# Pay Guide - Architects Award

# [MA000079]

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## Rates of pay

### Adult

### Full-time & part-time

| **Classification** | **Weekly pay rate** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - entry | $1,205.70 | $31.73 | $47.60 | $47.60 |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - 1st pay point | $1,269.50 | $33.41 | $50.12 | $50.12 |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - 2nd pay point | $1,333.20 | $35.08 | $52.62 | $52.62 |
| Level 2(a) - experienced graduate of architecture | $1,394.00 | $36.68 | $55.02 | $55.02 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - entry | $1,394.00 | $36.68 | $55.02 | $55.02 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - 1st pay point | $1,437.00 | $37.82 | $56.73 | $56.73 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - 2nd pay point | $1,480.20 | $38.95 | $58.43 | $58.43 |

### Casual

| **Classification** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - entry | $39.66 | $47.60 | $47.60 |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - 1st pay point | $41.76 | $50.12 | $50.12 |
| Level 1 - graduate of architecture - 2nd pay point | $43.85 | $52.62 | $52.62 |
| Level 2(a) - experienced graduate of architecture | $45.85 | $55.02 | $55.02 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - entry | $45.85 | $55.02 | $55.02 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - 1st pay point | $47.28 | $56.73 | $56.73 |
| Level 2(b) - registered architect - 2nd pay point | $48.69 | $58.43 | $58.43 |

### Student of Architecture

### Full-time & part-time

| **Classification** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Under 21 years of age - first 13 weeks of employment | $11.11 | $16.67 | $16.67 |
| Under 21 years of age - next 13 weeks of employment (14 - 26 weeks) | $15.87 | $23.81 | $23.81 |
| Under 21 years of age - next 26 weeks of employment (27 - 52 weeks) | $20.62 | $30.93 | $30.93 |
| Under 21 years of age - 2nd year of experience | $22.21 | $33.32 | $33.32 |
| Under 21 years of age - 3rd year of experience | $23.80 | $35.70 | $35.70 |
| 21 years of age and over - less than 3 years experience | $23.46 | $35.19 | $35.19 |
| 21 years of age and over - 3rd year of experience | $23.80 | $35.70 | $35.70 |

### Casual

| **Classification** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Under 21 years of age - first 13 weeks of employment | $13.89 | $16.67 | $16.67 |
| Under 21 years of age - next 13 weeks of employment (14 - 26 weeks) | $19.84 | $23.81 | $23.81 |
| Under 21 years of age - next 26 weeks of employment (27 - 52 weeks) | $25.78 | $30.93 | $30.93 |
| Under 21 years of age - 2nd year of experience | $27.76 | $33.32 | $33.32 |
| Under 21 years of age - 3rd year of experience | $29.75 | $35.70 | $35.70 |
| 21 years of age and over - less than 3 years experience | $29.33 | $35.19 | $35.19 |
| 21 years of age and over - 3rd year of experience | $29.75 | $35.70 | $35.70 |

### Bachelor’s Degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture

### Full-time & part-time

| **Classification** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 1st year of experience | $26.97 | $40.46 | $40.46 |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 2nd year of experience | $28.56 | $42.84 | $42.84 |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 3rd year of experience | $30.14 | $45.21 | $45.21 |

### Casual

| **Classification** | **Hourly pay rate** | **Public holiday** | **Overtime** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 1st year of experience | $33.71 | $40.46 | $40.46 |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 2nd year of experience | $35.70 | $42.84 | $42.84 |
| Bachelor's degree with a pathway to a Master of Architecture - 3rd year of experience | $37.68 | $45.21 | $45.21 |

## Allowances

| **Allowances** | **Rate** |
| --- | --- |
| Equipment reimbursement | reimbursement for the cost of purchasing relevant technical equipment |
| Excess travel costs allowance - not overnight - working away from usual workplace | an allowance equivalent to all daily fares more than the normal fares to and from home to work |
| Meal allowance - working away from usual workplace - air travel | $11.76 for each meal period occurring during travel |
| Overnight expenses allowance - working away from usual workplace | an allowance equivalent to all reasonable expenses |
| Permanent transfer of employee allowance | an allowance equivalent to travelling fares, temporary lodging costs and cost of transporting the family from the old to the new residence |
| Protective / special clothing allowance | reimbursement for the cost of the protective clothing |
| Training and professional development reimbursement | reimbursement for the cost of attending a conference or similar or undertaking a training course |
| Travel allowance - working away from usual workplace | an allowance to cover appropriate travel arrangements |
| Travelling time allowance - working away from usual workplace | the appropriate rate for travel time more than the normal travel time to and from home to work |
| Vehicle allowance | $0.98 per km |