

# Our Houses, Melbourne

Thursday, 20 February 2025

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

Participants who attend Our Houses, Melbourne, on 20 February 2025 will be able to:

- Describe the approach of two different practices working in two distinct contexts.

AACA Competencies (2021 NSCA): Project Initiation and Conceptual Design; PC19, PC20.

- Speculate on possible futures of design for residential projects.

AACA Competency (2021 NSCA): Project Initiation and Conceptual Design; PC30.

- Analyse different design options that provide diverse and adaptable spaces in a home.

AACA Competency (2021 NSCA): Project Initiation and Conceptual Design; PC24.

- Identify ways in which challenging sites/briefs can lead to innovative and unique solutions in housing.

AACA Competencies (2021 NSCA): Project Initiation and Conceptual Design; PC26, PC29.

## FORMAL ASSESSMENT

- Compare how the two projects balanced building characteristics from the 1970s with new contemporary design additions.
- Describe how the revival and rehabilitation of existing residential buildings can be one approach to sustainable design.
- What were some of the challenges faced by the presenting architects and their clients, and how were they addressed?
- List three new design solutions, learnt through the presentations, that you will consider and develop in your future work.
- Identify a specific strategy for client collaboration that you have learnt from the presentations.

NOTE: Attendance certificates will be issued via email in the days preceding the event. Please print a copy to be validated at the conclusion of the event on Thursday 20 February.

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CPD Points