
Building
a sustainable
future



Green Building Council of Australia **Membership**

Together, we can build a sustainable future



Surf Coast Shire Civic Building
5 Star Green Star – Office Design v3
Photography: Tremayne Atwell

About us

The Green Building Council of Australia (GBCA) is committed to developing buildings, cities and communities that are healthy, livable, productive, resilient and sustainable.

- We are a not-for-profit, member-based organisation.
- We promote green building programs, technologies, design practices and operations.
- We operate Australia's only national, voluntary, holistic rating system for sustainable buildings and communities – Green Star.

Find out more about the
Green Building Council of Australia:
gbca.org.au

Our members

One of our key strengths is the diversity of our membership.

When you become a GBCA member you join an impressive and ever-growing list of more than 750 organisations at the forefront of sustainable development in Australia. We welcome organisations of any size and sector that want to make our buildings, cities and communities better places to live, work and play.



For more information
on our current members visit:
gbca.org.au/our-members.asp

Property agents

Engineers

Sustainability consultants

State and federal government

Property developers

Planners

Facility managers

Construction companies

A word cloud featuring various stakeholders in the construction industry. The words are arranged in a non-uniform, overlapping manner. The colors of the words include blue, green, yellow, and black. The words are: Banks (large, blue, vertical), Local councils (large, black, horizontal), Universities (medium, green, vertical), Product manufacturers (medium, black, vertical), Architects (medium, black, vertical), Retailers (large, blue, vertical), Interior designers (medium, green, horizontal), Local government departments (medium, light blue, horizontal), Sub-contractors (medium, black, horizontal), Building owners (medium, green, horizontal), Contractors (medium, yellow, vertical), Developers (medium, black, horizontal), Companies (large, black, horizontal), Engineers (medium, black, horizontal), and Planners (medium, yellow, horizontal).

Banks

Local councils

Universities

Product manufacturers

Architects

Retailers

Interior designers

Local government departments

Sub-contractors

Building owners

Contractors

Developers

Companies

Engineers

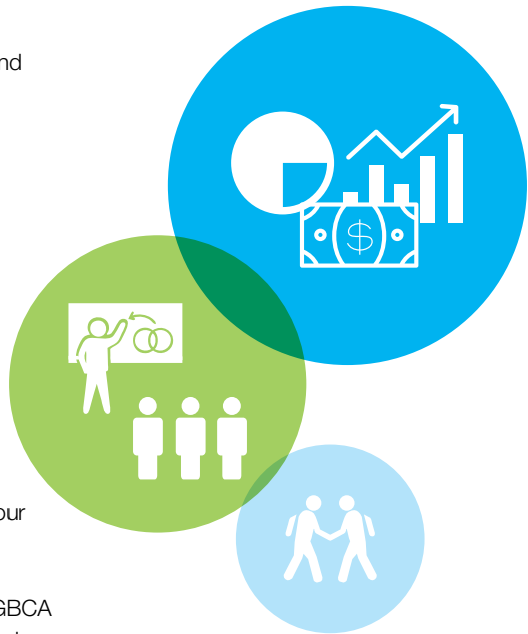
Planners

Exclusive access

We provide our members with exclusive support, events and education, and can help connect your company to valuable business opportunities.

- Access technical information and attend in-house briefings.
- Connect with a national network of sustainability leaders.
- Receive media support, sponsorship and advertising opportunities.
- Build your strategic connections at all levels.
- Attend member-only events.

We also help members develop the business case for green building as it relates to your organisation. Whether your focus is sustainable development and green communities, or building design, construction, retrofit or interior fitouts, GBCA can provide a range of local, national and international research and statistics to back up your business case.



Industry leadership

When you join the GBCA, you're making a clear statement that your company takes sustainability seriously. We encourage you to use your exclusive member logo as a symbol of green leadership.

- Showcase your achievements through Green Star case studies and stories.
- Profile your organisation's services in our online Member Directory.
- Display the GBCA member logo on your website and other promotional materials.
- Advertise through our website and newsletters.
- Access editorial opportunities in mainstream media and industry publications.



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EPA Victoria Office Fitout

6 Star Green Star – Office Interiors v1.1

Photography: Paul Ebbage

Market influence

GBCA members are sustainability thought leaders. We provide a platform for our members to share their expertise, influence industry direction and learn from the experience of others.

Our influence with government has gained significant traction, and we have a seat at every built environment roundtable in the country. Our track record means our members are viewed as key stakeholders when government is shaping future policy.

- Join a Green Star Technical Working Group.
- Participate in our State Industry Groups or Local Government Task Groups.
- Nominate a member of your organisation to the GBCA Board.
- Contribute to the development of GBCA rating tools.
- Present at a GBCA event to build your organisation's profile.
- Influence our advocacy agenda and the green building industry.



“The services and benefits that come from GBCA membership allows us to continuously learn and develop our subject matter expertise. This sets us apart from the larger more diverse businesses and allows us develop innovative solutions. We are accredited GSAPs in a number of tools and our involvement in the Queensland GBCA State Industry Group allows us to encourage the built environment to deliver more sustainable building in Australia.”

John Moynihan

Director
Ecolateral



Professional development

Our members enjoy a packed events and education program that keeps them one step ahead. We offer a wide range of learning options, including online learning, short modules and longer workshops, covering a variety of green building topics. We host technical workshops, site tours of outstanding Green Star buildings, the annual Green Cities conference and regular networking events to ensure your team is up to date on the latest knowledge and innovations.

- Attend GBCA training courses and events at discounted member rates.
- Access preferential rates on the Continuing Professional Development program.
- Upskill your staff via in-house training.
- Apply for Green Star Faculty positions.

"Participation in the development of new tools, the State Industry Group, Assessment Panel and Faculty are just a few of the many benefits of being a GBCA Member that we enjoy."

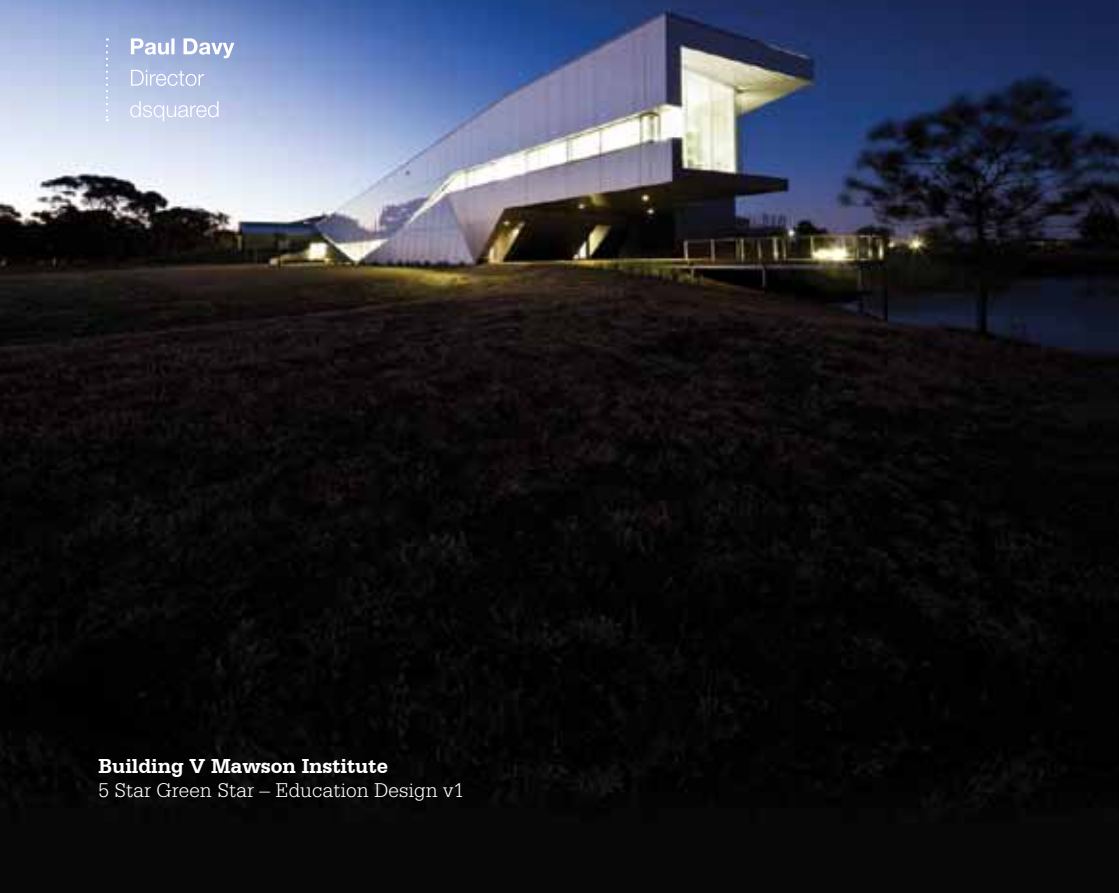
Paul Davy

Director

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Building V Mawson Institute

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Cost savings

A range of discounts help you stay informed, develop your staff and achieve Green Star project certifications for less.



view
Green Star
technical
manuals online
free of charge



save on enrolment
in our Continuing
Professional
Development
program



save up to \$5,500
per project on
Green Star project
registration fee



save up to \$250 per
person on GBCA
course registrations



receive up to 40 per
cent off on GBCA
events



access free
subscriptions and
discounts on a
range of respected
publications

A global network

As a foundation member of the World Green Building Council's global network of around 100 green building councils, we can provide our members with unique access to the global green building market.

As a member your company can:

- work with us to promote your capabilities to international markets
- gain access to international connections in GBCs around the world.



Stay up-to-date

We keep our members up-to-date on the latest green building and sustainability news through a range of GBCA communications, including:

- a monthly Green Building Voice newsletter
- a quarterly Green Star e-update
- regular education and events emails
- a constantly updated range of GBCA publications, research papers and advocacy submissions on the website.



More about us

To realise our vision for a healthy, liveable, productive, resilient and sustainable built environment, the GBCA focuses on three core activities:

Rate



We operate Australia's only national voluntary holistic rating system for sustainable buildings and communities– Green Star. Green Star rating tools help the property industry to reduce the environmental impact of buildings, improve occupant health and productivity and achieve real cost savings, while showcasing innovation in sustainable building practices.

Educate



We are a leading provider of sustainable building education. We run a number of courses and events throughout Australia to expand industry knowledge about Green Star and green building practices. Our CPD program helps property professionals to maintain their knowledge of Green Star and stay in touch with latest trends and technologies in green building and sustainable communities.

Advocate



We engage with government and industry decision-makers to promote sustainable development and support the industry's transition to greener buildings, cities and communities.

Join us

Joining is easy. Simply register your company details at gbca.org.au/membership/how-to-join and follow the prompts.

Membership fees are designed to fit your organisation type and annual turnover. For a breakdown of membership fees visit www.gbca.org.au/membership/fees-categories or contact our membership coordinator.

Contact us

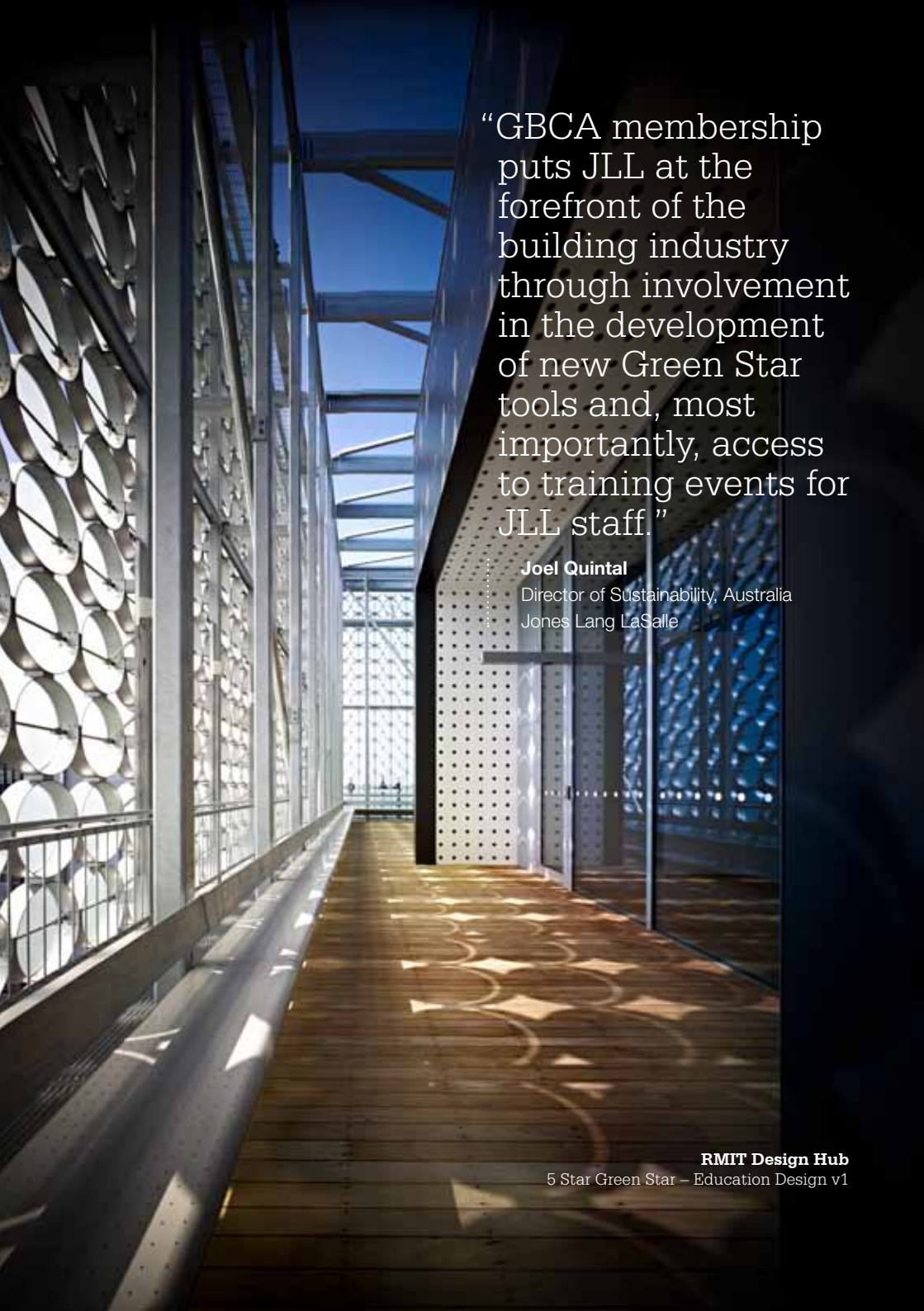
Do you have a question about membership or how to join? Speak to the GBCA membership team.

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GBCA head office, The GreenHouse
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“GBCA membership puts JLL at the forefront of the building industry through involvement in the development of new Green Star tools and, most importantly, access to training events for JLL staff.”

Joel Quintal

Director of Sustainability, Australia
Jones Lang LaSalle

RMIT Design Hub

5 Star Green Star – Education Design v1

The following members joined Green Building Council of Australia in its first year of establishment, 2002, and remain current members. We thank them for their ongoing support and commitment.

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APP Corporation
Architectus Group
ARUP Australia
Australand
Australian National University
Brookfield Multiplex
City of Melbourne
Colliers International
F. Hannan (Properties)

Grocon
HASSELL
Interface
Investa Property Group
ISIS Group Australia
Kemp Strang
Lend Lease
Mirvac
Norman Disney Young
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Places Victoria

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