

Presents:

Tuesday 18 May 2010

Time: 5:30pm for 6:00pm start

Venue:

Hawken Auditorium
Engineering House
447 Upper Edward St
Brisbane

Cost:

Members	\$15
Non Members	\$20
Students	\$10

Please register to assist catering

Speaker:

**Adam Beck, Green Building Council Australia,
State Manager Qld/NT**

Adam is the national Project Manager for the Green Building Council's Green Star Communities project. He has over 13 years experience in environmental and social planning and for the past 8 years has focussed on developing and implementing sustainability tools for built environment projects. Prior to joining the GBCA he held senior positions with global consulting firms Arup and GHD and was a lecturer in sociology at the University of Queensland.



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Green Star and Sustainable Communities

The next conversation

As national policy emerges around the strategic planning of our major cities, guidance on the relevant issues, priorities and standards is now critical. One issue in particular that is being sought out by government and industry is a nationally consistent language around best practice sustainable communities.

In response to this, the Green Building Council of Australia, with the support of government and industry around Australia, has created a draft national framework for sustainable communities. The framework establishes five national principles to shape the evolution of communities, both new and existing ones. It addresses the issues of liveability, prosperity, environmental quality, placemaking and governance.

The framework has been developed in collaboration with government stakeholders, industry professionals, practitioners, research and academia, professional associations and other representative groups. Importantly, the framework establishes the foundations for Green Star Communities, the GBCA's newest tool helping transition Australia to a sustainable built environment future.

Adam will overview the Green Star Communities journey so far, the challenges and opportunities it presents and the GBCA's aspirations for the coming years.

<http://www.gbca.org.au/green-star/green-star-communities/>

Drinks and Networking

Please join us for a few drinks and light supper after the presentation.

The presentation will count as one hour towards your CPD.

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<http://qld.engineersaustralia.org.au/jetspeed/>



Yes, I will be attending the **Green Star Communities** session on **18 May 2010**

For catering purposes please register by 12pm on Friday 14 May

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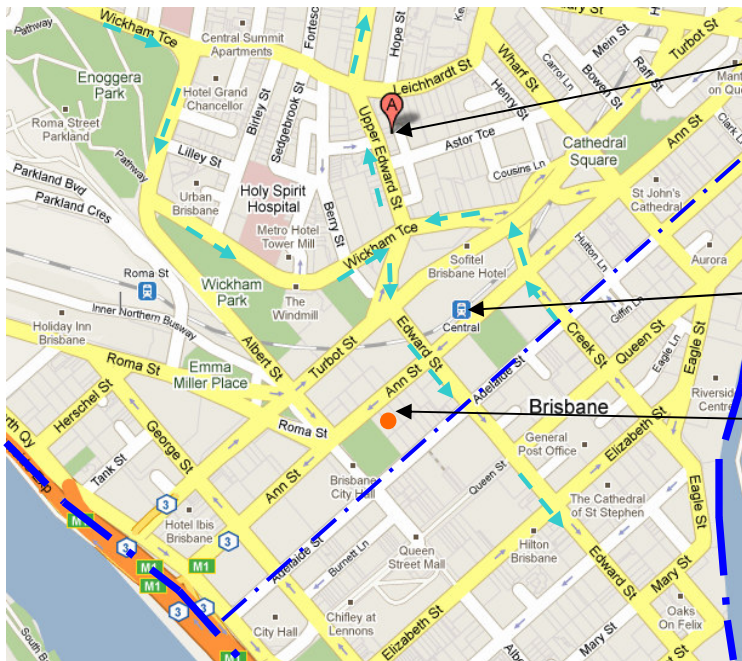
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