) our two winners of a full registration package to HASANZ CONFERENCE 2018. Both Tricia and Adrian got in their applications to list on the HASANZ Register before 31 January.

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### TRICIA GUINNESS

*Self-employed occupational therapist*



*Tricia is a self-employed occupational therapist. Although based in Christchurch her practice, Occupationworks, has a national reach. She explains why she was quick off the mark to apply to list on the HASANZ Register.*

*“Firstly, I wanted the recognition of being a professional who has met the required standard to be on the Register – it’s part of quality benchmarking. It also gives me a good opportunity to market my business. I’m very excited to be going to the HASANZ Conference, it’s a real bonus.”*

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### ADRIAN BROWN

*HSE Compliance Manager at SprayMarks*



*Adrian Brown was H&S Manager at Lincoln University for 14 years and is now HSE Compliance Manager at SprayMarks, a traffic management infrastructure firm that is assisting with the Kaikoura rebuild.*

*“As soon as I heard about the HASANZ Register I was in there boots and all! It’s been needed for a long time – to give people confidence that they’re getting good, objective advice. The Register is essential to ensure consistency of standards. It will also help me with pre-qualification of health and safety contractors. I’m going to use the “HASANZ Registered” quality mark alongside my other credentials.”*

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# RAISING THE BAR

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