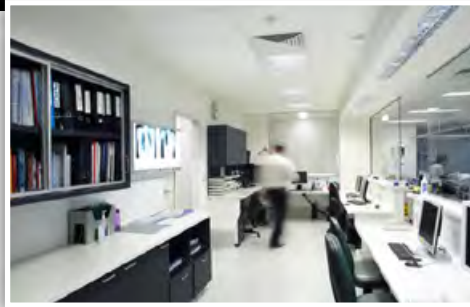


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Completes Major Refurbishment at Mater Private Hospital

Patients and visitors at the Mater Private Hospital in Brisbane could be forgiven for thinking they have entered a new hotel following a major refurbishment delivered by Formula Interiors.

The work focused on improvements to the reception and waiting area on level six, and all wards on levels eight to 10 including nurse's stations, corridors and patient lounges.

Mater Private Hospital Brisbane Executive Director Don Murray said the desired outcome was to create an environment where patients could go through the healing process in hotel-like surroundings.

"The intent for the refurbishment was for a more hotel-like feel and for patients and visitors to enjoy being in a light, bright, modern building," Mr Murray said.

"Over the years the Mater has rebuilt all the hospitals on its campus and has adopted a more contemporary design rationale.

"As part of the planned upgrade of the Mater Private Hospital, it was felt it was time for this hospital to also adopt a more modern aesthetic.

"This has led to the replacement of some of the timber panelling used in the original building to create the lighter, brighter feel we were after.

"We are thrilled to have all our wards open again and to be offering patients luxurious surrounds in which they can rest and recuperate on their road to recovery.

Our staff are thrilled with their upgraded environment and with their new staff stations."

Formula Interiors CEO, Gary McDonell, said his project team were delighted with the outcome and extremely proud to have reached practical completion ahead of time while still delivering the company's usual high standard of construction.

"Mater Health Services entrusted Formula Interiors with a major hospital refurbishment and I must say it's a great feeling to have once again successfully delivered positive outcomes for a valued client," he said.



NEW NATIONAL MAINTENANCE MANAGER: CRAIG ALCOCK

Craig Alcock recently commenced work as the

National Maintenance Manager for Formula Interiors. Craig comes to Formula with a rich history in the construction industry, having previously worked at Programmed Group for 14 years.

Having identified that providing customers with new commercial office accommodation is only the beginning of the client relationship, Formula Interiors has decided to step up its focus around ongoing maintenance of newly constructed work environments and existing facilities.

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On behalf of the Formula Interiors team, I'd like to send a heartfelt congratulations to Darren Lockyer and the victorious 2011 QLD State of Origin Team!
- Ben Ikin

IKIN'S ORIGIN WRAP



The 2011 State of Origin series showed yet again that the 3 game interstate contest between NSW and QLD remains Rugby League's jewel in the crown.

The Maroons won the first game at Suncorp Stadium with a convincing display, leading most good pundits to believe that a sixth straight QLD series victory would be a given; how wrong they were!

When the Maroons arrived in enemy territory for game 2, a capacity crowd of 82,000 blues tragics awaited them, so too a fired up NSW team that produced a winning performance inspired by a

powerhouse 80 minute effort from their captain, Paul Gallen.

With the series now all square and Rugby League legend Darren Lockyer playing his last game for QLD, the hype for game 3 reached fever pitch. The Maroons weren't about to let one of their great champions go out on anything but a winning note, so went to another level in game 3 and left the Blues in their wake.

Another year, more QLD domination!! On behalf of the Formula Interiors team, I'd like to send a heartfelt congratulations to Darren Lockyer and the victorious 2011 QLD State of Origin team.....go you mighty Maroons!!

Ben Ikin is Business Development Director with Formula Interiors



OUR TIP FOR THIS ISSUE

It's unwise to pay too much, but it's worse to pay too little. When you pay too much, you lose a little money - that is all. When you pay too little, you sometimes lose everything, because the thing you bought was incapable of doing the thing it was bought to do. The common law of business balance prohibits paying a little and getting a lot - it can't be done. If you deal with the lowest bidder, it is well to add something for the risk you run, and if you do that you will have enough to pay for something better. - John Rushkin



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