



**1st Quarterly General Meeting 2026**  
Honorary Secretary Report  
27 March 2026

Board of Educational Affairs (BEdA)

1. General	<p><b><u>Membership Subscription Renewal 2026</u></b></p> <p>The notifications and reminders of the 2026 membership renewal are sent to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• By email: 26 September 2025, 2 additional reminders by email have been sent in November in 2025</li><li>• By post: 10 October 2025</li><li>• By Registered Post: 9 January 2026 (final payment deadline: 6 April 2026)</li></ul> <table><thead><tr><th></th><th><b>Total no. of members required to submit</b></th><th><b>No. of members already submitted (as of 1 March)</b></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Annual Fee</td><td>5147</td><td>4963</td></tr><tr><td>CPD</td><td>5005</td><td>4847</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>The secretariat will NOT make any calls this year.</p> <p><b><u>Project Manager (Architect) / PM(A)</u></b></p> <p>With the Council's endorsement, PM(A)'s Chinese version is“項目經理(建築師)” Total of 235 applications has been received, of which 197 have been approved by the Council. and the name list has been released on the HKIA website: <a href="https://www.hkia.net/en/find-a-member/list-of-specialists#PMA">https://www.hkia.net/en/find-a-member/list-of-specialists#PMA</a></p>		<b>Total no. of members required to submit</b>	<b>No. of members already submitted (as of 1 March)</b>	Annual Fee	5147	4963	CPD	5005	4847
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2. Education Development & Accreditation (EDA)	<p><b><u>Validation Visit Application received from CityU in 2026</u></b></p> <p>CityU applied the validation visits of the Initial Validation for Master of Architecture and Advisory Visit for Bachelor of Science in Architecture and Surveying (Stream: Architecture) in 2026. The members of the Visiting Boards are as below:</p> <p><b><u>Initial Validation for Master of Architecture</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Members</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• LAU Man Kwan Julia: HKIA President</li><li>• WAI Chui Chi Rosman: HKIA BEdA Past Chair</li><li>• TAM Kwok Chi: ARB Chairman</li><li>• CHEN Marvin: ARB Member/ARB Past Chairman/HKIA Past President</li><li>• Prof. LI Zhenyu: Former Dean of the School/College of Architecture at Tongji University, Member of the Discipline Review Group of the State Council</li><li>• Prof. LEE Junsuk: AIA, Director – Korea Architectural Accreditation Board</li></ul> <p><b><u>Observers</u></b></p>									



- SUEN Chung Keung Daniel: HKIA BEdA Deputy Chair, HKIA EDAC Member
- YU Franklin: ARB Vice Chairman
- HO Kin Wai Stephen: ARB Member

**Advisory Visit for Bachelor of Science in Architecture and Surveying  
(Stream: Architecture)**

- FUNG Yin Suen Ada: HKIA Past President
- WONG Po Lung John: HKIA Past President
- CHAN Chuen Chi Simon: HKIA BEdA Chair
- LEUNG Hay Lin Helen: HKIA Past Vice President
- SO Ching: ARB Member, HKIA EDAC Chair
- CHEUNG Man Ching Anthony: ARB Past Member

**Review of Accreditation of Architectural Programmes Criteria and  
Procedures**

The handbook has been updated to include revised admission requirements, curriculum details, and amended Professional Assessment (PA) criteria and procedures. The updated handbook has been released on the HKIA website.

**CAA exit and the eligibility of graduates of CAA accredited programmes for  
HKIA/ARB PA**

A transitional arrangement for HKIA/ARB Professional Assessment eligibility will be adopted. This arrangement will remain valid for two (2) years following the withdrawal from the Commonwealth Association of Architects (CAA) on 20 October 2025. HKIA and ARB will continue to recognise architectural programmes listed on the 2020 CAA-accredited list for Professional Assessment eligibility.

2 announcement has released:

- Public Announcement – Withdrawal from the Commonwealth Association of Architects

This announcement focuses on HKIA's withdrawal and includes reference to transitional arrangements that will be put in place.

(Announcement: <https://hkia.net/en/whatson/3/information/detail/1106> )



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Announcement – Transitional Arrangement for Professional Architect (PA) Eligibility This announcement provides detailed information on the transitional arrangements affecting candidates' eligibility for PA registration. It will be sent directly (via targeted blast) to all current and potential candidates. (Announcement: <a href="https://hkia.net/en/whatson/3/information/detail/1117">https://hkia.net/en/whatson/3/information/detail/1117</a>)</li></ul>																														
3.	Professional Assessment (PA)	<p><b><u>PA 2025 – Result announcement of Professional Assessment (PA) 2025 – Paper 1, 2, 6, 7 and 8</u></b></p> <p>The results of Professional Assessment 2025 – Papers 1, 2, 6, 7 and 8 is summarized below. It is being audited and was released on 24 February 2026.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="421 775 1437 1368"><thead><tr><th><b>Paper</b></th><th><b>Passing Rate (PA2025)</b></th><th><b>No. of passed candidates/ Total no. of candidates (PA2025)</b></th><th><i>Passing Rate (PA2024) (for reference only)</i></th><th><i>No. of passed candidates/ Total no. of candidates (PA2024)</i></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td><b>1</b></td><td><b>64.18%</b></td><td><b>181/282</b></td><td><i>57.33%</i></td><td><i>215/375</i></td></tr><tr><td><b>2</b></td><td><b>75 %</b></td><td><b>135/180</b></td><td><i>78.54%</i></td><td><i>205/261</i></td></tr><tr><td><b>6</b></td><td><b>69.75 %</b></td><td><b>143/205</b></td><td><i>63.82%</i></td><td><i>180/282</i></td></tr><tr><td><b>7</b></td><td><b>53.08%</b></td><td><b>112/211</b></td><td><i>61.07%</i></td><td><i>160/262</i></td></tr><tr><td><b>8</b></td><td><b>89.15 % (7 zero marks due to plagiarism)</b></td><td><b>115/129</b></td><td><i>94.76% (3 zero marks due to plagiarism)</i></td><td><i>181/191</i></td></tr></tbody></table> <p><b><u>PA 2025 – Professional Interview</u></b></p> <p>The Professional Interview of PA 2025 Q1 will be conducted on 25 March 2026 (Tuesday) at Harbour Grand Hotel, registration will be opened in the last week of February. Altogether 178 candidates passed all the written papers and the NLAP candidates and are eligible for taking Professional Interview on 25 March 2026. As of deadline on 4 March, 157 candidates registered for the Professional Interview.</p> <p><b><u>Reform / Changes of PA - Papers 3, 4 &amp; 5 (Combined)</u></b></p> <p>The ongoing tasks include the announcement of sample questions of new integrated question section, revision of PA Handbook, the updating of content for lecture series and the updates of Study Guides which are targeted to be ready in April 2026. Workshop is arranged with Chief Coordinator and Subject Panel Chairs of Papers 3, 4 and 5 in late 2026.</p> <p><b><u>Paper fees</u></b></p>	<b>Paper</b>	<b>Passing Rate (PA2025)</b>	<b>No. of passed candidates/ Total no. of candidates (PA2025)</b>	<i>Passing Rate (PA2024) (for reference only)</i>	<i>No. of passed candidates/ Total no. of candidates (PA2024)</i>	<b>1</b>	<b>64.18%</b>	<b>181/282</b>	<i>57.33%</i>	<i>215/375</i>	<b>2</b>	<b>75 %</b>	<b>135/180</b>	<i>78.54%</i>	<i>205/261</i>	<b>6</b>	<b>69.75 %</b>	<b>143/205</b>	<i>63.82%</i>	<i>180/282</i>	<b>7</b>	<b>53.08%</b>	<b>112/211</b>	<i>61.07%</i>	<i>160/262</i>	<b>8</b>	<b>89.15 % (7 zero marks due to plagiarism)</b>	<b>115/129</b>	<i>94.76% (3 zero marks due to plagiarism)</i>	<i>181/191</i>
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The proposal to combine Papers 3, 4, and 5 into a single Paper, the registration fee for each papers are amended as below with effective from PA 2027 (the registration will be opened in 2026 October).		
Items	Current Fee	New Fee
Paper 1 fee	1250	1750
Paper 2 fee	1250	1750
Paper 3 fee	1250	1750 (a combined paper)
Paper 4 fee	1250	
Paper 5 fee	1250	
Paper 6 fee	1750	1750
Paper 7 fee	1750	1750
Paper 8 fee	1250	1750

Board of External Affairs (BExA)

1.	UIA World Congress 2026 in Barcelona	<p>Date: 28th June, 2026 - 5th July, 2026 (8 days)</p> <p>Venue: Disney Hub, CCIB, 3X</p> <p>Theme: "Becoming. Architectures for a planet in transition"</p> <p>Major Event: UIA Opening Ceremony, Exhibition, seminars and workshop, conferences, meetings, UIA Awards Ceremony, Closing Ceremony, site visit</p> <p>Hong Kong Parallel Session: 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 (Tentative)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- To provide a platform for our Members, Hong Kong architects, to present research papers and projects to a global audience, facilitating knowledge exchange and professional dialogue.</li> </ul> <p>HKIA submitted a Project Sponsorship Programme (PSP) application to the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Brussels (HKETO Brussels) · proposed PSP period is scheduled from 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 to 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2026 (6 nights), including round-trip flights between Hong Kong and Barcelona.</p>
2	ARCASIA 23 <sup>rd</sup> Forum in India	<p>Location: Delhi, Jaipur &amp; Agra (India's iconic Golden Triangle)</p> <p>Date: 8th –12th September, 2026 (5 days)</p> <p>Theme: "Bringing Back... Vernacular Wisdom"</p> <p>Major Event: Forum Conference, ARCASIA Committee meeting, ARCASIA Council meeting, Awards night dinner, Friendship night,</p>



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		<p>site visit tours...</p> <p>In view of safety considerations for the trip to India, participants are advised to follow the full itinerary and therefore no activities will be organised by HKIA within the programme.</p> <p>HKIA submitted a Project Sponsorship Programme (PSP) application to the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Singapore (HKETO Singapore) , proposed PSP period is scheduled from 7<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 (6 nights), including round-trip flights between Hong Kong and Delhi, India.</p>
3.	8th March, Celebrations of 2026 International Women's Day	<p>HKIA presented 6 of our women architects who won Young Architects Award (YAA) to share their vision in design and architecture in HKIA Facebook and Instagram.</p> <p>The 6 past YAA winners include: Ar. CHAN Lai Kiu, Ar. CHEUNG Lok Yee Betsy, Ar. HO Kar Yan Helen, Ar. CHIU Hang Mei Mary Grace, Ar. MUI Sze Wa Sarah, Ar. CHENG Shun Nei Irene.</p> <p>Posts included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- A statement of their vision in design and architecture</li><li>- One photo of works they have done or a project that they like</li><li>- One photo of themselves</li></ul> <p>FB: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1HWBECvMzv/">https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1HWBECvMzv/</a></p> <p>IG: <a href="#">International Women's Day</a></p>
4.	BExA Public Sharing on 13th March 2026	<p><b><u>Global Perspective: HKIA Delegates Share International Insights</u></b></p> <p>Date: 13 Mar 2026, Friday</p> <p>Time: 19:00 - 20:40</p> <p>Mode: In person and zoom</p> <p>Venue: HKIA Premises, 19/F One Hysan Avenue, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong</p> <p>Language: Cantonese, supplemented with English</p> <p>CPD Hours: 1.5 hours</p> <p>Admission: Free</p> <p>Quota: In person: 70 persons ; Zoom: 500 persons (First-come-first-served)</p> <p>Enrolments:</p> <p>Online: 104</p>



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		<p>In-person: 14 (including speakers)</p> <p>Rundown:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 19:00 - 19:05   Introduction (by Charis Mok)</li><li>• 19:05 - 19:20   ARCASIA Asian Congress of Architects - Incheon, South Korea (by Charis Mok, Joe MA)</li><li>• GROUP PHOTO 1</li><li>• 19:20 - 19:35   ARCASIA Student Jamboree 2025 (by Priscilla Chen, Amy Shum)</li><li>• 19:35 - 19:50   ARCASIA Student Design Competition Award (by Tony Chiu)</li><li>• 19:50 - 20:05   Fontainebleau Schools Summer Programme (by Matthew Chung)</li><li>• 20:05 - 20:20   UIA International Forum - Kuala Lumpur (by Owen Lam and Anthony Cheng)</li><li>• 20:20 - 20:30   Q&amp;A Session</li><li>• 20:30 - 20:35   Promotion of UIA World Congress of Architects in Barcelona in June and ARCASIA Forum in India in September (by Ching Tong)</li><li>• 20:35 - 20:40   GROUP PHOTO 2</li></ul>
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Board of Internal Affairs (BIA)

1.	Annual Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Annual Awards Exhibition was held at H6 CONET, The Center<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Exhibition period was from 18 Jan - 2 Feb</li><li>○ Opening Ceremony was successfully held on 19 Jan, 6-7pm</li></ul></li><li>• The Architectural Talk was successfully held on 1 Feb<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 1 Feb (Sun)</li><li>○ Time: 2-5pm</li><li>○ Attendance: 20 pax</li></ul></li><li>• The Architectural Walk series is confirmed for 5 projects. 3 projects were successfully held.</li><li>• #1 Kowloon Tsai Swimming Pool Complex<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 14 Feb 2026 (Sat)</li><li>○ Time: 10:00-11:00am</li><li>○ Attendance: 19 pax</li></ul></li></ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• #2 Kai Tai Sports Park<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Rescheduled to 4 April due to unexpected closure of venue for a major event on original date</li></ul></li><li>• #3 Recycle Station (Wong Tai Sin)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 14 Feb 2026 (Sat)</li><li>○ Time: 10:00-11:00am</li><li>○ Attendance: 13 pax</li></ul></li><li>• #4 ProVista InnoPark<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 14 Mar 2026 (Sat)</li><li>○ Time: 9-6pm</li><li>○ Attendance: 30 pax</li></ul></li><li>• #5 The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen (Phase II) will be held on 28 Mar (Sat)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 28 Mar (Sat)</li><li>○ Time: 12-7pm</li></ul></li></ul>
2	Sports Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• RSCP Volleyball Tournament 2025 was held on 24 Jan, which is organized by HKIA<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ HKIA successfully secured the champion title and marked the fourth consecutive victory in the tournament</li><li>○ Date: 24 Jan (Sat)</li><li>○ Time: 10am-9pm</li><li>○ Location: Christian Alliance International School</li></ul></li><li>• RSCP 19th JP Golf Tournament 2026 will be held on 22 Apr, which is organized by HKDA<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 22 Apr (Wed)</li><li>○ Time: 10:30am-6pm</li><li>○ Location: The Clearwater Bay Golf &amp; Country Club</li></ul></li></ul>
3.	Music Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• An event “全方位養生 Talk: 「中醫・音樂・保健」工作坊” was successfully held on 5 Feb<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 5 Feb (Thu)</li><li>○ Time: 7:30pm-9pm</li><li>○ Location: ARB Room, HKIA Premises</li><li>○ Attendance: 60 pax in person; 40 pax via Zoom</li></ul></li></ul>
4.	Annual Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Annual Report 2023 and 2024 are completed, will collect materials from Boards/Groups for Annual Report 2025</li></ul>
5.	Member Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• HKIA Member Exclusive: French Wine Tasting Workshop was successfully held on 16 Jan<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 16 Jan (Fri)</li><li>○ Time: 6:30-9pm</li><li>○ Location: ARB Room, HKIA Premises</li><li>○ Attendance: Around 40 pax</li></ul></li><li>• HKIA Member Exclusive: Tea Therapy Workshop was successfully held on 5 Mar</li></ul>



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 5 Mar (Thu)</li><li>○ Time: 7:30-9pm</li><li>○ Location: ARB Room, HKIA Premises</li><li>○ Attendance: Around 25 pax</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Special CPD event: Space and Sound in Architecture Part 1 &amp; 2<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Part 1: Opening the Ears of the Architects</li><li>○ Date: 20 Mar (Fri)</li><li>○ Time: 7-9pm</li><li>○ Location: ARB Room, HKIA Premises</li><li>○ Attendance: Around 15 pax</li></ul></li><li>Part 2: Immersion in Sound and Vision<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 27 Mar (Fri)</li><li>○ Time: 7-9pm</li></ul></li></ul> <p>Location: BeTrue Studio</p>
6.	Spring Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Spring Reception was successfully held on 27 Feb, with all esteemed guests and members gathered<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Date: 27 Feb (Fri)</li><li>○ Time: 7-9pm</li><li>○ Location: Summit View 58, Hopewell Hotel</li></ul></li></ul> <p>Attendance: 120 pax</p>
	Sponsorship	<p><b>Spring Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Diamond \$50,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Henderson Land Development Company Ltd</li></ul></li></ul> <p><b>HKIA Annual Dinner cum Annual Awards 2026 Presentation Ceremony</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Diamond \$100,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Henderson Land Development Company Ltd</li><li>○ Sino Group</li></ul></li><li>● Platinum \$60,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ New World Development Co. Ltd.</li></ul></li><li>● Gold \$40,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ LWK &amp; Partners HK Ltd</li><li>○ S.K.K (HK) Co Limited</li><li>○ Urban Renewal Authority</li></ul></li><li>● Silver \$15,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Cementaid (Hong Kong) Limited</li><li>○ Chevalier Group</li></ul></li></ul> <p><b>HKIA International Conference</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Gold \$40,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ BEAM Society Limited</li><li>○ Urban Renewal Authority</li></ul></li><li>● Silver \$15,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Cementaid (Hong Kong) Limited</li></ul></li></ul> <p><b>HKIA The Voice of Architects Singing Contest 2026</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Silver \$10,000</li></ul>



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Cementaid (Hong Kong) Limited</li></ul> <p><b>HKIA 36th Young Architect Award</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Exclusive Award Title Sponsor \$100,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Henderson Land Development Company Ltd</li></ul></li></ul>
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Board of Local Affairs (BLA)

1.	Nominations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• LEONG On U, Derrick was nominated to EPD as member to serve the Asbestos Administration Committee for the term of office starting from 8 Mar 2026 to 7 Mar 2028</li><li>• The following members were nominated to CIC as members to serve on the Industry Development Committees for the term of office starting from 1 May 2026 to 30 Apr 2028<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Mainland Affairs and Business Development Committees: 1. TAM Kwok Chi 2. TSANG Kwok Leung, Derrick</li><li>2. Environment and Sustainability Committees: 1. CHAN Chui Yi, Corrin 2. IEONG In Leng, Yvonne</li><li>3. Smart Construction Committees: 1. CHEUNG Kong Yeung, Thomas 2. CHEUNG Wing Man, Vivian</li><li>4. Construction Safety Committees: 1. CHEUNG Wing Man, Vivian 2. TAM Kwok Chi</li></ol></li><li>• The following members were nominated to HyD as members to serve on the Committee on the Appearance of Bridges and Associated Structures (CABAS) for the term of office starting from 1 Jan 2026 - 31 Dec 2026<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. CHOW Ka Wing, Rachel</li><li>2. CHAN Kin Wang, Kenneth</li><li>3. CHEUNG Wing Man, Vivian</li><li>4. CHING Yuk Yu, Eugene</li></ol></li><li>• The following members were nominated to HKGBC as members to serve on the Standing Committee Co-opted Members for the term of office starting from 2026 – 2027<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Communications and Membership Committee (CMC): CHAN Chui Yi, Corrin</li><li>2. Green Labelling Committee (GLC): BEH Kiang Hioke, Kentis</li></ol></li></ul> <p>CHAN Chui Man, Truman was re-appointed to CIC as member to serve the Task Force on Design for Safety for the term of office starting from 1 Feb 2026 to 31 Jan 2028</p>
2.	Local Affairs	<p><u>HKIA Recommendations for the 2026-2027 Budget</u> Comments were submitted to the Financial Secretary on 20 Feb 2026.</p>



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		<p><u>HKIA Response to the 2026-2027 Budget</u> Comments were submitted to the Financial Secretary on 13 Mar 2026.</p>
3.	Events	<p><b>Hong Kong Pioneer Architects in the 50s Talk &amp; Walk Series – Talk 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organiser: HKIA H&amp;CC</li><li>• Date: 22 Nov 2025</li><li>• Attendance: 88 participants</li></ul> <p><b>Hong Kong Pioneer Architects in the 50s Talk &amp; Walk Series – Walk 1</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organiser: HKIA H&amp;CC</li><li>• Date: 29 Nov 2025</li><li>• Attendance: 29 participants</li></ul> <p><b>Hong Kong Pioneer Architects in the 50s Talk &amp; Walk Series – Talk 2</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organiser: HKIA H&amp;CC</li><li>• Date: 6 Dec 2025</li></ul>



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- Attendance: 85 participants

### Hong Kong Pioneer Architects in the 50s Talk & Walk Series – Walk 2



- Organiser: HKIA H&CC
- Date: 13 Dec 2025
- Attendance: 40 participants



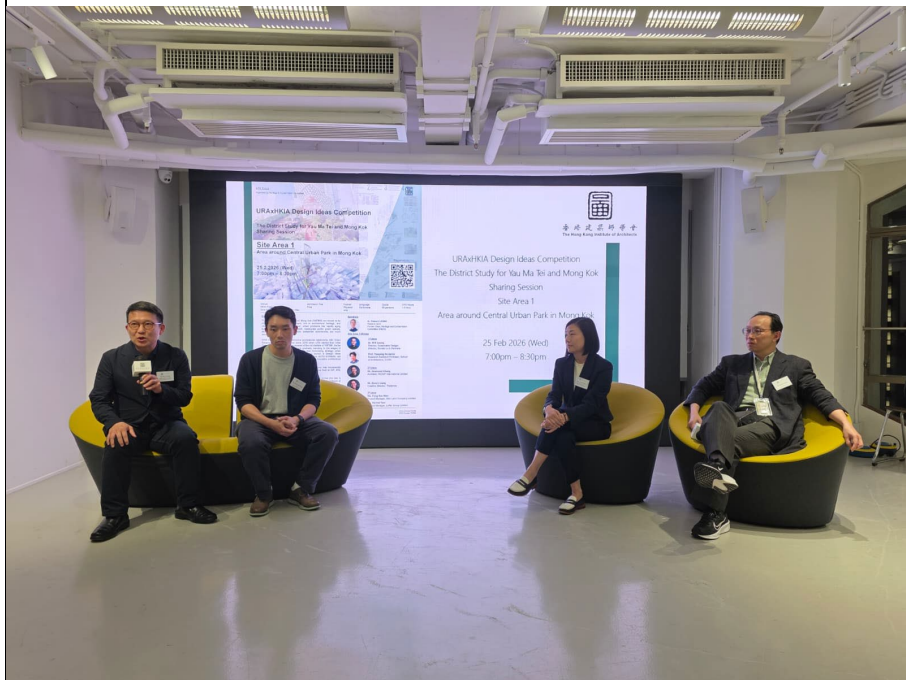
### Joint Institutes Event – Guided Tour to the Chinese Medicine Hospital (CMH) and the Government Chinese Medicines Testing Institute (GCMTI)

- Organiser: HKIA BLA
- 24 Jan 2026
- Attendance: 140 participants



**URAxHKIA Design Ideas Competition The District Study for Yau Ma Tei and Mong Kok Sharing Sessions - Site Area 1: Area around Central Urban Park in Mong Kok**

- Organiser: HKIA H&CC
- Date: 25 Feb 2026
- Attendance: 20 participants



**URAxHKIA Design Ideas Competition The District Study for Yau Ma Tei and Mong Kok Sharing Sessions - Site Area 2: Area around the Heritage Park in Yau Ma Tei**

- Organiser: HKIA H&CC
- Date: 26 Feb 2026
- Attendance: 25 participants



**HKIA x KFBG Urban Agriculture: Planning, Implementation & Community Engagement**

- Co-Organisers: HKIA + KFBG
- Date: 11 Apr 2026

**CPD Seminar: Sustainability and Carbon Neutrality**

- Organiser: HKIA UDPSC
- Date: 27 Apr 2026

**CPD Sharing Series: Oral History Project**

- Organiser: HKIA H&CC
- Date: TBC

Board of Mainland and Belt & Road Affairs (BMBRA)

1.	Connection with Mainland	<p><u>2026 年香港建築師學會北京參觀交流團預拜訪 (2025 年 12 月 11 日至 12 日)</u></p> <p>2025 年 12 月 11 日至 12 日, BMBRA 聯席副主席雷冠源建築師和北京辦助理經理 Lily 分別拜訪了北京規劃和自然資源委員會、中國對外承包工程商會、北京工程勘察設計協會。主要為學會 2026 年北京參觀交流團活動、學會 70 周年活動相關事宜進行交流。</p>
2.	Conference and seminar	<p><u>AI 賦能醫療築造·低空鏈接灣區未來—2025 醫療建築建設與發展主題論壇 (2025 年 12 月 12 日)</u></p> <p>2025 年 12 月 12 日, 我學會理事張穎敏建築師、詹君哲建築師參加了是次論壇活動。</p>



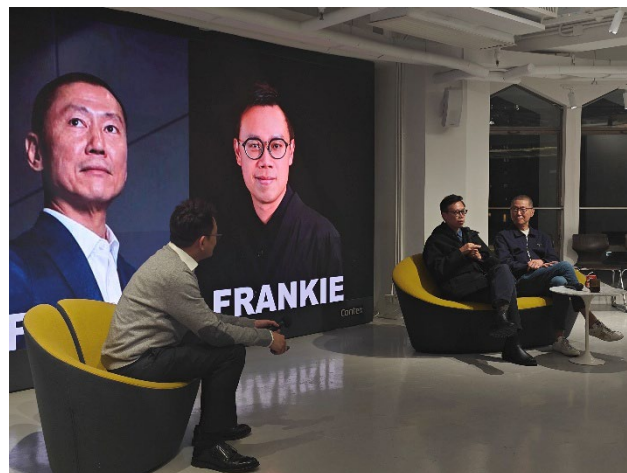
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### 香港建築師北漂故事系列（三）（2026年1月23日）

2026年1月23日，內地及一帶一路事務部專業拓展及外聯委員會成功舉辦了第三次“香港建築師北漂故事分享會”。





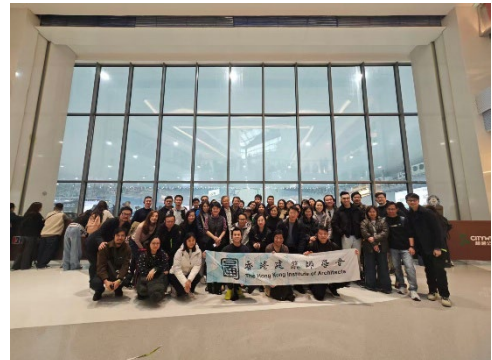
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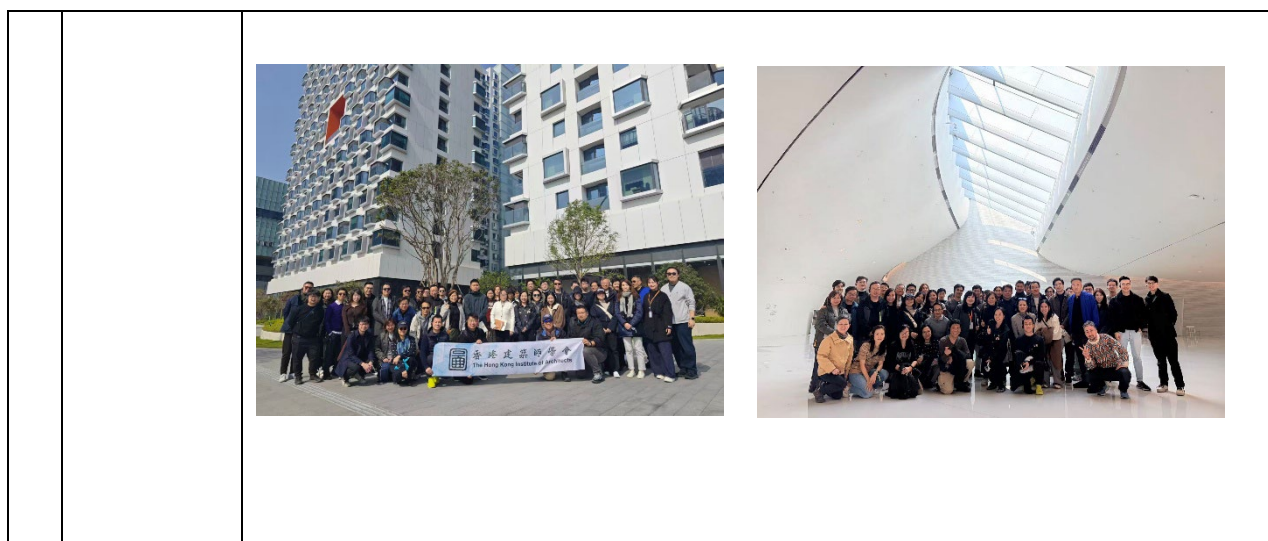


3. Tour to Mainland

深圳一日參觀活動 (2026 年 1 月 24 日)

2026 年 1 月 24 日，BMBRA 成功舉辦了深圳一日建築行活動。本次活動參訪了深圳三大當代建築地標，共吸引 56 位會員與非會員參與。







Board of Practices (BP)

1.	BIM	The renewal of BIM Manager/Coordinator courses have been submitted to CIC on 12 December 2025 and CIC has approved the renewal on 31 December 2025
2	Joint Dispute Resolution	A Joint Dispute Resolution Committee (JDRC) has been established by HKIA and HKIS to jointly manage the admission and appointment of Arbitrators and Mediators. The terms of HKIA for the operation of the JDRC has been ended on 31 December 2025 and handover to HKIS on 1 January 2026.
3.	Renewal of Corporate Membership 2026	149 out of 180 RPs have completed the renewal procedure as of 17 Mar 2026. Reminders have been issued to the remaining RPs.
4.	New Standard Form of Building Contract 2025	<p>HKIA, HKIS, HKICM have collaboratively developed the new Standard Form of Building Contract. Announcement about the updates and the pre-launching copy as of 29 August has been released on the HKIA website:  <a href="https://www.hkia.net/en/whats-on/3/information/detail/899">https://www.hkia.net/en/whats-on/3/information/detail/899</a></p> <p>The joint seminar: Introduction of the New Standard Form of Contract for Building Works 2025 by Pinsent Masons was hosted in 2026.</p> <p><b><u>CPD Seminar Introduction of the new SFBC and the Guidance Notes (Co-Organised by HKIA, HKICM &amp; HKIS)</u></b></p> <p>Date and Time: 2 Mar 2026 (Tue), 7:00pm – 8:30pm            Venue: HKIS Surveyors Learning Centre            HKIA Participants: 365 members</p>





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5.	Directory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Directory is available to collect in Jan 2026</li><li>- RPs and the first 100 individual members can collect a free copy at HKIA Premises</li></ul>



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6.	Past events in January to March Upcoming events	<p><b><u>Exclusive Exchange Session with The Hong Kong Association of Property Services Agents</u></b></p> <p>Date and Time: 15 Jan 2026 (Thu), 6:45pm – 9:00pm Venue: HKIA Premises Participants: 9 PRs representatives</p> <p>RP's were offered 5 mins presentation during the session and a Mingling session afterwards.</p> 



**NEC4 ECC Project Manager Accreditation Course**

**Class 7**

Date:

09 May 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

16 May 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

23 May 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

30 May 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

Venue: HKIA Premises

Status: Under registration

**Class 8**

Date:

06 Jun 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

13 Jun 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

20 Jun 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

27 Jun 2026 (Sat), 9:00am – 5:00pm

Venue: HKIA Premises

Status: Under registration

**Continuous Professional Development Office (CPDO)**

1.	CPD Events	<b>Events Coverage in 2025</b>	
		<b>Topic Area</b>	<b>No. of Events</b>
		Building Structures, Services and Materials & Technology	22
		Architectural Design	18



	Industry Partner	12
	Landscape Design	11
	Heritage Conservation	9
	Academic, Research & Development	8
	Contract Administration	7
	Building Laws	6
	Project Management	4
	Dispute Management	3
	Environmental & Sustainable Design	3
	Construction Management	2
	Interior Design	2
	Other topics relevant to the profession	0
	<b>Events November 25 to February 26</b>	
	<u>Orientop Limited (25 Nov 2025)</u>	
	CPD Seminar: Structural Glass Applications in Modern Architectural Design The seminar received 897 registrations and focused on the materials that being used in many architectural projects therefore participants were very active in Q&A session to learn more about the shared materials.	
	<u>Denka Construction Solutions Far East Limited (18 Dec 2025)</u>	
	CPD Seminar: Basement Waterproofing Standard Between Hong Kong and China The seminar attracted 500 participants attending. Participants were interested in the technology and the seminar resulted with several discussions between participants and speakers.	
	<u>Marsh (Hong Kong) Limited (12 Jan 2026)</u>	
	CPD Seminar: Mastering Professional Negligence: Risk Transfer Solutions and Contract Review Tips The seminar received 301 participants attended. Speakers had shared different kind of cases which they have handled in the past and has brought out the curiosity of participants as many of them reflected that they would like to learn more about the background of different cases.	
	<u>Leigei Stone Company Limited (13 Jan 2026)</u>	
	CPD Seminar: Stone Essentials: Understanding, Application, Maintenance There were 337 participants attending the seminar. Speakers shared different types of stone materials and explained how each of them fit in the construction projects.	
	<u>CPD Seminar: Role of a Specified Professional under the Basic</u>	



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		<p><b><u>Housing Unit Regulatory Regime (22 Jan 2026)</u></b></p> <p>The seminar CPD Seminar: Role of a Specified Professional under the Basic Housing Unit Regulatory Regime introduced the new regulation by government and received 303 participants attending. Participants raised different kinds of concern and brought out discussions with speakers in the Q&amp;A session.</p> <p><b><u>CPD Guided Tour: Lau Fau Shan Former Police Station (24 Jan 2026)</u></b></p> <p>The CPD Guided Tour: Lau Fau Shan Former Police Station attracted 17 participants attending. The tour introduced how the former Police Station turned into a guided dogs training station which participants were interested in the project and recommended that HKIA should arrange more events on heritage topics.</p> <p><b><u>Master Series 2 (3 Feb 2026)</u></b></p> <p>CPD Seminar: Hong Kong Chinese Medicine Hospital &amp; Government Chinese Medicines Testing Institute The Master Series 2 - CPD Seminar: Hong Kong Chinese Medicine Hospital &amp; Government Chinese Medicines Testing Institute received 129 participants attending. The topic was fascinating to members as this shall be the latest and newest building in Hong Kong recently. In the Q&amp;A session, participants also mentioned that the concepts of building design were impressive.</p>
2	Others	<p><b>CPD Random Checking and Declaration 2025</b></p> <p>A total of 192 members were selected for random checking for the CPD period from 1 October 2024 to 30 September 2025.</p> <p>The final submission deadline of CPD declarations has been extended to 31 January 2026. In total, 28 members who failed to provide a satisfactory CPD declaration for two consecutive years will be removed from the HKIA membership list.</p>

Competition Advisory Unit (CAU)

1.	Competitions	<p><b><u>Glowin The Art - Visual Design Competition for S960 Footbridge at Fanling North New Development Area</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The competition aimed at creating a distinctive graphic or pattern for the new pedestrian-cyclist footbridge at Lung Yeuk Tau.</li><li>• Websites: <a href="http://www.nm-glowintheart.hk">www.nm-glowintheart.hk</a></li><li>• Tentative Programme: 2 March 2026 – Registration opens 14 March 2026 – Site Tour, Seminar and Design Charette</li></ul>
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17 March 2026 – Registration closes  
17 March 2026 – Competition Enquiry closes  
24 March 2026 – Submission Entry closes  
26 March 2026 – Shortlisting  
29 March 2026 – Interview and Adjudication  
18 April 2026 – Announcement of Results and Prize and Award Ceremony

### **Saint Gobain – Architecture Student Contest**

- ASC 2026 Hong Kong stage with HKIA  
Date: 8th May 2026  
Draft agenda:  
Contest: 13:00-16:00;  
Seminar: 16:15-17:30  
Cocktail networking: 17:30-19:30  
Venue: HKIA office, 19/F, One Hysan Avenue, Causeway Bay

### **PolyU FCE Build a Smart City Competition 2026**

- Part I: 2-day Workshop (26 June & 3 July 2026)
- Part II: Presentation Day (14 August 2026)
- Key Dates:  
9 March 2026 - Open for Applications  
13 April 2026 - Application Deadline  
29 May 2026 - Confirmation of Successful Applications  
22 June 2026 - Online Briefing Session  
26 June & 3 July 2026 - 2-day Workshop  
14 August 2026 - Presentation Day  
October 2026 (Info Day) - Award Presentation Ceremony

### **"Build a Dream HK" Hong Kong Children & Youth Architectural Design Competition**

- Theme: "Our City, Our Home: Designing the Next Community Landmark for Hong Kong"
- Category: Individual Section/ Group Session
- Proposed Timeline:  
Late March 2026 - Press Conference / Official Launch  
Mid-June 2026 - Competition Briefing Session  
31 July 2026 - Application Deadline  
31 August 2026 - Submission Deadline  
September 2026 - Judging Period (Preliminary & Final)  
Mid-October 2026 - Announcement of Results  
Early December 2026 (2 weeks) - Public Exhibition of Winning Works  
Mid-December 2026 - Award Ceremony cum Gala Dinner



Young Affairs Group (YAG)

1.	External Affairs Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Joint young professional networking event               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Collaborate with HKICPA, HKIS, HKIE, HKIOD, HKBA, HKCGI, LSHK</li> <li>○ Date: 29 January (Thu)</li> <li>○ Time: 7-9pm</li> <li>○ Attendance: 200 pax (40 HKIA member)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2.	Education & Career Developments Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• YAG x UABB2025 x GDGHK the ArchiTech Hackathon: Bridging Architecture and AI               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Collaborate with Google Developer Group (GDGHK) &amp; UABB 2025</li> <li>○ Date: 24 March (Sun)</li> <li>○ Time: 9-12am</li> <li>○ Attendance: 40 pax (20 HKIA member + 20 GDGHK memnners )</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Paper 9 Sharing               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Date: 15 March (Sun)</li> <li>○ Time: 10-12am</li> <li>○ Attendance: 96 pax (59 in person &amp; 37 on zoom)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3.	Media and Promotion Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Content Curator (Social media campaign)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dec 2025 to April 2026</li> <li>○ 10 Social media posts on HKIA &amp; YAG Social Media</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>More than 63K views and 1K likes on Instagram (up to 20 March 2026)</p>

Projects

1.	Venice Biennale International Architectural Exhibition 2025	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">   </div> <p><b><u>Completion of Venice Exhibition</u></b></p> <p>Curated by Ar. Fai Au, Prof. Ying Zhou, and Ar. Sunnie Lau, Hong Kong's exhibition at the 19<sup>th</sup> Venice Biennale International Architecture Exhibition – La Biennale di Venezia 2025 concluded</p>
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successfully on 23 November 2025 at Campo della Tana, Venice, Italy. Approximately 49,000 people visited “Projecting Future Heritage: A Hong Kong Archive.”

### **Completion of Bangkok Roving Exhibition**

Listed as an official programme of the Creative Economy Agency’s Bangkok Design Week 2026, “Projecting Future Heritage: A Hong Kong Archive” was held from 29 January to 13 February 2026 at the Former Residence of Prince Sawasdiprawat (Sommot Amornhbhand), 48 Samran Rat, Phra Nakhon, Bangkok 10200, Thailand. The exhibition welcomed approximately 3,600 visitors.

The Opening Ceremony and its corresponding VIP Tour were held on 31 January 2026 at 5 PM (BKK Time), attended by approximately 60 guests. Mr. Pichit Virankabutra, Deputy Executive Director of the Creative Economy Agency (CEA), officiated the event, joined by HKIABF Chairperson Ar. Allen Poon and Curators Ar. Fai Au, Dr. Ying Zhou, and Ar. Sunnie Lau.

Distinguished VIP guests such as Mr. Sathirut Tandanand, Vice President of the Association of Siamese Architects under Royal Patronage (ASA) and ARCASIA President (2015–2016), were also in attendance.





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Several key events such as Media / Press Tours were organised between 29 January and 1 February 2026. Exhibition Forums were held on 1 February 2026, beginning 10:30 AM (BKK Time), with the participation of locally and internationally respected architects, architectural practitioners, educators and designers.



### **Upcoming Exhibitions in Hong Kong and Shanghai**


Preparation for the next roving exhibitions in Shanghai and Hong Kong are currently underway.

#### **Shanghai Exhibition:**

Tentative Exhibition Period: June 2026

Tentative Venue: TBC



		<p><u>Hong Kong Exhibition:</u> Tentative Exhibition Period: Q4 2026 Tentative Venue: TBC</p> <p>Event Website: <a href="https://2025.vbexhibitions.hk/">https://2025.vbexhibitions.hk/</a></p>
2.	2025 Bi-City Biennale of Urbanism\ Architecture (Hong Kong) (UABB2025)	<p><b>1. Completion of UABBHK 2025 Exhibition</b></p> <p>The UABBHK2025 exhibition “<u>Techformance – Technology, Platform, Performance</u>” at Oil Street Art Space (Oi!) and East Kowloon Cultural Center (EKCC) ran from 27 November 2025 and 16 December 2025 respectively and concluded successfully with the Closing Ceremony and Forum at Oil Street Art Space on 24 January 2026. A total of 101,700 people visited the Hong Kong exhibition, with around 50,000 visitors from each of the venues.</p> <p><b>2. Opening Symposium</b></p> <p>In view of the fire incident in November 2025, the UABBHK 2025 Grand Opening was transitioned into the Opening Symposium at EKCC on 16 December 2026. Over 125 participants attended in-person and 220 online viewers joined via streaming.</p>  <p><b>3. Media, VIP Tour and CCIDA Visit (UABB Day)</b></p> <p>A UABB day was held at Oi! and EKCC on 9 January 2026. 20 media and online influencers and 60 VIPs joined the tour, including CCIDA representatives.</p>



#### 4. Closing Ceremony and Forum

The Closing Ceremony and Forum took place at Oil Street Art Space on 24 January 2026. Over 80 participants attended in-person and 160 online viewers joined via streaming.



#### 5. Events

7 Sessions of Tech Sundays were conducted where sharing were made by exhibitors and guest speakers, as summarized below:

- Tech Sunday #1: Digital Commons & Tech-Enabled Community Infrastructures was held at DX Design Hub



		<p>on 23 November 2025, with 25 participants joined in-person and 65 joined online.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #2 (AM): Collective Intelligence &amp; Community-Driven Co-creation</u> was held at Oi! on 30 November 2025, with 25 participants joined in-person and 65 joined online.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #2 (PM): Environmental Sensing, Feedback and Data Interpretation</u> was held at Oi! on 30 November 2025, with 25 participants joined in-person and 65 joined online.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #3: Speculative Futures &amp; Ecological Narratives in Architecture</u> was held at EKCC on 16 December 2025. The program was changed to integrated with the Opening Symposium.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #4: AI-enabled Alternatives: Changes in Design Conventions</u> was held at EKCC on 21 December 2025, with 40 participants joined in-person and 65 joined online.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #5: Sensory Immersion &amp; Perception in Architecture</u> was held at EKCC on 4 January 2026, with 40 participants joined in-person and 80 joined online.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #6 (AM) : Cultural Identity &amp; Ritual in the AI-Enhanced Urban Realm</u> was held at Oi! on 18 January 2026, with 40 participants joined in-person and 80 joined online.</li><li>• <u>Tech Sunday #6 (PM) : Craft, Algorithm, and Robotic Fabrication: Revitalizing Material Practice</u> was held at Oi! on 18 January 2026, with 40 participants joined in-person and 80 joined online.</li></ul> <p><b>6. Guided Tours</b></p> <p>8 tours were held at Oi! and 4 tours were held at EKCC, with approximately 200 and 100 total participants respectively.</p> <p><b>7. Shenzhen Exhibition (UABBSZ)</b></p> <p>UABBSZ – City Theatre is located at Hetao Science and Technology Innovation Centre. 25 Hong Kong exhibits are on</p>
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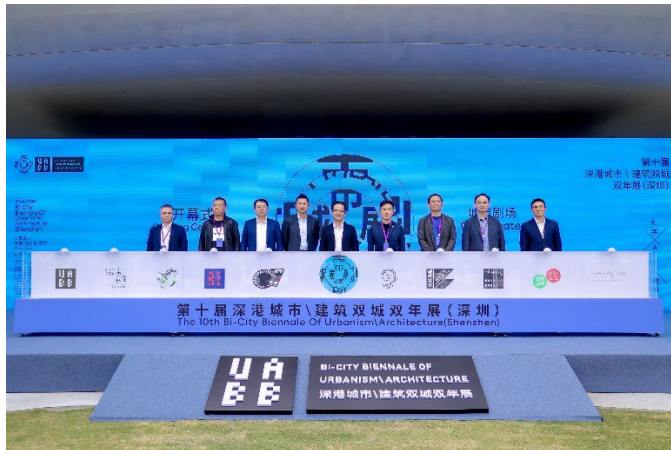


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display in both physical and digital format at the Hong Kong Pavilion. The SZ Exhibition has recorded over 430,000 total number of visitors as of 11 March 2026.



The Grand Opening of UABBSZ was held successfully at Shenzhen Talent Park on 31 January 2026.



The Closing Ceremony is expected to be held on 22 March 2026.

#### 8. Archive Book

Expected to have the first book design draft by the end of March or Early April.

Event Website: <https://uabb2025.hkia.org.hk/en/>

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27 March 2026