

# Churchill Fellowships

### Overseas travel and study

Overseas travel or about 3 months with airfares paid, a living allowance and fee allowance can be yours as a Churchill Feliow. The Winston Churchill Memorial Trust each year awards Fellowships for Australians from all walks of life to travel overseas in order to further their study in their chosen line of endeavour and enhance their usefulness to the Australian community. The average Churchill Fellowship is worth about \$12 000.

To date nearly 1600 Australian residents have taken this opportunity and brought back knowledge and skills for the enrichment of Australian society. Churchill Fellowships are available to all Australians regardless of academic or other qualifications. Selection is based only on merit, whether past achievements or demonstrated ability for future achievement.

If you wish to apply for a 1993 Churchill Fellowship, send a self-addressed stamped envelope 24 x 12 cms to: Application Forms, The Winston Churchill Memorial Trust, 218 Northbourne Avenue, Braddon, ACT 2601. Applications close on 28 February 1992.

#### Advances in Information Technology

'The Technology' team in the NSW Department of State Development has just produced this title as the first in a series of technology occasional papers. Future topics will include the nature of R & D in Australia and the viability of technology parks. Contact the Circulation Manager to get on the mailing list, telephone (02) 895 0465, fax (02) 635 4420 or write to PO Box 972, Parramatta, NSW 2124.

#### Don't forget

Your nominations for the Metcalfe Medallion should reach ALIA House by 15 December. Details in inCite 15, p 16.

#### **ASTINFO**

# A regional information activity

ASTINFO is a UNESCO project promoting the development of better technical information services in countries of Asia and the Pacific region. Input is requested for the ASTINFO Newsletter, which now reaches developing countries all over the world. Their Editor would like news and feature articles on current activities and developments in information systems and services; database creation, structure and searching; information delivery systems — videotex, cable and satellite; microcomputer applications in libraries; and networks, both national and local area. All preferably accompanied by pictures.

Also, there is a Mini/Micro CDS/ ISIS Corner, which is looking for illustrative questions and answers to problems in using the Mini/Micro CDS/ISIS software package.

Please send any articles to: Doris Palma Acoymo, Editor, The ASTINFO Newsletter, PO Box 1440, Metro Manila, The Philippines.

#### James Cook Bicentenary Scholarship

#### (Management Internship)

Applications are invited for the James Cook Bicentenary Scholarship for 1992-93. The Scholarship has a total value of \$A25 000 and is funded by Blackwell's (Oxford) and Blackwell North America.

In 1992-93 the Scholarship is available to fund travel and associated expenses to enable an Australian or New Zealand librarian to spend a period as a management intern in a British or North American library or libraries. Candidates should indicate the library or libraries where they hope to spend the internship but it is not necessary to make formal approaches until the Scholarship has been awarded. The final arrangements will need the approval of the Convener of the Selection Panel.

Applications for alternative uses of the Scholarship or for the combination of a management internship with some other major project will not be supported.

Candidates should be Australian or New Zealand citizens of at least 5 years standing and should not be more than 45 years of age. They should hold library positions at middle management level in a large library or a senior management position in a smaller library. Equal consideration will be given to female and male candidates.

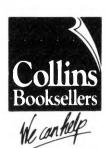
Applications should include evidence of leadership potential, by way of referees' reports and personal achievement. Details of the proposed internship(s) and application of funds must be submitted as well as an indication of the benefits anticipated and future career expectations.

Applications should be forwarded to Derek Fielding, Convener, James Cook Bicentenary Scholarship Selection Panel, c/- Library, University of Queensland, St Lucia, Queensland 4072, to arrive no later than 30 November 1991.

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