Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

The Institute recognises that continuing education in architecture is crucial to advancing and improving the profession. Architects undertake continuing education to maintain competency, to prepare for the future, to fulfil the continuing education requirements for Institute membership, and to maintain registration.

CPD Written Assignment

To claim 2 Formal CPD points for a self-directed CPD activity, architects required to complete all of the following questions.

1. What in the presentation challenged you to think about architecture and its practice differently?

2. What were some of the key points/issues raised during the presentation?

3. What are some implications of these for the practice of architecture broadly?

4. What other issues/ideas do the key points suggest for you?

5. What did you learn from the presentation/discussion?

6. What will you do differently in your own workplace or apply personally as a result of the presentation?

In addition, you should identify the Learning Objectives you expected to receive from attending an event and/or watching a video, etc., and also relate your learning to one or more of the AACA competency standards; i.e., Design, Documentation, Project Management, and/or Practice Management.

Note:

It is important that you ensure the quality of your written response is at a standard that would be acceptable for peer review. For example, some practices share write-ups amongst themselves within practice, or post these responses to their practice’s website or blog. This is a good way to share with professional colleagues your impressions of the content, how it relates to your practice, and other learnings.