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The Hong Kong Institute of Architects

Third Quarterly General Meeting 2021  
Honorary Secretary Report  
16 September 2021

**Board of Practices (BP)**

1.	Security of Payment Legislation (SOPL)	Development Bureau (DEVB) is preparing to issue a new DEVB Technical Circular (Works) to implement the spirit of Security of Payment (SOP) Legislation in all new public works contracts to be launched in Sep 2021. HKIA was invited to apply as an Adjudicator Nominating Body (ANB) for the SOP Legislation.
2.	Reviewing Minimum Entry Criteria for Consultants Lists of AACSB	A meeting on the review of minimum entry criteria for consultants list of AACSB with DEVB and Architectural Services Departments (ArchSD) was held on 22 Jul 2021. President Donald CHOI, Council members and BP members attended the meeting and reflected members' opinions to the DEVB.
3.	Webinars	Two webinars were held: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 16 Jun 2021 – Application procedures and minimum entry criteria for joining AACSB Band 1 and 2 Architectural Consultants was held on (Attendance: 55)</li><li>• 9 Jul 2021 – Implementation of the Spirit of Security of Payment Legislation (SOPL) in Public Works Contracts - Briefing Session for HKIA (Attendance: 64)</li></ul>
4.	Site Visit	Co-organised by HKICM and HKIA, a construction site visit to Main Contract Works for Proposed Primary School and Kindergarten Development at Lot 1928 in DD107, Au Tau, Yuen Long, N.T. was held on 14 Aug 2021. (Attendance: 7)
5.	BIMpro Top-up Training Programme	The 4 <sup>th</sup> round of BIM Pro Top-up Training Programme was held on 17, 24 and 31 Jul 2021. 24 members and registered practice representatives attended the training. 22 participated in the assessment and 18 passed. The passing rate is 81.8%.
6.	HKIA BIM Professional Certification	As of 16 Aug 2021, total 154 applications were received. 116 application assessments were completed. 11 were under review by the assessment panel. 4 with pending documents from applicants. The approved numbers of BIM Pros and BIM Cos were 80 and 9 respectively. Names of the approved members were uploaded on <a href="#">HKIA website</a>

**Board of Local Affairs (BLA)**

1.	Nominations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• LAI Yu Leung Johnnie was nominated to Technical Committee on the Code of Practice for Fire Safety in Buildings for a 3-year term from 1 Oct 2021.</li><li>• CHAN Chung Yi Albert was nominated as Convenor to Discussion Forum under Authorised Persons, Registered Structural Engineers and Registered Geotechnical Engineers Committee (APSEC) for a 3-year term from 1 Jul 2021.</li></ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• WONG Ka Man Carmen and CHEUNG Wing Man Vivian were nominated to Review Panel under the Land (Miscellaneous Provinces) Ordinance for a 3-year term from Apr 2022.</li><li>• LEUNG Kit Man Andy, FUNG Yin Suen Ada and Marvin CHEN were nominated in such order of priority for DEVB's consideration of appointment to the Construction Industry Council for a 2-year term from 1 Feb 2022.</li></ul>
2.	Local Affairs	<p><u>Streamlining of Statutory Approval Process</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• HKIA nominees to APSEC and LDAC Building Sub-committee have made written submission to Buildings Department to make practical suggestions for addressing approval problems faced by members. They have been following up the issues with the authorities.</li></ul> <p><u>BEAM Plus for Existing Schools</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Members of BLA and Environment and Sustainable Development Committee (E&amp;SDC) have involved in the two rounds of engagement exercise for the draft manual of BEAM Plus for Existing Schools produced by the Steering Committee for Jockey Club BEAM Plus in Schools Project of BEAM Society Limited (BSL). Arranged by HKIA representative in BSL, they also had an online sharing discussion with BSL top executives and its consultants.</li></ul> <p><u>Lantau Tomorrow Vision</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• BLA has formed a cross-committee taskforce to follow up issues related to Lantau Tomorrow Vision. Taskforce members had met top officials from CEDD Sustainable Lantau Office and Planning Department to exchange initial views regarding the "Final Consultancy Brief". They will further study and follow up various issues in this regard.</li></ul> <p><u>2021 Policy Address Consultation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Views collected from members of BLA and its committees have been compiled to serve as the draft framework of HKIA submission for the forthcoming Policy Address.</li></ul>
3.	CPD Events	<p><u>Webinar on "Hotel 1936: The Story of Revitalization of a Yeung Lau at 179 Prince Edward Road West"</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 29 Jun 2021</li><li>• Attendance: 116 participants</li><li>• It is the first of a series of webinars on conservation projects planned by Heritage and Conservation Committee (H&amp;CC)</li></ul> <p><u>Webinar Beyond Green with iBEAM – Introductory talk of BEAM Plus Automation Assessment System</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• HKIA Moderator: Thomas CHEUNG</li><li>• Date: 7 Jul 2021</li><li>• Attendance: 22 HKIA Members</li></ul>



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		<p><u>Seminar on Green Finance: Impact on Environmental and Sustainable Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: 4 Aug 2021</li> <li>• Speakers: Under Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury Joseph CHAN, representatives of the Hong Kong Green Finance Association, financial sector and building industry</li> <li>• Attendance: 59 participants</li> </ul>
4.	Joint Events	<p><u>HKIA- Antiquities and Monuments Office (AMO) joint Public Lecture Series: “NOT Fixed to the Styles — Exploring Architectural Styles of Built Heritage in Hong Kong” (《吾肯定格 — 探尋香港建築遺產的建築風格》)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H&amp;CC members have involved from the planning stage, including proposing topics, identifying expert architect speakers and moderators, and liaising with the AMO.</li> <li>• Series: free public lectures from 17 Jul 2021, every Saturday at the Hong Kong Heritage Discovery Centre. <a href="#">Event website</a></li> </ul> <p><u>Radio Programme Series on Architectural Conservation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H&amp;CC collaborates with RTHK Radio 5 for a series of Cantonese radio programme 《學在其中》 on architectural conservation.</li> <li>• Series: Broadcasting of the 13 episodes from 12 Aug 2021, every Thursday</li> <li>• <a href="#">Programme archive</a></li> </ul> <p><u>Design Competition on Green Link in Wong Chuk Hang</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-organisers: Invigorating Island South Office (IISO) of DEVB, ArchSD, and HKIA</li> <li>• Entry submission: 10 Sep – 20 Nov 2021</li> </ul> <p><u>Design Competition for Transformation of Sensory Garden at Kwun Tong Promenade</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-organisers: Energizing Kowloon East Office (EKEO) of DEVB, ArchSD and HKIA</li> <li>• Registration: tentatively scheduled to start in Dec 2021</li> </ul>

Board of Educational Affairs (BEaA)

1.	Nominations to external advisory bodies	<p><u>Water Suppliers Department CPD Course Panel</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CPDC Chair Edward WONG appointed</li> <li>• Term of office: 17 Aug 2021 – 16 Aug 2023</li> </ul>
2.	Continuing Professional Development (CPD)	<p><u>CPD Declaration Form 2021</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline: 30 Sep 2021</li> </ul> <p><u>CPD Research Fund 2021</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The submission of CPD Research Fund 2021 was closed on 30 Jun 2021 and one application was received</li> <li>• CPD Research Fund Vetting Panel confirmed to grant the Research Fund to SIU Kwan Yeung for the topic on “Quarantine Tourism: Urban Buffer Zone for COVID Tourism”.</li> </ul>



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		<p><u>Highlight of CPD Events</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 9 Jun 2021 – CPD Seminar on “New Trends in Sustainable Design: from Building-oriented to Human-oriented Design 02 - Biophilia, Biophilic Design and Wellness for Whom?” by Stephen LAU (Attendance: 48)</li><li>• 16 Jun 2021 – “ICAC Series: Integrity Capacity Building Workshop – Corruption Prevention in Contract Letting” by Carrie YU (Attendance: 35)</li><li>• 10 Jul 2021 – Joint HKIA-HKICM Site Visit for “Innovative Construction Method of Bathroom with Modular Integrated Construction (MiC)” by Gary HUI (Attendance: 19)</li><li>• 14 Jul 2021 – “CPD Research Fund Awardees Sharing 3rd Session – Hong Kong Signboards” by Ken FUNG and Kevin MAK (Attendance: 55)</li><li>• 3 Aug 2021 – “CPD Sharing on HKIA Annual Awards 2019-2020 2nd Session - Restoration of Duddell Street Steps and Gas Lamps” by Susanna SIU and LIU Yip-kan Alex (Attendance: 89)</li><li>• 6 Aug 2021 – “CPD Research Fund Awardees Sharing 4<sup>th</sup> Session – Coastal Marine Community Developments” by HO Chi Wing Henry (Attendance: 52)</li><li>• 10 Aug 2021 – “CPD Sharing on HKIA Annual Awards 2019-2020 3<sup>rd</sup> Session – Shenzhen Longhua Book City” by Frankie LUI and Justin LAW (Attendance: 111)</li><li>• 11 Aug 2021 – “CPD Research Fund Awardees Sharing 5<sup>th</sup> Session – Hong Kong Theatre Design Development” by Zachary WONG (Attendance: 110)</li></ul>
3.	Education Development & Accreditation (EDAC)	<p><u>Canberra Accord General Meeting</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Architects Registration Board (ARB) Chairman Benny CHAN, ARB Education &amp; Accreditation Committee Chair SO Ching, BEdA Chair Sunnie LAU and BEdA Deputy Chair Rosman WAI attended the Canberra Accord General Meeting on 24-25 Jun 2021 online.</li><li>• Current HKIA and ARB’s handling of applications for HKIA Membership and Registered Architects from architectural graduates of Canberra Accord signatories was presented.</li><li>• HKIA and ARB are discussing the way forward on the implementation of Canberra Accord.</li></ul> <p><u>Canberra Accord Chair</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• BEdA Deputy Chair Rosman WAI was nominated to be the Canberra Accord Chair for the term 2021-2023.</li></ul> <p><u>Advisory Visit to The University of Hong Kong for Validation of New 3-year Master of Architecture (Design) Programme</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 28-29 Sep 2021</li><li>• Members:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Marvin CHEN, HKIA Past President (Visiting Board Chair)</li><li>- Edward SHEN, HKIA Past President</li><li>- SO Ching, ARB Education &amp; Accreditation Committee Chair</li><li>- Simon CHAN, Past ARB Member</li></ul></li></ul>



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		<p><u>New Certified Accreditors</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 members completed training as observers in formal accreditation visits and elected as accreditors.</li> <li>• Certificate presentation arranged at this General Meeting.</li> </ul> <p><u>Possible Bilateral Recognition of Academic Qualifications</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HKIA and ARB Taskforce is discussing with Architects Registration Board of UK and Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) on possible bilateral recognition of academic qualifications.</li> </ul>																				
4.	Professional Assessment (PA)	<p><u>PA 2021 – Papers 3, 4, 5 (July)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Result announcement was made on 16 Aug 2021.</li> </ul> <table border="1" data-bbox="592 707 1449 884"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Passing Rate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Paper 3 – Building Structures</td> <td>69.35%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 4 – Building Services and Environmental Controls</td> <td>50.36%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 5 – Building Materials and Technology</td> <td>69.79%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>No candidate passed 8 written papers in this attempt.</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Professional Interview</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: 18 Sep 2021</li> <li>• Venue: Paul Y. Centre, Kwun Tong</li> <li>• Registration: 30 candidates</li> </ul> <p><u>PA 2021 – Papers 1, 2, 6, 7, 8 (Nov)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: 15-18 Nov 2021</li> <li>• Venue: Kowloon Bay International Trade and Exhibition Centre</li> </ul> <table border="1" data-bbox="592 1234 1414 1543"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subjects</th> <th>Registration</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Paper 1 - Statutory Controls in Building Works</td> <td>412</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 2 - Building Contracts, Professional Practice, Professional Conduct, Conditions of Agreement &amp; Scale of Charges</td> <td>337</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 6 – Site Design</td> <td>256</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 7 - Building Design</td> <td>308</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paper 8 - Case Study</td> <td>238</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><u>PA 2021 – Papers 1, 2, 6, 7 and 8 Lecture &amp; Seminar Series</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15 lectures were arranged in Apr-Oct 2021. Due to the COVID outbreak, all the lectures were conducted via Zoom.</li> </ul> <p><u>Non-Local Architectural Professionals Admission (NLAPA) 2021</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline: 31 Dec 2020</li> <li>• 4 applications received</li> <li>• 1 application was rejected due to insufficient recognised local professional experience in an architectural practice for NLAPA.</li> </ul>	Subject	Passing Rate	Paper 3 – Building Structures	69.35%	Paper 4 – Building Services and Environmental Controls	50.36%	Paper 5 – Building Materials and Technology	69.79%	Subjects	Registration	Paper 1 - Statutory Controls in Building Works	412	Paper 2 - Building Contracts, Professional Practice, Professional Conduct, Conditions of Agreement & Scale of Charges	337	Paper 6 – Site Design	256	Paper 7 - Building Design	308	Paper 8 - Case Study	238
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5.	HKIA Student Medal 2021	<p><u>The following nominations were endorsed:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chu Hai College of Higher Education: LUI Yuen Wai Frederick</li><li>• The Chinese University of Hong Kong: CHUNG Ho Yin Otto</li><li>• The University of Hong Kong: Jay Holder JORDAN</li></ul>
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Board of Mainland Affairs (BMA)

1.	Greater Bay Area Development	<p><u>HKTDC: Belt and Road Forum</u> 香港貿易發展局：一帶一路高峰論壇</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 1-2 Sep 2021</li><li>• Venue: Hong Kong Conference and Exhibition Centre</li><li>• 10 HKIA representatives from Council, BMA, and Belt &amp; Road and Bay Area Committee</li><li>• <a href="#">Event Details</a></li></ul> <p><u>HKTDC: Belt and Road Global Forum Annual Roundtable</u> 香港貿易發展局：一帶一路高峰論壇圓桌會議</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 3 Sep 2021</li><li>• Venue: Hong Kong Conference and Exhibition Centre</li><li>• Theme: Driving Connectivity and Growth through the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership and Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area</li><li>• Format: Hybrid</li><li>• HKIA representative: President Donald CHOI</li></ul> <p><u>Wenweipo Interview on Greater Bay Area Development</u> 文匯報財經版-大灣區發展專題訪問</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Issue Date: 2 Aug 2021</li><li>• HKIA representatives: President Donald CHOI, Past President Marvin CHEN, Immediate Past President Felix LI</li><li>• <a href="#">News Clipping</a></li></ul>
2.	Qianhai Development	<p><u>前海項目介紹及招標流程講解座談會</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organisers: DEVB and Qianhai Management Authority</li><li>• Date: 25 Aug 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• Attendance: 22 Members</li></ul>
3.	CPD Programme	<p><u>SZRAA CPD Course</u> 深圳市註冊建築師協會：第二期繼續教育課程</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 1-11 Jul 2021</li><li>• Format: Online learning</li><li>• <a href="#">Programme Details</a></li></ul>
4.	Member Activity	<p><u>Visit to Explore Raffles City The Bund</u> 北外灘來福士項目參觀考察活動</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 5 Jun 2021</li><li>• Theme: Explore Raffles City The Bund</li><li>• Attendance: 16 Members</li></ul>



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## Board of External Affairs (BExA)

1.	Architects Regional Council of Asia (ARCASIA)	<p><b><u>Nomination of ARCASIA Committee Representative and Alternate</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Term of office: Jun 2021 – 31 Dec 2021</li> </ul> <table border="1" data-bbox="587 398 1449 981"> <thead> <tr> <th>#</th> <th>Committee/ Fellowship</th> <th>HKIA Representatives</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Committee of Architecture Education (ACAE)</td> <td>LAU Sing Yeung Sunnie [Alternate: WAI Chui Chi Rosman]</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>Committee on Professional Practice (ACPP)</td> <td>CHAN Chuen Chi Simon [Alternate: HO Kin Wai Stephen]</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>Committee on Social Responsibility (ACSR)</td> <td>BEH Kiang Hioke [Alternate: CHOI Kam Lung Franky]</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>Committee on Green &amp; Sustainable Architecture (ACGSA)</td> <td>CHEUNG Suet Fai [Alternate: CHAN Suk Fun]</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>Committee on Young Architects (ACYA)</td> <td>KUNG Yick Ho Alvin [Alternate: FOK Lik Kan Duncan]</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>Fellowship</td> <td>Edward SHEN</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b><u>ARCASIA Students Architectural Design Competition 2021</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission received from Hong Kong region: 6 projects</li> <li>• HKIA pre-selection jury meeting: 13 Aug 2021</li> <li>• HKIA shortlisted projects:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Public Space Delivery by CHAN Chung Wing</li> <li>2. Back Alley and Vacant Pocket Space as a new home for a well-connected community by CHICK Kar Yi Priscilla</li> <li>3. The Revitalization Strip by IP Ho Nam, Peter and LAM Hin Mong</li> </ol> </li> </ul> <p>Honourable Mention: Tree of Mong Kok Life by MA Po Lun, HOON Ling Yin, Jacky, KOWK Cynthia Summer, LIANG Qiongdan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Award details</a></li> </ul> <p><b><u>ARCASIA Thesis of the Year Award 2021</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission received from Hong Kong region: 11 projects</li> <li>• HKIA pre-selection jury meeting: 19 Aug 2021</li> <li>• HKIA shortlisted projects:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Alternative Reclamation: The Vertical Floating City by LIU Tsz Yeung, Tom</li> <li>2. Mall City (City Mall): Parasitic infrastructure as community incubator by HONG Ching Wah Don</li> <li>3. 2061   Pabulum Odyssey by LAU Ho Chuen</li> </ol> </li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Award details</a></li> </ul> <p><b><u>ARCASIA Ar. Barry Will Award 2021</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Award TF HKIA members: CHOI Kam Lung Franky, KWAN Kwok Lok Joseph, TANG Wai Man Tony, Ewen Fegan WILL, WONG Kin Ming Robert, WONG Ying Fai</li> <li>• HKIA Jurors: President Donald CHOI, Award TF HKIA members</li> <li>• Jury meeting: Sep 2021</li> <li>• <a href="#">Award details</a></li> </ul>	#	Committee/ Fellowship	HKIA Representatives	1	Committee of Architecture Education (ACAE)	LAU Sing Yeung Sunnie [Alternate: WAI Chui Chi Rosman]	2	Committee on Professional Practice (ACPP)	CHAN Chuen Chi Simon [Alternate: HO Kin Wai Stephen]	3	Committee on Social Responsibility (ACSR)	BEH Kiang Hioke [Alternate: CHOI Kam Lung Franky]	4	Committee on Green & Sustainable Architecture (ACGSA)	CHEUNG Suet Fai [Alternate: CHAN Suk Fun]	5	Committee on Young Architects (ACYA)	KUNG Yick Ho Alvin [Alternate: FOK Lik Kan Duncan]	6	Fellowship	Edward SHEN
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		<p><u>ARCASIA Cross-Committee Dialogue Series Session 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 24 Jul 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• Topic: Minding our Heritage: How to Approach Conservation and Adaptive Reuse of Asia's Built Heritage</li><li>• HKIA Speaker: CHEUNG Kong Yeung Thomas</li><li>• <a href="#">Webinar review</a></li></ul> <p><u>ARCASIA Cross-Committee Dialogue Series Session 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 4 Sep 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• Topic: Embracing Digitalisation: How Architects Can Leverage New Technologies for Our Future</li><li>• HKIA Speakers: LAU Sing Yeung Sunnie, WONG Shou Fat Tony</li></ul>
2.	Union of International Architects (UIA)	<p><u>Nomination of Potential Jurors for UIA 2030 Award</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Award details to be announced by UIA in due course</li><li>• HKIA nominated potential jurors: HO Kin Wai Stephen, CHAN Cho Sing Joel, Ruffina Sharmila THILAKARATNE</li></ul> <p><u>UIA WP Membership and Directorship 2021-2023 Call for EOI</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• HKIA EOI deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> batch: 20 Aug 2021, 2<sup>nd</sup> batch: 10 Sep 2021</li><li>• <a href="#">Call for EOI details</a></li></ul> <p><u>UIA Rio Congress and Virtual Exhibition</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attendance: 88,000 attendees from 188 countries</li><li>• <a href="#">HKIA Booth in Virtual Exhibition</a> / <a href="#">HKIA Exhibition Video</a></li></ul> <p><u>UIA General Assembly and Election</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 18-30 Jul 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• General Assembly HKIA Attendees: President Donald CHOI, BExA Chair Billy CHAN, HKIA UIA Committee Chair Lawrence LEUNG</li><li>• HKIA representative to cast vote in election: BExA Chair Billy CHAN</li><li>• <a href="#">Newly elected Bureau and Council Members 2021-2023</a></li></ul> <p><u>UIA WP AfA Inclusive Design Guidelines</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Theme: Responding to Natural Disasters &amp; Emergencies: Proposed Inclusive Design Guidelines for Architecture and Urban Planning</li><li>• HKIA contributed member: KWAN Kwok Lok Joseph, WONG Shou Fat Tony and ArchSD</li><li>• <a href="#">Full version of Guideline</a></li></ul> <p><u>UIA RI International Symbol of Access (ISA) Design Competition</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Competition brief in discussion by UIA and RI</li><li>• WG HKIA members: KWAN Kwok Lok Joseph, HKIA UIA Committee Chair Lawrence LEUNG, HKIA UIA Committee Deputy Chair Glory WANG</li><li>• Competition launch: Nov 2021 (tentative)</li></ul>





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		<p><u>Architects Association of Macau (AAM) Seminar</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organiser: AAM, Social Welfare Bureau of Macao SAR Government, Macau Construction Association and Macau University of Science and Technology</li><li>• Date: 4 Sep 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• Topic: 無障礙建築設計研討會 Barrier Free Design</li><li>• HKIA Speaker: AfA RIV Director KWAN Kwok Lok Joseph</li></ul>
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Board of Internal Affairs (BIA)

1.	HKIA/ARB New Members Certificate Presentation Ceremony 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 7 Aug 2021</li><li>• Attendance: 70 new members and their guests</li><li>• HKIA President Donald CHOI and ARB Chairman Benny CHAN gave a warm welcome to all new members.</li><li>• Hon Treasurer Corrin CHAN and Young Architect Award 2019 recipient Arnold WONG shared their architect path.</li></ul>
2.	HKIA Journal issue 77 – Re-use – Symposium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 3 Jul 2021</li><li>• Format: Online</li><li>• 12 panellists shared their views on adaptive reuse, heritage conservation and redesign emerging in Hong Kong.</li><li>• The Symposium will be transcribed into an article to be published in the Journal issue 77, which scheduled for release in Dec 2021.</li><li>• HKIA members are invited to indicate their wish to receive the HKIA Journal issue 77 in either electronic for print format by returning their completed notice on Means of Receipt of Corporate Communications which was mailed to all HKIA members in Jul 2021. <a href="#">Notice on HKIA Website</a></li></ul>

Special Projects

1.	Cross-Strait Architectural Design Symposium and Awards 2019	The Roving Exhibitions in Guangzhou or Shenzhen were scheduled for the 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter of 2021. The roving exhibition in Malaysia would change to a virtual exhibition.
2.	Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism\ Architecture (Hong Kong)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The production of UABBHK2019 archive book was in progress, expected to be published in 4th quarter of 2021.</li><li>• UABB2022 is tentatively planned to be held in late Mar or early Apr 2022, as informed by the Shenzhen Biennale of Urbanism\ Architecture Organising Committee.</li><li>• Online conference with HKIA Biennale Foundation and the Shenzhen organiser will be arranged.</li><li>• Preparation for application for CreateSmart Initiative (CSI) funding is under progress.</li></ul>



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3.	The 17th Venice Biennale International Architectural Exhibition and Hong Kong Response Exhibition (VB2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• City Gallery Response Exhibition was tentatively scheduled from 19 Oct - 15 Dec 2021. Curatorial Team would propose the exhibition design layout, opening ceremony, symposium, virtual exhibition, workshop and a full-scale publicity plan for the whole City Gallery Exhibition.</li><li>• The project's variation request would be prepared for CSI's approval regarding the updates of the City Gallery Exhibition and the proposed budget reallocation.</li><li>• Webinar 8 themed "Journey to Design 1" was held on 1 Jun 2021 with 48 participants. The webinar invited VB2021 exhibitors Kharlie TANG of ALKF together with Paulina NEISCH and Louie SIEH of City University of Hong Kong, as speakers. Curator of VB2021 Ka Sing YU was the moderator.</li><li>• Webinar 9 themed "New Portraits of Hong Kong" was held on 28 Jul 2021 with selected exhibitor representatives as speakers and Ka Sing YU as moderator. A total of 35 participants attended.</li><li>• Invitation letters to potential sponsors were sent in mid-Aug for further solicitation of cash sponsorship.</li></ul>
5.	HKIA Architecture Exhibitions in Beijing, Hangzhou and New York	<p><u>Beijing and Hangzhou</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tentatively planned to be held in late Jun/Jul 2022 (Beijing) and late Jul/Aug 2022 (Hangzhou)</li><li>• Application for CSI funding is in preparation</li></ul> <p><u>New York</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tentatively planned to be held in Oct 2022</li><li>• Application for NYETO funding is in preparation</li></ul>
6.	Taskforce on Healthy City Initiative	<p><u>HKIA X CHEP Webinar Series</u> <u>Multi-disciplinary "Healthy City Initiatives" Webinar Series #6</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 24 Jun 2021</li><li>• Theme: Design for a Healthy City - Post-Covid Housing Design</li><li>• Subtopic:<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Improving Hong Kong: One Home at a Time by HKU Associate Professor and Director of the Urban Ecologies Design Lab Juan DU</li><li>2. Healthier and Smarter – Post-COVID Housing Design by HK Housing Authority Assistant Director (Project) Vera Sze Man CHOI</li></ol></li><li>• Moderator: HKIA Vice President Helen LEUNG</li><li>• Panellist: HKIA President Donald CHOI, Community Living Room Amy CHEUNG</li><li>• Attendance: 162</li><li>• <a href="#">Recap of Webinar</a></li></ul>



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		<p><u>HKIA X CHEP Webinar Series</u> <u>Multi-disciplinary “Healthy City Initiatives” Webinar Series #7</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Date: 26 Aug 2021</li><li>• Theme: Good Practices &amp; Regulations for Healthy City</li><li>• Subtopic:<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Approach to Healthy Residences by HKIS Vice Chairman of Building Surveying Division CHEUNG Man To, Arthur</li><li>2. Enhanced Design Standards of Drainage System by Buildings Department Chief Building Surveyor of New Territories West HUNG Ling Chi, Anthony</li></ol></li><li>• Moderator: HKIA Past President Marvin CHEN</li><li>• Panellist: HKIA Past President Ada FUNG, Assistant Director of Wong Tung &amp; Partners Joanna WONG</li><li>• Attendance: 220</li><li>• Recap of Webinar</li></ul>
7.	Communication Taskforce	<p><u>Enhancement of Members’ Area of <a href="http://www.hkia.net">www.hkia.net</a></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Institute is applying for funding support of the Technology Voucher Programme of the HKSARG for enhancement of Members’ Area</li><li>• While the application is being processed, layout design is carried out</li><li>• The project aims to provide a one-stop service platform for all HKIA members to enjoy multiple services, covering annual membership renewal and subscription, CPD declaration, change of personal particulars, registration to CPD events, viewing Institute’s circulars and announcements, information sharing etc.</li></ul>

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