



2017 PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE EXAMINATION

PAPER 2 (1 Hour 30 Minutes) Total 60 Marks (20 Marks per question)

1st April 2017

Please attempt 1 Question from each of Sections A, B and C

SECTION A - Professional Aspects

- Question A1.** List the various Forms of Practice by which a person may operate as a Landscape Architect in the private sector and describe the main advantages or disadvantages of each form.
- Question A2.** Discuss the landscape, environmental & social obligations of Irish Landscape Institute members under the Irish Landscape Institute's Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct.
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SECTION B – Environmental, Planning and Landscape-related Legislation and Law

- Question B1.** You have been commissioned to prepare a planning application for an urban plaza by a private client. What two plan drawings are required for a valid planning application, and what are these plans required to show under the Planning and Development Act?
- Question B2.** In landscape and visual impact assessment, define the term “mitigation” as it relates to the process of assessment and the strategies could be applied for mitigation of impacts to the baseline landscape.
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SECTION C - Contract

- Question C1.** Following a tender and procurement process for a small public park project, a preferred contractor has been identified for construction of the park. Acting as the Employer's Representative, explain the process for appointing the contractor under a Public Works Contract.
- Question C2.** State what you understand by the term “risk assessment”. With reference to the Safety, Health and Welfare Act 2005 and the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Construction) Regulations 2013, describe the role of risk assessment in the practice of landscape architecture.
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