

## BRIEF

**SUBJECT** Library Client Survey: Action plan

TO Library Staff

FROM

Library Executive

DATE 9 November 2012

## **Background**

In August 2012 the Library retained Insync Surveys to conduct a client survey. The key findings, data report and the analysis of the comments have been received.

A total of 867 responses were received, 56% from undergraduates, 24% from postgraduates and 12% from academic/research staff. Our overall score was 74.4% which places ANU Library in the bottom 25% of libraries surveyed. The following graph gives an overview of the results.

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## Best practice categories

It is very pleasing to note that the Library staff is once again the highest performing category with a score of 85.8%. Facilities and equipment ranked lowest reflecting the issues with printing, scanning, photocopying and wireless. Discussions are being held with Information Technology Services regarding the problems.

The survey has raised some areas that can be improved. The action plan proposes actions against the key areas that require attention, the person responsible and the timeframes.



Issue	Action	Responsible officer	Timeframe	Comments
Opening Hours	Analyse results of Extended	University Librarian,	End of November 2013	In consultation with PLPM
	hours trial and make recommendations for 2013	Roxanne Missingham		and Library staff
Printing, scanning &	ITS to investigate and report	ITS	End of 2012	ITS have been sent the
photocopying issues				relevant parts of the report
				and the relevant comments
Availability of computers	ITS to investigate and report	ITS	End of 2012	ITS have been sent the
				relevant parts of the report
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Wireless access	ITS to investigate and report	ITS	End of 2012	ITS have been sent the
				relevant parts of the report and the relevant comments
Items on shelves	Ensure shelving is done	All Precinct managers	Immediate and on going	and the relevant comments
items on sheives	promptly.	All Fredirect managers	Inimediate and on going	
	Review procedures for	Kathy Collier, Chair	March 2013	In consultations with TSCG
	items reported missing;	Circulation Coordination		and Collection Coordination
	ensure relevant staff know	Group		Group
	the correct procedure	·		·
Website	Review the Library website	Manager, Library User	July 2012	In conjunction with DOI
		Services, Kathy Collier		Outreach
Supersearch	Review ANU's	Chair, Reference	End of 2012	In Consultation with RSCG
	implementation of	Coordination Group, Helena		and ILCG
	Supersearch. Prepare list	Zobec		
	of enhancements for the			
Communication	ANZ User Group	Katha Callian Managan	March 2013	CCO/ of recognition to profes
Communication	Review the Library's communication strategy	Kathy Collier, Manager Library User Services	March 2013	66% of respondents prefer to learn about our services
	Communication strategy	Library Oser Services		via email
Library workshops and	Develop online training	Kathy Collier, Chair ILCG	February 2013 first online	via citiali
training	modules, investigate more		modules available	
	subject specific training and			
	where possible embed as			
	part of courses			