

State Design Review Panel – Biographies

Tony Blackwell

Managing Director

Tony formally commenced his professional career in Sydney where he worked for Bruce Mackenzie on projects such as Sir Joseph Banks Park on the shores of Botany Bay, the Australian Defence Force Academy in Canberra, and Brisbane International Airport.

Blackwell & Associates

In 1987, wishing to pursue his own context driven design philosophy and seeing an opportunity in Perth, he established BLACKWELL & associates – landscape architects & urban designers.

Over the course of his professional career, Tony's motivation has shifted from a focus on 'pure design' to a deeper interest in how designers can help to improve not only the environment in which we dwell, but also public health and wellbeing in the process.