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Personal Library Services News

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Message from the University Librarian

Welcome to the first Personal Library Service Newsletter for 2021. I hope that you are finding our online and in-person services meet your needs. A great starting point is our [website](#). We hope the information in these newsletters is useful and interesting. Please let us know if there is a topic you would like more information on, or need a librarian's assistance to locate.

We plan to produce these roughly quarterly to help your study. If you have any questions don't hesitate to email us – we will connect you to the most appropriate specialist Librarian who will answer your question, do email library.info@anu.edu.au at any time.

We look forward to supporting you in your research,

Roxanne Missingham, University Librarian

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Chifley Library – then and now! Come see more photos and records from the development of our campus at the ANU Archives exhibition "[Building Australia's National University](#)"



Welcome Academic Skills!

Academic Skills have joined the ANU Library. You can now come into Chifley Library for a drop-in session, or book a one-on-one appointment. [Visit their website](#) to see all the services on offer.

The addition of Academic Skills will contribute to the Library training services already offered through our Digital Literacy Team, who offers a range of online workshops to help you develop your digital literacy skills. These sessions can help you begin your thesis; learn research skills; navigate our collections; format your work; use programs such as Microsoft Word, Excel, EndNote, NVivo, SPSS, and LaTeX; work on your presentation skills; develop conference posters; put together your citations; and much more! You can view our upcoming courses via the [training calendar](#).

Update on the 2018 Chifley Flood replacement project

The shelves are now beginning to fill. Collection from A to DU are being replaced as quickly as we can source the material. We have now replaced almost 38,000 titles of the 300,000 items we lost to the murky waters.

A highlight in our recent replacements has been a digital collection from Adam Matthews that includes:

- Literary studies
- Missionary studies
- Empire studies
- Medieval and Early Modern studies
- Women's studies



If you need any material that was lost in the flood and has not yet been replaced please [contact the library](#) and we will purchase or borrow the material for you.

You can view more on the Flood Replacement Project in our [news updates](#).



Extended exam hours

In addition to the JB Chifley and WK Hancock Libraries being open 24/7, the ANU Library has extended opening hours on the following dates to help with your exam preparation!

- Saturday 29 May, 1 to 7pm (Menzies and Law)
- Saturday 5 June, 1 to 7pm (Menzies, Law and Art & Music)
- Saturday 12 June, 1 to 7pm (Menzies, Law and Art & Music)

Click & Collect service

To help you access the ANU Library Collections when you need them, [Click & Collect](#) enables you to request monographs from any of our library branches, to be delivered to the Hancock or Chifley Library for you to collect anytime.

Both these libraries are open 24/7, so should you need to collect your books at midnight or noon or any time in between, you can come in and use the self-checkout machines to borrow them.



New subject guides available

A number of new subject guides have been made available in the past few months, including:

- [Open Educational Resources \(OERs\)](#)
- [Timor-Leste Studies](#)
- [Mendeley](#)
- [Asia and Southeast Asian Art History](#)
- [Japanese Language](#)
- [Criminology](#)
- [Pacific security](#)
- [Central Asian studies](#)
- and coming soon... EndNote 20!

New COVID-19 guidelines

Keep up to date with the latest [COVID-19 guidelines](#) and ask questions on the ANU COVID-19 webpage. Also remember to use the QR code check-in when entering the buildings on campus.



ANU Archives

To celebrate the 75th anniversary of ANU in 2021, the ANU Archives has curated a new exhibition

[*"75 Years of the Australian National University: Building Australia's National University"*](#).

The exhibition is on display in the Menzies Library, and will run until June. Come along to see important and interesting buildings from the history of the University!

For more information on the ANU Archives, visit their [website](#) or [email the Archives staff](#).

New from ANU Press

[Cooperative Evolution](#) offers a fresh account of evolution consistent with Charles Darwin's own account of a cooperative, inter-connected, buzzing and ever-changing world. Told in accessible language, treating evolutionary change as a cooperative enterprise brings some surprising shifts from the traditional emphasis on the dominance of competition.

The book covers many evolutionary changes reconsidered as cooperation.

Buy now, or download for free, on the [ANU Press website](#).



ANU Support

If you feel you need support call the ANU Crisis Line. All calls are confidential. You can call the ANU Crisis Support Line 5pm to 9am weekdays, 24/7 weekends and public holidays.

Phone: 1300 050 327 (voice calls only)

Text: 0488 884 170

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