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of New Zealand's science community...*

*The surveys may also serve as a source of fundamental data
for public or private policy making, a voice for scientists, and
an instrument to enhance public understanding of science and
technology*

Dr Jack Sommer



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