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Tasmanian Architecture Awards Exhibition opens in Hobart

Tasmanians are invited to check out the state's latest architecture at the 2015 Tasmanian Architecture Awards exhibition.

The annual Awards program recognises the finest accomplishments of Tasmanian architects, with projects ranging from innovative residential buildings through to high-profile tourism amenities.

The exhibition officially opens at 6pm Tuesday 23 June. The public can vote for their favourite new architecture in the People's Choice Prize, at the exhibition or online at <http://wp.architecture.com.au/tasawards/>.

The President of the Tasmanian Chapter of the Australian Institute of Architects, Brad Wheeler, says the quality of entries in recent years has been outstanding and this year is no exception.

Tasmania has produced numerous nationally recognised projects in recent years, which are now regarded as iconic buildings and public spaces, Mr Wheeler said. Our colleagues around the country concur that Tassie punches above its weight in the field of architecture, and that our architects make an important contribution to the state's culture and our tourism resurgence.

Major public buildings in contention include Cumulus Studios, Pumphouse Point at Lake St Clair, Circa Morris-Nunn, Brooke Street Pier, Morrison & Breytenbach, Moonah Arts Centre and Core Collective, Press Hall inside the old Mercury building.

The entries are on display in the boarding concourse of the Brooke Street Pier until 7 July.

A full list of entries can be found below and at <http://wp.architecture.com.au/tasawards/>.

Everyone who votes in the People's Choice Prize will go into the draw for a **Zip HydroTap Sparkling, valued at \$4,345.00 plus standard installation costs (conditions apply), which provides sparkling, boiling and chilled filtered water instantly, along with a 50 litre Dulux paint gift voucher and colour consultation.**



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The architecture firm that designed the winning project will win an **Artemide Tolomeo tablelamp valued at \$500**, donated by **Southern Lighting and Distribution**.

Tasmanians have until Wednesday 24 June to cast their vote. The winner will be announced at the Awards presentation dinner on Saturday 27 June at The Apple Shed in the Huon Valley.

Category	Entry Name	Architectural Practice
Commercial Architecture	Press Hall	Core Collective
Commercial Architecture	Pumphouse Point	Cumulus Studio
Commercial Architecture	Tassal Office	Preston Lane Architects
Commercial Architecture	Francesca	Stuart Tanner Architects
Public Architecture	Brooke St Pier	Circa Morris-Nunn
Public Architecture	Moonah Arts Centre	Morrison & Breytenbach Architects
Urban Design	Cascades Female Factory	Birrelli Art + Design + Architecture
Urban Design	Brooke St Pier	Circa Morris-Nunn
Small Project Architecture	Sentinel Lookout	Stuart Tanner Architect + Tangent Structures Pty Ltd
Small Project Architecture	New Town Road House	Core Collective
Small Project Architecture	#thebarnTAS	workbylizandalex
Residential Architecture . Houses	Lane House	Gear Architects
Residential Architecture . Houses	Villa Blanca	S. Group
Residential Architecture . Houses	Valley House	Philip M Dingemans
Residential Architecture . Houses	Lagoon House	Taylor and Hinds Architects
Residential Architecture . Houses	Forster Street	Matt Williams Architects
Residential Architecture . Houses	The Bulldog House	S. Group
Residential Architecture . Alterations and Additions	Bishopscourt Apartment	Circa Morris-Nunn
Residential Architecture . Alterations and Additions	Winscombe Extension	Preston Lane Architects
Residential Architecture	Art and Craft House	1+2 Architecture



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Heritage	Weld Street Alterations	Preston Lane Architects
Heritage	Art and Craft House	1+2 Architecture
Interior Architecture	Hobart College Science and Maths Learning Area	JAWSARCHITECTS
Education	Ptunarra Child and Family Centre	Morrison & Breytenbach Architects

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