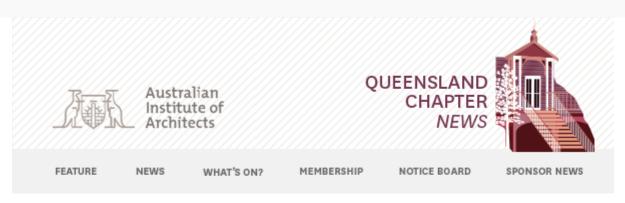
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From the CEO



Dear members,

An important issue has come to light in recent days that I feel I should share with you. There are reports that the profession is being targeted by insurance brokers looking to establish themselves as specialists in architects' professional indemnity insurance.

Feature



National Architecture Awards 2013 shortlist revealed

Sixty projects from around Australia and overseas have been shortlisted for the 2013 National Architecture Awards, the largest awards program of its kind in the world. The shortlisted projects were selected by an eminent jury led by Immediate Past President, Shelley Penn. Image: Lime Street, Formworks Architecture. Photo: Robert Frith.

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National Awards categories review - your opportunity to contribute

National Council recently endorsed the formation of an Awards Category Working Group in preparation for the 2014 Awards Program. The formation of this working group is in response to the recommendations/issues raised in relation to categories ...

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Digital Business Kits - survey

As a member of the Australian Services Roundtable, the Australian Institute of Architects is collaborating with them and the CSIRO in the delivery of this national survey assessing digital engagement within professional services firms.

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What's on

Architecture and Design Symposium _25 Oct For one day only, hear from a wealth of Danish and Australian architectural and design talent, including: Jan Utzon - Utzon Architects _Mette Kyne Frandsen - Henning Larson Johannes Molander Pedersen and Morten Rask Gregersen - NORD Architects Richard Johnson - Johnson Pilton Walker _Camilla Block - Durbach Block Jaggers _Gerard Reinmuth - Terrolr And more



The Opera House: Celebrating 40



National Architecture Awards 2013

Thu 7 Nov

Sydney Opera House

Join us for the night-of-nights of Australian architecture, celebrating the best and boldest designs of the year in Australia's most celebrated work of architecture. Tickets now on sale!

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Sandcastles Season 3

Wed 18 Sep, 7pm

On Wednesday night, *Sandcastles* Season 3 launches on 7Two. Episode 1 features Clifton Gardens designed by architect Louise Nettleton. Image: Clifton Gardens, Louise Nettleton Architects.

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'Pre-WAF Sneak Preview'

Tuesday 24 September

FREE CPD event – shortlisted Qld architects share their WAF presentations before they attend the World Architecture Festival. Members. Non-members are welcome.

2 Informal CPD points

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Crucible Horror - Beyond the Meltdown...Architects Post GFC

Saturday 12 October A night of bands, art and architects with a twist of horror..... Music by the Architectural Fraternity featuring: French Curves, Black Pudding, The Corleones, Kolchack, The Architects and The Hockneys. Dance till

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NSS5 - Managing Projects for Success

Livestream 2 October Brisbane 3 October

This seminar will develop project planning and project management skills for architects to help them become 'project leaders' and contribute to the success of their team, project delivery and sustainability of their practice.

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Evidence-Based Design: What can be known about the people we design for?

Mon 23 September

Join us as we explore the topic of Evidence-Based Design and learn how this may be applied to your practice.



Black Talk : David Hertz

Wed 25 September The AAA 2013 Black Talk speaker is American architect<u>David Hertz</u> who is known for his work in sustainable architecture.



2013 Gold Medallist Peter Wilson

Tues 15 October Please join us for a design talk featuring 2013 Gold Medallist Peter Wilson. 2 Informal CPD points

1 Formal CPD point

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'Bridge to Bridge, River to River' Workshop Outcomes and Key Recommendations Report

Many Queensland Chapter Institute members recently contributed their time and expertise to an urban design workshop considering the future of Brisbane's Government Precinct. Review the outcomes and key recommendations of this workshop.

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Queensland's Virtual Hill Town

Last Possible Extension -Closing 20 September! Get involved in this exciting World Architecture Day Project NOW! CPD points available for participation.

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The CRC for Rail Innovation presents: Envisioning Future Urban Rail Precincts; its design, future prospects and community impacts

Wednesday 9 October

with Toby Lodge - HASSELL "Planning for change in the urban rail context" and Prof Phil Charles, UQ "The Australian rail station's dynamic relationship with its surrounds"

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Competitions & Opportunities



Dulux Study Tour

Entries close Thu! The Dulux Study Tour recognises and rewards emerging architects for their contribution to architectural practice, education, design excellence and community

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Colorbond Steel Student Biennale

Entries close Fri 27 Sep Stage One entries are now open for the Biennale, now in its 25th year, which represents the profession's recognition of quality in design by students of architecture.

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NEVILLE QUARBY ARCHITECTURAL EDUCATION PRIZE

Neville Quarry Architectural Education Prize

Entries are <u>now open</u> for the 2014 Neville Quarry Architectural Education Prize, which recognises the significance of architectural education in the promotion and improvement of the built

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Find an Architect

With Season 3 of Sandcastles launching on 7Twoon Wednesday night, it is a good time for you to upload or update your profile on Find an Architect, the Institute's directory service that allows the general public to search for architects. READ MORE

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Industry Foundation Classes (IFC) Training

Graphisoft Australia is pleased to present the first of a national series of two-day IFC Training Courses. The course will be presented by John Mitchell, Chairman of Building SMART Australasia Chapter.

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Australian Timber Awards 2013

Thu 19 Sep

This is the premier event in the Australian timber design calendar, comprising a banquet meal and Awards presentations. It is a great opportunity for architects and designers to network and to gain peer recognition.



High tech roof helps Aussie team win

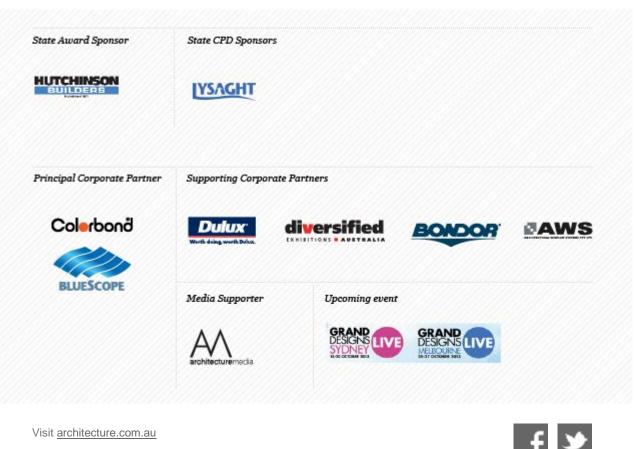
A prototype high-tech solar roof has helped a team of students from the Illawarra region win an international competition to build the most energy efficient house. Team UOW Australia won the Solar Decathlon China 2013 competition. READ MORE

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