



**THE HONG KONG INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
(HKIA)**

COUNTRY REPORT

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1. Brief History of the Institute

On 3rd September 1956, 27 architects gathered and formed a Society “for the general advancement of Civil Architecture and for promoting and facilitating the acquirement of the knowledge of the various Arts and Sciences.” Thus The Hong Kong Society of Architects was formed. On 7th May, 1957, the first amendments were made, to stand for over two and a half years. During the period the membership of the Society increased by 50% and recognition as an Allied Society was given by Royal Institute of British Architects. In accord with this growth, further amendments were made to come into effect on 3rd November 1959. By the end of 1962, the Society expanded to a membership seven times as large as that first body of Foundation Members.

The change of name from Society to Institute was effected in 1972 after a great deal of preparatory work, and this initiated a new phase of activity in the Institute’s affairs. Members will use the professional affix “HKIA” and describe themselves as Member of The Hong Kong Institute of Architects. Associates will describe themselves as Associate of The Hong Kong Institute of Architects in full. Under which no abbreviation of this is permitted.

In celebration of the 55th Anniversary, the Institute is going to organize three special events including HKIA 55th Anniversary Conference: Megalopolis, HKIA 55th Anniversary Ball and Hong Kong Architecture Week in fall 2011.

2. Office Bearers in 2012 and Patron

The Patron of HKIA is The Honourable Mr. LEUNG Chun-ying, Chief Executive, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR).

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>
1. LAM Kwong Li Dominic	President
2. FUNG Yin Suen Ada	Vice President
3. LAM Ping Hong Robert	Vice President
4. CHI Wuh Cherng Daniel	Honorary Secretary
5. TANG Wai Man Tony	Honorary Treasurer

3. Current Membership Strength

<u>Type</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Annual Subscription (US\$)</u>
Member	2768	260
Graduate Member	508	65
Non-Resident Member	106	130
Fellow	165	390
Associate	28	260
Affiliate	15	130
Student Member	66	13
Retired Member	37	119
Honorary Fellow	1	waived
Honorary Member	9	waived

Total: 3,703 (as of 17 September 2012)

Registered Practices:	167
w/ 1-9 HKIA members	142
w/ 10-19 HKIA members	12
w/ 20-29 HKIA members	2
w/ 30-39 HKIA members	4
w/ 40 or more HKIA members	7

4. Budget of the Institute

Funds are largely raised through membership annual subscription. Budget is approved by the Council and audited accounts would be presented to the General Membership in the Annual General Meeting. Office Bearers are empowered to execute payment of Institute's expenses.

5. Number of Chapters

There is no Chapter affiliated to the Institute in Hong Kong. Beijing Representative Office has been set up since 2006 in Beijing with an aim to promote Hong Kong architects' professional services in the Mainland.

6. Annual General Meeting

There are four Quarterly General Meetings per year for collective decision making. Annual election is held in the Third Quarterly General Meeting in September.

7. Legal Status of the Institute in the Country

The Institute is recognized by the Government of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region as the representative professional body of the Architects in Hong Kong. HKIA is enacted under The Hong Kong Institute of Architects Incorporation Ordinance (chapter 1147).

8. Legal Status of the Architect in the Country

The title "Architect" is protected under the Architects Registration Ordinance (Please refer to: http://www.arb.org.hk/Registration_Ordinance.html). The yearly fee for renewal of a Registered Architect is HK\$1,300 (US\$167).

9. Registration Authority for Architects in the Country

There is a registration body for the Architects in Hong Kong, namely Architects Registration Board (ARB), HKSAR. Applicants satisfying the qualifications for registration as stipulated under Section 13 of the Ordinance are eligible to apply. As of 17 September 2012, there is a total of 2,877 Registered Architects.

Under the Architects Registration Ordinance, ten Members of the Architects Registration Board are appointed by the Council of the Hong Kong Institute of Architects plus one Member appointed by the Hong Kong SAR Government.

10. Representation at the Legislature of Hong Kong

The architect profession is represented at the Legislature of Hong Kong (i.e. the Legislative Council) by a member returned from the "Architectural, Surveying and Planning" functional constituency. HKIA members Mr Ho

Sing-tin Edward and Professor Lau Sau-shing Patrick were elected by the constituency to sit in the Legislative Council from 1998 to 2000 and 2004 to 2012 respectively. Reports of his works were delivered by Professor Patrick Lau at the Institute's Quarterly General Meetings and Annual General Meetings.

11. International Affiliations of the Institute

HKIA is committed to participating in the activities organized by its international affiliates. The Institute is a Member of the International Union of Architects (UIA), Commonwealth Association of Architects (CAA) and ARCASIA. Subscription fee to UIA is Euro £5,082(US\$6,673), CAA is Euro £6,245 (US\$8,200) and ARCASIA is US\$1,000. HKIA has set up an UIA Committee and ARCASIA/CAA Committee under its Board of External Affairs. Members of the Committees represent the Institute to the below UIA Work Programmes (WP) and ARCASIA's Committees:-

UIA Work Programmes:-

- Directorship of UIA Region IV WP "Architectural for All"
- Membership of UIA Region IV WP "Architecture Heritage"
- Membership of UIA Region IV WP "Responsible Architecture"
- Membership of UIA WP "Intermediate Cities – Urbanization and Development"
- Membership of UIA WP "Architecture and Children"

ARCASIA Office Bearer / Committees:-

- ARCASIA Zone C Vice Presidency (2011-2012)
- Chairmanship of ARCASIA Committee on Social Responsibility
- Membership of ARCASIA Committee on Social Responsibility
- Membership of ARCASIA Committee on Architectural Education
- Membership of ARCASIA Committee on Professional Practice
- Membership of ARCASIA Committee on Green and Sustainable Architecture

Besides, as one of the member economies of APEC Architects Project, an APEC Architect Project Monitoring Committee, Hong Kong China, has been set up to operate a section of the APEC Architect Register for the enrollment of APEC Architects registered in Hong Kong. Subscription fee to APEC is US\$3,531 for year 2012.

12. Mainland China Affairs

HKIA has been working closely with the Government and Mainland counterparts to facilitate and equip members to obtain registration and practice in Mainland China. On 24 September 2011, 169 HKIA members who have had attained PRC Class I Architect Qualification took the CEPA legal examination 2011 organized by the Department of Housing and Urban-Rural Development of Guangdong Province and all of them passed the exam.

To promote HK architectural service and enlarge networking in the Mainland, HKIA has also organized various visits to meet with its Mainland counterparts and participated in their significant professional events:

- *Courtesy Visit to Beijing in February 2012*
- *Attending the 8th International Conference on Green and Energy-*

Efficient Building & New Technologies and Products Expo in March 2012

- *Attending the 2011 Mainland and Hong Kong Construction Industry Forum in May 2012*
- *Factory Visit to Xinyi Group (Glass) Co. Ltd. in June 2012*
- *Meeting with the President of Architectural Society of China in July 2012*
- *Qianhai Visit for Registered Practices in July 2012*
- *Tech-visit to Yunnan Province in Oct 2012*

13. Major Programmes of the Institute during 9/2011 to 9/2012

See App A

14. Outreach Programmes and Publications of the Institute

HKIA 55th Anniversary Celebration

The Hong Kong Institute of Architects steps into its 55th Anniversary in 2011. Started with our Past Presidents, former Councils, and continues by us and our young Architects, the past 55 years have been a fruitful journey which defined HKIA today. No matters how fast the world is changing, our dedication to uphold the purposes of the Institute remains steady. They are to continue to raise both the standard of architecture in Hong Kong and the standard of professional services offered by its members.

Event Highlights

1. HKIA 55th Anniversary Conference (<http://55th.hkiaconference.net/>)
2. HKIA 55th Anniversary Ball
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/Events/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalEvent&id=4028813c3270658901328ad41444007b>)
3. HKIA 55th Anniversary Architecture Week
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/News/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalNews&id=4028813c327065890132ae0cb95c014a>)
4. HKIA 55th Anniversary Photographic Competition
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/Events/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalEvent&id=4028813c327065890132aa05c75d0135>)

Venice Biennale 13th International Architecture Exhibition: Inter Cities/Intra Cities – Ghostwriting the Future

2012 marks Hong Kong's fourth consecutive presence at the Venice Biennale. It is an unparalleled opportunity to promote Hong Kong as an international city and showcase the creativity of Hong Kong's architecture and arts communities.

The exhibition is co-organised by The Hong Kong Institute of Architects and Hong Kong Arts Development Council, in response to the Biennale Director David Chipperfield's overall exhibition theme of *Common Ground*. Hong Kong's exhibition, titled "Inter Cities / Intra Cities: Ghostwriting the Future", emphasizes the importance of social compatibility and cultural diversity in

the creation of our cities and focuses on the vital urban, architectural and cultural regeneration of Hong Kong's very own "common ground": Kowloon East.

The Opening Ceremony of was held on 27 August 2012. The exhibition is running from 29 August 2012 to 25 November 2012 in Venice and rerun in Hong Kong as a response exhibition in 2013.

(Link: <http://www.venicebiennale.hk/vb2012/>) **2011-12 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Bi-city Biennale of Urbanism\ Architecture**

The Biennale presented 5 thematic pavilions at the Kowloon Park and 2 satellite venues in Wanchai. They have been visited by 155,769 person-times over the 2.5 months exhibition period spanning from 15 February to 23 April 2012.

A series of community activities including 12 symposiums, 3 tours, 5 workshops, 3 film screenings and 2 performances have been conducted during the Biennale with around 4,000 participants recorded.

The event acquired support from 3 strategic partners and 20 supporting organizations. Financial support from Create Hong Kong, Development Bureau, Shenzhen Counterparts, Taipei City Government, JUT Foundation and more than 20 local and international sponsors making up to more than 7 million of sponsorship for this robust Biennale.

HKIA Publications

The Institute dispatches the following publication and e-information for circulation to Members and allied institutions, both local and overseas:

- E-CPD Weekly
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/Events/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=CPD&id=4028813c2802ee73012885a13ee702d8>)
- E-newsletter Weekly
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/News/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalNews&id=4028813c2802ee7301288667f72802e6>)
- HKIA Journal (Triannual Publication)
(http://www.hkia.net/en/Resources/Resources_01_02.htm)
- HKIA Directory of Architects Practices (Annual Publication)
(<http://www.hkia.net/en/Resources/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=Consulation&id=4028813c3877804901389953fc51009e>)
- Annual Report (Annual Publication)
- Annual Awards Special Issue (Annual Publication)

15. Awards and Design Competitions organized / supported by the Institute during 8/2011 to 9/2012

HKIA Annual Awards and Exhibition 2011

HKIA Annual Awards is organized every year to give recognition to outstanding architecture designed by our members. The award has been established since 1965 and has been well recognized as the most important architectural award in Hong Kong.

The purpose of the HKIA Annual Awards and Exhibition is to give

professional recognition and to increase public awareness to outstanding achievements in architecture. It is hoped that the Annual Awards & Exhibitions will foster an appreciation for buildings which have been designed by members of HKIA and have achieved architectural excellence that deserve professional acknowledgement and public attention.

Result of HKIA Annual Awards 2011

<http://www.hkia.net/en/News/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalNews&id=4028813c373e82d5013749668c360041>

HKIA Young Architect Award 2011

HKIA encourages young architects to contribute their talent pro-actively in upholding the professional, art and cultural developments of Hong Kong.

Result of HKIA Young Architect Award 2011

<http://www.hkia.net/en/News/action.do?method=detail&mappingName=LocalNews&id=4028813c36a803a20136a9f21e770010>

Quality Building Award 2012

The Quality Building Award is a biennial award giving public recognition to buildings of outstanding quality that have demonstrated excellent teamwork. The provision of quality building is an essential ingredient of a prosperous and modern society, and thus the Quality Building Award aims to promote a collective commitment by the building industry to maintain the highest standards of professionalism and competitiveness.

Result of Quality Building Award 2012

<http://www.qba.com.hk/en/new.html>

Green Building Award 2012

Green Building Award 2012 (GBA 2012) is a biennial industry award jointly organised by the Hong Kong Green Building Council (HKGBC) and by the Professional Green Building Council (PGBC). It aims to provide recognition to buildings and research projects with outstanding features and contributions in sustainability and the environment and also to encourage the industry toward further adoption of sustainable planning, design, construction and maintenance of buildings.

Result of Green Building Award 2012

<http://www.qba.hk/news.html>

Call for Noise Mitigation / Retaining Structure Design for Tsuen Wan Bypass

The Competition invites qualified professionals in the fields of architecture, engineering, landscape architecture, urban design, planning and surveying to contribute ideas and concepts on the noise mitigation for Tsuen Wan Bypass (Professional Group) and the general public to contribute ideas and concepts on the retaining structure design for Tsuen Wan Bypass (Open Group) for reference and future implementation by the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSARG).

Website

<http://www.twbnoisemitigation-design.hk/en/index.php?pid=0>

West Kowloon Cultural District Xiqu Centre Design Competition

The objective of the competition is to select the team that demonstrates that it will be best able to work with the Authority's client team to develop a Masterplan of the Eastern entrance to the West Kowloon Cultural District, and a building concept for the Xiqu Centre to be an excellent place for the performance and development of Cantonese Opera and other related art forms, enjoyable to visit, whilst being efficient and cost effective to operate. The Authority is looking for a design concept that is interesting and original, reflecting the exciting and unique purpose of the building. The design should align with the overall master plan and be buildable and cost effective.

Website

http://www.wkcda.hk/en/architectural_competition/xiqucentre/

Skyrise Greenery Awards 2012

Skyrise greening represents a new concept of greenery in urban landscape. In a broad sense, it encompasses all greening at the buildings or other structures beyond the ground level, including roof greening, vertical greening, sky gardens, terrace planting, etc. Skyrise greening provides environmental benefits as well as enhances aesthetic quality of our urban environment. The integration of skyrise greenery as a part of built structure in early design stage gives rise to many outstanding projects. The **Skyrise Greenery Awards** aim to promote the development of skyrise greening as a new trend of greening in Hong Kong.

Website

http://www.greening.gov.hk/en/people_tree_harmony/doc/Guidelines_for_Submission_r0.pdf

Design Ideas Competition for Quarry Park and Rock Face

In order to obtain innovative ideas to serve as reference for the future detailed design of the Quarry Park and to turn the existing rock face into one of the iconic landmarks in East Kowloon or even Hong Kong, Plannings Department organizes a Design Ideas Competition as part of the Stage 2 Community Engagement activities.

Competition Brief

http://www.hkia.net/UserFiles/Image/BLA/planD/120731_PlanD_DICQPRF_let.pdf

M+ Design Competition

West Kowloon Cultural District Authority is inviting Expression of Interest (EOI) from experienced and qualified Design Teams interested in pre-qualifying for the Competition to select a concept design and a Design Team for M+. The document for the request for EOI exercise is released at WKCDA website today 17 September 2012.

Website

http://www.wkcda.hk/en/architectural_competition/mplus/index.html

16. Key Issues Facing the Architects/Architectural Profession/ Institute in the Country

With the rapid development of the City, the urban development is now coming to a threshold on urban renewal, heritage conservation, urban greening, energy saving and sustainable planning. New ideas and new regulations are required to facilitate further development of a quality city.

With the ever-growing number of Hong Kong architects who are now working in the Mainland and overseas, strictly speaking, the HKIA would keep in view of this global trend of talents mobilization that affects the local professionals in the long term.

17. Resources of the Institute

The Institute maintains a full calendar of events ranging from Biennale Exhibitions, Continuing Professional Development seminars, HKIA Annual Awards, competitions, architectural walks, joint-institutes forums and symposia at all levels of society to cross-boundaries architectural biennales beyond Hong Kong. Many enthusiastic members contribute to make the events successful.

18. Plans for the Future

The Institute continues to working towards enhancement of networking, both in terms of internal liaison amongst fellow practices and promotion in the international arena. Outreaching to the public in Hong Kong and to the architectural community overseas for promotion of architecture remains the Institute's key objective. Exploration of co-operative opportunities with allied professional institutes, local and overseas, and public education would be the Institute's cores business in the near future.

The Institute is going to organize a Cross-Strait Architectural Design Symposium and Awards on 16 March 2013. The event aims to celebrate and recognize design excellence that contribute to better living, economic advancement, social impact and the building of a body of knowledge through innovation and creativity along with the maturation of Asian architecture towards international excellence amongst the Cross-Strait regions including Mainland China, Taiwan, Macau and Hong Kong.

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Country Report
List of Activities

The following is a list of key activities of the Institute during 9/2011 to 9/2012:

ACTIVITIES	DATE
HKIA 55th Anniversary Architecture Week	Oct 11
HKIA 55th Anniversary Photographic Competition	Oct 11
HKIA 55th Annual Conference	5 Nov 11
HKIA 55th Annual Ball	5 Nov 11
Opening Ceremony of 2011 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism \ Architecture - Shenzhen Exhibition	8 Dec 11
Annual General Meeting 2011	15 Dec 11
Opening Ceremony of 2011-12 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism \ Architecture – Hong Kong Exhibition	16 Feb 12
Award Presentation and Closing Ceremony of 2011-12 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism \ Architecture	19 Feb 12
HKIA Spring Drink Party cum Spring Reception 2012	8 Mar 12
HKIA Media Luncheon	21 Mar 12
1st Quarter General Meeting	22 Mar 12
2011-12 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Biennale of Urbanism\Architecture Closing Event	20 Apr 12
HKIA Sports and Family Day 2012	21 Apr 12
HKIA Annual Awards 2011 Press Conference	9 May 12
HKIA Annual Awards 2011 Prize Presentation & Exhibition Opening Ceremony	11 May 12
Hong Kong, Macau, Guangdong Architects Friendship Football Match	26 May 12
2nd Quarterly General Meeting	21 Jun 12
2012 Hong Kong International Dragon Boat Races - Professional Champion	2 Jul 12
HKIA New Members Welcoming Party & Certificate Presentation Ceremony on 12 July 2012	12 Jul 12
	16 Aug 12

VB2012 Press Conference	20 Sep 12
3rd Quarterly General Meeting	
Continuing Professional Development Activities (Seminar/ Supplier Services/ Site Visit/ Discussion Session):	
CPD factory visit by Shui Wo International Building Material Ltd (Door Hardware Scheduling and Applications) (Shenzhen)	10 Sep 11
CPD Seminar - Your Trash Our Green Building Materials	16 Sep 11
CPD Supplier Series on "How to improve concrete durability and extend the service life of concrete structures?" by GrowTech (Hong Kong) Limited	19 Sep 11
Seminar on Retaining, Recycling and Reusing Heritage : Lessons from the UNESCO Heritage Conservation Awards Programme 2000-2011	7 Oct 11
Seminar on Common Pitfalls - Architect's Responsibility under the Building Ordinance, HKIA & ARB Code of Professional Conduct	11 Oct 11
CPD Supplier Series - Seminar on Hotel Spa Planning by Kung Sheung International Group	18 Oct 11
CPD Seminar on "What is construction materials product certification? How can this benefit to the quality of works?" by The Hong Kong Council for Testing and Certification (HKCTC)	20 Oct 11
Joint CPD Seminar and Site Visit with 廣州市工程勘察設計行業協會	20 Oct 11
CPD Seminar on An Evolution of Human Landscape - Kai Tak River by Wallace Chang	28 Oct 11
HKIA Briefing session on the Code of Practice for Fire Safety in Buildings 2011 - HKIA Members Event	31 Oct 11
Seminar on Kings Cross Central – The vision and reality of a new international urban quarter for London by Dr. Chris Gossop	3 Nov 11
Seminar on Permaculture - A Bottom-up Design Approach for Building an Eco-City	14 Nov 11
Sharing Session on CPD Shenzhen Factory Visit by Shui Wo	18 Nov 11
CPD Seminar: New Challenges – from Community Engagement to Design for Sustainability and Changes by Prof. Bernard Lim	22 Nov 11
CPD Seminar: Activators by Mr. Jurgen Mayer	5 Dec 11
CPD Seminar: 香港黃金五年 (2010-2014) 盛衰關鍵 by Mr. Franklin Lam	6 Dec 11
HKIA CPD Sharing Session on Fontainebleau Schools Summer Program 2011	9 Dec 11

CPD Factory Visit of Eastern Pretech (HK) Ltd.	10 Dec 11
CPD Site Visit to Tsing Shan Monastery	10 Dec 11
CPD Seminar: Building on Green Agenda	12 Dec 11
HKIA CPD Workshop: A Hands-on Workshop of Building Information Modeling	16 Dec 11
HKIA/ARB Intensive CPD Seminar 2011 - Update on Local Practice Issues that ARCHITECTS should know	17 Dec 11
CPD Seminar: On The Other Side of the Fence - An Architects life as a Corporate End User Executive	13 Jan 12
CPD Sharing Session on Southern India Excursion 2011	18 Jan 12
CPD Visit to 2011 Shenzhen & Hong Kong Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism\Architecture	4 Feb 12
Briefing on the Hung Shui Kiu New Development Area Planning and Engineering Study	10 Feb 12
Briefing session of Stage 1 Public Engagement on Enhancing Land Supply Strategy - Reclamation outside Victoria Harbour and Rock Cavern Development	15 Feb 12
HKIA Post-Tour Sharing on HKIA Green Tour 2011 and SB11 Helsinki	16 Feb 12
Sharing Session for CPD Factory Visit to Eastern Pretech (HK) Ltd	21 Feb 12
CPD Sharing Session on HKIA 2011 Guangzhou Field Trip on Adaptive Reuse Projects	23 Feb 12
CPD Seminar: Breezy Wind, Sunny Day and Fresh Air - HK Electric Develops Renewable Energy Installations to Improve Air Quality	27 Feb 12
CPD Site Visit to Lui Seng Chun	3 Mar 12
HKIA Sharing Session by Ronald Phillips - A Glimpse of Hong Kong's Civic Architecture in the 60's	5 Mar 12
HKIA Members' Forum on the Chief Executive Election	20 Mar 12
CPD Seminar: Work Life Balance from the Perspective of a Project Director from Housing Department	29 Mar 12
CPD Seminar : Insurance Covers for Corporate Members / Registered Practices - How to get it right?	19 Apr 12
Joint Technical Seminar - "Promulgation of the New GEO Publication 1/2011 – Technical Guidelines on Landscape Treatment for Slopes"	19 Apr 12
CPD Seminar: Introduction of Mandatory Building Inspection Scheme	24 Apr 12

(MBIS) / Mandatory Window Inspection Scheme (MWIS) and the Role and Responsibility of the Registered Inspector (RI)	
CPD Seminar: Beyond Barrier Free Access & Access Consultancy	3 May 12
Supplier Series: Modelling Benefits for Sustainable Buildings: Wind Tunnel Testing and CFD	8 May 12
Briefing session on Energizing Kowloon East delivered by Kowloon East Development Office	9 May 12
CPD Seminar: Understanding Design for People with Disabilities	10 May 12
CPD Seminar : Going Global - Vision, Planning & Realization of Designing a Global Architectural Company	22 May 12
HKIA CPD Site Visit to the Asia Society Hong Kong Center	26 May 12
Supplier Series: New Generation High Performance Drainable Louvre HDL by ATI	31 May 12
CPD Seminar: Urban Climatic Map for City Planning	5 Jun 12
HKIA CPD Factory Visit to Xinyi Group (Glass) Co. Ltd	16 Jun 12
CPD Site Visit to Tai O Heritage Hotel and its Vicinity	16 Jun 12
HKIA CPD Site Visit to China World Trade Center Phase 3 & Phoenix TV Media Center	16 Jun 12
CPD Seminar on 西藏傳統建築文化報告會 by 徐宗威	20 Jun 12
Briefing Session of Stage 2 Public Engagement for the Planning and Engineering Study on Development of Lok Ma Chau Loop	28 Jun 12
HKIA CPD Supplier Series: Design of Environmental-Friendly and Complex Facade Buildings	29 Jun 12
CPD Site Visit to Hotel Icon	30 Jun 12
CPD Seminar: Adaptive Reuse Projects	12 Jul 12
CPD Site Visit to DBS New Complex	14 Jul 12
CPD Site Visit to Energizing Kowloon East with a Light Footprint	4 Aug 12
CPD Seminar on How to Reduce Urban Heat Island Effect by Food Waste Management	9 Aug 12
CPD Site Visit to Run Run Shaw Creative Media Centre, City University of Hong Kong	11 Aug 12
Distinguished Lecture: Shaping a City - Hong Kong Architects' Impact on Society	14 Aug 12

CPD Site Visit to Hysan Place	18 Aug 12
Intensive CPD seminar	25 Aug 12
CPD Site Visit to Kwun Tong Promenade, Stage 1 and Ping Shan Tin Shui Wai Leisure and Cultural Building	8 Sep 12
CPD Seminar by Environmental Protection Department	10 Sep 12
CPD Supplier Series by Dextra Group	25 Sep 12
Architectural Design Competition:	
Green Building Award 2012	Feb 12
HKIA Young Architect Award 2011	Mar 12
HKIA Annual Award 2011	May 12
Weaving New City-Fabric - Call for Noise Mitigation/Retaining Structure Design for Tsuen Wan Bypass	Apr 12
Best Landscape Award for Private Property Development 2012	Apr 12
Skyrise Greenery Awards 2012	Apr 12
2012 Lantern Wonderland Design Competition	May 12
Quality Building Award 2012	Jun 12
Design Ideas Competition for Quarry Park and Rock Face	Sep 12
Xiqu Centre Design Competition	Sep – Oct 12
Official delegations :	
UIA Congress - 2011 Tokyo	25 Sep - 1 Oct 11
HKIA Tour to India's Mumbai-Pune-Ahmedabad	29 Sep - 9 Oct 11
HKIA Green Tour Baltic Region 2011 + World Sustainable Building Conference 2011 Helsinki, Finland	7-21 Oct 11
HKIA Guangzhou Study Tour on Adaptive Reuse Projects	18-20 Nov 11
ARCASIA 2011-2012 Office Bearer Meeting in Boracay, Philippines	2 Feb 12
The UAP Architects Summit 2012	3-4 Feb 12
HKIA Council Courtesy Visit to Beijing	26-28 Feb 12
全國甲級建築建築設計院建築創作方向工作會議	15-17 Mar 12
UIA Professional Practice Commission Meeting	17 Mar 12
The 8th International Conference on Green and Energy-Efficient Building	29-31 Mar 12

& New Technologies and Products Expo	
China Beijing International Fair for Trade in Services	28 May – 1 Jun 12
UIA Work Programme Directors Meeting	30 May 12
ARCASIA 2011-2012 Office Bearer Meeting	15—17 Jun 12
Meeting with President of Chinese Taipei, The National Association of Architects, Republic of China	25 Jun 12
Meeting with the President of The Architectural Society of China	5 Jul 12
Fontainebleau Schools Summer Program 2012	Jul 5 - Aug 9 12
Meeting with 《注册建筑师》編委會	27 Sep 12
Official delegations visiting HKIA :	
Visit by China Council for the Promotion of International Trade of Guangzhou Council	14 Sep 11
Meeting with ARCASIA President George Kunihiro	5 Oct 11
Interview with Mr. Frantisek Kvarda, a Government sponsored journalist on skyscraper and historical building in Hong Kong	28 Nov 11
Meeting with Belgian professionals of the Trade Commission of Flanders	29 Nov 11
Meeting the French Delegation regarding the West Kowloon Cultural District Project	10 Jan 12
Visit of Mr. Edward Uhlir, Chief Architect and Executive Director of Millennium Park, and Adjunct Prof of College of Architecture of Illinois Institute of Technology of USA	20 Mar 12
Meet with Mr. Cao Jin-biao, Director-General of Department of Laws and Regulations, Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development of PRC	23 Apr 12
Meeting with Consulate General of Sweden	
Meeting with Australian Consulate-General on environmentally sustainable buildings and building components	3 May 12
Meeting with Mr. Yadmaa Ariunbold, the Consul General of Mongolia	29 May 12
Lunch Meeting with UIA Immediate Past Secretary General, Mr. Jordi Farrando	12 Jul 12
Visit by Mr. Faneul Motsepe, President of the South African Institute of Architects on urban planning & green buildings	3 Sep 12
Meeting with RIBA's Executive Director of Membership & Professional Support, Vice President of International Relations and Director of	5 Sep 12

Education	14 Sep 12
Meeting with President of Mongolian Airlines Group	18 Sep 12
Meeting with RIBA President	22 Sep 12
Meeting with Delegation from Henan	
Exhibition:	
2011 -12 Hong Kong & Shenzhen Bi-City Biennale Exhibition “Tri-ciprocal Cities: The Time, The Place, The People”	15 Feb – 23 Apr 11
Ronald Phillips Exhibition	5 Mar 12
HKIA Annual Awards 2011 Exhibition	12-15 May 12
HKIA Annual Awards 2011 Roving Exhibition	2-14 Aug 12
Weaving New City-Fabric - Noise Mitigation/Retaining Structure Design for Tsuen Wan Bypass Roving Exhibition	17-28 Sep 12
Publications:	
HKIA Annual Awards 2011	
HKIA Directory of Architectural Practices 2011	
HKIA Annual Report 2011	
HKIA Journal (Issues 63-64)	