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### *From the CEO*



Earlier this year National Council agreed on five policy priorities for the Institute, which are forming the basis for our engagement with the major political parties during the federal election campaign. The policy priorities are: Sustainable Communities, Design Culture, Climate Change, Housing and Regulation ...

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### *Featured events*



#### **This week's T@T – Urban Impacts**

**6pm for 6.30pm Tue 13 Aug**

Emma Williamson CODA Architects, Fremantle  
Brought to you by KNAUF Plasterboard.

[Book now](#) or payable at the door. Tusculum, 3  
Manning Street, Potts Point. \$15 for Institute  
members, \$20 for non-members.



#### **Upcoming Architecture on Show (AOS) events in August**

##### **MARRICKVILLE**

**Affordable Housing and Marrickville.**

**6pm Wednesday 14 August**

**The Herb Greedy Hall, Petersham Road,  
Marrickville**

Speakers Peter Lonergan (cracknell and lonergan  
architects) and Diane Jones (PTW Architects)

Curated by Introduction by Keiran McInerney

(Keiran McInerney Architect) and Michael Zanardo

(Studio Zanardo)

Bookings call 9335 2173 or [book online](#)

#### **SURRY HILLS**

##### **Architecture and Light**

**2pm Saturday 31 August**

##### **Surry Hills Library**

Speakers: Petra Kleegraefe (Architectural Lighting Design) & Carol Marra (Marra+Yeh)

Curated by Carol Marra

Click here for more information.

Bookings call 8374 6230 or [online](#)



#### **ICOMOS DOCOMOMO NSW Chapter talk**

##### **Archaeological Sites: Conservation and Management - Book Launch**

**5 September 2013**

Dr Barry Jones, AO will formally launch this landmark publication on the conservation and management of archaeological sites. Sharon Sullivan, AO and Richard Mackay, AM will each provide a short presentation, highlighting some of the outcomes from the research and review of more than 1000 published papers that led to the selection in the readings volume. [Click here](#) for further information.



#### **Archikidz!@Carriageworks 2013**

Archikidz is returning to Carriageworks and we are recruiting for volunteers. Be part of a fantastic event! Working with over 100 architects and architecture students in inspiring our future city makers at this one day event! If you are interested in being involved please send an email to: [volunteer@archikidz.com.au](mailto:volunteer@archikidz.com.au)

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*News*



### Institute Launches Policy Platform

We can all benefit from Australian towns and cities that are more productive, sustainable and liveable and it is critical that the next Australian government takes a leadership role in guiding the strategic planning of our cities and urban areas. This is the message being delivered by the Institute to all federal parliamentarians during the election campaign.

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### What else is happening?



#### *Spirit of Place - Tickets on Sale Now!*

The inaugural Queensland regional conference looks at the unique opportunities commonly available to architects practising regionally, responding to the unique 'Spirit of Place'.

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#### *ISS - Kevin Mark Low*

Following his role as a keynote speaker for Spirit of Place in Cairns, Kevin Low will be touring nationally as the next face of the renowned International Speaker Series.

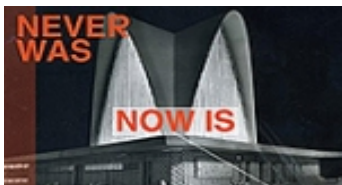
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#### *National Architecture Awards 2013*

Thu 7 Nov  
Sydney Opera House  
The National Architecture Awards recognise and celebrate outstanding achievements and excellence in architecture. Join us for the unforgettable night-of-nights of the Australian architecture profession. Tickets on sale soon!

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#### *Venice 2014 - Call out: only 2 days left!*

Ten unrealised public buildings are needed for *Augmented Australia*, the Australian exhibition for next year's Venice Biennale. Submit your projects [here](#).

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#### *Leadership in Sustainability Prize*

Entries are now open for the 2014 Leadership in Sustainability Prize.

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#### *Colorbond Steel Student Biennale*

Stage One entries are now open for the Biennale, now in its 25th year.

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### Grand Designs - An Evening with Kevin McCloud

Pre-sale tickets available today only! In this premiere two hour event Kevin McCloud will look back on the architectural and human stories that have most fascinated him over his long involvement with the show; examining the challenges and pitfalls of designing and building your dream home.

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### HR Plus

HR Plus is an architectural human resources and industrial relations information service that gives A+ members and Graduate members access to expert advice. In addition, Wentworth Advantage provides informative articles for our members. These are published on Acumen. This month [Crackdown on bullying - new law.](#)

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### WoodSolutions Breakfast Presentation - Spirit of Place

Attending the Regional Architecture Conference Spirit of Place in Cairns this September? Why not attend this fabulous fringe event while you are there?

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### Knauf - Your Blueprint for Green

Knauf is excited to announce the certification of ten of its major plasterboard products to GreenRate Level A by Global GreenTag.

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### Pecha Kucha Cairns

Attending the Regional Architecture Conference Spirit of Place in Cairns this September? Six architects from regional Queensland will be joining six local Cairns people to share their stories and passions.

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