



Sydney Commonwealth Parliament Offices

Project Details

Client: Department of Finance
(Federal)
Location: 1 Bligh Street, Sydney
Floor Area: 4891 m²
Project Value: \$25m
Completed: May, 2013

Contact

ray.brown@architectus.com.au

Awards

Australian Institute of Architects, John
Verge Award for Interior Architecture,
2014

IDEA Award for Workplace over
1000SQM, 2014

BPN Sustainability Awards, Finalist,
2014

International Design Awards, Third
Prize, 2013

*In association with Ingenhoven
Architects

“Architectus fully understood our requirements from very early on and not only delivered a fit out which met our brief to the letter, but completely exceeded our expectations.”

– Sharon Brigden, NSW State Manager, Ministerial and Parliamentary Services, Department of Finance

The Sydney Commonwealth Parliament Offices (CPO), located across three levels at 1 Bligh Street, are a unique environment which provide office accommodation for Australian government Ministerial and Parliamentary staff while visiting NSW and also provide an important gateway for Parliamentarians when meeting international dignitaries.

The central objective of the design was to create flexible and highly secure office accommodation for public and private uses while fully optimising the unique qualities of 1 Bligh.

The timeless design was influenced by the unique nature and character of Sydney, drawing inspiration from natural daylight, views to the harbour, transparency, coastal form and local materials.

The CPO comprises suites for the Prime Minister, Leader of the Opposition and other federal Ministers, along with conference and meeting spaces, media and press rooms and associated facilities. The fit out has been designed to achieve a 6 Star Green Star Office Interiors v1.1 rating.