

## NEWS FROM THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

at wonderful news! The winner  
the 'D. A. European Competi-  
n' was Yvette Sharman from the  
Community Development Library  
win.

# Memories are made of this...



vette is a part-time student in the Library  
technician course at the Darwin Institute of  
Technology. This is the first prize she has ever  
won and what a great way to start.  
After never having been out of the country Yvette  
was a little nervous at the extent of the trip;  
The Library Association are sending over a representative who  
will be travelling with her.  
Yvette leaves on 25 September for Frankfurt  
Germany during the next 22 days will visit Elsevier,  
Springer, VCH and De Gruyter Pub-  
lishers, as well as enjoying all the other facets  
of the Book Fair.  
The nights will be her own, and with the Ger-  
man beer festival on during this time there  
will be lots of entertainment around. On her  
trip back Yvette will have a day and night stop  
over in Singapore — what a lovely opportunity  
for a shopping spree.

## NT Branch Graduate of the Year Medallion

During the Library Technicians' Dinner held at  
the Regency Hotel, Ian McCallum presented Cathy Davis  
with the Graduate of the Year Medallion.  
This is the second time the medallion has  
been awarded. Last year's winner was Marion  
Cox of the Department of Lands Library.  
Cathy has been involved in libraries for eight  
years working in several in Darwin. For the  
last 10 months she has been working at the  
Department Library, which she enjoys  
very much.  
Cathy finished her Technician's Course last  
year and now feels this has led her on to fur-  
ther studies. She has started her BA in Library  
and Information Sciences externally from  
the University of Darwin.  
Cathy's advice to other students doing the  
course:  
Enjoy the course  
Stay within your own capability  
Meet lots of people  
Visit lots of libraries  
Congratulations!

Luisa van de Ven  
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