

Branch and Professional Stream Reports

LAND DEVELOPMENT & URBAN DESIGN STREAM

Chair - Julia Glass

Land Development and Urban Design Stream Committee has continued to grow in numbers and now has the following members:

- Julia Glass (Stream Chair & Council Representative)
- Phil Cogswell
- Brett Gawn
- Paul Turner
- Dick Hudson
- Russell Benge
- David Gibson
- Mark Williams
- Crystal Filep
- Colin McElwain

This year's Survey and Spatial New Zealand Conference was held in Auckland with a theme of 'Shaping Tomorrows Communities'. It was excellent to have a strong Land Development and Urban Design theme with a common emphasis throughout many of the presentations that 'it's all about the people'. This was great professional development opportunity for LDUD stream members with an entire day focused on Urban Design.

Throughout the year the committee has also been involved in the following:

- Seeking replacement Examiners for the Planning, Design and Resource Management Examiner and Land Development Engineering Examiner roles on the Examinations Panel
- The review of the content of the Quality Planning Website
- Contributions to the Surveying + Spatial magazine
- Participation on the National Organising Committee for the Auckland Conference and arrangement of guest speakers

For the upcoming year the committee is working on engaging with stream members to inform the focus of the Stream Business Plan.

