ANU Archives launches new database

The Australian National University Archives has launched a new database which makes national treasures of business, unions, and The University available online for the first time.

National Archives of Australia Director-General David Fricker launched the new ANU Archives database, which includes historic documents from Australia’s colonial history.

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24-hour Library; we want your feedback

The Library is seeking feedback on a briefing paper released in May, which outlines a proposal to provide 24-hour access to Chifley Library.

The proposed 24-hour access is in response to feedback gained in the 2012 Library User Survey as well as from the ANU Community—including the Pro Vice Chancellor (Student Experience), ANU Students’ Association (ANUSA), and ANU Postgraduate and Research Student Association (PARSA)—expressing a need for the Library to be open 24-hours every day.

The Library encourages any ANU staff member with feedback on the proposal to email the University Librarian

Assistance with ARC and NHMRC open access policies

ANU Digital Collections is the University’s institutional repository, and its staff can assist ARC and NHMRC grant recipients with meeting the requirement for making research outputs such as journal articles and conference papers accessible through the ANU Repository.

Email Anne Lahey or call her on 6125 9729 for assistance and advice.

CSU students visit ANU Library

An enthusiastic group of 25 students studying library and information studies from Charles Sturt University (CSU) visited the ANU Library in April.

The students attended a half-day seminar where they heard about the Open Badges project, the Library’s new Personal Library Service, and how the Library communicates with the ANU Community. A stimulating exchange of questions and ideas was shared at the end of the seminar.

New recordings and presentations webpage

Catch up on all past Library hosted presentations, including the recent ‘How to get published’ presentation given by The CSIRO, on the Library’s new recordings and presentations webpage.
Chifley foyer re-opening

Chris Grange, Executive Director (Administration and Planning), officially re-opened the refurbished Chifley Library foyer at a small event held in the foyer on 2 May.

Those responsible for delivering the project, including ANU Facilities & Service staff, Architects and Interior Designer, and a variety of Library staff attended the event. Mr Grange and University Librarian, Roxanne Missingham thanked those involved for their hard work and their ability to continue to deliver an excellent service throughout the building works.

Upcoming event

Recent Developments in Open Access and Scholarly Communication: The Case of History in Britain
Presented by Professor Miles Taylor, Institute of Historical Research, University of London
Wednesday 18 June, 12.30—1.30pm, McDonald Room, Menzies Library

Current exhibition

Treasures of the ANU Archives
6 June—30 September, Menzies Library foyer and ANU Archives reading room
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