

New Zealand Aid and Development Dialogues invite you to a talk on:

**A Bolt from the Blue:
examining the 2009 changes to the NZ aid
programme and what they mean now.**

Speaker: Jo Spratt

Christchurch: Tuesday 20 March, 11:00-12:30pm, Room 208 (2nd Floor), MacMillan Brown Centre for Pacific Studies, Te Ao Marama Building, Arts Road, University of Canterbury

Wellington: Wed 21 March, 12:30 – 1:30 pm, Room tbc, Pipitea Campus, Victoria University of Wellington
With the Institute of Policy Studies

Auckland: Thursday 22 March, 1:00-2:00pm, Room 501, Pat Hanan Room, Building 207, 18 Symonds St, University of Auckland

About the Speaker

Jo Spratt is a Coordinator for NZADDs. She currently works as a consultant in the Pacific. Jo has a background as a nurse, followed by Director roles with Family Planning's international unit – Family Planning International, and in Fiji with the International Planned Parenthood Federation's (IPPF) Sub-Regional Office of the Pacific. Jo has qualifications in nursing, political science, development, public health and NGO management. Her areas of interest include public policy, aid, development, health, women's rights, and organisational change and management.

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