

# Summary of Linkage Projects Proposals for Funding to Commence in 2009

## Queensland

### Bond University

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**Approved Project Title** **Making better decisions about built assets: learning by doing**

**2009 :** \$ 30,000

**2010 :** \$ 60,000

**2011 :** \$ 60,000

**2012 :** \$ 30,000

**Primary RFCD** 3199 OTHER ARCHITECTURE, URBAN ENVIRONMENT AND BUILDING

APA(I) Award(s): 2

#### **Collaborating/Partner Organisation(s)**

Williams Boag Architects

Assetic Pty Limited

**Administering Organisation** Bond University

#### **Project Summary**

This research will assist the built environment professions and their clients to make better decisions about new developments through a novel 'learning by doing' approach. Used successfully in other fields such as natural resource management, this idea will capitalise on the large number of asset investments undertaken to benchmark original stakeholder intentions and aspirations against the reality of current performance. Decisions will be re-evaluated in the context of contemporary economic, social and environmental criteria to enable existing multi-criteria models to deliver more sustainable outcomes that are also feasible and in the national interest, and consequently minimise the industry's current exposure to future climate change.