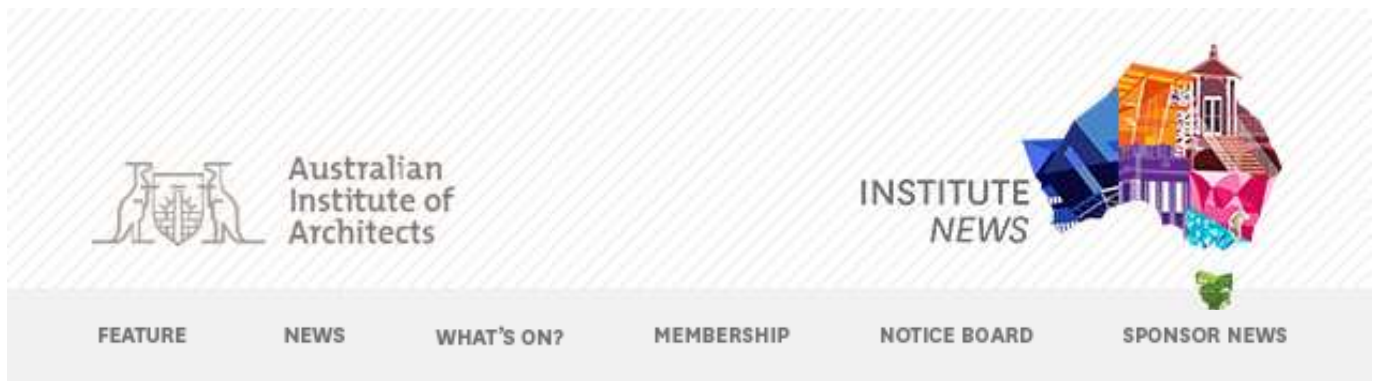


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From the National President



On Saturday we had our say on Australia's future through casting our votes in the federal election. We now have a new Coalition government with a majority of seats ...

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From the Chapter



Come to [New Civic Infrastructure for New Growth](#) feat. Jonathan Gardiner, Simon Knott and Ian Woodcock. New Heritage Committee formed- [read more](#).

Feature



What's On



ISS: Kevin Mark Low

Wed 11 Sept, 6.30pm

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



Small Projects: Innovative Practice

Tues 24 Sept, 6pm

'Learning through Doing' emerged as one of the key 'Small Project' themes in this year's Victorian Architecture Awards program. This seminar showcases the possibilities



NSS5 - Managing Projects for Success

Wed 2 Oct, 5.30pm

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

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and exemplary outcomes that small projects can provide.

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News

Heritage

New Heritage Committee

Watch this space for monthly Heritage News, Issues and Progress. The committee is in a formative stage but more information is coming. Enquiries to the [Heritage Committee](#).

EMERGING ARCHITECT PRIZE

2013 Victorian Emerging Architect Prize

Nominations close Fri 13 Sept
Nominations are now open for Institute members to nominate for the Victorian Emerging Architect Prize

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Teleworking

Email by Friday 13 Sept

Services Australia is seeking to interview Melbourne-based architectural firms about their teleworking behaviours; how they telework, the benefits and downsides if any. The film will form part of the government's Telework Week which starts November 18 and is an online education campaign to try and encourage teleworking. If you would like to be part of the film, please contact [Carmel McCormack](#) at the Institute.



Architecture and Design Symposium- Speaker profiles

Fri 25 Oct

To celebrate the 40th anniversary of the opening of the Sydney Opera House, this one-day event brings together Danish and Australian architects and designers to discuss the contemporary role of architecture and design in shaping our collective cultural imaginations.

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Competitions & opportunities



Leadership in Sustainability Prize

Entries close Thursday!

This prize recognises individuals and/or groups demonstrating exceptional



Colorbond Steel Student Biennale

Stage One entries are now open for the Biennale, now in its 25th year, which represents the profession's recognition of



2015 National Architecture Conference – Call for Creative Director

The Institute is now seeking expressions of interest for the role of the Creative Director for

leadership and an outstanding contribution to the advancement of sustainability of the built environment.

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quality in design by students of architecture.

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the 2015 National Architecture Conference. Held annually, the conference is a major event of the Institute and is attended by over a thousand delegates.

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Notice board



University of Melbourne students win SONA's SuperStudio 2013

Congratulations to SONA members- Nicole Henderson, Emily Palmer and Jordan Simcock from the University of Melbourne who won first place in the design competition, for their response to the brief – Refuge of Discomfort.



Industry Foundation Classes (IFC) Training

Thu 12, Fri 13 September, 9am-5pm

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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ENVI Industry Night call out

Mon 16 Sept. Applications due by Tues 10 Sept

Opportunity to network with students who are interested in potential recruitment at your firm and help positively influence students who are still deciding on their future career. Interested practices can apply using the [online form](#).

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AUSTRALIAN STEEL INSTITUTE

Corrosion Protection of Structural Steelwork- member discount

Wed 18 Sept

This seminar for steelwork engineers and architects looks at corrosion protection, a vital and often expensive facet of steel design. Institute members are eligible for a sizable discount.

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The architects: through their eyes

Thursday 19 Sept

Williamstown Library is an important community building for Hobsons Bay. Join the visionaries, architects Sally Draper and Melissa Lim, for a glass of wine and a presentation covering the inspiration and concepts behind the design of the Williamstown Library.

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CCAA Public Domain Awards

Thurs 19 Sept

Following an impressive number of projects of exceptional standard entered into the 2013 competition, judging is now complete, and it is now time to announce the winners. Discounted tickets available for AIA members please [enquire](#).

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The Other Hemisphere

Entries close Mon 30 Sept

In 2014, design curator Sarah K will once again take an exhibition of innovative new Australian and New Zealand design to Milan during the Salone del Mobile and Fuori Salone for Milan Design Week. Designers are asked to respond to the theme 'simplified' interpreting this term in their own way.

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Grand Designs - An Evening with Kevin McCloud

Mon 28 Oct

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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Government as Smart Client

The OVGA has developed a set of guidelines 'Government as Smart Client' for building procurement processes, the implications for design quality arising from these processes, and recommended strategies to enable good design. The OVGA welcomes [feedback](#).

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AND Speaker Series: Bellemo & Cat

Tues 10 Sept, 1.15pm

The AND Speaker Series is a student-run initiative of The Faculty of Architecture, Building and Planning at The University of Melbourne. V: Harold White Lecture Theatre, Level 2, 757 Swanston St.



Consult Australia: Professional Services Excellence



Pathways to Working in the Humanitarian Sector



Postcode 3000: a city trans-'formed'

Mon 9 - Wed 11 Sept

This program sets out the core factors of Leadership and Management Excellence. This is a Refuel CPD provider event

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Sat 12 - Sun 13 Oct

This training course introduces built environment professionals to the Humanitarian sector. This is a Refuel CPD provider event.

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This exhibition features 3D print models of Melbourne buildings, as well as film, a timeline that travels forward to 2023.

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Australian Timber Awards - People's Choice Award

Voting has opened for the [2013 People's Choice Award!](#) Members of the public may view all entries and vote online. There is a huge field of entries this year, so we're certain you'll find a project that suits your taste. [View the entries and vote now!](#)



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