



People value the past. Communicating history through heritage is immensely satisfying as it brings these values to life.

Patrick Atkinson Senior Heritage Consultant

Patrick Atkinson, GML Senior Heritage Consultant, has a background in heritage place management and history. He holds a Master of Museum and Heritage Studies from the Australian National University and a Bachelor of Arts majoring in History from the University of Sydney.

Prior to joining GML, Patrick worked as an intern at ACT Historic Places and ANU Heritage. He gained valuable experience providing heritage advice and writing heritage and cultural landscape management plans for historic places and landscapes across the ACT.

Since joining GML Patrick has further developed his skills in archival research, heritage management, and policy making. He has a passion for public history and heritage management.

Qualifications

Master of Museum and Heritage Studies, Australian National University

Bachelor of Arts (History and Ancient History), University of Sydney

Professional affiliations

Associate Member (Professional Historians Association NSW & ACT)—2020/2021 Committee Member

Key experience

Strategic heritage advice

- Circular Quay Renewal Design Advice—Client: Lendlease
- Bank Street Park, 1–3 Bank Street, Pyrmont, Heritage Assessment and Adaptive Re-use Advice—Client: Infrastructure NSW
- Glebe Island Bridge, Temporary Fendering and Preferred Options, Heritage Advice—Client: Transport for NSW
- Parramatta Light Rail Stage 1, Construction Design Advice—Client: Parramatta Connect
- Inner West, Heritage Study—Client: Inner West Council
- City of Ryde, Heritage Review—Client: City of Ryde Council
- Bayside Council, Heritage Study—Client: Bayside Council
- Kiama Town Centre, Heritage Review—Client: Kiama Municipal Council
- Transport Access Program, Erskineville, Pymble and St Peters Stations upgrades, Design and Construction Heritage Advice & Heritage Impact Assessments—Client: DesignInc
- Burwood Council, DA Assessments—Client: Burwood Council
- The Rocks Disaster Risk Management Strategy—Client: Property NSW
- Parramatta Light Rail Stage 1, Design Heritage Advice—Client: Cox Architecture

Heritage management plans and strategies

- Sydney Working Harbour, Heritage Asset Management Strategy—Client: NSW Maritime, Transport for NSW
- Rushcutters Bay Park and Yarranabbe Park, Conservation Management Strategy—Client: Woollahra Municipal Council
- Kirkbride Block and Convalescent Cottages, Callan Park, Conservation Management Plan—Client: Property NSW
- Rockend Cottage, 40 Punt Road, Gladesville, Conservation Management Plan—Client: City of Ryde Council
- Lisgar House, 32 Carrington Street, Conservation Management Strategy—Client: Brookfield Properties
- Ryde City Heritage Properties, Conservation Management Plans—Client: City of Ryde Council

Heritage impact assessments

- Bank Street Park, Statement of Heritage Impact—Client: Infrastructure NSW
- Glebe Island Bridge, Temporary Fendering, Statement of Heritage Impact—Client: Transport for NSW

- Rushcutters Bay Park Youth Facility, Statement of Heritage Impact—Client: Woollahra Municipal Council
- Central Western Gateway Precinct Proposal: Block B, Heritage Impact Statement—Client: Dexus & Frasers
- Rookwood Cemetery, Heritage Assessment and Impact Statement—Client: Rookwood General Cemetery

Thematic histories

- Sydney Working Harbour, Thematic History—Client: NSW Maritime, Transport for NSW
- Inner West Pubs, Thematic History—Client: Inner West Council
- Northern Beaches, Thematic History—Client: Northern Beaches Council

Heritage interpretation

- The Bays, Sydney Metro West, Interpretation Plan—Client: Sydney Metro
- Transport Access Program, Erskineville, Pymble and St Peters Interpretation Strategies—Client: DesignInc
- 728–750 Princes Highway, Tempe, Interpretation Plan—Client: Bunnings Group
- Parramatta Light Rail Stage 1, Interpretation Strategy—Client: Cox Architecture

Archival recordings

- Shell House, One Carrington Street, Archival Recording—Client: Multiplex
- New Intercity Fleet, Blue Mountains, Ten Tunnels, Archival Recording—Client: CPB Contractors
- Transport Access Program, Erskineville, Pymble and St Peters Stations, Archival Recordings—Client: DesignInc
- 55 Pitt Street, Sydney, Archival Recording—Client: Mirvac

Professional background

Senior Heritage Consultant, GML Heritage, 2022–present
 Heritage Consultant, GML Heritage, 2020–2022
 Graduate Heritage Consultant, GML Heritage, 2019–2020
 Internship, ACT Historic Places, 2018
 Internship, ANU Heritage, Facilities and Services Division, ANU, 2017

Professional development

Railway Industry Worker (TLIF2080 Safely Access the Rail Corridor)
 Australian Government Baseline Security Clearance
 Construction Induction (White Card)
 First Aid Certificate

Volunteering/internships

Internship, ACT Historic Places, 2018
 Internship, ANU Heritage, Facilities and Services Division, ANU, 2017

Key university experience

Glenburn Heritage Precinct, Kowen, ACT, Heritage Management Plan, The Friends of Glenburn, 2018
 Victor Trumper, Biography, 2016–2017
 Mort Bay Park, Balmain, History and Significance Assessment, 2016