



Celebrating 50 years in Business

Ullrich Aluminium is celebrating its 50th birthday in 2011, and is to be celebrated with staff, clients, family and friends in New Zealand, Australia and the Pacific.



Gilbert Ullrich CEO of Ullrich Aluminium, has a number of activities planned. We have to not only celebrate the fact that we have survived 50 years in business, but recognize the hard work and commitment made by a huge number of employees over the years, many of whom have been with the company for over 20 years.

With over 750 staff the Trans-Tasman company has grown considerably from its humble beginning's in a shed on Auckland's Great South Road.

Equally we must not forget our loyal clientele. Without them our business could never have flourished, particularly in New Zealand and throughout the Pacific. Our business friends need to be thanked.

Gilbert Ullrich is the current Chairman of the NZ Pacific Business Council.

Founder of Ullrich Aluminium and Ullrich Exports, Mr Ullrich has extensive trade operations in both New Zealand and Australia, and has been exporting aluminium and building products to the Pacific and the Indian Ocean over many decades. Mr Ullrich was also a Founding Member and past President of the Export Institute of NZ (ENZ).

Ullrich Exports is a separate entity within the Ullrich organization, with a sister company Ullrich Exports (Aust) operating from Brisbane. Ullrich has 51 separate business units operating across New Zealand and Australia.

In New Zealand Ullrich has recently expanded its manufacturing operations by introducing a new UBE 2000 tonne aluminium extrusion press combined with Granco Clarke Handling Equipment. This is the only new top of the range 7 inch extrusion line in New Zealand.

In Australia a completely new state of the art extrusion plant has been built in the beautiful Hunter Valley region near Newcastle, New South Wales. A new 2500 tonne 8 inch UBE Extrusion Press, again with Granco Clarke Handling systems.



Ullrich Aluminium has within its organization a dozen Fabrication workshops. The work carried out is varied, from simple cut and folded flashings, fabrication of the iconic Ullrich ladder, to state of the art architectural work such as the recently completed highly acclaimed 'Wharewaka' project on Wellington's waterfront.

Ullrich fabricated and installed the unique louvre system.

At Ullrich we look forward to working with our clients and friends in continuing to build relationships and a brighter future for all concerned.

Gilbert Ullrich

