

We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.

## Artwork by Jason King.

Jason is a proud Gumbaynggirr man, born in Murwillumbah, and raised in nearby Tumbulgum, in Northern New South Wales. 04

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# **WHO WE ARE**

We are People Who Build. It's been that way for more than half a century and today we are one of Australia's largest construction businesses. Proudly, we continue to be family owned.

## **Our story**

A force in Australian construction – guided by family values, trust and putting people first.

The ADCO story began back in 1972. In the years since then, we've grown to be a multi-billion-dollar construction business guided by an unwavering commitment to quality, our clients, and our people. These foundations have seen us become one of the top private companies in Australia with a blue-chip client list and an award-winning portfolio of almost 4,000 successfully completed buildings from early work packages to \$300+ million projects.

## **Builder of Choice**

ADCO aspires to be the *Builder* of *Choice* for our clients, our consultants, our trade partners, and our people.

Becoming the *Builder of Choice* doesn't just happen. It takes responsibility, teamwork and a dynamic mindset. It's about delivering on our promises and bringing energy to every stage of every project to achieve shared goals. It means completing projects on time, on budget and to the highest standards possible. We call this the ADCO Way, and it's embedded in our DNA. It's the way *People Who Build* go to work.







# **EXPERTISE AND REACH**

# ADCO has a true national presence with offices throughout Australia.

ADCO is an industry leader with an operational footprint that touches every corner of the Australian market. The strength of our award-winning expertise, capability and people is reflected by exceptionally high levels of repeat business and long-established client relationships across key private and institutional corporations, as well as all levels of government.

Each year, our projects are delivered via early contractor involvement, design and construct, managing contractor, and traditional construction methods of procurement. Our national presence ensures we can offer holistic and seamlessly delivered projects up to \$300+ million anywhere in Australia.







## It is our commitment to always ask 'is there a safer choice?'

Safer by Choice is a philosophy that targets a genuine attitude change towards safety. Running deep within the ADCO business, it goes far beyond statistics and actively promotes personal responsibility and careful decision making.

Underpinned by three commitment pillars of action of Taking Responsibility; Supporting Each Other and Focusing on Positives, Safer by Choice recognises that everyone involved in the design and delivery of a project is a decision maker, and we all have the ability to improve safety, for ourselves and others, by choice.

Establishing a successful safety culture is a long-term commitment from all ADCO employees, guided, fostered and preserved by the leadership team.

ADCO was awarded the 'Office of the Federal Safety Commissioner's National Excellence in Workplace Health and Safety' award for our work on Lakelands Station project at the Master Builder's Awards in November 2022.

## **ADCO's commitment** to Quality across all areas of the business

With our Do It Once, Do It Right approach, we are dedicated to an unwavering commitment to quality, ensuring that all projects meet the highest standards from end-to-end delivery.

To reinforce this commitment, we have teams responsible for driving the initiatives and processes that uphold our Do It Once, Do It Right principles.

We foster a collaborative team culture and leadership approach, recognising that the support and contributions of each individual enable us to deliver exceptional projects.

Through the sharing of ideas, skills, experiences, training, lessons learned, and innovation opportunities, we continuously strive for positive change and ongoing improvement.









fitouts completed



45+

State and Federal Government fitouts completed



**75**+

hospitality and club refurbishments



Specialising in new fitouts and those within occupied spaces, we understand the vital importance of maintaining business continuity for tenants, occupants and asset owners.

Our extensive portfolio includes integrated commercial fitouts, tenancy make goods, Green Star and NABERS rating enhancements, retail fitouts and asset repositioning, hospitality refurbishments, integrated pharmaceutical and healthcare delivery, and adaptive reuse of redundant educational facilities.



"I have nothing but positive things to say about ADCO and their ability to deliver a project to a client's requirements whilst generating a great outcome for all parties."

Ross Douglas
BRUNEL ENERGY

"ADCO's project team provided an incredibly well finished product. Western Australia Police are very happy with the outcome."

Ron Jackson
WESTERN AUSTRALIA GOVERNMENT
BUILDING MANAGEMENT AND WORKS

# **OUR CLIENTS**

We are proud to have provided internal refurbishments for many organisations and government departments in the country. Testament to our success is our significant repeat clientele. Our fitout clients include:

Hames Sharley Head Office, WA













































## University of Western Australia (UWA) Reid Library Refurbishment, WA

## THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Located just 5 kilometers from Perth, Reid Library is one of the University's busiest buildings, boasting a substantial collection of informal learning and research spaces. It is a hub frequented by students from various UWA disciplines, as well as the broader community.

ADCO has successfully delivered the refurbishment works to this iconic building, with a goal to maximise opportunities, enhance well-being, inclusivity, and community engagement. The scope of works included addressing significant existing deficiencies and the end-of-life status of the building's service infrastructure, which involved improving sustainability and future-proofing services and infrastructure for greater efficiency and reduced costs.

Importantly, ADCO worked with the UWA team to enhance the student experience by upgrading facilities and providing contemporary spaces, supporting UWA's Master Plan, including the 2030 Vision, the 2025 Strategic Plan, and the Estate Strategy.

Type Managing Contractor
Value \$18 million
Duration 10 months







## **Enex Upgrades, WA**

## **ISPT PTY LTD**

ADCO has recently completed the live refurbishment of Enex, a PCA A-grade mixed-use commercial building that includes a loading dock in the basement, a Woolworths on Level 1, the ENEX retail mall on Level 2, and a 24-floor office tower above. The ENEX mall provides a key pedestrian link between St Georges Terrace and Hay Street.

The project involved extensive works across the 4 basement levels and 3 retail levels, including a building extension and a new facade. ADCO's brief outlined maximising unused space and improving the building's usability for tenants. To achieve this, ADCO constructed a new 8-door lift lobby to Level 2 above the existing lift lobby to the building's St Georges Terrace entrance.

As the works were conducted within a live and busy inner-city retail environment, our team programmed the works to be executed across 2 shifts spanning 19 hours (from 9 pm to 5 pm), over 19-months. This approach accommodated Woolworths' and other retail and commercial tenant's trading hours. ADCO scheduled all noisy and high-risk activities during the night shift to minimise disruptions, including the upgrade of mechanical and electrical services to meet a 4.5-star NABERS rating.

Our team delivered an excellent result for ISPT, enhancing ENEX's interior, facade and connectivity to both street frontages, as well as maximising its Net Lettable Area.

Type ECI to Design & Construct

Value \$44 million
Duration 19 months

## Hames Sharley Head Office Fitout, WA

## HAMES SHARLEY ARCHITECTS

ADCO was pleased to complete a major office space refurbishment for our architect partner Hames Sharley, making use of vacant retail space in Hay Street Mall, central Perth.

The two-storey refurbishment re-purposed disused department store space that has been vacant for 35 years, located above the existing Target store.

The project now provides upgrades to the ground floor lobby and entrance, alterations to the building's basement and structure to create bike parking facilities, the installation of two lifts, internal building connection upgrades, the extension of Level 3 to create a flexible meeting space, and the creation of a roof terrace, which is now home to the firm's beekeeping activities.



We are pleased to have been a builder of choice on the cutting-edge office facilities for award-winning Hames Sharley, with whom we have collaborated on many projects around Australia.

Type ECI to Design & Construct

Value \$5.5 million
Duration 12 months















## Parmelia Hilton Refurbishment, WA

## **HAWAIIAN GROUP**

Property group Hawaiian and hotel giant Hilton confirmed ADCO as Builder of Choice to undertake the \$42 million refurbishment of Perth CBD's Parmelia Hilton.

Designed to enhance guest experience, the project will include a revitalised exterior and lobby, modernised guestrooms, the addition of an executive lounge and a proposed connection to the neighbouring Brookfield Place precinct. Guestrooms were significantly renovated, including new bathrooms, air-conditioning upgrades, new flooring & furniture and improved in-room technology. The room count will also increase from 284 to 309 rooms and suites.

ADCO has considered the requirements of carrying out a major refurbishment in a live, operational hotel and undertook the work in seven stages.

By sequencing the works in this way, maximum construction efficiency was achieved while also retaining a huge benefit to the end users and the hotel operator with the hotel floors being ready for occupancy at an expedited rate throughout the project.

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Type Value Duration Construct Only \$42 million 12 months





## **Woods Bagot Fitout, Vic**

## **WOODS BAGOT**

ADCO delivered the two-level, high-end office tenancy fitout for leading architectural firm Woods Bagot at 498 Little Collins Street, Melbourne.

With a total estimated area of 2,200m² the works consisted of the strip out, services diversions and slab penetrations to allow for a complete new architectural office. Fitout activities included specialist finishes and feature auditorium and stairs, creating a presentation space that not only provides a meeting point but also adjoins both levels. In addition to this, the existing lift was extended to connect both floors of the office.

Coordination was key to managing the logistics within the tight constraints of Melbourne's CBD while maintaining a fast-track program of three months.

Type ECI to Design & Construct

Value \$4 million
Duration 3 months











## Kings Square North Campus, WA

## WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT

ADCO was pleased to deliver this central Fremantle project for the Western Australian government offers over 14,500 sqm of contemporary office accommodation in the heart of Kings Square precinct.

Located between Queen Street, Newman Court and William Street, the scope of works on the \$13 million project includes the fitout of all tenant areas in the North Campus with selected other works anticipated to the tenant lobbies on the ground level.

The project solidifies ADCO's position as the leading contractor for Western Australian Government department fitouts, having also completed the State Administrative Tribunal (SAT), Department of Mines and Petroleum, Legal Aid, Western Australian Police and the award-winning Mirrabooka Government Office Fitout.

The project included the demolition of the base build and fitout and installation of meeting rooms, offices, collaborative areas, social hubs, wellness rooms, terraces, kitchens and plant rooms.

Type Construct Only
Value \$13 million
Duration 6 months



## **Qantas Terminal and Lounges, Qld**

## **QANTAS AIRWAYS LIMITED**

ADCO was selected for the design and construction of the Qantas Terminal and Lounges' multi-million-dollar extension and refurbishment at Brisbane Domestic Airport.

The existing Qantas Club Lounge underwent a 1,800m² expansion with a new façade to match the terminal to Brisbane Airport Corporation's approval. The ground level areas under the existing Club Lounge and the new expansion were reconfigured to accommodate a new premium customer valet entry experience, with passenger processing from landside to airside enabling direct access into the refurbished and expanded lounges above.

ADCO delivered the works over three stages while maintaining full airport and lounge operations.

Stage 1 included valet relocation from the existing lounge under-croft to a temporary facility, to allow construction and expansion of the terminal. Stage 2 included Base Building Expansion and Refurbishment, including the building envelope, capped services provisions, valet entries and parking area. Stage 3 saw the internal fitout of Qantas Business Lounge, Chairman's Lounge and the refurbished Qantas Club.

An 1800m<sup>2</sup> expansion for the existing Qantas Club lounge was complemented by an impressive new façade.

Stage 3 internal fitouts for the Qantas business lounge, chairman's lounge and refurbished Qantas Club set new standards in airport luxury.





Type Design & Construct

Value \$36 million
Duration 18 months

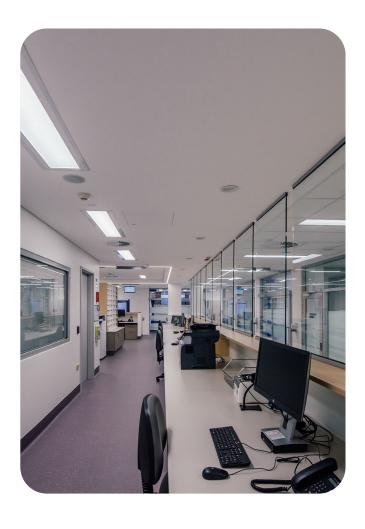
# Ramsay Mental Health Observation Area, WA

## RAMSAY HEALTH CARE

The Mental Health Observation Area at Joondalup Health Campus is a two-storey redevelopment integrating the existing emergency department with the other major services of the hospital. The 10-bed unit comprises of a central raised 'flight deck' with patient treatment rooms, consultation and interview rooms, utility rooms, a meeting room, patient waiting areas, lounge and secure courtyard as well as a staff room and alfresco area.

ADCO completed this project within a live environment of the functional hospital with all activities adjacent to the construction zone required to continue unimpeded. The project was completed ahead of schedule.

Type Construct Only
Value \$4 million
Duration 12 months







# Mirrabooka Government Office Fitout, WA

#### WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT

Complementing the range of interiors projects recently undertaken by ADCO for Western Australian Government, the Mirrabooka development encompasses a four level fitout, comprising of multiple interview rooms, meeting rooms, dining areas and general open plan commercial office space.

The project demanded a high level of detail and finish with numerous areas including high acoustic ratings in both walls and ceilings, a broad and high-end specification joinery package encompassing detailed upholstery and various curved and feature gyprock and timber ceilings. A high level of specification for AV and security systems were also incorporated by the ADCO team.

The project was completed in just 20 weeks requiring works to be undertaken concurrently on all floors for the contracts duration. The mirrabooka development encompassed a four-level fitout, demanding a high level of detail and finish including a significant electrical and mechanical installation. The project was completed to 5 Star Green Star equivalent.

Type Construct Only
Value \$6 million
Duration 5 months











## **Brunel Office Fitout, WA**

## **BRUNEL ENERGY**

ADCO was engaged by Brunel Energy to provide design and construction services for their fitout of Level 8 Wesfarmers House at 40 The Esplanade in Perth's CBD.

In close collaboration with architect MKDC and services consultants PGD, a modern, open plan office area was designed with a staff kitchen, break out area, various meeting rooms, collaboration spaces and a striking feature reception area with stunning views to Perth's iconic Elizabeth Quay.

Various new partitions and feature ceilings were installed throughout, with service upgrades and new CAT6a rack and cabling installed, together with additional supplementary air conditioning units. A bespoke joinery package was also delivered with the focal point being the solid timber and stone reception desk.

Varying loose items of furniture were also supplied as part of the completed turn-key fitout. With only eight weeks on site construction time, a fast-track procurement strategy was successfully implemented to ultimately deliver the project on time and on budget to an extremely happy client.

Type ECI to Design & Construct
Value \$1 million
Duration 2 months







## **Legal Aid Commission Fitout, WA**

## LEGAL AID COMMISSION OF WA

ADCO's Perth operations delivered the Legal Aid Commission of Western Australia's fitout of levels 1-6 of 32 George's Terrace. The project was located within a commercial office building that was still in construction by a third party.

The works involved the complete fitout for the tenant, including electrical, mechanical, AV, CCTV, partitioning, ceilings and floor finishes. The finished result accommodates hearing rooms, mediation conference rooms, a main reception counter, waiting areas for the public and interview rooms.

The Legal Aid project featured a high standard of specification of joinery. To ensure these works were delivered to the standards required, ADCO established trade specific ITPs (inspection, test reports) incorporating hold and witness points with sign-off required before works could progress.

The works involved the complete fitout including electrical, mechanical, AV, CCTV, partitioning, ceilings and floor finishes.

Key to the project's success was managing the multiple key stakeholders involved in the development.

The fitout delivered a wide range of specialised spaces, including hearing rooms, mediation conference rooms, waiting areas and interview rooms.

Type Value Duration Construct Only \$6 million 6 months

## **Toyota Powertrain, Vic**

## TOYOTA

ADCO was awarded the \$35 million redevelopment of the Toyota Powertrain manufacturing building in Altona North, to provide a new state-of-the-art administration, research and showroom facility.

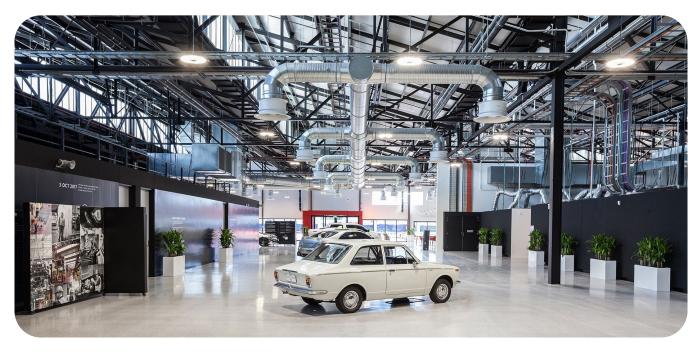
The works involved the demolition and strip out of the existing Powertrain facility to complement the new works, which include a contemporary open plan office, auditorium, workshops, workbays and testing areas, training rooms, display showroom, design studio and indoor viewing platform.

The new refurbishment now provides the Toyota campus with a state-of-the-art administration, research and showroom facility.

Type Construct Only
Value \$35 million
Duration 12 months









# Securing Antarctica's Environmental Future (SAEF), Vic

## MONASH UNIVERSITY

ADCO was proudly builder of choice for Monash University's SAEF fitout.

In response to rapid change in Antarctica and the South Ocean, the SAEF Program, funded by the Australian Research Council and participating organisation, will deliver world leading research that will forecast environmental change across the Antarctic, deploy effective environmental stewardship strategies, and secure Antarctica as a natural reserve devoted to peace and science. This space will provide a home for the SAEF community on Monash University's Clayton campus and enable interdisciplinary collaboration of SAEF national and international partners and collaborators.

The fitout for SAEF includes workspaces that accommodates staff, researchers and students across a mix of open plan and individual focus rooms including meeting rooms and collaboration spaces. The works also included roof replacement and an external glass lift.

ADCO worked very closely with the University's project management team and key stakeholders to ensure the works had minimal impact on students, staff and operations. The facility operates 24/7 with lectures running during the night for overseas students, student residencies and the busiest time on the campus between normal working hours.

Careful consideration to noisy works was given to the Engineering Faculty located on the ground floor, while the refurbishment works were taking place on level one.

Type Design & Construct
Value \$6.5 million
Duration 8 months





## **Wenty Leagues Club, NSW**

#### **WENTY LEAGUES CLUB**

As a recognised leader in the community and hospitality sectors, ADCO teamed with Wenty Leagues Club to upgrade their existing main facilities. The extensive works included the extension of the building over three levels, as well as the major refurbishment of the mezzanine.

The solution honours the Wenty Leagues Club masterplan, which was developed with the community's needs in mind and focuses on providing a bustling dining, entertainment and function precinct.

ADCO was awarded the \$85 million project based on our ability to solve the logistical issues of working within an existing building and adjacent to an operational club. The first stage of the stunning extension is now complete and open to patrons, after just over a year of careful planning. This important milestone has delivered a unique and premium casual dining and entertainment precinct which includes a variety of food offerings, main bar, expansive kids' play area, ample indoor seating and outdoor alfresco dining area — all supported by one of the largest kitchen fitouts in Sydney.

A new 248-space basement and suspended car park, grand entry, and the highly anticipated Char Steakhouse were also handed over during a busy 2019 with subsequent staged works completed in 2020, including a new cocktail bar, pre-function bar space and function and meeting rooms. Entertainment areas include a spacious grand foyer, an expansive marketplace, courtyard pavilion and alfresco dining area. The updated facility also boasts impressive lower ground and multi-deck parking.

Type Design & Construct

Value \$85 million
Duration 30 months







## Queensland Children's Hospital, Qld

## QUEENSLAND HEALTH

The Queensland Children' Hospital (QCH) Inpatients Ward project encompassed a combination of one, two and four bed patient rooms, and a six-bed close observation patient room, the refurbishment of learning and office space to improve QCH medical training, along with a new library and study space for staff and students.

The finished space fitout now provides additional capacity to Children's Health Queensland (CHQ) at the hub of tertiary services for children and young people across Queensland.

ADCO was able to work closely with industry specialists to provide QCH with an alternate design approach which the consultants have adopted. This option is far less invasive to the hospital's pathology building and far less disruptive to daily critical operations.

Type Construct Only
Value \$12 million
Duration 7 months

"Nicholas and the team's adoption of our values and aspirations was critical to the success of the delivery of this piece in an operational hospital environment. ADCO has set the gold standard in terms of construction activity of this scale in the live environment within the public health sector."

## **Graeme Smithers**

QUEENSLAND HEALTH
SENIOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT MANAGER,









## **Roselands Shopping Centre, NSW**

## **VICINITY CENTRES**

Embracing the retail and investment vision of Vicinity Centres, ADCO has completed construction at Roselands shopping centre to make what was once Southern Hemisphere's largest shopping centre ahead of its time again.

Redevelopment adapted the existing centre into a contemporary mall space. Flanked by leading food retail Roselands has been transformed from outdated complex to culinary destination, offering a convenient and authentic fresh food experience inspired by the local community of Sydney's south-western suburbs. This was accompanied by additional retail tenancies, new anchor tenants in the form of ALDI and Woolworths, a new fresh food mall concept and major upgrades to entry statements, existing food courts and mall areas.

For this complex project, ADCO brought its extensive experience in the retail space, particularly working within operating shopping centres to upgrade the property, stage-by-stage whilst minimising disruption to ongoing trading and customer amenity.

With an emphasis on mixed-use spaces, the transformational development has integrated the latest in food and beverage offerings with an entertainment precinct.

Type Design & Construct

Value \$85 million
Duration 12 months





## Central Government Relocation to 52 Martin Place, NSW

## **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS NSW**

The \$54 million project was delivered over six separable portions and included significant fitout works with base building and services upgrades, new IT, AV, server and data facilities, which were meticulously planned during the 2.5-month ECI period.

The level of key stakeholder management applied on the project was significant. Proving ADCO's ability to work effectively within the client's parameters, the project was delivered under a fast-track program of nine calendar months.

The project was delivered within an occupied office building with works staged and coordinated to minimise disruption to other tenants within and near the development's multiple workfronts.

The project featured significant base building and services upgrades, including new IT, AV, server and data facilities.

Type ECI to Design & Construct

Value \$54 million
Duration 9 months

"Working 24 hours a day in an operational building with strict noise restrictions due to the proximity to a live television studio posed enormous challenges. The degree of collaboration between ADCO, our Client and our subcontractors really was extraordinary."

## Sam Cavallaro

ADCO SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER







## OTHER FITOUT PROJECTS



## **Yarra Valley Water**

YARRA RANGES SHIRE COUNCIL

Type Design & Construct
Value \$12 million
Location Mitcham, VIC



## **Beaufort Building Essendon**

**ESSENDON FIELDS** 

Type Select tender
Value \$14.5 million
Location Essendon, VIC



# **Emirates Lounge Fitout, Melbourne Airport**

**EMIRATES AIRLINES** 

Type Managing Contractor
Value \$5 million
Location Melbourne, VIC



## Bond University Gallery -Multi Media Centre

**BOND UNIVERSITY** 

Type ECI to Design & Construct

Value \$4 million

Location Gold Coast, QLD



## Royal Perth Hospital Intensive Care Unit

EAST METROPOLITAN HEALTH SERVICE

Type Construction
Management
Value \$8 million
Location Perth, WA



# Western Australian Police Fitout

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT

Type Managing Contractor
Value \$5.6 million
Location Perth, WA









# **TOM HILL**

## **Director of Strategic Partnerships**

Tom commenced with ADCO in 2011. Holding a Bachelor of Business majoring in Management from Bond University, he is recognised as an integral part of ADCO, providing valuable leadership and guidance. His focus is on providing strong connections between our clients, our people and ADCO's vision and values.

In furtherance of Tom's commitment to community and industry, he chairs the Brinsmead Hill Family Foundation which focuses on mental health, education and community support and is a Board Member of Australian International Marine Export Group and on the Australian Olympic and Paralympic Team Appeal Committee Queensland. Tom is also on the Australian Olympic and Paralympic Team Appeal Committee Queensland.

# **Judith Brinsmead AM**

## Chairman

Judy Brinsmead is Chairman of the Board and integral to the strategic management of ADCO. A solicitor and barrister, she holds a Bachelor of Laws with Honours and was previously a Partner at Morris Fletcher & Cross (now MinterEllison).

Judy brings a focused leadership style and over three decades of experience in Construction and Property, having joined ADCO as an Executive Director in 1989. She has a detailed understanding of the business and continues to be instrumental in ADCO' success and growth. Strong on community, Judy is also a member of the Board of Trustees of Bond University and was on the Joint Marketing Committee for the 2018 Commonwealth Games.



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## **NATIONAL TEAM**



## **Neil Harding**

## **Managing Director**

Neil has led ADCO since 2017 and has overseen a period of dynamic change and growth. With over 25 years of experience in the construction industry, Neil has held executive roles in Australia and internationally. He is a strong, strategic leader with a passion for building supportive, performance-driven cultures and developing meaningful industry-wide relationships.

He holds a Bachelor of Science with Honours (Sheffield Hallam University) and is a Fellow of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors. Neil has a proven track record of driving change, delivering results and caring deeply about developing people and improving the industry for all who are part of it.



## **Gareth Adams**

## **Chief Financial Officer**

Gareth is a highly qualified financial professional with over 20 years of experience in the construction industry, including leadership roles in both Australia and the United Kingdom.

As Chief Financial Officer at ADCO, Gareth is responsible for the Group's IT, accounting, treasury and financial operations. His passion and diligence are underpinned by a Bachelor of Science (Economics) with Honours from the University of Bath and a Post Graduate Diploma in Finance and Strategy from University of Oxford.

Gareth is a Chartered Accountant (ACA) with The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.



## **Cameron McBurnie**

#### **Chief Commercial Officer**

Cameron has dual senior roles within ADCO, serving as Chief Commercial Officer in addition to being a Board Director. With a Construction and Property Development career spanning more than 25 years, he was previously a senior property lawyer at Deacons (now Norton Rose) and brings a direct and highly detail-oriented approach to ADCO's risk management and commercial processes.

Cameron is a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and holds a Bachelor of Science (University of NSW) and a Bachelor of Laws with Honours (Queensland University of Technology).

## **NATIONAL TEAM**



## Sean Conroy

## **Chief Risk Officer**

Sean brings over 30 years of experience in the construction industry, spanning Ireland, the UK, and Australia. As a qualified Quantity Surveyor and Lawyer, admitted to the Supreme Court of NSW, Sean possesses a unique skill set that enables him to navigate the complex technical, legal, commercial and regulatory challenges of the commercial construction sector. His expertise provides invaluable direction and support to both our team and clients throughout all phases of project development.

Sean holds
multiple tertiary
and postgraduate
qualifications, including
a Bachelor of Laws and
the prestigious University
Medal from the University
of NSW. His proactive
management style and
depth of experience
ensure that ADCO
remains at the forefront
of project delivery
excellence.



## **Shanelle Woodall**

## Head of Corporate Affairs

Shanelle brings 20 years of industry experience to her role as Head of Corporate Affairs. With a multi-faceted background in legal and commercial roles in the UK, US and Australia, she values the roles and responsibilities of all who contribute to construction projects - including employees, trade partners, clients and external stakeholders.

Shanelle studied law at **QUT** and is a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and the inaugural ADCO Leaders Program. She is passionate about supporting women, both within ADCO and the wider industry, and is an executive board member of 'Women of ADCO' and committee member of the National Association of Women in Construction (QLD).



## **Ross Trethewy**

## Head of Health Safety Environment

Ross is an industry specialist in Health, Safety and Environmental (HSE) management. With more than 25 years of experience, he holds a Bachelor of Building with First Class Honours/ University Medal (UNSW) and a PHD in OHS Performance Measurement (UNSW).

Ross brings highly specialised skills in conversion and the delivery of complex projects, legal and expert opinion, and highrisk work methodologies. He is also a passionate advocate for increased focus on upstream design and planning to reduce downstream risks in project delivery through integrated risk management outcomes. Ross is a member of the Federal Safety Commissioner Industry Reference Group and represents ADCO within the Master Builders Association.



## **Nick Hamilton**

## **Head of Conversion**

Nick brings over 15 years of experience in the construction industry, with deep insights into the Australian construction landscape and a strong understanding of the importance of stakeholder relationships.

His expertise spans multiple sectors, including Tier 1 delivery projects, where his hands-on approach and ability to meet strict deadlines have consistently driven exceptional project and client outcomes. Nick's professionalism and industry knowledge in tendering and project delivery have been key to the success of our business.

Nick graduated from the ADCO Leaders Program in 2024 and has held various roles, including Project Manager and Construction Manager. For the past five years, Nick has served as the QLD State Pre-Construction Manager at ADCO.

"ADCO recognises that our people, and everyone we work with, all unite to form the core of our business"

Neil Harding
MANAGING DIRECTOR

## STATE MANAGERS









## **Kristian Anthony**

## **NSW State Manager**

Kristian joined ADCO in 2010 as a cadet and has since progressed to the role of NSW State Manager. His career trajectory includes key positions as Senior Project Manager and State Pre-Construction Manager, where he applied his skills and expertise.

An enthusiastic and astute leader, Kristian excels in developing high-performance teams that consistently exceed the expectations of clients and stakeholders.

Throughout his tenure at ADCO, he has earned a strong reputation for delivering outstanding results and building longlasting relationships with key project stakeholders. Kristian holds a Bachelor of Engineering (Civil) from the University of New South Wales and is a graduate of both Australian Institute of Company Directors and the inaugural ADCO Leaders Program.

## **James Prattent**

## **Qld State Manager**

James now leads our Queensland team after having previously built our Western Australian operations into one of the leaders of the construction industry over a 5-year period.

He has over 20 years' experience in both contractor and client roles, working extensively across multiple sectors, successfully delivering projects in metropolitan and regional areas.

James has a strong track record of understanding client needs and market trends, bringing high professional standards and strong leadership to teams he guides. His exceptional communication and people skills continue to be key to ADCO being the Builder of Choice.

James holds a Bachelor of Science in Construction Management and Economics, having graduated from Curtin University and is a registered builder and graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

## Lyn O'Brien

## **WA State Manager**

Lyn has more than 15 years expertise across preconstruction and management roles. With hands-on experience spanning domestic and international markets, together with breadreaching industry relationships, she is focused on providing high-quality levels of delivery and building long-lasting client relationships.

Lyn's collaborative leadership style ensures we consistently deliver responsive outcomes that are structured to unique requirements of every client and project.

Lyn sat as National Director of NAWIC from 2021 to 2024, is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and was awarded the 2022 LHQ Outstanding Leadership Award for Women in Construction. She holds a Bachelor of Construction Economics and Masters in Quantity Surveying.

## **Nathan Thomas**

## Vic State Manager

Nathan has been with ADCO for over 10 years and has played a pivotal role as Construction Manager within the Victorian branch for the past 5 years. With 20 years of construction industry experience across Australia and the UK, Nathan brings a wealth of knowledge and strategic insight to his role as State Manager.

Nathan's deep understanding of the modern construction landscape enables him to lead teams that consistently deliver exceptional outcomes for clients and stakeholders. He is passionate about fostering positive, collaborative environments and driving innovation to enhance project delivery and team performance.

A graduate of the inaugural ADCO Leaders Program and an active contributor to our innovation group, Novus, Nathan champions leadership development and forward-thinking practices across the business. He holds a Bachelor of Construction Management with Honours from Deakin University.

# FINANCIAL STRENGTH

Financial security is one of the most critical elements to consider when appointing a construction partner. ADCO provides financial surety for our clients and their financiers. We maintain a policy of profit reinvestment and working capital management to ensure our balance sheet remains commensurate with the size of our business. ADCO exceeds the financial requirements for licensing in each state and territory, for private and government projects.

We have strong cash and liquid asset reserves and a bluechip client base, which translate into consistent cash flow and profitability.



# **OUR COMMITMENTS**



## **Diversity and Inclusion**

ADCO celebrates and embraces diversity. We want our workplaces to reflect the communities and clients we serve – and be places where everyone is treated equitably, fairly and with respect.



## **Community Engagement**

Community has been central to the ADCO story for over 50 years. We continue to engage actively with charities, community groups and like-minded businesses to create positive impacts cross Australia.



## Environmental, Social and Governance

We commit to the integration of our environment social and governance (ESG) framework across our business undertakings.



#### Women of ADCO

ADCO is a leader in elevating the status and influence of women in Australia's construction industry.



## **Reconciliation Action Plan**

We are committed to a construction industry that builds more meaningful relationships, opportunities and outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.



## **Novus**

Innovation isn't optional. Our future success depends on it.

We have an in-house group of innovation champions, NOVUS, established in 2019.



## **Modern Slavery**

We recognise our responsibility as part of a global supply chain.



## **ADCO Balance**

Empowering ADCO's workforce to thrive through balance, fostering a culture of well-being and excellence.

# ACCREDITATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS



## **Safety Management**

Our safety management system is independently certified to AS45001:2018 (Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems)



## Information Management System

Our information security management system is independently certified by third party auditors as compliant with ISO/IEC 27001:2022 (Information Security Management).



## **Master Builders Association**

As a Master Builders Association Member, ADCO is a trusted organisation of a community of builders who meet regularly at a local and national level.



## **Environmental Management**

Ensuring compliance with legislative requirements and industry practices, this system is certified to ISO 14001:2018 (Environmental Management Systems).



## **Federal Safety Accreditation**

ADCO complies with the Australian Government's National Code of Practice for the Construction Industry and is accredited with the Office of the Federal Safety Commissioner Work Health and Safety Accreditation Scheme.



## Large Format Retail Association

ADCO is a longstanding member of the Large Format Retail Association (LFRA), Australia's peak industry association for the Large Format Retail sector.



## **Quality Management**

ADCO's quality management system complies to AS/NZS ISO 9001:2015 and has third party endorsement through NCS.



## **Green Buildings**

ADCO has been a proud member of the Green Building Council of Australia since 2006 and we continue to be committed to the success and increased adoption of sustainable construction practices.

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## **Social Traders**

ADCO is a proud member of Social Traders, supporting certified enterprises to help drive inclusive, purpose-led procurement across our projects.



## Noongar Indigenous Chamber of Commerce and Industry

ADCO is a proud partner with the Noongar Indigenous Chamber of Commerce and Industry which support Aboriginal owned businesses and the broader Western Australia business community.



## Kinaway Chamber of Commerce

ADCO proudly partners with Kinaway Chamber of Commerce, which is a leading Victorian organisation dedicated to supporting Victorian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander business owners



## **Kari Foundation**

ADCO has a long-standing partnership with the Kari Foundation, which works with the Community to create meaningful points of connection to share Aboriginal culture and achievement.



## **Supply Nation**

ADCO is committed to increasing Indigenous Participation in our projects both through direct employment and procurement of goods and services.



## **Diversity Council Australia**

ADCO is committed to providing an inclusive and diverse workplace where employees and others in the workplace are treated equitably, fairly and with respect.



## **Best Managed Companies**

ADCO was acknowledged as one of Australia's Best Managed Companies for 2 years running in 2022 and 2021.

The Best Managed Company program identifies and celebrates privately-owned and managed companies across Australia that set the highest standards of business performance, and shines a light on the power of private business as a key driver of Australia's economy.



## The National Association of Women in Construction

ADCO is a proud member of the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC), which is an organisation led by a team of passionate volunteers who all strive to help champion and empower women in the construction and related industries to reach their full potential.

ADCO shares NAWIC's vision of an equitable construction industry where women fully participate within all facets of the construction industry. ADCO's mission is to increase our female employment rate to 30% by 2030.

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