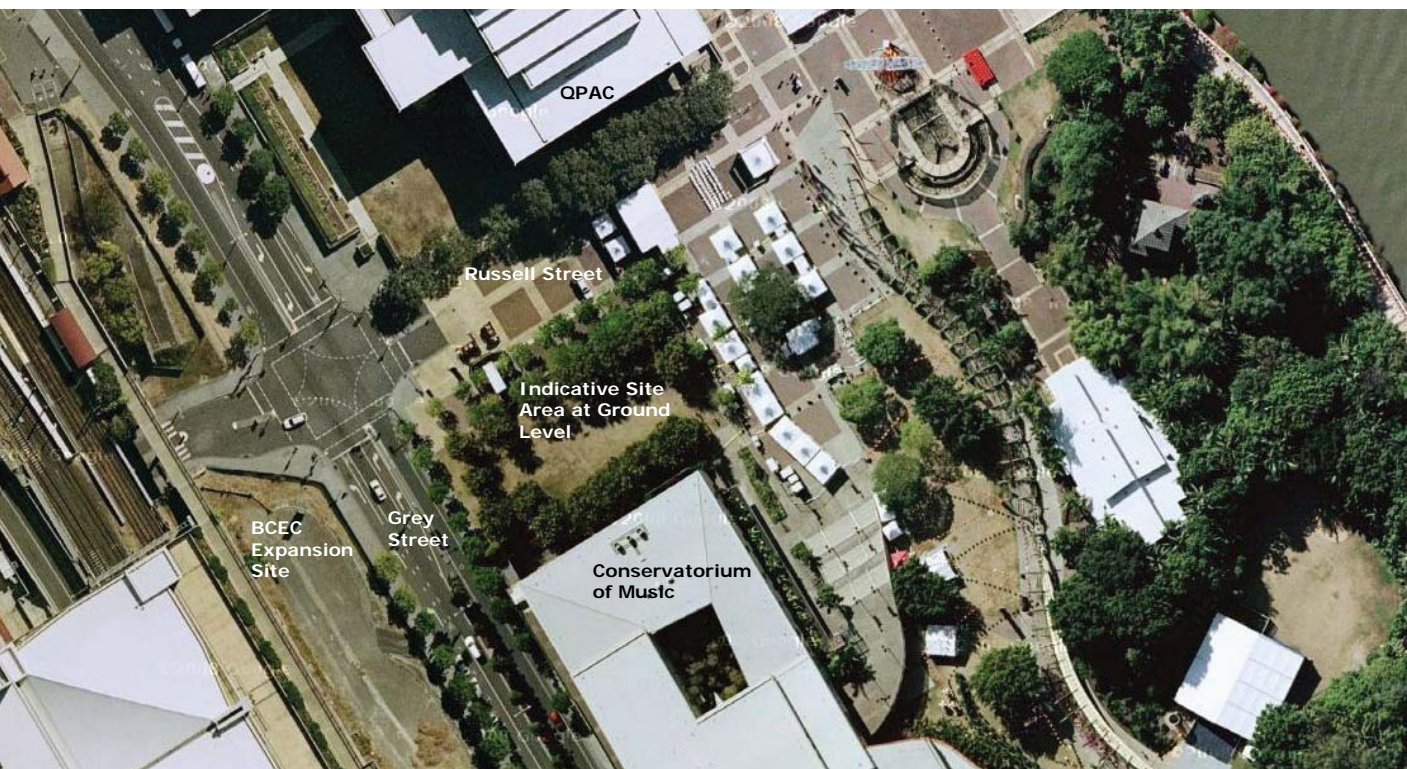


## ABC Television and Radio to call South Bank Precinct home



### Construction will start in May 2009 on ABC Television and Radio Queensland's new headquarters at South Bank.

The building will be constructed on the corner of Russell and Grey Streets, between Queensland Performing Arts Centre and the Queensland Conservatorium of Music.

Business South Bank looks forward to welcoming the 400 staff to the precinct in 2011.

Changes to the bus drop off and pick up zones will be confirmed over the

coming months. New designated spaces are likely to be allocated on Grey and Russell Streets, as well as possibly an announcement in relation to bus 'lay-over' parking (longer term parking).

Deputy Premier Paul Lucas recently announced that new green public space will be incorporated in the make-over of the Boardwalk site.

"This is a down payment on South Bank Corporation's commitment that relocating the ABC to the Parklands will not result in a loss of public open space" said Mr Lucas.

The Boardwalk redevelopment will feature a waterfront café and restaurant dining precinct, a children's playground and improved pathways for pedestrians and cyclists connecting the Goodwill Bridge and Clem Jones Promenade. Six buildings will be demolished to create this new riverfront area.

If you would like more information on the ABC development visit [www.southbankregister.com.au](http://www.southbankregister.com.au) and register to receive regular updates.

## Business South Bank Moves Office

Entering its 10th year of operation, BSB has moved into its own office at 70 Merivale Street, South Brisbane.

BSB would like to thank South Bank Corporation for its generous support since 1999.

Members are encouraged to pop in and check out BSB's new office.



Elise Jione, Janine Watson and Christine Schwandner at the new Business South Bank office

## Grey Street Beautification

Brisbane City Council has put the planned streetscape improvement project for Grey Street on hold. Work to commence in February 2009 was to cover the area between William Jolly Bridge and Russell Street.

2009 marks the 10th year of Business South Bank

–details on our 10th birthday celebrations will be sent out shortly.

## Major 'green' events to be hosted in South Bank Precinct

The Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre (BCEC) has been chosen to host two major conferences focusing on sustainability issues - Green Cities '09 and World Green Infrastructure Congress 2012.

Snapshots of the events:

Events	Date	Number of delegates	Purpose
Green Cities '09	Mar 2009	1,500	Asia Pacific's biggest event focusing on sustainability for the built environment.
World Green Infrastructure Congress 2012	Oct 2012	2,000 <i>(including delegates from Europe, North America and Asia)</i>	Focus on urban greenery for the global green roofs industry and food and energy industries.

BCEC is a recognised leader in environmental issues. The Centre's planned development, *Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre on Grey Street*, will incorporate a number of green initiatives and operate under a five star environmental rating.

Further congratulations to BCEC and its collaborators on winning two major scientific events which will bring more than 5,000 medical and scientific experts to Brisbane. The *Asia Pacific Digestive Week 2011* and *2014 Scientific Meeting of the Asian Pacific Association for the Study of Liver* is expected to generated approx. \$11 million for the Queensland economy.

## Welcome new members

### Datacom

IT support and computer hardware and software suppliers

### Ensign Integrated

Energy Services  
Sustainability consultant

### Corporate Success

HR and recruitment services

### Property Solutions

Co-developers of SW1

## Green tip:

Simple Waste management tip



Ask your supplier to take back its packaging.

Thanks to Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre for this simple tip – please email your tips to [admin@businesssouthbank.com.au](mailto:admin@businesssouthbank.com.au)

# Business South Bank Networking Functions

## December 2008

Our end of year function took place at the redeveloped Southbank Institute. Institute students and graduates cooked and served the canapés to the 120-strong attendees. Thank you to Spotless for its sponsorship of the event, and to special guest Federal Minister Craig Emerson, Minister for Small Business, Independent Contractors and the Service Economy.



Business South Bank members during the Minister's insightful presentation



Bruce Davidson (Davidson Recruitment), Geoff Barnsley (Spotless) and Craig Sherrin (Southbank Institute)



Kirsty Kohn (The Prop House), Jano Dawes, (The Prop House), Shaun Mitchell, (Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre), Kathy Knott, (Opera Queensland)



Hon. Craig Emerson and Barton Green (Chair)



Carla Steadman and Dan Kither (Creative Plus) presented an entertaining minute of glory



BSB tradition – the "lucky door prize" with Hon. John Mickel



Gail Sawyer (Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre), Susie Johnson (South Bank Corporation)



John Sharpe (Riverlife), Paul Hey (Montague Developments), Councillor Helen Abrahams, George Psaltis (South Bank Pharmacy)



Bruce Wolfe (Conrad Gargett Architecture), Jane Hancock (Queensland Children's Hospital), Jim Gall & Bruce Medek (Gall & Medek)



First networking function of the year held at BSB's new office



Hon. John Mickel, Minister for Transport, Trade, Employment and Industrial Relations

## February 2009

Business South Bank's new office at 70 Merivale Street, South Brisbane proved to be the ideal location for the first networking event for 2009. John Mickel, Minister for Transport, Trade, Employment and Industrial Relations provided some insights into the future for businesses in Queensland. The evening was sponsored by South Bank Corporation.



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## Queensland Performing Arts Centre names its new Director



Business South Bank would like to congratulate John Kotzas on his appointment as the new Director of QPAC.

John is well known to BSB members having been QPAC's Artistic Director for many years. John takes the helm at a very exciting time in QPAC's history namely the completion of a \$34million refurbishment, the securement of stage musical 'Chicago' and the Paris Ballet.

Members will get an opportunity to hear John speak at the April 09 networking function to held in QPAC's newly refurbished building.

Business South Bank's website will soon have information on the following topics:

- Carparking information
- Member business directory
- Sustainability information and resources
- Check out the website from mid- March for details.

If you would to contribute to these sections please call Chris on 3846 5191 or email your contribution to [admin@businesssouthbank.com.au](mailto:admin@businesssouthbank.com.au)



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For advertising please telephone Business South Bank on 3846 5191

## Business to business

To profile our members and the benefits of working together, Business South Bank will promote stories on local collaborations. If you have a story you would like to share, please email us at: [admin@businesssouthbank.com.au](mailto:admin@businesssouthbank.com.au)

Business South Bank (BSB) members were vital in assisting BSB move into its new premises. After sourcing several quotes, BSB new member **Datacom** worked with BSB to establish its information technology needs and helped set up the office. Whilst office furniture was sought from **Absoe Furniture Supplies** and office plants from **Flowers of the World**.



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