



Mark Doonar

There's no great projects, just great clients.

I can help you shift and shape your thinking, your positioning, prioritise your actions, and also plan, develop and deliver your access, goods, services, people, and environments.

After 35+ years of diverse work I want to collaborate, and work with great people on interesting projects.

I can help you with my extensive expertise in:

- Strategic action and effective policy
- Stakeholder engagement and independent facilitation
- Master planning and urban design
- Statutory planning and development approvals
- Project management and delivery

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I am an accomplished **public speaker** and have taught **undergraduate** and **post-graduate** planning, design, transport, and urban development courses, and I'm known as a **leader** and professional strategist who:

- Proactively engages **stakeholders**
- Uses **quality people** with relevant skills and disciplines
- Brokers the planning, design and delivery of projects to responsibly present **private and public sector interests** and
- Harnesses the **economic drivers** of projects.

I've worked for:

- **My own** consultancies
- Local **Councils**, **State Government** Departments, and **Commonwealth** agencies
- National **infrastructure and property specialists**
- A national **design and planning** firm (as a national director) and
- A major **independent, influential**, volunteer city association.

I have received **state and national planning and design awards** for projects and initiatives where I have lead teams and had a major hand in delivering outcomes across:

- New greenfield **residential** suburbs
- International **airport** property master planning
- Coal **mine recycling** for urban development
- New major **employment and Industrial** planning
- Expansion and revitalisation of **traditional Australian towns**
- **New urban centres**
- **University campus** redevelopments
- Design and planning **workshops and charrettes**
- Urban precinct **redevelopment**
- Professional **media** products

I'm also currently active with a number of **for-purpose organisations**:

- Board of Management, [Q Shelter](#)
- Member, the [Future Housing Task Force](#)
- Member, Sunshine Coast Council **Urban Design Advisory Panel**
- MaD (Markets and Design), collaboration with [Matusik Property Insights](#)
- Life Member and Management Committee, [Brisbane Development Association](#)
- Life Member and Woodchop Steward, RNA, the [Brisbane Showgrounds](#)

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CURRENTLY:

[APP Corporation](#) –
Project Director

QUALIFICATIONS

- B App Sc – Blt Env (QIT)
- Grad Dip U& RP (QIT)
- Cert Town Planner (Qld)
- International Association of Public Participation (IAP2) Accredited

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- MPIA & CCPPIA, Planning Institute of Australia
- (Former) Northern Territory Government's Planning Minister's Urban Design Advisory Panel (founding member)
- Qld Government's Urban Land Development Authority's Urban Design Review Panellist and Chair
- Sunshine Coast Council Urban Design Advisory Panel (founding member)
- Former Executive Director, Past President and Life Member, Brisbane Development Association

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