

Central Queensland pulls them in!

Margaret Compton president, ALIA Central Queensland Regional Group

The Central Queensland University campus at Rockhampton was the venue for a continuing professional development day organised by the Central Queensland Regional Group. Members from throughout the Region came together on a scale to rival the first ALIA State Conference in Queensland three years ago.

Participants travelled from Mackay, Emerald, Biloela, and Gladstone to join Rockhampton colleagues for the day.

We took the opportunity to combine the visits of Phil Teece of ALIA and Rob Walls of the National Library of Australia to plan a full day's CPD activities (circumstances prevented Phil from attending in person, but papers were supplied). The visiting speakers on industrial issues and Kinetica were scheduled for the afternoon, and two ALIA members well-experienced in the use of the internet, Kate Houston and Mary Bevis, offered two levels of internet training throughout the morning.



Members of the Central Queensland Regional Group enjoyed the speakers and the sunshine at the Group's recent continuing professional development day

The latter was in response to needs registered via a survey of members' CPD requirements. Twenty-six enrolled for internet training, and most attended both sessions.

On the same day, one of our mem-

bers, Tricia Larnar, of the Tropical Beef Centre library was in Brisbane to be presented with the 'Queensland Special Librarian of the Year' award.

Quite a day for the Central Queensland Group!

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