

Media Release

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UDIA Recognises Development Industry Excellence

The Urban Development Institute of Australia's (UDIA) 2014 National Awards for Excellence were announced on Friday 28th March at the Brisbane Convention Centre.

The prestigious Awards Gala Dinner is where professionals from all fields of the development industry gather to recognise the highest standard of projects in Australia. This year's nominees impressed all with their exceptional developments.

"The 2014 UDIA National Awards for Excellence were a delightful way to celebrate the skill and innovation of the best developments in Australia. The nominees showcased their responses to the social and environmental challenges currently facing the urban development industry, including housing affordability, sustainability and retirement living, and I congratulate them on their work." Said Cameron Shephard, UDIA National President.

The National awards consist of nine categories, and the 2014 National Judges Stephen Holmes and Alan Zammit, were highly impressed with the nominated projects and commend the entrants on the high standard of their developments.

UDIA congratulates all of the National Award winners for 2014 and thanks the award sponsors and members for their ongoing support and for making the 2014 National Awards for Excellence a success.

The 2014 UDIA National Awards for Excellence Winners are:

Category 1 - **Masterplanned Development** - Sponsored by Amex Corporation
Winner: *Lightsview* by Lightsview Joint Venture comprising CIC Australia Ltd and Renewal SA (SA)

Category 2 - **Residential Development** - Sponsored by Altus Page Kirkland
Winner: *Harrington Grove* by Harrington Estates and the Fairfax Group (NSW)

Category 3 - **Medium Density Housing** - Sponsored by RPS
Winner: *Omni Residences Bulimba* by Plus Developments Group (QLD)

Category 4 - **High Density Housing** - Sponsored by Austral Precast
Winner: *Top Ryde City Living* by Crown Group (NSW)

Category 5 - **Urban Renewal** - Sponsored by Suncorp

Winner: *Gowings and State Theatre Buildings Restoration and Hotel Conversion* by JBA for Amalgamated Holdings Limited (NSW)

Category 6 - **Environmental Excellence** - Sponsored by Dacland

Winner: *Frasers Landing* by RPS on behalf of Frasers Property Management Australia Pty Ltd (WA)

Category 7 - **Affordable Development** - Sponsored by James Hardie

Winner: *Bower @ Bells Reach* by Stockland (QLD)

Category 8 - **Seniors Living** - Sponsored by PLACE Design Group

Winner: *Halcyon Landing* by Halcyon Management (QLD)

Category 9 - **President's Award** - Sponsored by Blacktown City Council

Winner: *Lightsview* by Lightsview Joint Venture comprising CIC Australia Ltd and Renewal SA (SA)

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