

MEDIA RELEASE

OUTSTANDING NATIONAL LEADERS ANNOUNCED BY THE AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF BUILDING

The Australian Institute of Building (AIB) last night (Friday 7 September) announced the National Professional Excellence in Building Awards for 2018.

Held at the National Arboretum in Canberra, guests heard how the judging panel was *seriously impressed* with the quality of the winning works from previous state and territory Awards programs.

National Jury Chair, Peter Henden said “the line-up this year was an eclectic collection of projects from all corners of Australia that embraced the best techniques and talent available to the construction industry”

“It is refreshing to see the construction professional using tools such as BIM to great effect on a number of projects as well as a vast array of information software to ensure the end project is the best it can be” said Peter.

The jury went on to say that this year the environment was a strong theme that cut through all projects from re-cycling of waste materials to power generation and water reticulation. The strong message here was *reduce, reuse and recycle*.

Outgoing National President, Paul Heather commented saying “even in my two years as President, I have seen a change for the better in the quality and environmental considerations that continue to be delivered to both the client and the community. It is a true testament to our professionals and the way they not only solve at times not insignificant issues, but to how teams of people look ahead to future generations”

See below a full list of National Award winners.

Photos from the night can be viewed here (please allow 5-7 working days after event):

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/aibnational/sets/>

For further information, please contact:

Mr Greg Hughes, CEO
Phone 02 6253 1100
Email: ceo@aib.org.au

The list of recipients is detailed on the attachment. Most recipients are available for interview, please contact the Australian Institute of Building on 02 6253 1100 to organise.

2018 AIB People's Choice Award

2018 AIB People's Choice Award

Winner: Yi Zhang

Company: China State - Shui On Joint Venture

Project: Hong Kong Children's Hospital

Location: Hong Kong

2018 AIB National Building Professional of the Year

2018 AIB National Building Professional of the Year

Winner: Eddie Gangemi

Company: Hutchinson Builders Pty Ltd

Project: Newstead Central Stage 2 & 3

Location: Queensland

2018 AIB National Building Professional of the Year

Winner: Yi Zhang

Company: China State - Shui On Joint Venture

Project: Hong Kong Children's Hospital

Location: Hong Kong

2018 AIB National Professional Excellence in Building Award Recipients

Category: Commercial Construction up to \$5 Million

Winner: Philippa Seldon

Award: High Commendation

Company: Manteena Commercial Pty Ltd

Project: Australian Peacekeeping Memorial

Location: Australian Capital Territory

Category: Commercial Construction up to \$5 Million

Winner: Melisha Wellington

Award: Professional Excellence

Company: Sarah Constructions Pty Ltd

Project: Adelaide Oval Arena LED & Lighting Upgrade

Location: South Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Mark Cramp

Award: High Commendation
Company: Sarah Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: St Peters Girls Middle School + Library
Location: South Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Darcy Gumley

Award: High Commendation
Company: L.U. Simon Builders Pty Ltd
Project: Zagame Automotive - Rolls-Royce & Aston Martin Dealership
Location: Victoria

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Tony Jachmann

Award: High Commendation
Company: Built Environs Pty Ltd
Project: Transforming Health – Modbury Hospital – SpARC & Level 3 Ward Refurbishment
Location: South Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Peter Tobin

Award: High Commendation
Company: ADCO Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: On the Point - Point Fraser
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Victoria Brown

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Cockram Construction
Project: Australian Red Cross Blood Service Perth Processing Centre Refurbishment Stage 2, 4 & 5
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Dean Veldhuyzen

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Sarah Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: d'Arenberg – The Cube
Location: South Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Kris Goodwin

Award: High Commendation
Company: Multiplex Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: Cockburn Aquatic & Recreational Centre (Cockburn ARC)
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Leo Maria

Award: High Commendation
Company: Hansen Yuncken
Project: Salamanca Building, Parliament Square
Location: Tasmania

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: John Moore

Award: High Commendation
Company: Badge Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: Baptistcare RAC Restoration Project
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Marco Bonadio

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Kane Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: GMHBA Stadium Stage 4 Brownlow Stand Redevelopment
Location: Victoria

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Shaun Burke

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Cockram Construction
Project: Ralph & Patricia Sarich Neuroscience Research Institute
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Simon Rua

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: CPB Contractors Pty Ltd
Project: National Football Stadium (NFS) Project
Location: Queensland

Category: Commercial Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Salem Tredrea

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Sarah Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: Regis Burnside
Location: South Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$100 Million Plus

Winner: Rocky Slater & Jason Orso

Award: High Commendation
Company: Badge Perkins Joint Venture
Project: WA Schools Public Private Partnership
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$100 Million Plus

Winner: James Terry

Award: High Commendation
Company: Lendlease Building Pty Ltd
Project: Helicopter Aircrew Training System Facilities
Location: New South Wales

Category: Commercial Construction \$100 Million Plus

Winner: Bill McEvoy

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Multiplex Australasia Pty Ltd
Project: Optus Stadium
Location: Western Australia

Category: Commercial Construction \$100 Million Plus

Winner: Paul Melville

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Hansen Yuncken Pty Ltd
Project: Flinders Medical Centre Redevelopment Project
Location: South Australia

Category: Residential Construction \$5 Million to \$25 Million

Winner: Ryan Capron

Award: High Commendation
Company: L.U. Simon Builders Pty Ltd
Project: Rosny Apartments
Location: Victoria

Category: Residential Construction \$25 Million to \$100 Million

Winner: Dennis Moschoyiannis

Award: High Commendation
Company: L.U. Simon Builders Pty Ltd
Project: Brunswick Heart
Location: Victoria

Category: Residential Construction \$100 Million Plus

Winner: Eddie Gangemi

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Hutchinson Builders Pty Ltd
Project: Newstead Central Stage 2 & 3
Location: Queensland

Category: Interior Construction

Winner: Goran Colovic

Award: High Commendation
Company: Hansen Yuncken Pty Ltd
Project: Adelaide Town Hall - Queen Adelaide Room
Location: South Australia

Category: Interior Construction

Winner: Cherise Czislowski

Award: High Commendation
Company: Lendlease Building Pty Ltd
Project: NAB Place Commercial Office Fit-Out
Location: Queensland

Category: Interior Construction

Winner: Jae Gripske

Award: High Commendation
Company: iQ Construct
Project: UQ City - 293 Queen St
Location: Queensland

Category: Interior Construction

Winner: Natalie Radich

Award: High Commendation
Company: Lendlease Building Pty Ltd
Project: Telstra 275 George St
Location: Queensland

Category: Infrastructure

Winner: Ross Greenup

Award: High Commendation
Company: Shaw Building Group Pty Ltd
Project: The Canberra Hospital "Continuity of Services – Essential Infrastructure (COSEI)"
Location: Australian Capital Territory

Category: Infrastructure

Winner: Tony Isaacson

Award: High Commendation
Company: Kane Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: Deakin University Burwood Link Pedestrian Bridge
Location: Victoria

Category: Infrastructure

Winner: Stephen O'Brien

Award: High Commendation
Company: Seymour Whyte Constructions Pty Ltd
Project: Lucinda Drive Bridge - Port Drive Upgrade
Location: Queensland

Category: Infrastructure

Winner: Andrew Buchanan

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Lendlease Building Pty Ltd
Project: Hunter Correctional Centre
Location: New South Wales

Category: Infrastructure

Winner: Steve Pilling

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: Georgiou Group
Project: Aubin Grove Train Station
Location: Western Australia

Category: Project Management**Winner: Yi Zhang**

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: China State - Shui On Joint Venture
Project: Hong Kong Children's Hospital
Location: Hong Kong

Category: Research, Development and Technology**Winner: Alan Jeary**

Award: Professional Excellence
Company: STRAAM Group
Project: Risk Management and Assessment
Location: New South Wales

Category: General**Winner: Matt Banek**

Award: High Commendation
Company: Johnstaff Projects Pty Ltd
Project: 401 Collins Street Heritage Façade
Location: Victoria

Category: General**Winner: Roger Poels**

Award: High Commendation
Company: Shaw Building Group Pty Ltd
Project: Refurbishment of the Captain Cook Memorial Jet (CCMJ)
Location: Australian Capital Territory