

to Heritage Impact Assessment.

12pm winter sun angle

- Commercial along Oxford Street
- Residential along Palmer and Burton
- Eternity Play House (theatre) on Burton Street

FSR

- Generally 3-5:1
- 4:1 along Oxford Street
- 256 Crown St is an opportunity site (5:1)

Massing

- Generally 2-3 storeys
- 6 storey apartment building on the corner of Bourke and Crown Street
- · Buildings generally hold the street frontage

Active Frontages

 Along Oxford Street with scattered active frontages to side streets and rear lane

Building Typologies

- Commercial buildings
- · Residential apartment building
- Residential terrace houses

No vehicular ac No vehicular access into Oxford Street properties which are serviced from Foley

Vehicular access via rear lanes

Laneway Development and Frontages

· Foley Street includes a number of commercial frontages

Overshadowing/Solar access

 Potential overshadowing of terrace houses along palmer Street

Public Domain

• Due to its narrow width, Foley Street acts like a shared zone.

Awnings

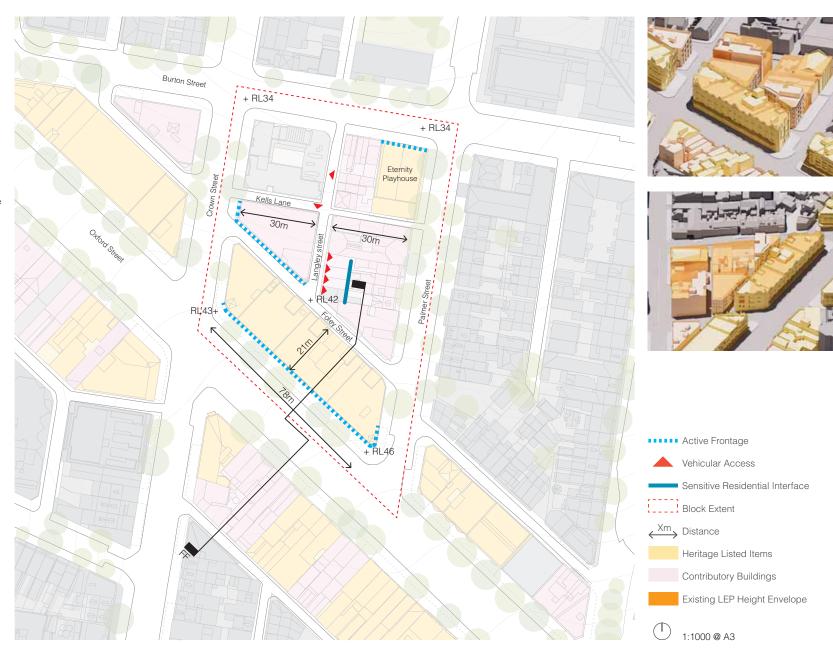
Continuous awnings to Oxford Street

Materiality

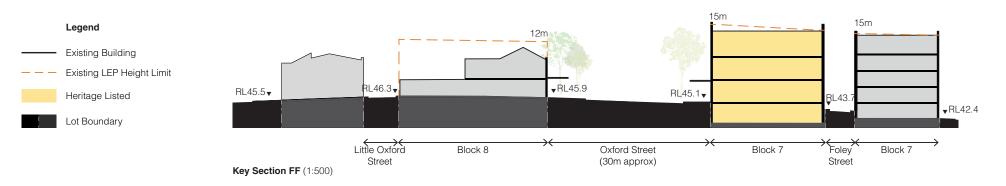
- Painted Brick
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- Painted render

Trees/landscaping

Street trees









Heritage listed brick building, owned by the City of Sydney

A rare example of a large commercial building designed, constructed, and continuously owned by the City of Sydney.



Palmer Street slopes down to Burton Street



Dominant street art on Foley Street, cluttered service units



Varying use across the block, Commercial, Community, Residential



Infill terrace houses between Riverina Flats and Oxford Flats



Pleasant public domain around the Eternity playhouse

BLOCK 7 - STREETSCAPE PHOTO STUDY



Dominant street art in the lanes, camouflage the services



Lanes establish a visual connect across the block



Very narrow inner lanes



Infill terraces, facing the interior of these narrow lanes



Social Housing building at 254 Crown Street



Smaller blocks with different housing types





Legend

Existing Building

- Maximum permissible envelope

→ → Winter Sun Angle

Heritage Listed

Existing Built Form

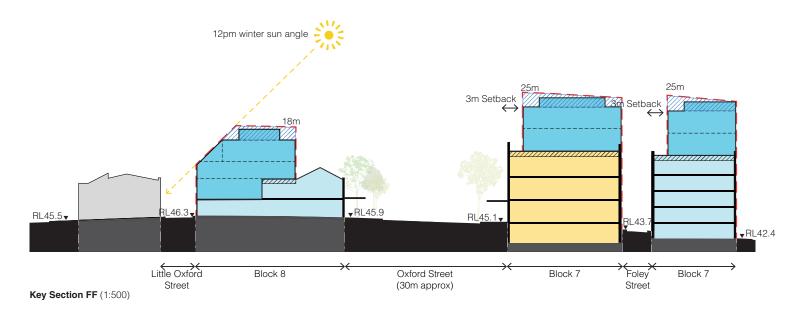
Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun &

services Structural zone

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Lot Boundary



- Commercial
- Short stay accommodation

FSR

• Generally 3-4:1

Massing

- Generally 2-4 storeys
- Buildings generally hold the street frontage

Active Frontages

Continuous along Oxford Street

Building Typologies

- Narrow commercial buildings
- Larger commercial buildings at street corners

Servicing/Parking

 No vehicular access into Oxford Street properties which are serviced from Little Oxford Street (inc selected vehicular access)

Laneway Development and Frontages

• No laneway frontages

ershadowing/Solar access Potential overshadowing of

Potential overshadowing of terrace houses and apartments south of the block

Public Domain

• Due to its narrow width, Little Oxford Street acts like a shared zone.

Awnings

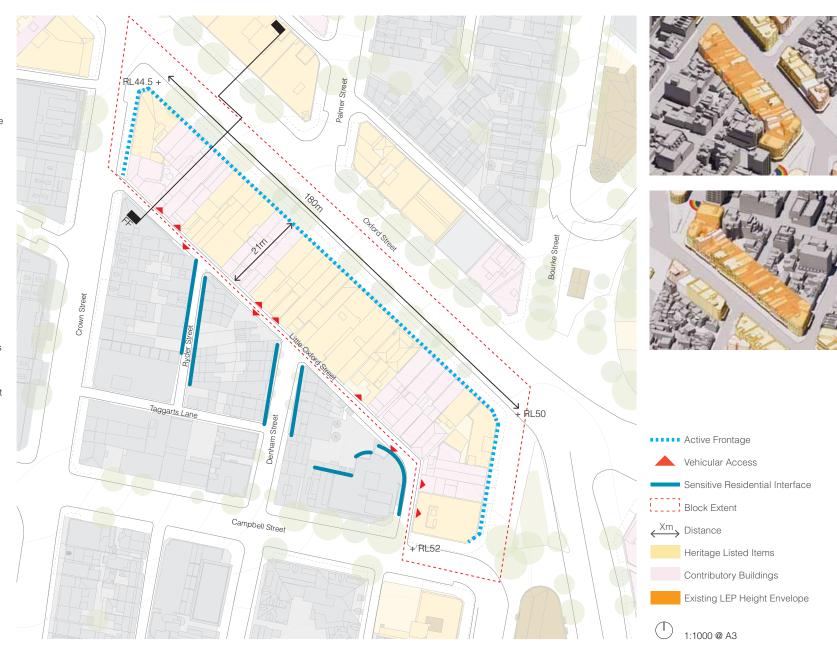
Continuous awnings to Oxford Street

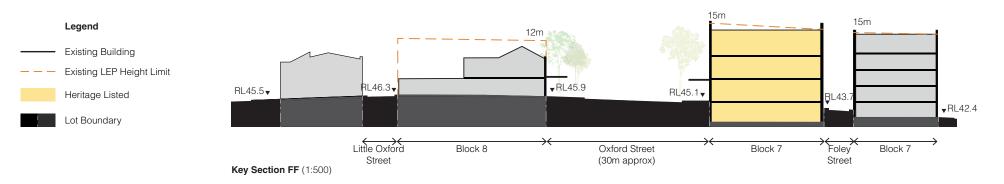
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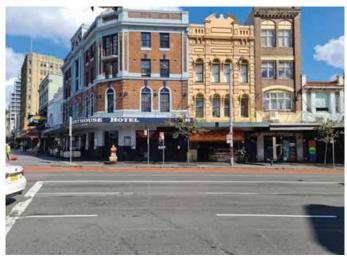
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Trees/landscaping

Street trees along Oxford Street







Heritage listed Courthouse Hotel marks the corner

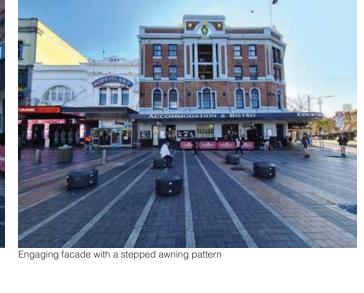
The collection of buildings ranges from Victorian Mannerist, Victorian Free Classical, Victorian Regency, Federation Freestyle, Inter-War Art Deco, and Inter-War Free Classical styles.



The Colombian Hotel makes for a prominent corner with Crown Street



Taylor Square, popular open space, with a water feature and elevated green space





Entry to Little Oxford Street, presents a bland character

The rear lane, Little Oxford Street, mainly used for service access and garbage management, does not exude a visually appealing character.



Dominant heritage facades, with varying building heights and styles

The granularity of the historic built fabric is still evident on the current built forms.

BLOCK 8 - STREETSCAPE PHOTO STUDY



Street art, with a rainbow painted pedestrian crossing



Different awnings character with some dilapidation



Rear lane, Little Oxford Street, is low on aesthetic character



Limited accessibility to Little Oxford Street

Being the longest block, it presents a challenge in terms of pedestrian permeability.



Rear lane additions inconsistent, with layers of fabric



Continuous awning with fragments of outdoor dining seen

Awnings with some degree of detail line most of the block. Some have exposed cantilevered steel frames featuring steel decorative swirls, while some have decorated undersides with simple white Art Deco ceilings.





Legend

- Existing Building

Maximum permissible envelope

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Heritage Listed

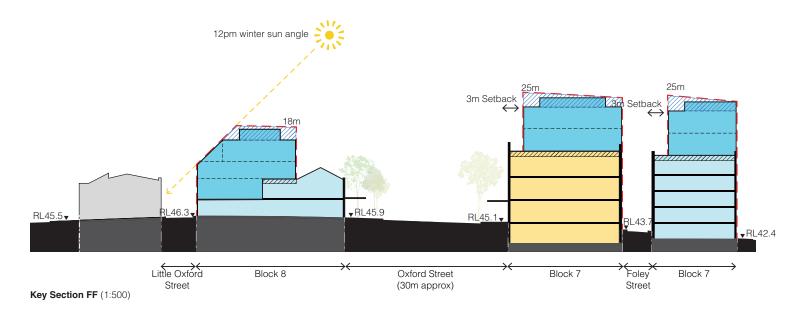
Existing Built Form

Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun & services

Structural zone

Lot Boundary



- Commercial
- Short stay accommodation

FSR

4:1

Massing

- 2-4 storevs
- Buildings hold the street frontage

Active Frontages

Continuous along Oxford Street

Building Typologies

 Variety of commercial buildings with ground floor shop fronts and commercial space above

Servicing/Parking

- No vehicular access
- Service access via Foley Street

Laneway Development and Frontages

 Residential frontages face the block on Foley Street

Wershadowing/Solar access
No overshadowing impacts
Potential privacy/noise impa

Potential privacy/noise impacts to small scale 1 and 2 storey terraces on Foley Street

Public Domain

Taylor Square

Awnings

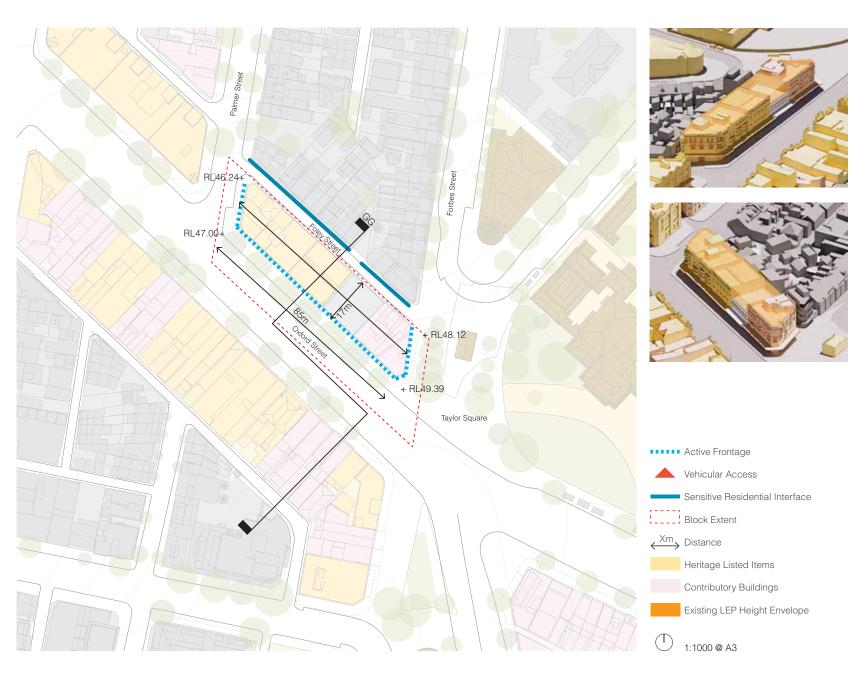
- Continuous awnings to Oxford Street
- · Partial awning to Palmer Street

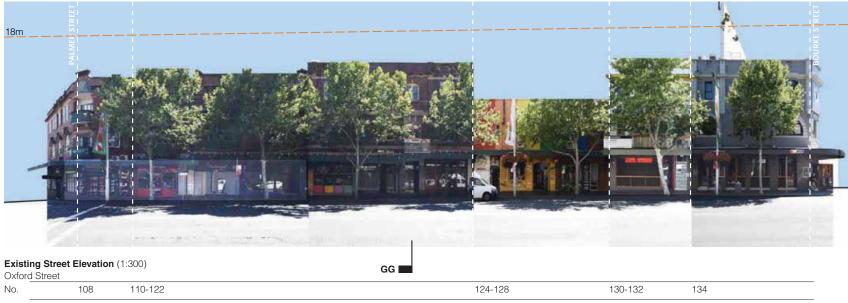
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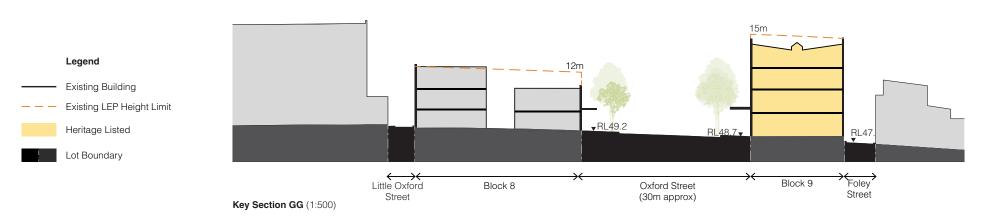
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Trees/landscaping

 Street trees along Oxford Street and in Taylor Square









Façades facing Oxford Street look uniform in height and homogenous in architectural expression with regularity of patterns as compared to the facing façades on the opposite side of the street



Oxford Hotel, southernmost corner of the block opposite the Courthouse



Former Crecy Hotel at Palmer Street corner, unique architecture expression, with Juliet balconies on the chamfered corners of the buildings



Buildings with varying heights, detailing and decorative elements



Colourful terraces north of Foley Street





Facing directly onto the open space near Oxford Hotel is an Art Deco inspired building with a rounded corner



Rear lane, mainly a service lane, with some residential terraces



Foley St: direct connection with Taylor Square substation & open space around



Foley St:



Historic Photograph along Oxford Street, looking west from Taylor Square with a significantly tall building (potentially at 124-128 Oxford Street) and a dome atop the Oxford Hotel.





Legend

Existing Building

- - Maximum permissible envelope

→ → Winter Sun Angle

Heritage Listed

Existing Built Form

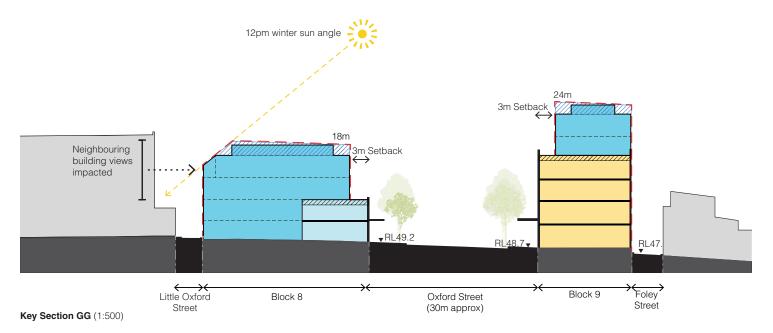
Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun &

services

Structural zone

Lot Boundary



- Variety of commercial uses
- Residential apartments
- Vacant petrol station (soon to be developed as residential apartment complex)

FSR

• 3:1, 4:1

Massing

- 3, 5 and 8 storey buildings
- 1 storey petrol station
- Inconsistent street wall

Active Frontages

Sections of Taylor Square, Flinders Street, Bourke Street and Short Street frontages

Building Typologies

- Commercial ground floor with commercial or residential above.
- · Residential apartment complexes
- Petrol station

Servicing/Parking

· Servicing, On-street parking and driveway Saccess from Linden Lane and Maiden Lane
Driveways on Short Street

Driveways on Short Street

Laneway Development and Frontages

 Residential frontages face the block on Foley Street

Overshadowing/Solar access

 Potential overshadowing impacts to residential buildings to south (including proposed apartment complex at petrol station site)

Public Domain

• Taylor Square

Awnings

· Inconsistent awnings

Materiality

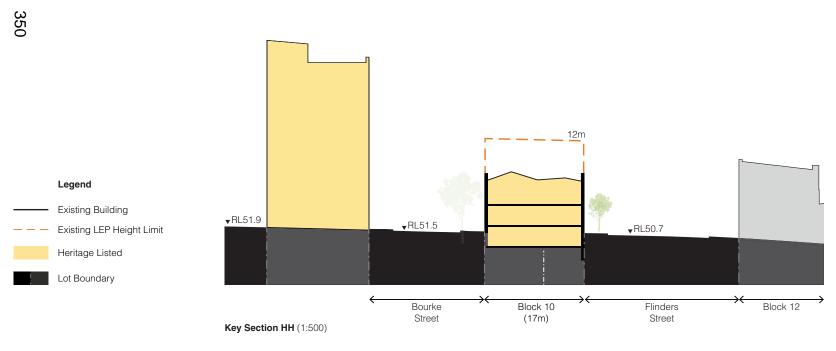
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Trees/landscaping

• Street trees in Flinders/Bourke St + Taylor Square









Former Commonwealth Bank building at the edge of Taylor Square





Multiple lanes create a highly pedestrian permeable block



Rainbow crossing enhances visual appeal of the block
The simplicity of the creative endeavour from the coloured pavement far outweighs the visual appeal generated by Taylor Square itself.



Terracotta-tiled roof building, unifies the North & South of the site.



Narrow lanes subdividing the triangular block.

BLOCK 10 - STREETSCAPE PHOTO STUDY



This block's original built fabric was demolished during the road widening in 1907. What was originally composed of a finer grained collection of two-storey terrace houses is now composed of larger built forms with one contemporary apartment building rising to seven stories high.



Character diminishing towards south of site, built form with larger massing



No active frontages along Flinders Street



Pedestrian experience is poor along Flinders Street frontage





Legend

Existing Building

Maximum permissible envelope

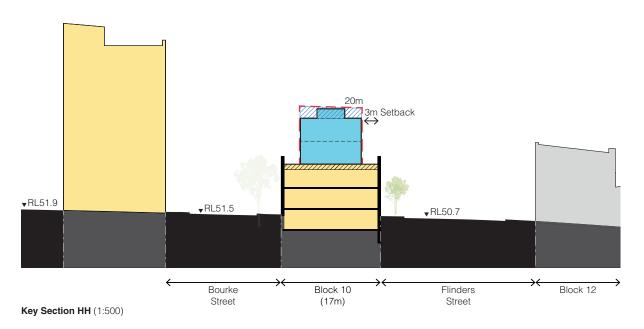
Heritage Listed

Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun & services

Structural zone

Lot Boundary



- Residential above the ground floor in some instances

FSR

- Generally 2.5-3.5:1
- 1.75:1 along South Dowling Street

Massing

- Generally 2-4 storeys
- Buildings generally hold the street frontage

Active Frontages

· Continuous along Oxford, Flinders and South Dowling Street

Building Typologies

- Narrow commercial buildings
- Larger commercial buildings at street corners and along Flinders Street

Servicing/Parking

 No vehicular access into Oxford Street properties which are serviced from Little Oxford Street (inc selected vehicular access)

No laneway frontages

Overshadowing/Solar access

 Potential overshadowing of terrace houses on southern side of Sturt Street

Public Domain

NA

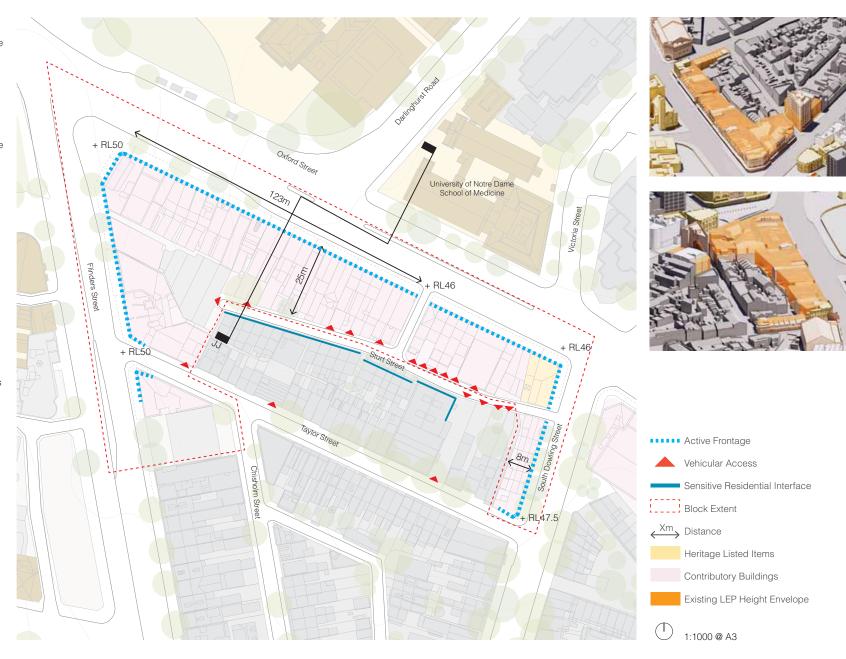
 Continuous awnings to Oxford Street and Flinders Street

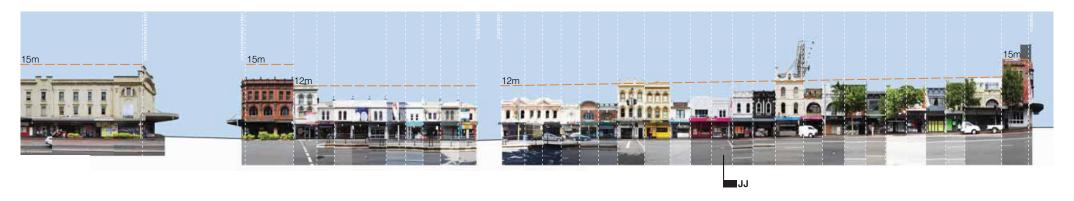
Materiality

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Trees/landscaping

 Street trees in section of Oxford Street closer to Taylor Square

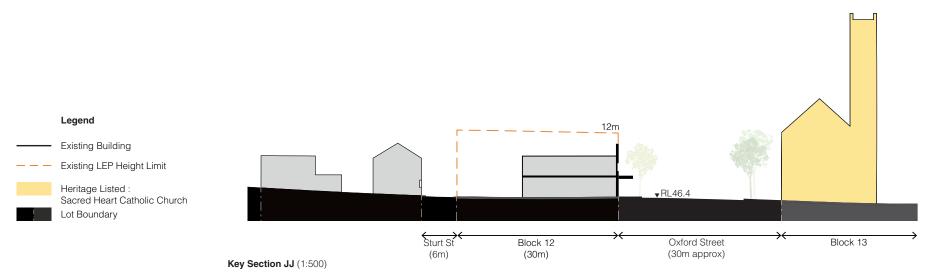




Existing Street Elevation (1:600)

Oxford Street																	
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Block 12 is comprised of a long row of Victorian era buildings retaining a highlevel of consistency in terms of urban grain and architectural expression.



Varying built-form massing on Flinders Street



Taylor Street has a distinct residential character with terrace houses



Claridge Apartments, prominent building on corner of Flinders & Taylor St, shopfront exhibits Art Deco display windows, a rounded-corner window, and a completey red-tiled exterior wall.



The continuous awning above shopfronts also varies. Some have Art Deco ceilings, some have contemporary ceilings, and some are bear with support structures and roofing material visible from underneath.



Victorian terraces with potential to be heritage listed.



Only heritage listed building of the block, the Beauchamp Hotel



Terraces along South Downling Street, mainly retail and commercial



Sturt Street, lane-way parallel to Oxford Street, has a unique character



The consistency of the built form gives the immediate area its character. Compared to the previous blocks along the street, Block 12 is not surrounded by towering built forms in the background.



Continuous awning with possible width for street furniture & outdoor dining



Narrow lane, can be accessed from Oxford Street & from behind Beauchamp







Existing Building

— — Maximum permissible envelope

→ Winter Sun Angle

Existing Built Form

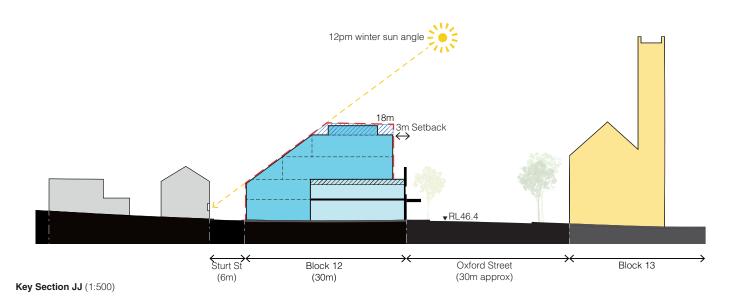
Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun & services

Structural zone

Heritage Listed : Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Lot Boundary



- Commercial
- Residential
- · Petrol Station
- Palace Verona Cinema

FSR

• Predominately 2.5:1

Massing

- 3-4 storey commercial buildings hold street wall
- 3-4 storey residential
- 1 storey petrol station

Active Frontages

- Oxford Street
- Verona Street

Building Typologies

- Pub
- Cinema
- Petrol station
- · Apartments with ground floor retail
- Ground floor shop fronts with commercial offices above

Driveways on O Servicing from Driveways on Oxford Street Servicing from Verona Street and Iona Lane

Laneway Development and Frontages

N/A

Overshadowing/Solar access

 Development of this block has the potential to overshadow a number of small-scale dwellings

Public Domain

Small landscaped pocket parks

Awnings

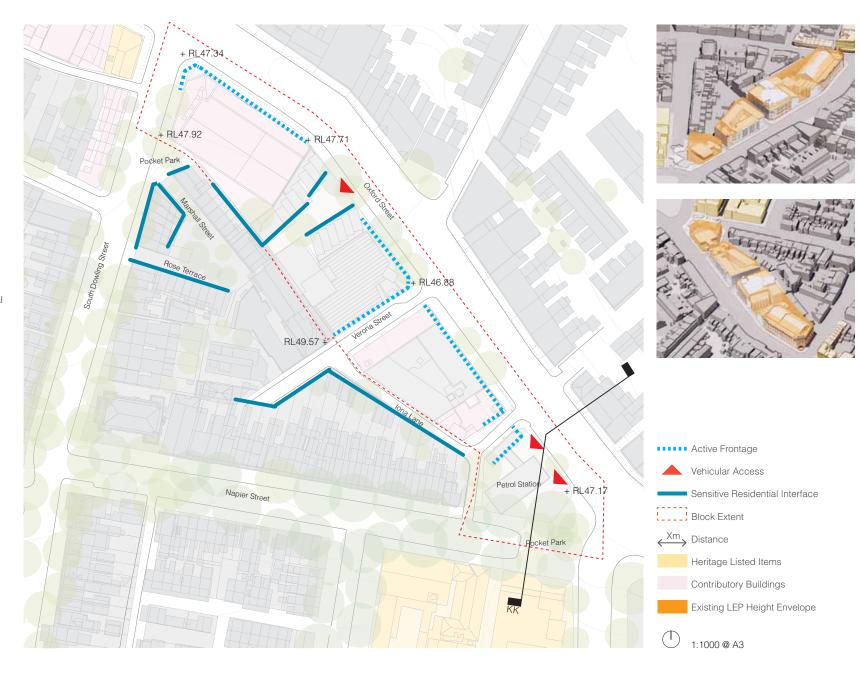
· Continuous awning to large portions of Oxford Street frontage

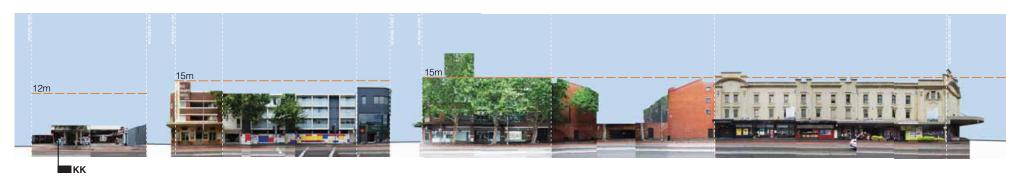
Materiality

- Face Brick
- Painted render
- Painted brick

Trees/landscaping

- Street trees along Oxford Street
- · Landscaoed pocket parks

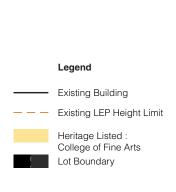


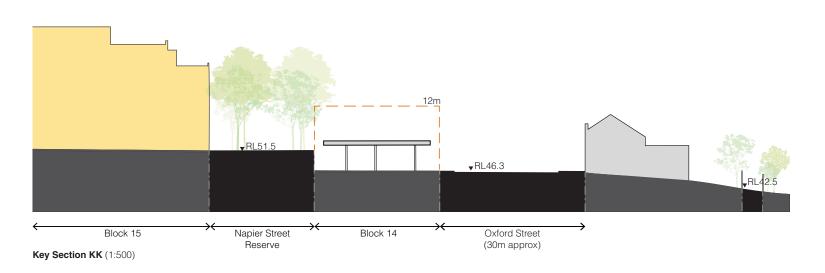


Existing Street Elevation (1:600)

Oxford Street

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Former Olympia Theatre, subject to an adaptive re-use project



Rose, Shamrock and Thistle Hotel, a potential heritage item



Curve on the street, creates anticipation of a change in built form



Differing awning characters across Verona Street

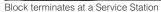


Inactive facades on Verona Street, older layers don't mix with new addition



Street art activates Iona Lane, otherwise a more service oriented street





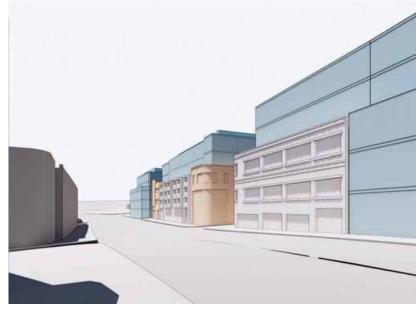


Infill apartment blocks next to the older fabric, follow height datums



A very permeable block with pedestrian-friendly streets and lanes





Legend

Existing Building

Maximum permissible envelope

Indicative Built Form

Roof construction, lift overrun & services

Structural zone

Heritage Listed : College of Fine Arts

Lot Boundary

