

Robyn Harding Landscape Design, Studio

Master of the Built Environment, (Urban Design), Queensland University of Technology, Australia - 1994

Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (Honours), University of Canberra, Australia - 1991

Bachelor of Arts (Music), Canberra School of Music, Australia - 1981



Robyn has a national and international academic history and design background in the fields of Landscape Architecture and Urban Design highlight a commitment to the conceptual and actual provision of high quality public realms within our urban and regional centres. The results are designs and strategic approaches that are keenly observed,

responsive and enabling, shepherding meaningful settings for everyday life as well as for exceptional event experiences. She has over 25 years, resulting in an extensive experience in the design, reinvigoration and development of public open space, town centres, education settings and heritage precincts. A qualification in music performance, as well as my

FIELDS OF EXPERIENCE

Director, Design Café, integrated boutique architecture, landscape and urban design consultancy, Brisbane 2003 - 2018

• Lecturer and Tutor, QUT and UQ, Brisbane. Various contracts spanning 1993 - 2015: landscape architecture, architecture, urban design, sustainable design - under/post graduate

• Associate Director Urban Design, Urbis, Brisbane 2009 – 2013

• Urban Design Practice Leader, Woods Bagot, Brisbane 2008

• Senior Urban Designer, Gamble McKinnon Green, Brisbane 2000 – 2008

• Senior Urban Designer, Brisbane City Council, Brisbane 1999 – 2000

• Urban Designer Landscape Architect, Urban Edge, Durban, South Africa 1998

• Urban Designer, Brisbane City Council, Brisbane 1996 – 1998

• Landscape Architect, Brisbane City Council, Brisbane 1995 – 1996

• Landscape Architect / Urban Designer, John Mongard Landscape Architects, Brisbane 1993 – 1995

Landscape Architect, Greenspace, Brisbane 1992 - 1993

Project Experience
Design Cafe
Marketing Support, Populous Architects, Asia Pacific Region

• Brisbane-Made Design Popup, Retail and Event, Brisbane

• Design Leader for the Lloyd Robson Oval Landscape Concept and Design Development, Port Moresby, PNG

• Facilitator and Design Leader at Urban Design workshop Bridge to Bridge, Ridge to River,

• Project Director for Landscape Design Guidelines, Discovery Rise, Townsville

• Design partner for the landscape master plan for Nanjing Chinese Games Sport Complex - Landscape Master Plan, China

Urbis

• Project Leader for Stanley Street Plaza Revitalisation and Activation, Southbank: An Exploration of Ideas

• Project Leader for Gold Coast Showground: Landscape Master Plan, Concept and Design Development

• Project Leader for Gold Coast Stadium Redevelopment: Landscape Master Plan and Concept Design

Design and Public Art Advisory for James Cook University – Public Art Evaluation, Academic Core

• Project leader for 'People, Places + Corridors', Sunshine Coast Corridor Placemaking Implementation Plan

• Project Leader for Sunshine Coast End of Trip Facilities Strategy for multi-modal transport

• Project/Design Leader for James Cook University – Urban Design: Gateway, Town Centre and Medical Precincts

• Project/Design Leader for James Cook University Village: Academic Core Master Plan and Sketch Design – Winner of AILA Merit Award 2007 Gamble McKinnon Green

• Project/Design Leader for the award winning Palm Beach Parklands

Award

2010 PIA Award for Planning Excellence, Planning Scholarship, Research & Teaching

Boards

• Urban Design Advisory Board, Gold Coast City Council 2009 – 2012

• Public Art Board, James Cook University, 2009 - 2011