



BLIGH TANNER
CONSULTING ENGINEERS

KEY PROJECTS

**Winner – Design Category,
Australian Institute of
Landscape Architects
2008 National Landscape
Architecture Awards.**

IPSWICH RIVER HEART & FUTURESCOPE



Top of the Futurescope art piece



River walkway and cascading water feature



Boardwalks along the Bremer River

The Ipswich River Heart is 1.5ha of parklands designed to make the Bremer River more accessible to the local community.

Bligh Tanner worked with Ipswich City Council and EDAW to create the meandering boardwalks, viewing platforms, water features, shade structures, and structural steps and folds.

The Futurescope art piece, created by Queensland artists Simon Laws and Donna Marcus, is located in the Ipswich City Mall.

With Bligh Tanner's assistance, the artists' original concept was realised by using detailed design drafting and 3D modelling to construct the 17m aluminium tower.

The tower is structurally beautiful, featuring a misting water sculpture at the base as well as a periscope so Ipswich residents can see the past and future with one sweep.



Shade structure

CLIENT	Ipswich City Council
PROJECT PARTNERS	EDAW
BT'S ROLE	Structural and Civil Engineers
LOCATION	Ipswich, QLD