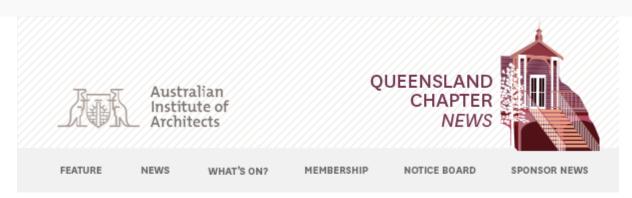
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From the CEO



On Friday, Prime Minister Rudd announced that a Labor government would appoint a Minister for Cities. This is very welcome news. A federal champion is urgently needed to drive reforms that better connect urban policies and programs across all levels of government. This role in an expanded Major Cities Unit will bring much needed leadership and vision to the strategic planning of our cities and regions.

Featured Event



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What's On



Kevin Mark Low - Buy one ticket, bring a friend for free!

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 READ MORE Speaker Series.



Foundations

Wed 11 Sep - Sydney

Dreaming of starting your own practice? Learn what it takes to get out of the clouds and into the director's chair. Seminar followed by a panel discussion and networking drinks. Learn *who* should start their own practice and get some tips for doing it right. Limited spaces – book now!



Architecture and Design Symposium

Fri 25 Oct, 10.30am- 5pm Sydney Opera House

To celebrate the 40th anniversary of the opening of the Sydney Opera House, this oneday event brings together Danish and Australian architects and designers to discuss the contemporary role of

READ MORE and design.



NSS5 - Managing Projects for Success

This seminar will develop project planning and project management skills for architects to help them become 'project leaders' and contribute to the



Queensland's Virtual Hill Town

Time is running out - Closing 10 September!

Get involved in this exciting World Architecture Day Project NOW!. CPD points available for participation.





UQ QVHT Workshop with BBQ

Saturday September 7 UQ, School of Architecture will be running a one day workshop and celebration of architectural ideas as part of the lead up to success of their team, project delivery and sustainability of their practice.

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

Monday 23 September Join us as we explore the topic of Evidence-Based Design and learn how this may be applied to your practice. 1 Formal CPD point

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World Architecture Day and Queensland's Virtual Hill Town Project.

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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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Into The Ground

Tuesday 17 September Discussion forum on trees with speakers Ross Clarke and Steve Moss.

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Sustainable Design Survey

Griffith University are undertaking a study of sustainable design in Australia, principally to establish who are sustainable designers....

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CCAA Public Domain Awards ceremony

The winners of the 2013 CCAA Public Domain Awards will be announced in Brisbane on September 19, with tickets for

> the event READ MORE

now available on-line.

Competitions & Opportunities



WLA Advanced Leadership Program

Scholarships of up to \$11,000 are being awarded to women working in the construction, engineering and architecture sector to assist in developing their leadership capacity in order to encourage more women to

READ MORE executive positions.



William J Mitchell International Committee Prize

Entries close Thursday!

The William J Mitchell International Committee Prize is awarded annually in recognition of a significant contribution to architecture international

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Leadership in Sustainability Prize

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

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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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INSURANCE INDUSTRY AWARDS

IBL - Small broker of the year

The Institute congratulates IBL Limited on its award as 2013 Small Broker of the Year at the Australian Insurance Industry Awards held in Sydney on 14 August.

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Grand Designs Australia - Call out for OS projects

Grand Designs Australia is looking to expand the series to include overseas houses, with at least one of the owners to be Australian. The countries the show is currently looking at are Bali, Fiji and New Zealand. Contact <u>Andrea</u> for more information.

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2013 WoodSolutions Timber Study Tour

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WoodSolutions Breakfast Presentation - Spirit of Place

Be inspired by international and local projects including Australian Timber Design Award winners while you're at Spirit of Place.

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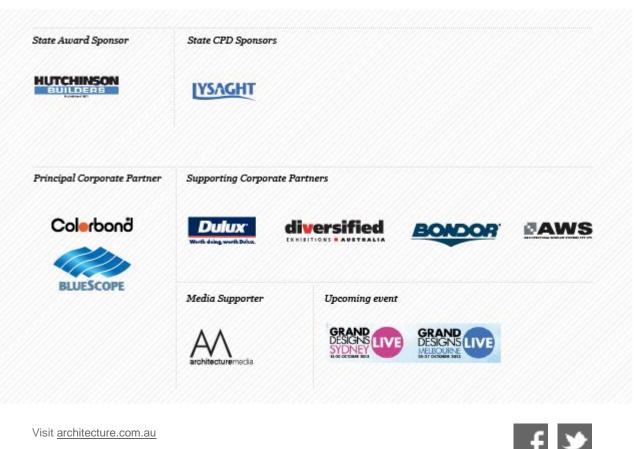
Attending the Regional Architecture Conference Spirit of Place in Cairns this September? Six architects from regional Queensland will be joining six local Cairns people to share their stories and passions.

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News from other chapters



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