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### 2006 Victorian Group Executive

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### Presidents Message

Happy New Year everyone and Happy 40<sup>th</sup> Birthday AILA!

2006 is planned to be a big year with the celebration of this auspicious occasion... "40 years of the AILA" and the Victorian Group hosting the 2006 National Awards at the redeveloped Members Room at the MCG, to be held on Friday 27 October. We know how to throw a good party so mark this date in your diaries NOW!

The first item on the 2006 agenda is the 'Associate Memberships'. Applications close on Monday 13 February, so please remind your friends, colleagues and business associates of the value in being an AILA member. It is important for our membership to grow to ensure we have the resources and voice to represent our profession on the National stage. Workshops will be scheduled prior to the exam to help candidates prepare. If you are interested to assist at these sessions or be one of the examination panel members, please contact Miranda, AILA Victoria Secretariat @ [miranda.grace@raia.com.au](mailto:miranda.grace@raia.com.au) or P 03 9650 1898.

Mark Frisby, AILA Vice President and I met with practices early this year to promote AILA and answer questions in regards to membership applications. Mark and/or I would be delighted to meet your team too, simply email Miranda or myself to arrange a mutually convenient time.

Late last year I met with a group of LA's in Geelong and Bendigo. I am pleased to report both regions see the benefit of forming 'Regional Sub Groups' to our Executive Committee. Both Groups are proposing to meet on a bi-monthly basis and will report back to the Executive. Further details of meeting dates will be listed in the newsletter.

I wish you all a very prosperous 2006 and look forward to meeting many of you throughout the course of the year. If you have any suggestions and/or queries, please do not hesitate to contact Miranda or myself.

**Darren Atkinson**  
AILA Victorian President



### LA Career Mentoring Program @ University of Melbourne

The 2006 LA Career Mentoring Program at the Melbourne University is hoping to recruit a few more mentors. If you are interested in becoming a mentor, please contact Liz Everist, Career Mentor Connection, Careers and Employment, University of Melbourne via E [l.everist@unimelb.edu.au](mailto:l.everist@unimelb.edu.au) P 03 8344 3377 F 03 9348 1237

### IFLA Conference - Darling Harbour, Sydney, 25 - 27 May 2006

Early bird registrations open till end of January.....

For full information, go to <http://www.aila.org.au/time/registration.htm>

### SunSmart Shade Awards

The Cancer Council Victoria recently announced the SunSmart Shade Awards for Victorian local government authorities. An opportunity exists for Landscape Architects that have delivered a project incorporating shade (built and/ or natural) for a local government authority to showcase their work by submitting an entry in partnership with that council. **Entries close on 27<sup>th</sup> January** however late entries will be considered on an individual basis by negotiation. Applicants need only complete the Entry Cover Sheet.

For further information please download the entry form: <http://www.sunsmart.com.au> or contact Mikayla Rose at The Cancer Council Victoria on P 9635 5648 or [Mikayla.Rose@cancervic.org.au](mailto:Mikayla.Rose@cancervic.org.au)

### BDP Representation

If AILA members or practices have concerns or professional issues that they feel should be raised through the BDP Victorian Regional Committee, email them to the Victorian President, Darren Atkinson at [presidentvic@aila.org.au](mailto:presidentvic@aila.org.au)

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## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### 2006 AILA Associate Membership Applications

Please note the closing date for 2006 AILA Associate Membership Applications close on Tuesday 14 February. For further information, please go to <http://www.aila.org.au/membership/corporate.htm>

### Tuesday 7 March, 4:30pm - Roads as Landscape Seminar, Flemington Racecourse

Time: 4:30 - 7:30pm (including a refreshment break)

Venue: The Event Centre, Flemington Racecourse

Chair: Darren Atkinson, AILA Victorian President

Presenters:

Professor Steffen Lehmann, Chair in Architecture, QUT and visiting Professor at the Technical University of Berlin;

Dianne Vivian, Environment Management Planner, City of Charles Sturt Gateways, Roads, Noise Barriers and Landscaping; and  
Perry Lethlean, Principal, Taylor Cullity Lethlean.

Presentation includes:

- Architecture of Bridges: collaborative process; quality of design;
- The Engineer/Architect Relationship;
- Investments in infrastructure and public space.

Steffen completed his Ph.D. in architectural history and theory at the TU Berlin, and has taught architectural design and theory at various universities over the last twelve years, including schools in London, Berlin, the Netherlands, Austria, USA and China. He is a member of the Royal Australian Institute of Architects and director of s\_Lab Space Laboratory for architectural research and design. For further info see: [www.slabb.com.au](http://www.slabb.com.au)

### Tuesday 14 February – IALD Summer Seminar, BMW edge, Federation Square

The IALD (International Association of Lighting Designers) are pleased to present a Summer Seminar, featuring Janet Lenox Moyer. Jan is an independant lighting designer who specialises in the field of landscape lighting design. A field in which she has built up a significant international reputation over several decades. For full details, go to [http://iald.org/pdfs/janet\\_invitation.pdf](http://iald.org/pdfs/janet_invitation.pdf)

### Thursday 25 to Saturday 27 May 2006 - IFLA Conference, Darling Harbour, Sydney

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### Friday 27 October 2006 - AILA National Awards, MCG Melbourne

AILA Victorian Group is pleased to announce the 2006 AILA National Awards, will be hosted by the Victorian Group, on Friday 27 October 2006. Mark it in your diary NOW!!

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