

Notice of 2009 Women's Planning Network Annual General Meeting

Wednesday 11 November 2009 at 6pm

The Women's Planning Network was formed in 1994 as the result of the National Women and Planning Conference held in Melbourne. The subsequent years have seen WPN become instrumental in raising the profile and participation of women working in planning and related fields which influence our built environment. WPN has celebrated its 15 year anniversary this year, and is looking forward to new and exciting projects in the coming years.

WPN invites any existing or new member of the Network to join the Committee. Committee members have great fun as a social group and, on a professional level, enjoy different opportunities and perspectives outside their work environments.

Involvement in the Committee offers a diverse range of activities. WPN members can assist in a number of ways, specific to their skill set. For example, projects that the present WPN Committee want to pursue over the next few years include:

- Running a leadership mentoring program to assist women planners to move into leadership positions;
- Coordinating a second Women in Planning Conference to be held in Melbourne in 2012;
- Continuing to produce research, and potentially extending the work completed this year on the History of Women in Victorian Planning.

In addition to the above, the committee assists in the organisation of a variety of WPN functions each year, and produces the Vantage newsletter. We are particularly interested in expanding our links and networks with regional planners, young planners, the universities, and we would love to hear from anyone interested in joining the Committee to help improve these partnerships.

The committee meets on the first Wednesday of each month at The Green Building – 60 Leicester Street, Carlton from 6pm to 8pm. All members are always welcome to attend.

Nominations are invited from WPN Members to take up positions on the Committee for 2009/2010. Please note that nominees must be current financial members of WPN. Nominations for the committee will be accepted up until the AGM on Wednesday 11 November 2009. A nomination form is attached below for your information.



AGM details:

Wednesday 11 November 2009

6:00pm

At the offices of HWL Ebsworth
Level 41, Bourke Place, 600
Bourke Street, Melbourne

The meeting will be followed by drinks
at the RACV Club at 501 Bourke Street
(between Queen and William Streets)

To RSVP please contact Micaela
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Nomination Form - WPN Committee 2009/2010

I hereby nominate

For the position of (please tick box):

President

Vice President

Treasurer

Committee member

for 2009/2010

Signature of nominator

Signature of seconder

I consent to the nomination

(signature of candidate)

Note: Current financial members of Women's Planning Network Victoria Inc. (including employees of corporate members) only eligible to nominate and vote.