

Getting ready for the Ruby Ball. Art & Music Library dressed to thrill

Staffing

The University is rolling out a new Claims Management System that includes a new workplace safety incident and hazard reporting tool – Figtree Systems. Over the coming months we will be rolling out a series of communication pieces to inform the University community of the process changes. We will be working in partnership with Colleges and Service Divisions to help transition the new IT system with a go live date of 1 July 2017.

What's next?

Training details including registration links for face-to-face training will be published on the [workplace safety incident and hazard reporting tool webpage](#) once finalised. User guides will also be created and published online once the documentation is complete.

New staff appointment. Welcome to Fran Antioch who is joining the Monograph team as from Wednesday 12th April.

Farewell. Farewell to Marianna Pikler who has been a wonderful colleague in the ANU Library creating wonderful services and collections and passionately leading groups of staff. We will miss her and wish her the very very best for the future.



SIS NEWS

Visit by Dr Ni Win Zaw. Dr Zaw is Head of the Department of Library and Information Studies at the University of Yangon. She visited LIS teaching staff at CSU and the University of Canberra as well as digitisation facilities in a number of cultural institutions. Many thanks to the DigiSquad and Maggie Shapley for their assistance in providing advice and support throughout the visit.



Copyright.

- New [Videos](#) from the ADA Forum include
 - [Flexible Exceptions for Creativity and Culture: American Creators and Fair Use](#)
 - [E-lending: its legal and social impact](#)
 - [Creative Commons: the New Global Network Strategy](#)
 - [Counting the Cost: Copyright Compliance](#)
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 - [Counting the Cost: Copyright Compliance](#)
 - [Copyright 2016](#)
 - [Copying as Part of Creative Practice in Australia: the Creators' Experience](#)
 - [Diffusing fair use - the global trend and what it means for Australia](#)
 - [What is Fair?](#)
 - [The Australian library and archive exceptions on the international stage](#)
- UK developments - text and datamining are legal thanks to a new exception.
- The 'three strikes' scheme for notifying and taking down "repeat copyright infringers" here in Australia and its US equivalent, 'six strikes' are both dead. Turns out they cost too much to implement, and didn't have enough impact.
- Read [Nicholas Suzor](#) in [The Conversation](#) on the copyright bill

ALIA think tank: LIS International Affairs. ALIA held a think tank on LIS International Affairs in Canberra on 23 March. The objective was to identify ALIA's leadership role in terms of Australia's strategic international relations and activities. There were discussions on ALIA's support for the Sustainable Development Goals and IFLA's involvement. #SDGs

CAUL

- Heather Gordon, University Librarian at James Cook has announced her retirement after 11 years of fabulous service to the university and CAUL – I have wished her the best from all of us.
- Open Educational Resources (OERs) in Australian Higher Education.** CAUL's Learning and Teaching Advisory Committee ran a short online survey on Open Educational Resources (OERs) at Australian and New Zealand universities. Results of the survey are available to members through [the CAUL survey register](#).
- The University of Newcastle Library** undertook a comprehensive survey of the needs of researchers in late 2015. Both the Survey Questionnaire and the Survey Report are available on [the CAUL survey register](#) for reference and use by CAUL members.

SIS Facilities Team. The new name for the TLCSS team joining us. Good name suggestion from Rob and Alan.

Web pages. The changes to the [borrowing information page](#) are now live.

Sadly Arthur Ellis Arthur Ellis passed away peacefully on 28th March 2017 aged 85. He was head of the Resources, Organisation and Development Branch of the National Library of Australia 1972-80 and then University Librarian, University of Western Australia. Passionate about collections and technology he was a great library leader.

Parenting Room. The Parenting Room in Chifley is now open to all without needed to obtain a key from Library staff.

Open Science. The Governments new [National Science Statement](#) includes the following: "Principles for government science policies and activities" **The government will ensure that opportunities for all Australians to engage with all aspects of the science process are maximised...** Community engagement in science is mutually beneficial. It supports improved research program design and data collection, strong public discourse about science and better use of scientific information in decision making. **Open access to research data and findings improves the return on investment in science through increased use, re-use and impact of scientific findings.** End users are also often well placed to provide advice and guidance on scientific opportunities and priorities. Education in science, technology, engineering and mathematics at all levels ensures that Australians are able to participate in our increasingly science-driven society, whether through employment or in their everyday lives..

Library Staff Consultative Committee. We welcome Ruby Berry to the LSCC.

ALIA ACT. Welcome to Jade Koekoe, new ACT and NSW manager Jade has been very active as an ALIA Students and New Graduates' Group representative, plus volunteering over the last couple of years. Most recently, she has been working at the Australian Parliamentary Library in Canberra.

Union Court. The latest newsletter is out – the major issue is spaces for student theatre groups during the redevelopment. ANU is working with The National University Theatre Society (NUTS) and ANUSA to find alternative venue options for student productions. [Find out more](#)

Roxanne Missingham

Events and activities

June 26-30 Brisbane Open Repositories 2017 Conference. Hosted by The University of Queensland (UQ), Queensland University of Technology (QUT) and Griffith University.

September 27-29 Sydney ALIA National Library and Information Technicians' Symposium 2017: Bridge to Knowledge. Organised by ALIA (Australian Library and Information Association)

Australian National Data Service



New edition of Share

The latest edition of *Share*, ANDS' quarterly newsletter magazine, has now been published.

The theme is: **The impact of Australian research data.**

- Stories include:
- Turning school kids into science stars**
 - Collaborating for impact**
 - Measuring impact**
 - The economic impact of research data**
 - Plus case studies of from the #dataimpact eBook.**

Share is available via the ANDS' website to read online or download as a PDF

Health & Medical Data webinar series

ANDS is hosting a [series of three 30 minute](#) lunchtime webinars in May which aim to support better management and publication of Health and Medical data. The sessions are free and open to everybody interested in the health and medical data.

#1 Funders and Publishers
 Tues 9 May, 12:30pm-1pm AEST [Register](#)
 Speakers: Kate LeMay (ANDS), Wee-Ming Boon (NHMRC), Peter D'Onghia (Wiley)

#2 Storing and Publishing Health and Medical Data
 Tues 16 May, 12:30pm-1pm AEST [Register](#)
 Speakers: Kate LeMay (ANDS), Jeff Christiansen (QCIF)

#3 Ethics, Legal issues and data sharing
 Tues 23 May, 12:30pm-1pm AEST [Register](#)
 Speakers: Phoebe Macleod and Amandine Philippart De Foy (Murdoch Children's Research Institute), Dr Conor Brophy (Chair of Mater Misericordiae Ltd Human Research Ethics Committee, Adjunct Professor QUT, Chairperson UHREC), and Senior Lecturer UQ)

New web page: Data, engagement and impact

Research data is a critical information asset which provides an important platform for collaboration between the research sector and the education sector as well as applications in public policy, business, citizen engagement, etc.

ANDS new [Data, engagement and impact webpage](#) covers an overview of What is 'research engagement' and 'research impact' and research data as an enabler and pathway to engagement and impact.

Data Snippets

- [Data on tap: Research Europe interviews Research Data Alliance's outgoing Secretary General Mark Parsons](#)
- [From disaster planning to conservation: mobile phones as a new tracking tool \(The Conversation\)](#)
- [What can be done about the 'reproducibility crisis'? Academics give their views \(via The Conversation UK\)](#)

ANU Press & open access

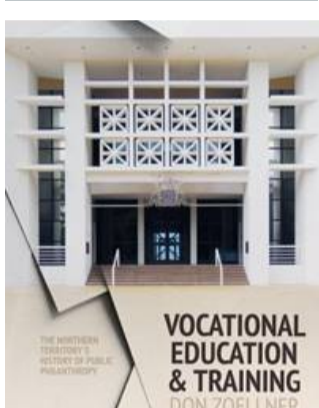
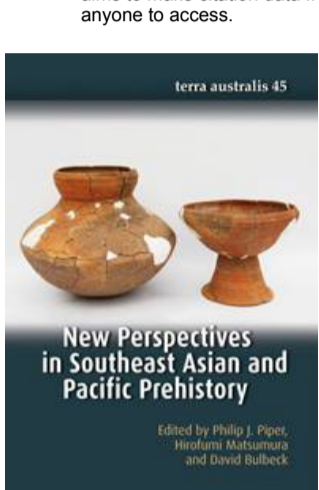
Bookmetrix. [Springer have developed Bookmetrix](#) in partnership with [Altmetric](#). It offers a comprehensive overview of the reach, usage and readership of your book or chapter by providing various book-level and chapter-level metrics all in one place.
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MIT integrates Altmetrics. [MIT Press has integrated Altmetric Badges for Books into its book pages.](#) Visitors will be provided with an at-a-glance summary of the online attention relating to all of their monograph titles, discovering for the first time the broader engagement from key audiences and stakeholders.
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New collaboration with Charles Darwin University. [The first book in the copublishing collaboration with Charles Darwin University has just been published – Vocational Education and Training: The Northern Territory's history of public philanthropy.](#)
 » [read more](#)

Open access tidbits

- Openness as social praxis** by M. Smith, and R. Seward, *First Monday*. [Online] 22.4. The "article builds on Pomerantz and Peek's attempt to disambiguate the term by offering an alternative understanding to openness – that of social praxis. More specifically, our framing can be broken down into three social processes: open production, open distribution, and open consumption. Each process shares two traits that make them open: you don't have to pay (free price), and anyone can participate (non-discrimination) in these processes."
 » [read more](#)
- SCOAP3 Governing Council meeting March 23-24th 2017
 » [read more](#)
- Unpaywall – a new service finds free versions of scholarly literature
 » [read more](#)
- [Initiative for Open Citations \(I4OC\)](#), Wikimedia Foundation, in collaboration with 25 publishers and a network of organizations, including the Public Library of Science (PLOS), the Internet Archive, Mozilla, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, the Wellcome Trust, and many others, announced the [Initiative for Open Citations \(I4OC\)](#), which aims to make citation data freely available for anyone to access.



Open research

- New in the repository:**
- [The effect of female and male health on economic growth: cross-country evidence within a production function framework](#)
 - [Childcare Assistance: Are Subsidies or Tax Credits Better?](#)
 - [Identification of novel inhibitors of the amino acid transporter B\(0\)AT1 \(SLC6A19\), a potential target to induce protein restriction and to treat type 2 diabetes](#)
 - [When do citizens take costly action against government corruption? Evidence from experiments in Australia, Singapore, and the United States](#)
 - [Importance of soft canopy structure for habitat fish communities in estuarine mesohabitats](#)

What's new in scholcomm

Library editor: New Horizon report. And the trends accelerating technology adoption in Academic and Research Libraries are:

- Long-Term Trends: Driving technology adoption in academic and research libraries for five or more years
- Evolving Nature of the Scholarly Record
- Cross institutional collaboration
- Mid-Term Trends: Driving technology adoption in academic and research libraries over the next three to five years
- Patrons as Creators
- Rethinking Library Spaces
- Short-Term Trends: Driving technology adoption in academic and research libraries over the next one to two years
- Research Data Management
- Valuing the User Experience."

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Collective wisdom an exploration of library, archives and museum cultures. 18 professionals from libraries, archives and museums came together to explore how each institution type approaches learning and collaboration. The "Collective Wisdom" group attended a major conference of each sector, reflected on similarities and differences, and assessed opportunities for collaboration. Their many recommendations for increasing connections across sectors and articulating their value are showcased in this new white paper published by OCLC.
 » [read more](#)

RLUK conference. Many very stimulating speakers and happily a great range of videos online as well as an excellent blog post: John MacColl University of St Andrews gave a most stimulating presentation on "A Research Library Commons?"
 » [read more](#)

How well do you know your library users? Lynn Sillpigni Connaway, OCLC Senior Research Scientist and Director of User Research, talks about a completely new set of user expectations for online services that have been shaped by consumer technologies.
 » [read more](#)

Indigenous Australians' information behaviour and Internet use in everyday life: an exploratory study. Reports the first stage of an ongoing information behaviour research project undertaken with a rural Indigenous community in South Australia. The study provides insights into indigenous Australians' information behaviour and Internet use in their daily lives. Future research directions are also discussed.
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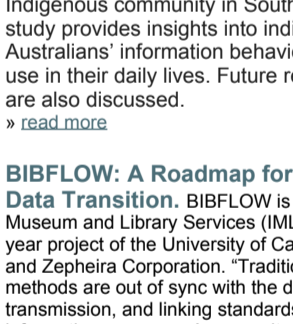
BIBFLOW: A Roadmap for Library Linked Data Transition. BIBFLOW is an Institute for Museum and Library Services (IMLS) funded multi-year project of the University of California Davis Library and Zepheira Corporation. "Traditional library data methods are out of sync with the data storage, transmission, and linking standards that drive the new information economy. As a result, new standards and technologies are sorely needed to help the library community leverage the benefits and efficiencies that the Web has afforded other industries. The findings in this report are the result of research focused on how libraries should adapt their practices, workflows, software systems, and partnerships to support their evolution to new standards and technologies. In conducting this research, the BIBFLOW team collaborated and communicated with partners across the library data ecosystem – key organizations like the Library of Congress, OCLC, library vendors, standards organizations like NISO, software tool vendors, commercial data providers, and other libraries that are trying to plan for change. We also experimented with various technologies as a means of testing Linked Data transition and operation workflows. The specific focus of this study was the Library of Congress' emerging BIBFRAME model, a framework developed specifically to help libraries leverage Linked Data capabilities."
 » [read more](#)

Open Future | Library Systems Landscape 2017. Reviews Index Data, Bluecloud Folio, trends – Alma/Ex Libris update, APIs, and more. Is there really "maturation for the OLE community"? Decide for yourself.
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JALIA. The first issue of Journal of the Australian Library and Information Association, the new journal replacing AARL and ALJ is now out – a couple of articles you may find interesting:

- [No continuing city, or the city to come? Observations on parliament and its library by Russell Cope](#)
- [Academic Referencing on University Library Websites: A Call for Clear, Coherent and Correct Categorisation by Robert Trevethan & Michela Betta](#)

The Rise of Reading Analytics and the Emerging Calculus of Reader Privacy in the Digital World. Cliff Lynch takes us through the issues and two case studies - mass-market e-books (both directly acquired by readers and mediated by librarians) and scholarly journals (usually mediated by academic librarians).
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Save your stamps! Stamps for overseas aid. Thanks to Menzies Staff who continue to place used stamps in the Rotary box on the work bench in Menzies staff area. Everyone is welcome to contribute from other branches or stamps you receive at home (including local Australian stamps).

Candida collects them – passes them on to Hall Rotary Club – Hall Rotaries post to Western Australia Rotary Club – Swan Districts Rotary post to the UK for selling and funds go to various overseas aid projects.

Reply from WA Rotary after receiving the last batch... "Your large envelope of stamps have arrived. They are just perfect for our needs - they will be in the next consignment to the UK. Please keep forwarding stamps to this project. --- Many thanks Rotarian Cameron Bell - "Stamps for Overseas Aid" - Rotary Club of Swan Districts WA Our Rotary club of Hall very much appreciates the stamps that you collect.

Candida Spence