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I know I don't need to remind you that there is just under two weeks until the election. But before you head for the polling booths, I can advise that the Institute has been surveying the major parties on the key issues relevant to the profession. In next week's e-news we will be publishing the results of the survey sent to Labor, the Coalition and the Greens on the Institute's policy priorities. It is hoped that these results will clarify the various positions on issues relevant to our profession and help inform your decision on election day.

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Feature

SMALL BY DESIGN
SMALL CAN BE BEAUTIFUL
and luxurious... and big...
Good things come in Small packages.

Speakers: Stephen Sainsbury, Richard Burnham and James Kendall
When: 12:30-2pm Friday 6 September 2013
Australian Institute of Architects Chapter Office
1/19a Hunter Street Hobart TAS
CPD: 1.5 Informal Points

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A black and white photograph showing the entrance of a modern building with large glass windows and a covered walkway.A black and white photograph of a modern building with a large, white, angular facade and a flat roof.

News



Acumen Content Review Panel established

Chapter councils and state practice committees will shortly be asked to provide nominations to the newly-formed Acumen Content Review Panel after National Council approved the formation of this group at its recent meeting. Based on a recommendation by the Acumen Content Review Group, the Review Panel, comprising five member representatives, will provide advice to the Institute on appropriate Acumen content.

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What's on



Our Living Future

What: An introduction to LFIA, the Living Building Challenge, the Passive House Standard, One Planet Living and Biomimicry.

Speaker: Suzette Jackson, Director Innate Ecology & Executive Director Living Future Institute Australia

Hobart:

12noon - 1.30pm, Thu 29Aug

Where: Australian Institute of Architects Chapter Office, 1/19a Hunter Street Hobart TAS

[Register for the Hobart event](#)

Launceston:

12noon - 1pm, Fri 30 Aug

Where: UTAS School of Architecture and Design, Launceston

[Register for the Launceston event](#)

Innate Ecology and Biomimicry Swarm Australia will also be holding two separate forums that are related to the Our Living Future introduction organised by the AIA. These are a Biomimicry Forum and a Living Building Forum, please see the [relevant flyers for more information](#) on how to register for these three great events.

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NSS5 Managing Projects for Success

What: 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.

Topics include the project leader's role in success, financial and resource management, planning for success and managing project risk.

At the end of this session attendees will be able to:
Define organisational success and recognise the difference between internal and external success
Identify the importance of the difference between project leading and project managing roles and in producing successful outcomes

Outline project planning and project management tools and consider their relationship to financial management

Analyse project risk and manage client expectations

Monitor and develop Key Performance Indicators in order to manage teams, projects and resources

When: 12 - 2pm, 10 Sep

Where: 1/19a Hunter Street.

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Pictures in the Pub, Awards in Review 2

What: Kick back, relax and join 2013 award winning architectural practices Room11 Architects, Morrison & Breytenbach, MGArchitects and 1+2 Architecture for Pictures in the Pub, Awards in Review.

Showcasing the professions, exemplary Tasmanian design are:

- Morrison & Breytenbach - Sustainability Learning Centre
- 1+2 Architecture - Wellspring Anglican Church
- MGArchitects - Napoleon Street
- Room11 Architects - GASP! Stage 1

The event is open to the public, so bring your friends and spread the word!

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Elements Holt & Looby

What: Elements – singular, scalar building components: stairs, columns, floor plates, windows, walls, and ceilings.

Each, when individually assessed, may seem to be less than significant, or the least notable or immediately identifiable as potentially theoretical constructs; but each is nevertheless essential to the physical nature of building. That is not to say these elements should become token gestures viewed purely in isolation. Instead, each element is viewed across a body of work, which allows for analyses and a criticality on something much larger: the discipline.

Speaker: Michael Holt, the editor for Architectural Review Asia Pacific, and Marissa Looby an architectural designer and writer, both are graduates of the Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation (GSAPP), Columbia University.

Hobart:

12.30 - 2pm, Fri 20 Sep

Where: Australian Institute of Architects Chapter Office, 1/19a Hunter Street Hobart TAS

Register for the Hobart event

Launceston:

6 - 7.30pm Fri 20 Sep

Where: UTAS School of Architecture and Design, Launceston

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Spirit of Place - Student tickets reduced!

Thu 5 - Sat 7 Sep

SONA members - \$80

Student non-members - \$100

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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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 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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Grand Designs - An Evening with Kevin McCloud

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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Solar House Tour

The Solar Society is planning to run a solar house tour on 8 September; however, due to a lack of houses to view they are thinking of cancelling it. The society (Arthur Masters) would like to know if any members have any houses they have done recently or even in the past that are good solar houses that they(or their clients) are happy to have people come to view. Please

Our Living Future - Biomimicry

Biomimicry is innovation inspired by Nature's 3.8 billion years of research and development into sustainable strategies adapted to living on earth. This forum will introduce the key concepts of Biomimicry and 'Life Principles' to engender an understanding of how Biomimicry can be applied to design challenges.

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Our Living Future - Living Building

'Living Buildings' looks at creating projects that operate as an ecosystem, without waste and using local resources at hand. This forum provides an overview of the Living Building Challenge vision, typologies and petals for application, examples of completed living Building certified projects, and workshop some of the challenges within the petals.

email [Arthur](#) directly.

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Industry update - premises standards

Earlier this year, we held a roundtable to discuss members' concerns about Premises Standards [Disability (Access to Premises-Building) Standards 2010]. The Commonwealth has committed to completing a review of the legislation by May 2016. In order to contribute to the review and determine whether it has had a detrimental effect on architects, we need your input. We'd like to hear from you about any problems you may have had with the legislation. Email [Bron Hill](#) with your experiences.

The Role of the Superintendent

The superintendent's role is a complex one. This intensive and interactive training program teaches you how to confidently manage the various duties, the dual roles of the superintendent, and how to avoid common legal traps. This one day CPD is the only course in Australia that specifically addresses the legal principles which underpin the role of the superintendent.
Sep 17, 8.30am-5pm
Salamanca Square, Hobart

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Roderick Bamford - Digital Crafting for Design

The workshop provides opportunities for you to design and create simple 3 dimensional forms using a mix of analogue and digital tools.

Workshop
9am – 4pm, Fri 6 Sep
Art School, Hunter Street,
Hobart

Forum (free event)
5pm Fri 6 Sep
Chapter Offices, 1/19A Hunter St, Hobart.

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Membership



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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Your blueprint for green



2013 WoodSolutions Timber Study Tour



High tech roof helps Aussie team win

Knauf is excited to announce the certification of ten of its major plasterboard products to GreenRate Level A by Global GreenTag. This enables the most efficient and affordable design of systems for any sustainable building project.

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Germany, Austria, Switzerland - a week of inspiration, information and fun in December for only \$3850*. Join other industry professionals to visit landmark projects and meet some of the people behind them. Institute members receive a 10% discount for bookings prior to 31 Aug.

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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.

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