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Queensland home wins top national housing award

BJ Millar Constructions from Queensland won the coveted **HIA-CSR Australian Home of the Year** at the 2020 HIA-CSR Australian Housing Awards announced tonight.

For the first time in history, the Housing Industry Association (HIA) announced the winners in a virtual presentation due to limitations on large events due to COVID-19. This year's award winners were unveiled before thousands of industry leaders and interested consumers watching from home or their office.

The winning home is a sophisticated nod to brutalist architecture and tropical modernism, masterfully crafted with an extraordinary level of customised detail.

Understatedly elegant, the home's unique design experiments with volume and space under a floating roof, revolving around lush, open-air garden atriums.

The charcoal hued kitchen flows onto an amenity-filled outdoor entertaining terrace. The vibrant space offers a barbeque, built-in fireplace, sunken lounge and pool for the homeowners to enjoy while overlooking the Gold Coast's Coomera River.

The home also won **HIA Australian Custom Built Home**, partnered by Beacon Lighting Commercial.

HIA Managing Director Graham Wolfe said the HIA-CSR Australian Housing Awards are the pinnacle of the housing awards and recognise the best in Australia's residential building industry.

"HIA is committed to recognising the outstanding achievements of our members. The Awards allow us to acknowledge members who excel in building exceptional homes, kitchens and bathrooms and run highly successful businesses.

"The Award winners have surpassed the highest standards in workmanship and pushed the boundaries with design and innovation. It is my absolute pleasure to congratulate each winner for their hard work and commitment to excellence.

"My congratulations also goes to the professional builders and business partners who are ahead of the game in customer service and business practices," Mr Wolfe commented.

The HIA-CSR Australian Housing Awards are the ultimate platform to showcase the talents of the nation's top builders and designers. Winners are selected from state-based finalists, with awards in 22 separate categories (see full list below).

For images of the winning projects visit: media.hia.com.au

For more details on each project hia.com.au/housing

To view the announcement video hia.com.au/awards/australian-housing-awards

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2020 HIA-CSR Australian Housing Awards winners

2020 HIA-CSR Australian Home of the Year Partnered by CSR Building Products	BJ Millar Constructions Queensland
2020 HIA Australian Apartment of the Year Partnered by Toyota	Adrian Zorzi Western Australia
2020 HIA Australian Townhouse/Villa of the Year Partnered by Holcim Australia	Metricon Homes South Australia
2020 HIA Australian Custom Built Home Partnered by Beacon Lighting Commercial	BJ Millar Constructions Queensland
2020 HIA Australian Display Home Partnered by ActronAir	Novus Homes Western Australia
2020 HIA Australian Outdoor Project Partnered by James Hardie	Hamik Luxury Homes NSW
2020 HIA Australian Project Home Partnered by InfraBuild Construction Solutions	Thomas Archer Homes Victoria
2020 HIA Australian Renovation / Addition Project Partnered by COLORBOND steel	Visioneer Builders Victoria
2020 HIA Australian Spec Home Partnered by Stratco Australia	Camelot Homes NSW
2020 HIA Australian Specialised Housing Partnered by HIA Insurance Services	Jaxon Construction Western Australia
2020 HIA Australian Apartment Complex Partnered by Toyota	Crown Group NSW
2020 HIA Australian Townhouse/Villa Development Partnered by Brickworks Building Products	Creative Building Services and DNA Architects ACT & Southern NSW
2020 HIA Australian Bathroom of the Year Partnered by Caroma Industries	Preferred Builders, Paul Tilse Architects and Braithwaite Innovative Joinery ACT & Southern NSW
2020 HIA Australian Bathroom Design Partnered by Caroma Industries	MyStyle Homes (Qld) and Kim Duffin Design North Queensland
2020 HIA Australian Kitchen of the Year Partnered by Miele	JAG Kitchens South Australia
2020 HIA Australian Kitchen Design Partnered by Miele	MyStyle Homes (Qld) and Kim Duffin Design North Queensland
2020 HIA Australian Professional Major Builder Partnered by Companion Systems	Henley Properties Group Victoria
2020 HIA Australian Professional Medium Builder / Renovator Partnered by Companion Systems	Ronald Young & Co Builders Tasmania
2020 HIA Australian Professional Small Builder / Renovator Partnered by Companion Systems	Ultimo Constructions Western Australia
2020 HIA Jim Brookes Australian Apprentice Partnered by Stratco Australia	Jake Blokker Tasmania
2020 HIA Australian Business Partner Partnered by American Express	Rebecca Bishop Elite Building Services Victoria
2020 HIA-CSR Australian People's Choice Home Partnered by CSR Building Products	MyStyle Homes (Qld) North Queensland