

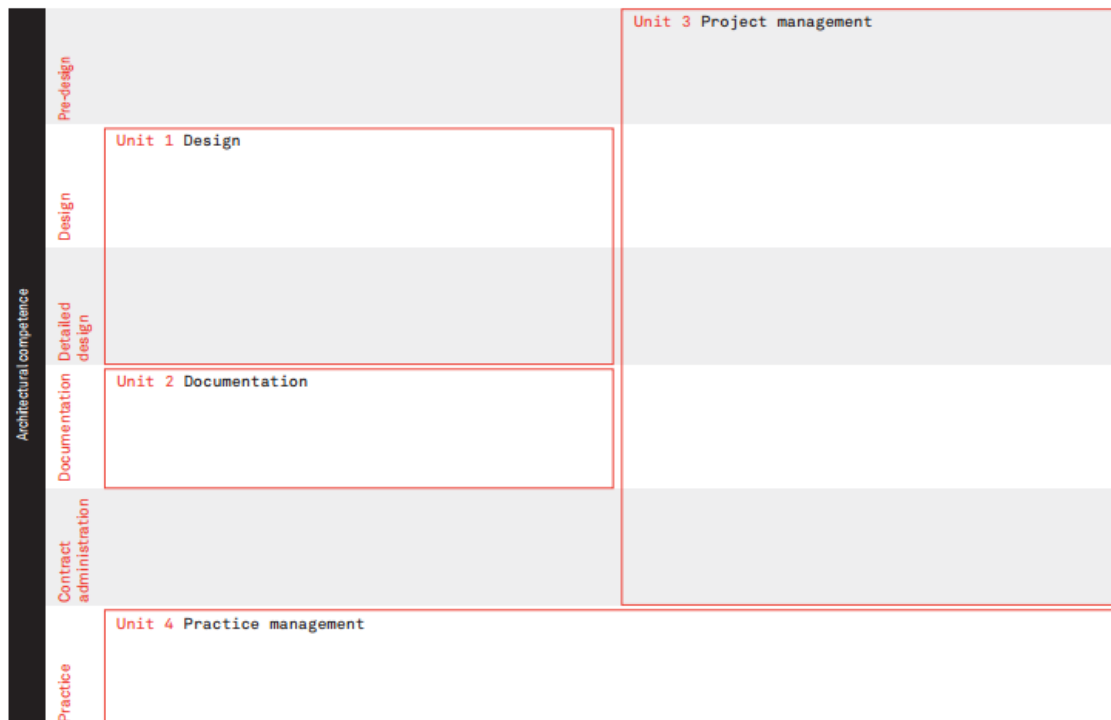
2016 Victorian Chapter CPD overview

When building the 2016 CPD plan at the Australian Institute of Architects, there are several elements to consider: competencies, current events/issues, member feedback, advisory input, policy changes, practice size, range of peoples experience....the list goes on.

Competencies overview

The easiest one to explain is the competencies – this diagram shows how each element works together and the relationship it has with each stage of the architectural process. Most events will focus on one section, some may address two areas.

Relationship of NCSA with the practice of architecture*



From: AACA – ‘The National Competency Standards in Architecture’ document

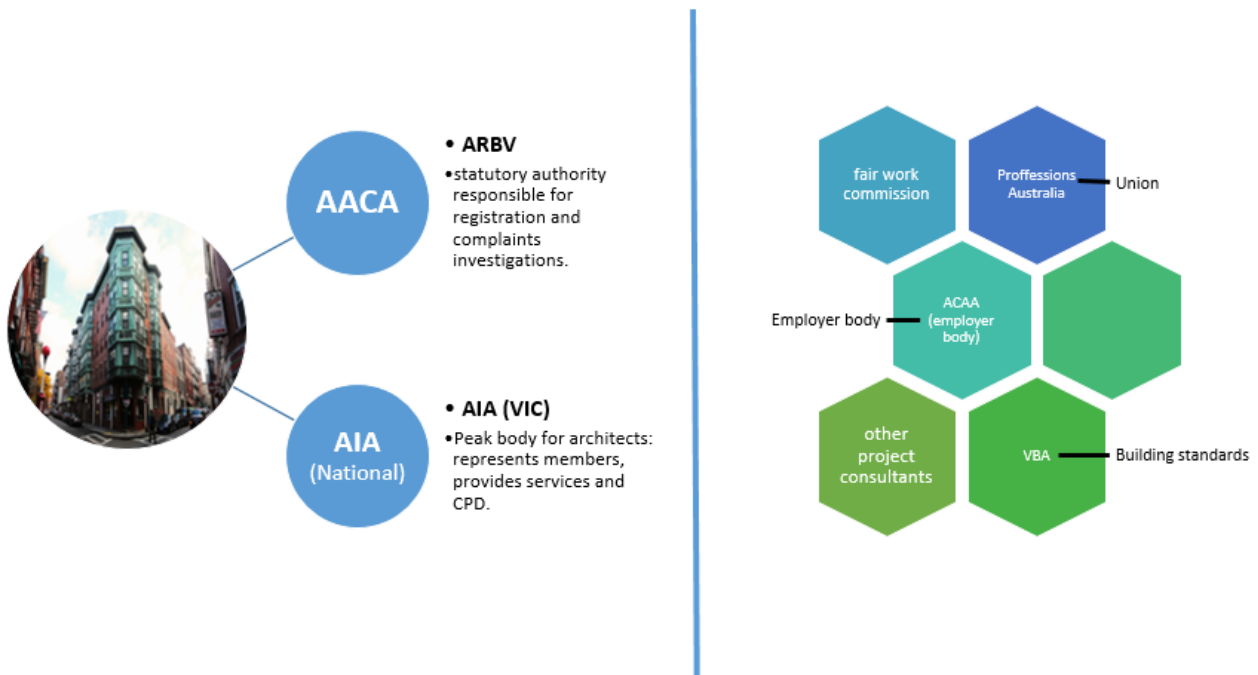
2016 Continuing Professional Development overview

We try to produce CPD events that address each of the different competency areas and arrange them over the year. Member feedback after events helps us direct and decide on content that will be relevant for our members. So if you are attending events and giving us feedback (either electronically or paper based) then CPD will become more relevant for you. That’s why you will see some blank spaces and TBC’s in the [‘2016 CPD plan’ document](#) – we want to be able to fill those spaces with material that YOU suggest.

Please note that the information in the ‘2016 CPD plan’ document can change. Updates and official tickets for the confirmed events will be posted on Victoria’s CPD page and in vmail.

Agency overview

Some people have asked for clarification on the different agencies, organisations and companies related to architecture and where to go to if you have further questions. The following diagram will hopefully help you decide who the most appropriate organisation is, to assist you.



Please note: this is our interpretation of relationships and interconnections – please refer to each website for official advice.