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ACT Construction Companies Win Three Top Awards on the National Stage

ACT companies won three national awards across the residential, commercial and civil sectors at the MBA 2023 National Excellence in Building and Construction Awards in Perth on Saturday night.

The three ACT award winners are:

- Monarch Building Solutions, Winner of Best Use of Australian Made Products – Commercial - Kia Showroom
- Manteena, Winner of National Renovations/Extensions Award \$650,000 to \$1m – Deakin House
- Chincivil, Winner of National Civil/Infrastructure Award – over \$25m – Acton Waterfront Phase 2

Master Builders ACT CEO Michael Hopkins congratulated the three ACT winners and 39 finalists for reaching this highly competitive stage.

“The three ACT award winners demonstrate the breadth and quality of our local building and construction industry”, he said.

“Monarch Building Solutions’ showroom fit-out featured an attractive, durable and cost-effective Polytec Plantation Ash Woodmatt laminate that was innovatively installed with precision at the curved junction of the walls and ceiling.

Manteena’s renovation and extension lifted the original 1950s cottage to a modern and Spanish colonial styled home with beautiful curved-steel framed doors that show masterful technical expertise and a custom-fabricated sunken lounge.

Chincivil’s inviting extension of the boardwalk adjacent to Henry Rolland Park around the West Basin of Lake Burley Griffin showcased exemplary organisation, planning and forethought that will serve the Canberra community and our visitors for many years to come.”

Mr Hopkins also said, “ACT Apprentice of the Year Mitch Gattenby was also named amongst the top 3 apprentices in Australia. Trained at MBA Group Training in Fyshwick, Mitch exemplifies the quality training ACT based carpenters can access at the MBA.”

The National Construction Master Builder of the Year Award was won by Built in JV with Obayashi (BOJV) and in partnership with Walker Corporation for their work on 6 & 8 Parramatta Square.

National Residential Master Builder of the Year V-Build Construction Services won the award for their Mountain View home project in Queensland.

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