



QLD CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

Photo: The Princess Theatre main auditorium

Brief History of this Grand Old Princess

Built in 1889 as a theatre. Became the Boggo Road Theatre in 1892. Was a roller-skating venue at the turn of 1900's and then was renamed the Princess Theatre in 1912. Was used as a venue for local drama groups in the 1930's and a dance venue inn the 1940's during WW2 when visiting US servicemen were in town. Became a movie theatre in the 1950's and a furniture shop during the 1970's. It was the centre of protest at the turn of the last century when attempts were made to knock her down. She was converted into a church and after 16 years was finally renovated into the fine Venue she is now.

<https://theprincesstheatre.com.au/about>

The Illuminating Engineering Society of Australia and New Zealand is an organization with Chapters in the five mainland States of Australia and New Zealand. The Society operates under the name: IES: The Lighting Society.

The aim of the Society is the advancement of the art and science of illumination and the dissemination of knowledge to all interested parties. The Society's diversified membership includes engineers, architects, educators, students, contractors, manufacturers and designers.

Arcus

Arcus is the official newsletter of the QLD Chapter of the Illuminating Engineering Society of Australia and New Zealand.

Memberships

There are two types of membership available; individual and corporate (or company).

For further information on membership contact Queensland Chapter at the below address or visit the ies website.

QLD Chapter Management Committee

President / Secretary: Andrew Chase

Vice President/ Lighting Design Awards: Steve Hare

Lighting Technology Awards: Richard Ralph & Lee Wegner

Annual Dinner: Felicity Kammholz & Andrew Chase

Treasurer: Michael Davies

Student Liaison / Membership: Gillian Isoardi

Arcus: Scott McCarthy

Lighting Innovation Awards: Peter Parnell

Education / Courses: Mark Devin

Technical Meetings: Ricky Coombs & Richard Ralph

Board Representative: Trent Dutton

Advocacy: Paul Doig

Advertising

To advertise into Arcus please contact the QLD Chapter Secretary at the email address provided on this page.

Pricing for advertising is \$20 for members and \$50 for non-members.

Member Page

IES Qld Chapter members are welcome to submit information on employment changes – including new positions, promotions, and 'available for hire', for inclusion in Arcus. Members wishing to be included are requested to send a photo and a short blurb (20 – 30 words) for inclusion in the newsletter, to the editor, **Scott McCarthy**, at Scott.McCarthy@aecom.com

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome all members to the March ARCUS

Firstly, I would like to welcome new members to the society and to returning lapsed members who have decided to reconnect with us.

If you know of anyone interested in re-joining or even upgrading their membership the process has been simplified so I urge you to apply. Gillian Isoardi and Patrick Rident – Tiercelet, our Membership Managers, and I am sure they will be able to guide you through the process

Those who made our 2022 reconnect on the 10th of March, we hope you enjoyed the barefoot bowls event. Thank-you to Automated – Specialists in Lighting Control Solutions and Joe Joukhadar for generously sponsoring this event.

Our awards entry portal will be open soon for members to enter lighting designs and luminaire designs for our judging panel. Please keep checking the web site and look for some useful tips and information on how to enter to get the best result

We have decided to change the venue for this year's awards night. I am proud to announce we are holding the night at the Princess Theatre at Woolloongabba. The venue is the oldest Theatre in Brisbane and has recently had an upgrade in facilities including the house lighting. The menu and entertainment package will also be built around the theme of the night. All shall be revealed.

The night has been booked for the 11th of November more details to follow

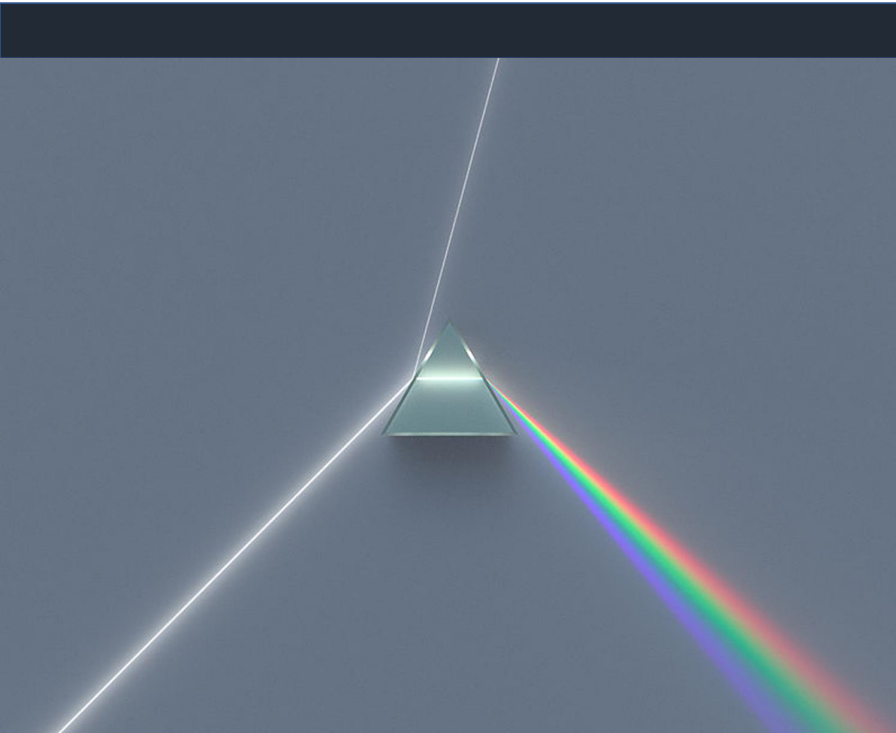
That's it from me for this month. Enjoy this addition of Arcus.

As always, please don't forget about our social media platforms:



Or feel free to message me at qldpresident@iesanz.org





Sponsors needed within the Lighting Community to host & present at future technical presentations for our Queensland members and associated industries.

If you have a technical presentation that would be of interest and relates to all forms of lighting topics example: Technology, Australian Standards, Sports, Emergency, Roads, Education, Office, Retail etc.

If you are keen to discuss further an opportunity to share your knowledge with your peers, please make an initial contact with Ricky Coombs info@ienlight.com.au

BRISBANE CALLING
“ Expression Of Interest ”

The IES committee are looking for current members
Associate, TechIES, MIES & FIES
Who would be interested in being part of the judging
selection panel for this years lighting awards.

Please register your interest at info@ienlight.com.au
Or contact Steve Hare: 0421 943 974
Ricky Coombs: 0468 557 760

IES AWARDS 2022



SOCIAL

The 1st IES get together for 2022 was a great success. Everyone enjoyed a fun, social evening of bare foot bowls at New Farm.



Thank you to all who joined in, a special thanks go to Joseph Joukhadar from Automated Lighting Control Systems for generously sponsoring the event.

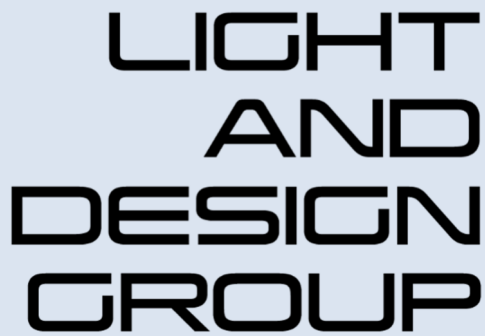
GM Poles walked away with the trophy; Rob Walters from team GM Poles is looking forward to defending the title next year.

The IES plan more events throughout the year and look forward to seeing you there.



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