

ISCES + CC

International Scientific Committee on Energy, Sustainability and Climate Change

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The International Scientific Committee on Energy, Sustainability + Climate Change (ISCES+CC) congratulates Jenny on her recent success on getting elected to the NSW State Industry Panel of the Green Building Council of Australia.

The importance of this type of representation and cross fertilisation of information is crucial in gaining acceptance of the intrinsic link between the built heritage, sustainability and climate change. The more we, as heritage professionals can promote this link we may start to get more recognition and acceptance of the need to properly understand the subject, achieve a high level of required research and in time get the sector funded in a better way.

The fact that Jenny was promoted for this position jointly by ICOMOS Australia and the City of Sydney is also important and hopefully will bring this understanding into the thought process and policies of the City of Sydney.

The Green Building Council internationally is an important body and I personally have met with the GBC in Ireland, the UK and in the United States to promote a better synergy between ISCES+CC, our NSCESs (Australia, UK, Ireland and now in Canada) with the excellent work of the Green Building Council.

I look forward to hearing great things of this exciting relationship and if the ISCES+CC can assist in any way we certainly will.

I would also like to suggest to Australia NSCES to develop partnerships or greater participation with other such bodies and more City authorities.

Congratulations again to Jenny and all the members of the NSCES in Australia – you are an exemplar in our goal to promoting a better understanding of Energy, Sustainability and our International Built Heritage.

Peter Cox

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