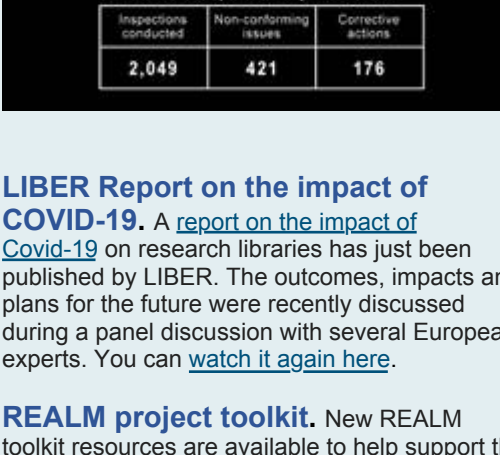


SIS News

COVID 19



ANU

COVID-19 Control Outcomes ANU Investigation Results		
Week of 4 - 11 December	Week of 18 - 25 December	Week of 22 - 29 December
Impaired	Non-performing	Complete return
65	6	1
Cumulative for the period 29 May - 11 December		
Impaired	Non-performing	Complete return
2,949	421	176

LIBER Report on the impact of COVID-19. A report on the impact of Covid-19 on research libraries has just been published by LIBER. The outcomes, impacts and plans for the future were recently discussed during a panel discussion with several European experts. You can [watch it again here](#).

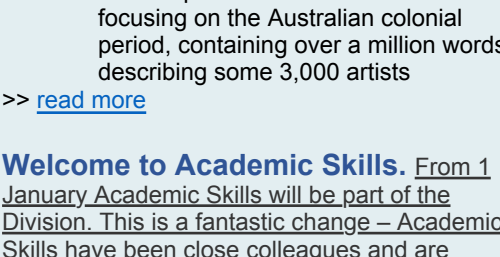
REALM project toolkit. New REALM toolkit resources are available to help support the interpretation and use of REALM laboratory research. These downloadable visual aids show test results by material type and usage, including:

- Surfaces (marble, laminate, glass, etc.)
- Books and paper
- Media (CDs, DVDs, USB cassettes)
- Plastics

The REALM Happening Now project [update page](#) contains a wealth of information

SIS news:

A happy and safe end of year Thank you to everyone for doing such amazing work this year. In a time of complexity and difficulty, everyone has supported their colleagues, students and academics in new and positive ways with great success. Thank you so much. May the end of year and 2021 bring you peace, joy and time to reflect on your terrific achievements.



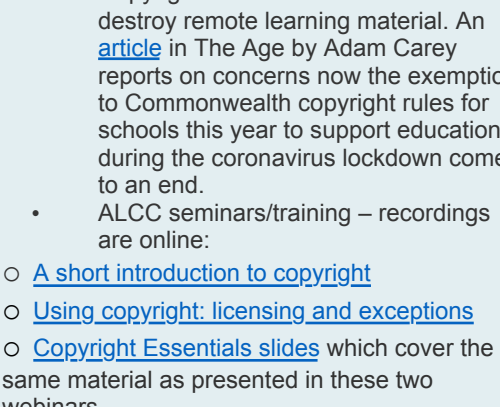
Rebuilding the JB Chifley Library collection. Great news in the December update – many thanks to Luciana and the many assisting to make this happen. Well done! **Highlights:** More than 32,000 items have been replaced so far and are available for use. A complete list of [ANU replacement titles](#) is accessible through the [ANU Library catalogue](#). Recent flood replacement acquisitions include

- Scanned digital PDF images of [George Augustus Robinson papers](#) replacing 46 microfilm reels lost in the flood – a significant resource in the field of Australian ethno history and an important cultural repository for South Eastern Indigenous communities
- [The Times Literary Supplement Historical Archive, 2015-2019](#) – this add-on online module has been purchased to replace the print issues lost in the flood and to extend our existing archive covering the years 1902-2014. A rich resource for following the developments of debate, opinion and perspective
- [Theologische Realenzyklopädie Online](#) - an exact reproduction of the 36 print volume set lost in the flood. This is a unique internationally-oriented reference work representing the present state of theological research as a whole
- [The Dictionary of Australian Artists, Painters, Sketchers, Photographers and Engravers to 1870](#) / edited by Joan Kerr – a comprehensive reference work focusing on the Australian colonial period, containing over a million words describing some 3,000 artists

>> [read more](#)

Welcome to Academic Skills. From 1 January Academic Skills will be part of the Division. This is a fantastic change – Academic Skills have been close colleagues and are passionate about improving the knowledge of and capabilities of students. Welcome [Thuy Do](#), [Vivien Silvey](#), [Jillian Schedneck](#), [Benjamin Kooyman](#), [Zihan Yin](#), [Daisy Leung](#), the writing coaches and peer writers and Lets speak English staff.

Structure of SIS. There have been a number of staff who have left us taking a voluntary separation – I would like to recognise everyone for their fabulous contribution. Those positions have been reestablished. Where this happened staff who reported to those positions have been given a new reporting line. There are two new areas coming in – Academic Skills reporting to Heather and CartoGIS reporting to Erin Gallant. There may be minor reporting line changes next year as we settle in to the 'new normal'.



The functional chart is on the [Intranet](#).

SIS planning. Next year we will have our planning day in early February and the plan on a page for 2021 can be seen [here](#).

ANU calendar for 2021. This year we are saving the trees by not having a print calendar. You can see the dates for 2021 online [here](#).

Name	Year	Description
Friday 1 January	2021	Summer Session Begins
Monday 1 January	2021	New Year Observance
Monday 4 January	2021	Winter Session begins
Tuesday 12 January	2021	Academic Staff Meeting
Monday 15 January	2021	Last day to enrol for the academic year
Monday 18 January	2021	Final examination period commences until 19 February
Monday 22 February	2021	Semester 2 begins
Monday 22 February	2021	Semester 2 of print and electronic and Supplementary Final
Monday 8 March	2021	Last day to add Semester 2 courses until 8pm
Monday 8 March	2021	Calendar Day Holiday
Friday 12 March	2021	Don't miss the opportunity to visit the new and get tickets for the

Library Staff Consultative Committee meeting. Thanks to the members of the committee - Heather Jenks, Christobel Underwood, David Goble, Jaissy Antony, Belinda Carriage, Fiona Nelson Cambell, Kunudint Watawala, Ivo Lovric, Terra Starbird, Teresa Prose and Judy Thompson and Margaret Prescott for her sterling work as Secretary. At our December meeting we talked about the many challenges and changes.

I am calling for nominations for vacant positions:

- 2 member at APS1-4
- 1 member at APS1-5/8

Please forward nominations to Margaret Prescott.

Copyright

- Copyright laws could force schools to destroy remote learning material. An [article](#) in The Age by Adam Carey reports on concerns now the exemption to Commonweath copyright rules for schools this year to support education during the coronavirus lockdown comes to an end.
- ALCO seminars/training – recordings are online:

- [A short introduction to copyright](#)
- [Using copyright, licensing and exceptions](#)
- [Copyright Essentials slides](#) which covers the same material as presented in these two webinars

CAUL.

- Merry Christmas from CAUL.
- Copyright – Tertiary Music Licence – information released on [library news](#)

Alliance decommissioned

Collaboration Platform Rollout
The Microsoft 365 Platform has become an essential tool for ongoing collaboration here at ANU, particularly during these challenging times.

Use of SharePoint, Teams, Groups and OneDrive increased dramatically during remote study and work this year.

It has been a critical service to support the operation of the university. It is important to remember to stay ever-vigilant when it comes to data security and information management.

- Very useful guidance is available online:
- Office 365 Help Page
 - Record keeping and O365
 - Privacy, security and O365

Alliance decommissioned

The migration of users from Alliance to Office 365 is now complete.

All Alliance users were notified that their access was downgraded to read-only and extensive support has been provided for migration.

Access to Alliance has ceased with decommissioning occurring in the coming weeks.

Further Information

An important issue for 2021 is a provisioning approach that enables automated migration of data to the ERMS. This will be particularly useful to those supporting committees.

I would like to thank everyone who has contributed to this project – it has been extremely important. Roma Roseette, Zul Ahmad, Peter Ness, the ITS team, Kathryn Dan, Alex Caughey Hutt, Megan Davis and members of the Steering committee have provided outstanding advice and support to ensure it happened seamlessly.

Pest control Reminder: Annual pest control for the Library branches and Archives areas will be carried out on Tuesdays 29 December 2020. Entry into treated buildings is not permitted from 7am on 29 December through to 5am on 3 January 2021. The chemical to be used is Pestigas (Pyrethrum) and the application method is atomised mist. While the pesticide to be used has very low toxicity, Royal Pest control advise that prior to the treatment pregnant staff may wish to consult their doctor and discuss any additional requirements with their branch or business manager.

- Areas to be treated are:
- Chifley Library
 - Menzies Library
 - Hancock Library, East & West Library areas
 - Law Library
 - Art & Music Library
 - Acton Underhill Archive areas
 - Hume Print Repository
 - D A Brown Building Archive areas

Thanks to Belinda Carriage and Rob Carruthers, SIS Facilities. More detailed information has been circulated.

Feedback from clients. Well done Stephanie and Frieda:

回复: RE: Old Changsha photo exhibition

Dear Stephanie Luke,

Thanks a million for this wonderful job. I have successfully downloaded the TIF file and the quality is much much better than the previous ones online.

What you and Friederike have done gives tremendous help to our exhibition and will help visitors to understand what kind of people, no matter what their nationalities are, had ever dwelt or walked upon this piece of land.

I will send both of you photos when the exhibition begins.

with best wishes.

...

[Roxanne Missingham](#)
University Librarian

Events

ALIA Chats 'after work drinks', virtually

Time: every Friday 5pm AEST for at least 40 minutes. LINK: A Zoom link is emailed each Thursday to ALIA Members. Let me know if you'd like the link – we are corporate members.

DCDC21: Catalysts for change: transforming our practices, collections, and communities through times of crisis

When? 28 June – 2 July 2021

Where? Online

More details DCDC21 will explore how crisis can act as a catalyst for change within libraries, archives, museums, and cultural organisations. It will explore the impact that crisis can have on working practices, collections, and audience engagement, and how periods of turbulence can lead to new opportunities for research and collaboration. It will seek to examine how cultural heritage organisations can look beyond times of crisis and foster innovation and collaboration in their institutions and communities. [Register here](#)

9th International Summit of the Book

When? December 9th-11th 2020

Where? Online

More details [Keynote Speakers](#)

- Christine Mackenzie, JFLA President.
- Ismail Serageldin, Founding Director of the Bibliotheca Alexandrina (BA).
- Tamar Kintsurskaya, Executive Director of Media Development Foundation.
- Tefko Saracevic, Professor Emeritus at the School of Communication and Information, Rutgers University.
- Melius Weideman, Founder and Leader of WARC, the Website Attributes Research Centre.
- Dilara Begum, Associate Professor and Chairperson in the Department of Information Studies and Library Management at East West University.

[Register here](#)

ALIA Information Online Conference ACCESS OR CONTROL

When? 8 February 2021

Where? Online

More details Lots of great speakers including Professor Marcia Langton and Erik Klinenberg NYU. Prof Genevieve Bell. Heather has registered us for attendance at sessions. [More information](#)

HR

ARDC

Recent news:

New investments boost HASS and Indigenous research

The ARDC welcomes a new \$8.9 million investment to help provide humanities, arts, social science and Indigenous researchers with easier access to data, analysis and sharing based on FAIR principles. [Read more](#)

Promoting data sharing in the social sciences

A new project promotes using FAIR principles in the social sciences, providing researchers with access to valuable qualitative data...[Read more](#)

ANU Press and Open Access Publishing

Well done to the Press team- an amazing 2020!

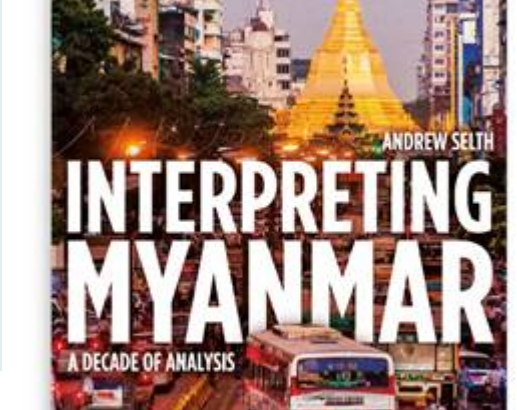
Press Advisory Committee and Editorial Board Chair meetings. Both these groups met in the last fortnight and conveyed their great appreciation of the amazing work done by all ANU Press staff this year, in particular recognising the extraordinary reach and readership of works published by the Press.

Sponsoring Consortium for Open Access Publishing in Particle Physics expands. The SCOAP3 team is very pleased to advise that it is the 44th country to join Sponsoring Consortium for Open Access Publishing in Particle Physics (SCOAP3), the world's largest disciplinary open access (OA) initiative.

>> [read more](#)

OA tidbits.

- [Subscribe to Open: The Why, The How and The What Now?](#) by SARA BOSSHART, ROD COOKSON, PHILIPP HEES
- [Information wants to be free](#) by Richard Poynder. He argues "Internet mantras like information wants to be free misread OA advocates about what is possible in an online world. Amongst other things, these mantras led to the mistaken belief that publishing would be very much cheaper on the internet"
- [Emerging Perspectives in Open Access Book Publishing](#) (webinar recording) » The University of British Columbia
- [The Community-Led Open Publication Infrastructures for Monographs \(COPIM\) project: A transformative open access monograph initiative](#) by Sherri. L. Barnes in C&RL
- [Library Journal Survey: Academic Library Open Access Use Up During Pandemic](#) in Library Journal



Open Research

Changes to Journal Impact Factor Announced for 2021. Starting 2021, Journal Impact Factors will be calculated using online publication dates, not print ones. But phased rollout may lead to bias for some journals.

>> [read more](#)

New in the repository

- [Social and community networks influence dietary attitudes in regional New South Wales, Australia](#)
- [A feminist call to be radical: Linking women's health and planetary health](#)
- [Where is the Chinese Economy Going? A Forum on Contemporary Policy and Performance](#)
- [Blood and Bones: The Influence of the Mass Media on Australian Primary School Children's Understandings of Genes and DNA](#)
- [Complex Sexual Deception in an Orchid Is Achieved by Co-opting Two Independent Biosynthetic Pathways for Pollinator Attraction](#)

Keeping up to date

Information governance.

Professor Michael Adams reflects on the impact of COVID-19 on universities and the role of data and information governance (IG). Professor Adams sets out the ways in which universities across Australia have been impacted and the important roles that data, technology and IG play in enabling effective decision-making. [Read the article here](#)

Data Availability and Transparency Bill, the Data Availability and Transparency (Consequential Amendments) Bill and Explanatory Memorandums have been introduced to Parliament

Migration, MIP, Metadata and More with Active Navigation. Experts Andrew Cowan and Simon Costello from ActiveNav and special guest Ajay Iyer from Microsoft share best practices about M365 governance in this webinar. They tackle all the 'M's: migration, metadata and MIP labelling, and why we need to think about governance as an evolving process. [Listen here](#)

Building Trust in the Public Record. David Fricker, Director-General of the National Archives of Australia talks about the new policy *Building Trust in the Public Record: managing information and data for government and community*. [Access webinar here](#) or [read the summary](#)

International Journal of Librarianship and Scholarly Communication. Volume 8

out now articles include:

- [Sustainable Development Goals: Insights from Research Libraries](#) by Roxanne Missingham
- [The Library as a Campus Sustainability Hub: A Case Study in Increasing Community Engagement & Collaboration in Sustainability through Academic Libraries](#) by Jennifer K. Embree, Neyda V. Gilman
- [Managing a Sustainable Work-from-Home Scheme: Library Resiliency in Times of Pandemic](#) by Joseph Yap, April Manabat

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out now articles include:

- [Considering Creative Activity in Institutional Repositories: An Exploration of Faculty Perceptions](#) (Kate Lambaria)
- [Using Open Pedagogy to Engage LIS Students: A Case Study](#) (Christopher Hollister)
- [Showcasing Institutional Research: Curating Library Exhibits to Support Scholarly Communication](#) (Devina Dandari, Jaime Clifton-Ross, Ann Dale, and Rosie Croft)
- [Conceptualizing Data Curation Activities Within Two Academic Libraries](#) (Sophia Lafferty-Hess, Julie Rudder, Moira Downey, Susan Ivey, Jennifer Darragh, and Rebekah Katl)
- [Centering Graduate Students' Research Projects in Data Management Education: A Pilot Program](#) (Tina M. Griffin)

What Do Archivists Have to Do with the Presidential Election?

National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) plays a critical role in collecting documents, ensuring that everyone who needs them has them, and finally keeping them for prosperity - Elisa Shoenberger describes the nature of records of US elections.

>> [read more](#)

Journalism, Preprint Servers, and the Truth: Allocating Accountability.

Takes forward thoughts on the theme of truthfulness in this age of fake news. Asks two questions: Question 1: What is the Media's Responsibility to Sort Truth from Error in Public Discourse? Question 2: What Does This Have to Do with Preprint Servers?

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UKSG webinar - Inclusion zone: A case study in digital accessibility.

James Carr, Programme Manager, Cambridge University Press, Beverley Delaney, E-Content Advisor, Open University, Julie Elsdon, Front End Developer, Cambridge University Press and Khadija Raza, Graduate, Royal Holloway University spoke at this event. Presentations and the recording are available online.

>> [read more](#)

Transformative Agreements, Funders and the Publishing Ecosystem: a Lack of Focus on Equity.

Robert Harrington argues that funders, be they national, or private, should consider directly funding their field through funding societies and institutions, with a focus on equitable distribution of funds across scholarly communities..

>> [read more](#)

Accessible Documentary Heritage.

Marking the International Day of Persons with Disabilities on 3 December 2020, UNESCO has released a new publication aiming at assisting stakeholders in the preparation of documentary heritage in accessible formats for persons with disabilities. It offers a set of guidelines for parties involved in the digitization of heritage documents, including librarians, archivists, museums workers, curators, and other stakeholders in carefully planning digital platforms and contents with a view to incorporating disability and accessibility aspects.

>> [read more](#)

The Impacts of COVID-19 on Academic Library Budgets: Fall 2020.

Summarises the Ithaka S+R US Library survey – overall budget reductions and uncertainty.

>> [read more](#)

The future of text. A wide range of thoughts and experiments..

>> [read more](#)

Libraries, publishers, booksellers, and authors work together during COVID-19.

ALIA CEO Sue McKernacher spoke as part of a panel discussion at the 2020 Small Press Network's conference The State of the Industry, alongside representatives from the Australian Publishers Association, the Australian Society of Authors and the Australian Booksellers Association. They spoke about how publishers, booksellers, libraries, and authors worked together to deliver greater access to books during the ongoing pandemic.

>> [read more](#)

Library architecture.

- [Architecture & Design](#) has highlighted the [Robin Warren Library](#) at the University of Western Australia in a recent article
- [Australian Library Design Awards- 33 entries from across the nation.](#) For more information see the website