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## Architect Adam Haddow wins national award in 2009 PCA Awards

SJB Architects Director and Partner Adam Haddow has been awarded the National Future Leader Award at the 2009 Property Council of Australia Rider Levett Bucknall Awards for Innovation and Excellence.

Adam took out the prestigious award against a strong field of competitors to be awarded the title at a gala event held at Sydney's Convention and Exhibition Centre over the weekend.

Nominated by his employer, SJB Architects, Adam began his career as an intern in 1995 and has now excelled to become one of Australia's most respected architects working on projects such as the St Margarets Development and Glebe Harbour Nation Heritage building in New South Wales, and the Joshua Brothers Distillery redevelopment in Victoria.

"My job is actually a vocation, it enables me to help mould the future of our cities and the way in which the community interacts and engages," Adam said.

"It is a delight to work with people to create places and spaces which are energised, lively and engaging," he said.

Property Council of Australia National President Daniel Grollo said the awards showcase the finest development projects from around the country and distinguish industry projects that demonstrate innovative practice and design, from large-scale multi-million dollar developments to individuals making an impact within the industry.

"It's fantastic to be able to name Adam as the Coffey Future Leader Award winner. He is an outstanding young architect with a bright future ahead of him," Mr Grollo said.

"This year's winners, including Adam Haddow, continue to raise the bar for the industry in setting new benchmarks in excellence, particularly in the area of architecture and design," he said.

Already Adam has a long list of career highlights including:

- Receiving the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Churchill Fellowship Award in 2007, which allowed him to travel the world studying architecture and design

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- Residential Apartment Project of the Year 2006
- Rhodes Urban Masterplan Competition – Winning Scheme 2003
- Design Dux – University of Melbourne – 1997.

Other national winners on the night included:

- OVERALL WINNER Rouse Hill Town Centre (NSW)
- BLUESCOPE BUILDINGS Award for Business or Industrial Parks – Quad Business Park (NSW)
- BILFINGER BERGER Award for Emerging Assets – Sir Montefiore Jewish Home (NSW)
- RIDER LEVETT BUCKNALL Award for Office Developments – AXA Centre (VIC)
  - Highly commended – Green Square South Tower (QLD)
  - Highly commended – 7 London Circuit (ACT)
- CITY PLAN SERVICES Award for Residential Developments - Place on Brougham (SA)
- RYAN LAWYERS Award for Tourism & Leisure – The Sebel & Citigate (VIC)
- Award for Heritage & Adaptive Re-use – Home (WA)
  - Highly commended – 88 George (NSW)
- PITNEY BOWES BUSINESS INSIGHT Award for Shopping Centre Developments – Rouse Hill Town Centre (NSW)
- CONICS Award for Master Planned Communities – Prince Henry at Little Bay (NSW)
- WOODHEAD Award for Mixed Use Developments – Regent Place (NSW)
  - Highly commended – Campbelltown Catholic Club (NSW)
- PHILLIPS GROUP Award for Government Leadership – City of Whittlesea (VIC)
- MOORE STEPHENS AUSTRALIA Award for Public Buildings - Melbourne Recital Centre (VIC)
- AECOM Award for Sustainable Development – 101 Miller St (NSW)
  - Highly commended – The Bendigo Centre (VIC)
  - Highly commended – The Gauge (VIC)

Winners were announced at the 2009 Property Council of Australia Rider Levett Bucknall National Innovation and Excellence Awards gala dinner held at Sydney's Convention & Exhibition Centre on Saturday 13 June 2009.

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