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Shepparton Art Museum (SAM)

Kane Constructions was appointed in early 2019 under a Lump Sum contract to deliverer the new Shepparton Art Museum (SAM). Construction of the new five-storey building consisted of housing a museum, visitor centre, and the Kaiela Arts gallery and studio located in the regional city of Shepparton, Victoria.

The 5,300m2 building takes a 33m x 33m cube like form, also houses a café and event space, with a roof top viewing deck.

Four L-shaped plates, each of different heights, make up the building's façade. Each plate is of a different metallic finish; low sheen zinc to the southern approach; matt soft charcoal above the entry to SAM on Wyndham Street; metallic mid-grey facing the park; and rich ochre-red corten steel facing the lake and river plain.

The new Museum is located on the south-eastern corner of Victoria Park Lake to maximise SAM's greatest asset, the park setting.

Designed to a 5 star Green Star rating, the completed project has since achieved a 6 star rating with the Green Building Council of Australia.

The project reached Practical Completion in the first quarter of 2021.

Client

Greater Shepparton City Council

Consultants

Denton Corker Marshall
Integral Group Australia
Arup
Currie & Brown

Location

Victoria

Value

$45M

