

New Fact Sheets

In response to an increasing number of enquiries the BOSSI website has been updated with two new facts sheets

- Practical experience FAQs
- Certifying documents

Website update – Disciplinary action summaries

The <u>Summary of Disciplinary Actions and Outcomes</u> page of the BOSSI website has been updated with recent matters including cases related to identification surveys, supervision and breaches of section 9A of the *Surveying & Spatial Information Act 2002*.

Implementation of Mentoring Surveyor

Thank you to everyone who provided feedback to our discussion paper late last year. BOSSI has resolved to implement the role of Mentoring Surveyor from **1 July 2021**. We are currently making the required amendments to determinations and forms with the intent for them to be published in May. If you need to refresh your memory about the proposal you can access the <u>discussion paper</u> on the BOSSI website.

Changes to Candidate renewal process

In accordance with the BOSSI Board Examination determination, a person is eligible to be enrolled as a candidate surveyor if they are;

- Enrolled in a course of studies leading towards a recognised qualification, or
- Hold a recognised qualification

To ensure that all candidates meet these requirements, when renewing your enrolment as a candidate if you haven't provided BOSSI with certified evidence of completing your university studies you will now need to provide certified evidence of enrolment as part of the process.

Presentation Ceremony

BOSSI is pleased to advise that the 2020 Presentation and Awards ceremony, which was postponed due to COVID-19, will be held at Castlereagh Boutique Hotel on Friday 23 April 2021. Invitations will be issued for award winners, certificate of competency recipients and those who became meritorious surveyors in 2020 next week. Numbers are limited due to COVID restrictions so please ensure that you RSVP in a timely manner.

LandXML – we're interested to know what you think and how you're utilising LandXML

Now that LandXML files are more accessible BOSSI would like to understand how these files are being used by surveyors and what issues, if any, are being encountered.

The survey contains a series of questions that have been developed to support the development of guidance materials on best practice use of LandXML files. The questions are primarily focused on the use of existing LandXML files, not the creation of them for submission to NSW LRS. The questionnaire is open to all surveyors and geospatial professionals who are using LandXML data.

The survey is open until 5pm Thursday 1 April 2021 and can be accessed via https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/69K3KPB

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