

## **Architects For Health\_RIBA Staff Biographies**

### **Jeff Menkens – Principal**

Jeff is Principal responsible for Architecture in the HASSELL Perth studio in Western Australia.

He is also a member of the HASSELL Health Sector Executive overseeing group operations.

Jeff has over 35 years experience working in the United Kingdom, Australia and New Zealand. Over the last 20 years he has worked almost exclusively in the Healthcare sector and has been responsible for the design and management of a comprehensive range of health and allied health care projects in Australia and New Zealand. His experience covers the full breadth of project procurement from project briefing and business case through to construction.

Recent projects include the Royal Adelaide Hospital PPP bid for the Torrens Health Partnership (unfortunately the unsuccessful bid!), the master plan and structure plans for the \$2.85 billion redevelopment of the Queen Elizabeth Medical Centre in Perth, and the Al Wakra Hospital Redevelopment in Qatar.

Jeff is currently the Chairman of the Fiona Stanley Hospital Design Collaboration and Project Principal responsible for the State Comprehensive Cancer Centre, Midland Health Campus and Busselton Health Campus in Western Australia.

### **Brenden Kelly – Principal**

Brenden is a Principal and the joint Head of Architecture within HASSELL Perth. He has worked in the design industry for over 20 years on projects within Australia, United Kingdom and Bulgaria. His broad skill base is applied across all stages of architectural practice from conceptual design through project delivery. Sensitive design solutions achieved through rigorous logical process and consistency in approach are a common thread across all of his projects. Project experience ranges from single and multi residential, institutional, education, aviation and healthcare projects.

For the past 4.5 years Brenden has been the company secretary for Fiona Stanley Hospital Design Collaboration and the Project Principal responsible for the shell and core component of the Main Hospital and State Rehabilitation Service Buildings.