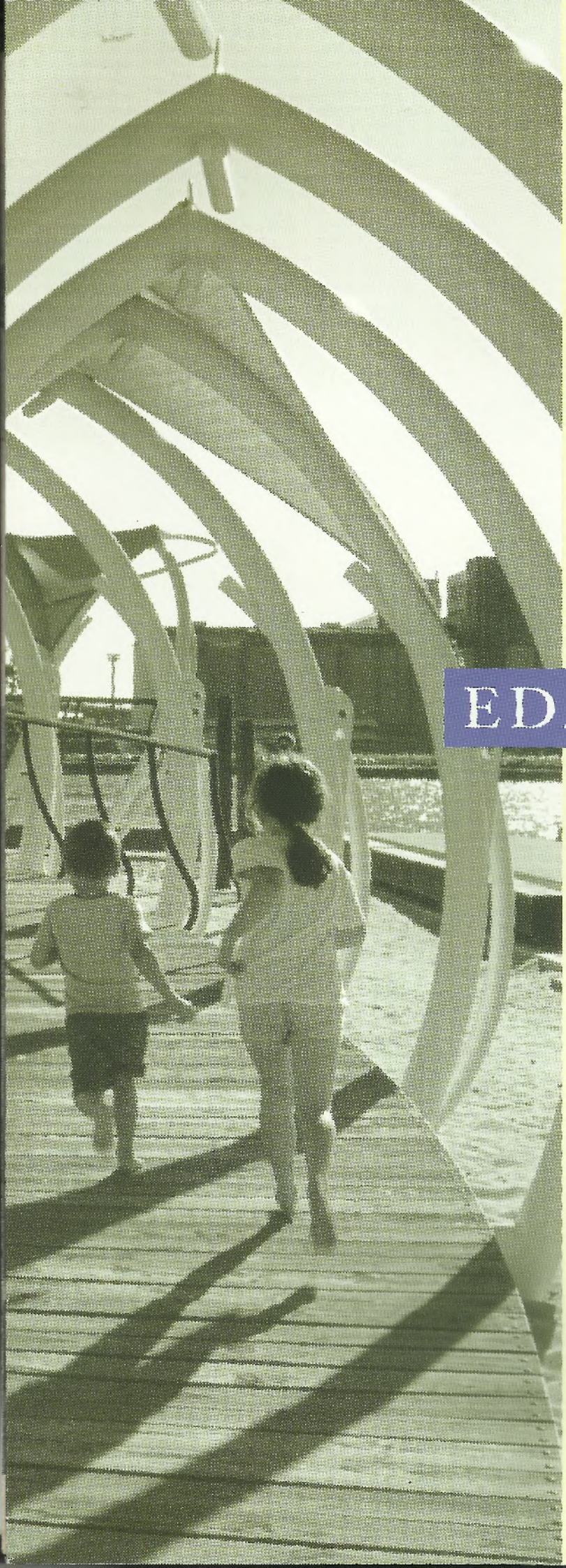

DESIGN, PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENTS WORLDWIDE

EDAW

For half a century, EDAW has been a guiding force in the fields of landscape architecture, planning, urban design and resource management. EDAW's fusion of disciplines addresses the broad and increasingly complex issues of land use planning, design and environmental enhancement. Our solutions for creating better places emanate from a commitment to combining sustainable resource management with enduring and distinguished physical design.

GUIDING ENVIRONMENTAL

Infrastructure

The Melbourne **Citylink** project is the largest transportation infrastructure development currently under construction in Australia. The privately owned Transurban consortium is building and operating the $1.7 billion project. EDAW has provided innovative urban design and landscape architecture solutions illustrated through sophisticated 3-D computer models.

Community Development

Mawson Lakes, to be completed by 2010, is a 620 ha planned community located 15 km north of Adelaide. Ultimately a community of 8,000 people will have access to the development's employment, education and town centre facilities. EDAW has provided landscape master planning and design services for the community's 190 ha open space and waterway system.

Environmental Planning

The **Georges River Catchment** comprises much of the southern portion of the Sydney basin. EDAW was engaged by the Department of Urban Affairs and Planning to complete a comprehensive river health Regional Environmental Study as well as an outline planning strategy and Regional Environmental Plan. This work has provided the baseline data and analysis for future strategic planning phases.

Technology

EDAW has recently completed an award winning comprehensive **Road Landscape Manual** for the Queensland Department of Main Roads. The four-part manual that was produced in-house in an interactive CD format, covers assessment and planning, integrated road design, landscape design and roadside management.

REGENERATING TOWNS AND CITIES

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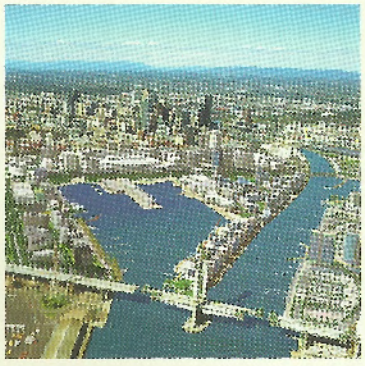
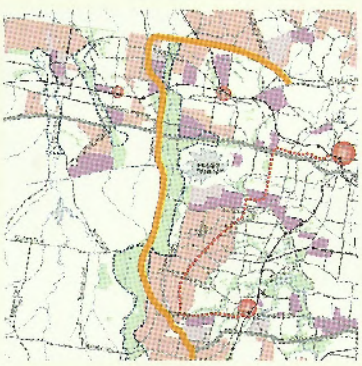


Urban Development

The Melbourne **Docklands** project is a major urban renewal waterfront initiative. EDAW has completed the landscape and open space strategy for the Docklands Authority and is currently working on infrastructure design development and concept design for a riverfront housing/mixed-use project being undertaken by Mirvac and a theme park development proposed by Paramount Studios.



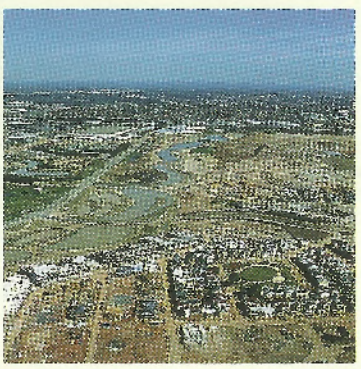
Infrastructure

The proposed **Western Sydney Orbital** will provide a 39 km north-south road linking the M5 Motorway to the M2 Motorway. EDAW was engaged by the RTA to complete an initial design proposal based on an holistic road planning and urban design process. Local communities have been widely consulted to ensure agreement on the best urban design outcomes.

Environmental Planning

EDAW was engaged by the Queensland Department of Environment to assess the impact of tourism activities in the World Heritage listed Great Sandy Region, which comprises a total of 840,000 ha and includes **Fraser Island** and Cooloola. The study identified areas where visitor use exceeded levels that would ensure environmental sustainability. It also identified strategies and management techniques to overcome unacceptable levels of impact on the fragile ecosystems.

SUSTAINING RESOURCES



Community Development

The 90 ha **Newington Olympic Village** is a key element of the Sydney Games. Athletes will be housed in a customised version of the Village, that will eventually provide homes for a community of 5,000 people. EDAW has provided urban design and landscape architectural services for the project from initial feasibility studies, through the bid phase, and now construction. The gardens, streetscapes, and open space system incorporate numerous innovative treatments to meet sustainability performance criteria.

EDAW's concern is with every aspect of environmental management. We see planning and policy-making, environmental analysis, physical design and implementation as a continuum of related professional activities. Through the application of our professional skills, we strive to improve the quality of the relationship between people and their environment.

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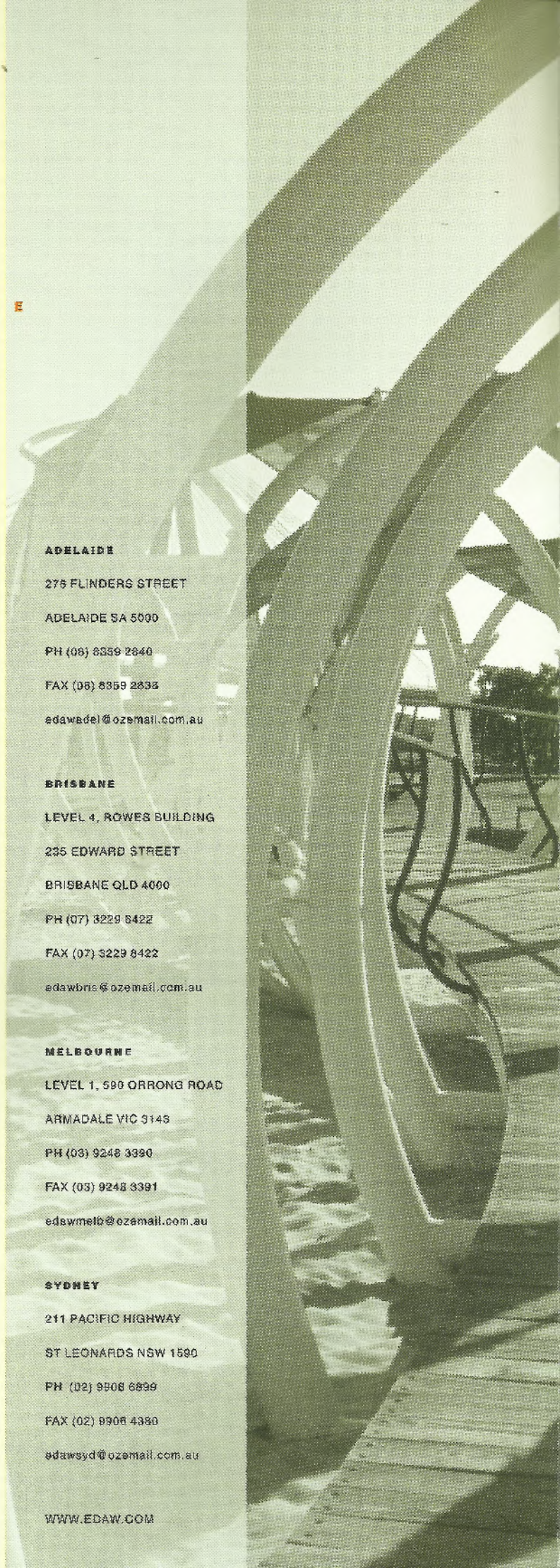
Our clients range from private sector corporations and institutions to government agencies, architecture and engineering firms. Their common need is the strategic resolution of land and community based challenges. Our people have diverse specialist skills and include planners, urban designers, landscape architects, foresters, ecologists and horticulturists. Our goal is to develop creative partnerships with our clients that lead to better community and environmental outcomes.



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