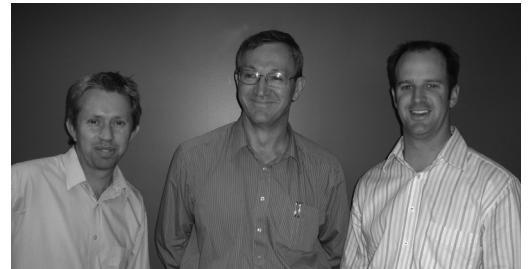


Company Profile



.... Our founders

The founders of Guymer Bailey Architects, Tim Guymer and Ralph Bailey, were both well respected architectural practitioners in Queensland when Tim invited Ralph to join him in 1989 to form the company.

Tim had been a sole practitioner and Ralph a supervising architect in the Public Works Department. Both had maintained an academic involvement lecturing at the Queensland University of Technology.

Tim had established a reputation for innovative design with a special interest in timber as a material and construction technology. Ralph similarly had established a reputation for institutional design and a special interest in landscape architecture.

Guymer Bailey Architects has been from its inception and continues today as a design based consultancy, offering an exemplary service to its clients, providing innovative design based on fundamental and timeless design principles.

.... Carrying the baton

In 2006, Paul Mathieson, Phil Jackson and Kavan Applegate, three long standing senior employees of the company, bought majority shares on the retirement of Tim and Ralph and are the current Directors of the company. Each new Director has established their own credentials as architectural practitioners and continue to lead the company, maintaining our traditional client service and design quality, whilst meeting the new challenges of modern practice in an ever changing service delivery and technological environment.

Tim Guymer is now enjoying his retirement, and Ralph is providing an ongoing consultancy role to Guymer Bailey Architects.

.... Our resources

We are a medium sized company comprising some 20 - 30 staff between our 2 offices situated in Brisbane and Melbourne.

Our professional staff ranges from seasoned registered architects and enthusiastic graduates to student architects, honouring our offices commitment to architectural education.

We encourage and support our staff to develop their professional skills and remain intellectually and technically abreast of the architectural design milieu by undertaking professional development and training programs.

Our staff are our primary resource. They are hand picked for their skills and ability to contribute to a "family oriented" design based team environment.

.... IT resources

Our CAD based design and documentation resource is ArchiCAD, set-up on a network server shared between the Brisbane and Melbourne offices, supported by web based file sharing and email. ArchiCAD is a 3D modelling design and presentation tool and 2D documentation software package.

This primary package is augmented by a suite of text editing, spreadsheet, database, photo-editing and photo rendering software packages.

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.... Quality Assurance

Our quality management procedures have third party accreditation to ISO 9001.2000.

.... Our philosophy

History shows us that what is 'avant-garde' today becomes the 'norm' tomorrow. Designers, be they us as architects or our consultant engineers, are the innovators.

We are first and foremost designers and innovators.

We believe that buildings are integral with their landscape and micro-environment. We develop landscape designs integral with all of our architectural projects based on an understanding of site topography, microclimate and plants native to the region. We carry this holistic design philosophy through to the interior design and fit-out of our buildings.

We believe in a client and design based consultancy offering an exemplary service to our clients, providing innovative design developed from fundamental and timeless design principles.

.... ESD

Integral with this philosophy is our commitment to designing for a sustainable future.

We believe in innovative and appropriate design solutions sympathetic to region, climate and topography, encompassing the use of low energy embodied materials, energy efficient energy systems and construction techniques.

We work with consultants specialising in environmentally sustainable design which allow project design teams to integrate creativity with scientific rigour. This enables architectural concept designs to be informed by scientific and technological input leading to innovative and effective design solutions.

.... Multi-disciplinary, team based design approach

Our multi-disciplinary and team based approach to design enables us to respond promptly and imaginatively to our client's particular requirements and to provide a professional architecture, interior and landscape design service.

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