

institutional masterplanning



Client

Uniting Church in Australia (UCA), Synod of Victoria and Tasmania
Victorian Council of Churches
Catholic Homes
Anglican Diocese of Melbourne
Camberwell Anglican Girls Grammar School
Leibler Yavneh College

Project team

Hansen Partnership
Various architects in Melbourne



Summary of projects

Hansen Partnership has been engaged by various religious organisations to provide planning advice on the following matters:

- Planning reports on UCA owned properties assessing future use and development opportunities based on current planning and development controls
- Preparation of planning permit applications for redevelopment of UCA owned church properties with heritage and non heritage buildings
- Keynote speaker at Victorian Council of the Churches seminar on cultural heritage properties how to manage these resources in the development control system
- Led a deputation to Department of Sustainability and Environment on the review of the heritage overlay provisions in all planning schemes in Victoria as they impact on church owned properties
- Advice on future use of church owned properties with heritage buildings for aged care and independent living accommodation
- Co-author of the Uniting Church in Australia submission to the Productivity Commission Inquiry into Cultural Heritage Properties in 2005
- Advice to property officers of UCA Synod of Vic. and Tas. and Anglican Diocese of Melbourne on planning related issues affecting their properties
- Planning advice and expert witness appearances at VCAT on development applications for expansion of church operated primary and secondary schools
- Masterplanning of religious and educational institution properties



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