
FROM THE LAND OF THE KIWI BIRD TO THE GREAT WHITE NORTH!

Adams & Miles LLP welcomes Kurt Breen from a partner firm in New Zealand, Gilligan Sheppard Limited, on an AGN Staff Exchange program.

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This past summer our very own Dexit Patel had the experience of traveling on a staff exchange program to New Zealand. Now it is Kurt's turn to come and learn all about Canadian accounting rules, regulations, and processes.

Kurt, an accountant from our AGN affiliated partner firm Gilligan Sheppard Limited in New Zealand, arrived in Toronto at the end of January. Originally from Timaru, Kurt is a huge supporter of the Crusaders (and by the way, he doesn't think they should change their name). He has been an accountant for over seven years and has worked with clients in various sectors. He enjoys understanding things from the clients' perspective and his greatest advice to them is not to be scared to try new things.

Since joining us in Toronto at Adams & Miles LLP he has dived right in to observing and learning the ins and outs of our tax reporting and the infamous Tax

Season. But, before it gets too busy he is making sure he takes in the sights and the experiences. Since arriving just a few short weeks ago Kurt has enjoyed time with new friends, and old friends, but mainly he has begun to experience the true Great White North. During this past weekend Kurt enjoyed some time ice fishing. In the coming weeks we hope to see many more photos of Kurt discovering Toronto, attending basketball games, and some more fun in the snow of course!

Through the AGN Staff Exchange Adams & Miles LLP is partnering in a powerful way to develop talent and new leaders.

