

Publications and information available

STAFF PUBLICATIONS, CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

PUBLICATIONS

Brunton, P 2010, 'So delightfully Miles, gay, intrepid & unique', review of Miles Franklin's letters by Jill Roe, *Australian Book Review*, no. 325, October 2010, pp. 14–15

Fitzgerald, Pauline 2011, Cooperation, Collaboration, Challenge: How to work with the changing nature of educational audiences in museums, *Rethinking Educational Practice Through Reflexive Enquiry*. Essays in honour of Susan Groundwater-Smith, London: Springer, pp. 77–88

Forsyth, Ellen, *From Assassins Creed 2 to the Five Greatest Warriors: Games and Reading*, APLIS, Volume 23, Number 3, September 2010, pp. 117–128

Joseph, Mylee, *An Exquisite Paradox: Making Teens and Young Adults Welcome in Public Libraries* APLIS Volume 23, Number 3, September 2010, pp. 107–110

Neville, R 2011, 'View of Sidney in New South Wales' and 'Sydney Heads looking south from above Manly Beach', in Alisa Bunbury ed., *This wondrous land. Colonial art on paper*, National Gallery of Victoria

CONFERENCE PAPERS

Acevedo, Oriana, NSW Adult Literacy and Numeracy Council Forum, *Library as a site of literacy learning*, 10 December, UTS, Sydney

Acevedo, Oriana and Brendan Fitzgerald, *MyLanguage: Expanding the possibilities of community web content* ALIA Information Online 15th Conference and Exhibition, 1–3 February 2011

Billington, Lynne, 'Requesting in the Catalogue: from Carbon Paper to Online Service'. Australasian Innovative Users Group. State Library of Western Australia, Perth, WA, 18 November 2010

Bradford, T 2010, 'Managing the past for the future: Innovative projects at the SLNSW', *Royal Australian Historical Society Annual Conference*, Richmond, NSW, 24 October 2010

Forsyth, Ellen, *Mobile reference: Ref-ex on the road*, Mobile Muster, Albury, 17–18 July 2010

Forsyth, Ellen, *Playing with readers: Online games and their potential for reference and readers advisory services in public libraries*, ALIA Information Online 15th Conference and Exhibition, 1–3 February 2011

Perry, Leanne and Ellen Forsyth, *Evaluating web 2.0 tools*, ALIA Information Online 15th Conference and Exhibition, 1–3 February 2011

Pryke, O 2011, 'Research in the workplace: A study of client use of State Library of New South Wales spaces', *Research for LIS practitioners: a satellite Information Online 2011 workshop*, ALIA Research Committee, Sydney, 4 February 2011

Sutton, Regina and Holt, Robyn, *The State Library's re-branding*, Public Libraries NSW Country Conference, Albury, 13–16 July 2010

Thomas, Rob, *Library Council and State Library Achievements*, Public Libraries NSW Country Conference, Albury, 13–16 July 2010

PRESENTATIONS

Anemaat, L 2010, 'Architectural collections at SLNSW', *Australasian architectural records collections seminar*, at the University of South Australia, Adelaide, 29 October, 2010

Balharrie, R 2011, 'El Dorado: is your digital collection an undiscovered treasure?' *Reference at the Metcalfe* at the State Library of NSW, Sydney, 17 May 2011

Bradford, T 2011, 'Managing the past in the present: the collections of the SLNSW', *Liverpool U3A Australian History Group*, Sydney, 10 March, 2011

Brown, J 2011, 'Managing the Library's collection, an introduction', Australian Training Officers Association Career Advisors session organised by Community Learning Services, State Library of New South Wales, Sydney, 27 August 2010

- Brown, J 2011, 'The State Library's online collections accessible to clients across New South Wales', *Reference at the Metcalfe*, at State Library of New South Wales, Sydney, 17 May 2011
- Brown, J 2010, 'Tabloids in New South Wales as a reflection of life in NSW and Australia', *Reaching Out or Going Down? The History of Tabloids*, at Macquarie University, Sydney, 24 September 2010
- Carr, A 2010, 'Preview launch of online Discover Collection, *The Australian Jewish Community and its Culture*', State Library of NSW, Sydney, 7 September 2010
- Carr, A 2010, 12th Annual Tom Brock Lecture, NSW Leagues Club, Sydney, 3 September 2010
- Carr, A 2011, 'Discover Collections: The Australian Jewish Community and its Culture' State Library of New South Wales. Sydney. 9 February 2011
- Davies, A 2010, 'The Camera in Australia, 1841–1900', *Friends of the Art Gallery of NSW*, Sydney, 21–22 July, 2010
- Edmonds, E 2011, '200th Anniversary of the publication of the Freycinet maps', *Media Interview*, ABC Radio National, ABC Midday news, ABC 666 Canberra, 702 and ABC Central West. 2GB radio, 23–26 May 2011
- Fitzgerald, P 2011, 'State Library of NSW Resources for the Primary Classroom', Eastern Suburbs Teacher Librarian Network, Malabar, 31 May 2011
- Fitzgerald, P 2011, 'Sources from the State Library of NSW for the Primary Classroom, Association of Independent Schools, Sydney, 10 June 2011
- Fitzgerald, P 2011, 'Transactional to Transformational: Young People and Museum Design', *Building Bridges for Historical Learning: Connecting Teacher Education and Museum Education Conference* Canberra, 28 March 2011
- Forsyth, E, *Social networking presentation at West Ryde Library*, 26 August 2010
- Gray, E 2010, 'Botanica', Out of the Vaults'. State Library of NSW, Sydney, 2 September 2010
- Gray, E 2010, 'Discover Collections and Digitisation: Behind the scenes', State Library of NSW, Sydney, 6 November 2010
- Gray, E 2010, 'State Library Photographic collections on Flickr', radio interview, ABC Orange, 6 December 2010
- Gray, E 2011, 'Mary Poppins' Out of the Vaults, State Library of NSW, Sydney, 5 May 2011
- Gray, E and O'Callaghan, J. 2010. 'Discover Collections: A Day at the Races' State Library of NSW, Sydney, 13 October 2010
- Hinchcliffe, GL 2011, 'The Impacts of Globalisation and Convergence on Libraries', Presentation and participation in Panel session to 2nd year Communication Undergraduates at University of Technology, Sydney, 3 May 2011
- Hone, S 2011, 'Digital sound recordings: Standards, interview practice, and use of oral histories in museums', *Oral History Association of Australia (NSW)*, Sydney, 14 May 2011
- Joseph, Mylee, *Engaging young people* (4 x half-day training) Logan City Council, Qld, 4–5 May 2011
- Morley, C 2011, Address at opening of refurbished Toukley Library, 29 June 2011
- Morley, C 2010, *The Library Act, Funding and Standards*, Public Libraries NSW South East Quarterly, Kiama, 3 September 2010
- O'Callaghan, J 2010, 'Discover Collections and Digitisation work at SLNSW', State Library of NSW, Sydney, 5 October 2010
- Perry, M 2010. 'Online State Library of NSW Resources, Lifelong Learners Weekend opening, Deniliquin, 15 October 2010

Perry, P 2011, 'State Library of NSW Resources for Society and Culture Teachers', Research Skills for Society and Culture for Beginning Teachers, State Library of NSW, Sydney, 25 February 2011

Perry, M 2011, 'Online State Library of NSW Resources for the Primary History Classroom', History Professional Learning Day for Primary Teachers, State Library of NSW, Sydney, 2 April 2011

Perry, M 2011, 'State Library of NSW Resources for the Primary Classroom', Professional Development Day, Dundas Primary School, 27 April 2011

Prichard, L 2011, 'Mashup at the Mitchell', *ALIA 20x20 Working Together*, Fisher Library, University of Sydney, 3 May 2011

Pryke, O 2011, 'Voice of the client: Discovering how your clients are using your space', Public Library Network: *Measuring Up: Evaluating your library services at State Library of NSW*, Sydney, 16 November 2010

Riley, M 2010, 'Fashion After Hours: Is Couture Still Relevant?' Mercedes Benz Brisbane Fashion Festival, Brisbane, 6 August 2010

Riley, M 2010, 'Fashion After Hours: Is Couture Still Relevant?' Rosemount Sydney Fashion Festival, Sydney, 27 August 2011

Sims, Frances, Public address at opening of refurbished Warren Shire Library, 5 April 2011

Sims, Frances, Launch of Hurstville HSC Collection, 3 May 2011

Sims, Frances, Address at Public Libraries NSW Country Conference, Albury 13–16 July 2010

Sims, Frances 2011, Introduction to Learning Programs for K–12 students and teacher speech at the Glasshouse Learning Space opening, State Library of NSW, Sydney, 6 May 2011

Wajon, Scott 2011, 'Digitisation at the State Library of NSW', at Digital Practice Update: Digitisation and Digital Preservation, Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW, Sydney, 15 February 2011

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE

PUBLICATIONS

Library Council of NSW Annual Report 2009–10
State Library of NSW Foundation Annual Report 2009–10

Public Library Statistics 2009–10

The Governor: Lachlan Macquarie 1810 to 1821

Moran Prizes 2010

Mari Nawi: Aboriginal Odysseys 1790–1850

Kahlil Gibran: The Prophet, The Artist, The Man

Bush, Beach + Battlers: Photographs by Jeff Carter

Carved Trees: Aboriginal Cultures of Western NSW

Moran Prizes 2011

HOT TOPICS: LEGAL ISSUES IN PLAIN LANGUAGE

Four issues a year published by the Legal Information Access Centre (LIAC).

\$22 an issue, \$82.50 annual subscription (incl GST).

Hot Topics 73: *Young people and crime*

Hot Topics 74: *Animal law*

Hot Topics 75: *Discrimination*

Hot Topics 76: *Employment and the law*

Complimentary copies are provided to legal agencies, including NSW community legal centres, Legal Aid and the Aboriginal Legal Service. Two free copies are also provided to all NSW public libraries.

DRUG INFO @ YOUR LIBRARY

A quick guide to drugs & alcohol, Dunn, M 2011

Sydney, NSW: drug info @ your library,

State Library of NSW

Distributed free to all NSW public libraries and selected community groups.

MAGAZINES AND NEWSLETTERS

SL magazine (four issues)

Public Library News (three issues)

Volunteers' Voices (two issues)

01 BENNELONG POINT FROM DAWES POINT, C. 1804 ATTRIBUTED TO JOHN EYRE WATERCOLOUR ON CARD V1/1810/1

02 *MAN'S BEST FRIEND*, PHOTO BY IAN ENGLISH, MORAN PRIZES 2011



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LIBRARY BLOGS

HSC Legal Studies News Watch

<http://blog.sl.nsw.gov.au/hsc_legal_studies/>

Kids@ the Library – Listing of school holiday program events for parents and children <http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/events/series/kids_at_the_library.html>

K–12 students and teachers – Access for teachers and students to events, programs and resources for teaching and learning, including exhibition support material, learning objects and pre and post visit materials. <http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/services/learning_at_the_Library/k12_students_teachers.html>

Access to the schedule of workshops and courses for lifelong learners
<http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/events/series/lifelong_learning.html>

Access to information for students of the information and library professions
<http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/services/learning_at_the_Library/information_profession.html>

State Library of New South Wales Accessibility Guide, print and online version
<http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/using/disability/docs/slsw_accessibility_guide.pdf>

Dixson map collection digitisation project
<<http://blog.sl.nsw.gov.au/dixsonmaps/>>

eRecords project
<<http://blog.sl.nsw.gov.au/erecords/>>

Holtermann collection digitisation project
<<http://blog.sl.nsw.gov.au/holtermann/>>

Exploring Heritage: Nelson Meers Heritage Collection
<<http://blog.sl.nsw.gov.au/heritage/>>

RIGHT TO INFORMATION ANNUAL REPORT

Annual reporting requirements under section 125 of the *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009* (GIPA Act).

RIGHT TO INFORMATION

On 1 July 2010, reforms to New South Wales' right to information system took effect with the GIPA Act replacing the *Freedom of Information Act 1989*.

The objective of the GIPA Act is to make government information more accessible to the public by requiring government agencies to make certain sorts of information freely available, encouraging government agencies to release as much other information as possible, giving the public an enforceable right to make access applications for government information, and restricting access to information only when there is an overriding public interest against disclosure.

As a NSW Government agency, the State Library is required to comply with the GIPA Act. The State Library is committed to openness and transparency in carrying out its functions, providing a significant amount of information about our operations, services, functions, activities and policies to the community through our website.

Section 125 of the GIPA Act requires the State Library to prepare an annual report on its obligations under the Act.

In meeting our obligations under the GIPA Act, the following activities were undertaken by the State Library during 2010–11:

- introductory and advanced GIPA training attended by the Right to Information Officers
- GIPA awareness training delivered to new staff through the induction program
- the types of corporate information released was reviewed
- GIPA clauses included in relevant contracts
- our Publication Guide was developed and published and includes information about our structure and functions, the effect of our functions on the public and how they can participate in Library policy development, the types of corporate information we hold and the way in which the public can access the information and any costs

- policies that have a direct effect on members of the public's rights were published with sections removed where on the balance there was an overriding public interest against disclosure
- information about the new right to information system was communicated to public and staff through our website and intranet
- our right to information website and intranet content was updated
- procedures were developed and put in place for managing informal and formal access requests and requests for advice and assistance.

Please note that a valid access application cannot be made for information that is contained in a record that forms part of the State Library's collections, as defined in Schedule 4 (Clause 13) of the GIPA Act.

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

No access applications (including withdrawn) were received by the State Library during 2010–11.

However, four requests for information under section 8 of the GIPA Act – 'Informal Release of Government Information' were received during 2010–11. Access to the information was granted in full for two requests. Information was granted in part for two requests with certain matter deleted where there was an overriding public interest against disclosure, which on balance, outweighed the public interest in favour of disclosure.

In addition, the State Library provided advice and assistance in response to three requests received under section 16 of the GIPA Act.

WHERE TO FIND MORE INFORMATION

Information on the various means of accessing State Library corporate information under the GIPA Act can be found on our website at <www.sl.nsw.gov.au/about/rti/index.html>

Informal requests, formal applications or questions on the operation of the GIPA Act at the Library are to be directed to:

Right to Information Officer
State Library of New South Wales
Macquarie Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Email: rti@sl.nsw.gov.au
Telephone: (02) 9273 1796 or (02) 9273 1433
Fax: (02) 9273 1255

Further information regarding the GIPA Act is available on the Office of the Information Commissioner's website at <http://www.oic.nsw.gov.au/oic/oic_home.html>

PRIVACY MANAGEMENT PLAN

Clause 10 (3) of the *Annual Report (Statutory Bodies) Regulation 2010* made under the *Annual Report (Statutory Bodies) Act 1984* requires the State Library to report on compliance with the requirements of the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998*, and to provide statistical details of any Internal Review conducted under Part 5 of the PPIP Act.

The State Library supports the objectives of NSW privacy laws and is committed to the ongoing protection of personal information through our normal protocols, privacy management program, compliance strategies, policies and procedures.

The State Library's Privacy Management Plan outlines how the Library complies with the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998* (Privacy Act) and the *Health Records and Information Privacy Act 2002*.

The plan is available to staff on the Library's intranet. Copies may be obtained by contacting:

Privacy Contact Officer
State Library of New South Wales
Macquarie Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Tel: (02) 9273 1796 or
Fax: (02) 9273 1255
Email: privacy@sl.nsw.gov.au

The Library's website privacy statement is published on the website.

Mechanisms have been established to make State Library staff aware of their privacy obligations under the PPIP and HRIP Acts. As part of the Library's ongoing actions, new staff and contractors are briefed on the Privacy Management Plan and their obligations in complying with the privacy principles at induction when starting at the Library.

In addition, timely advice was provided to staff on privacy matters affecting staff and clients with minor amendments made to administrative practices such as a privacy statement included on all forms where personal information is collected.

Over 30 internal and external forms collecting personal information were reviewed to include a privacy statement. The Library's Web Privacy Statement was amended to include a new collection of personal information relating to the eRequest Service.

A number of new and existing Library policies were reviewed to comply with privacy, recordkeeping and right to information legislative requirements.

INTERNAL REVIEWS

A person aggrieved by the conduct of the Library is entitled to seek an 'internal review' if they believe the Library has breached its privacy obligations. No privacy complaints were received by the Privacy Contact Officer during 2010–11 or carried over from the previous year. No internal reviews were conducted by or on behalf of the State Library under Part 5 of the PPIP Act.