

Who's where

Recent movements in the library and information sector

Dr Vicki Williamson — pro-vice-chancellor (administrative and academic support), University of Ballarat

Dr Williamson has been appointed to the new position of pro-vice-chancellor (administrative and academic support) at the University of Ballarat. Her present formal position at Curtin University is university librarian, although her role is much broader than that, including responsibility for leading and managing a major strategic priority for Curtin which is directed towards substantially increasing the University's capability for flexible delivery of programs, and delivery on-line. She also serves as the deputy chair of the Academic Board.

Dr Williamson's academic qualifications are in arts, education and librarianship. Her doctoral thesis and research covered educational innovation, change management and strategic planning. Much of her work experience over the last several years has been in the same areas. She has built up an enviable reputation for leading change, for innovation and for client service. Her publications and conference presentations cover a range of topics, including competency standards for the library and information profession, professional development, training and education of library staff, and performance indicators.

At Curtin University she leads a team of 115 (equivalent) full-time staff with an annual budget in excess of \$11 million. Their team is responsible to 30 000 clients. In addition, she has been responsible for the strategic leadership of the flexible delivery project and of course, working with the academic community through the Academic Board. Dr Williamson is expected to commence at the University of Ballarat in December 2001.

Vadim Vaynerman named Endeavor director of Voyager development

Endeavor Information Systems has named Vadim Vaynerman as director of Voyager Development. Vaynerman will oversee analysis and programming for Endeavor's flagship Voyager product and eight of Voyager's extension modules.

Vaynerman will lead the team developing Voyager 2001.2, the fourteenth release of the product. He will also lead the staff in the further development and enhancements on Voyager extension modules.

Marion Pye joins TFPL's expanding Market Data consultancy

TFPL — the international knowledge and information management, recruitment and consultancy company — have appointed Marion Pye to lead the European team, effective August 2001.

Marion who has extensive experience in the information industry, and is about to finish the MBA program at Cranfield School of Management, will lead the London-based market data team offering consultancy services to both the users and providers of all types of information and data. Formally research consultant at Ernst & Young, Marion developed the review and implementation of enhanced research provision to the Financial Services Practice, including training to improve business awareness of research personnel and implementation of recruitment policies, feedback channels, and a marketing program. ■



... from previous page

Contact: Kathy Harding, kharding@start.com.au

• **Feb 2002 Pathways to CPD.** *Library & information services strategic development: Libraries in 2003. Part 2* — strategically positioning your library for 2003 — Robert McEntyre & Ass. DPI Auditorium. Contact: Sue Rigney, sue_rigney@justice.qld.gov.au

• **End Feb 2002. Pathways to CPD.** *2001 Goodwill Games: from go to whoa: the information lifecycle in action.* Guest speaker: Jenny Hale, information manager. Brisbane City Council Theatre, 5:30pm. \$5.50. Contact: Helen Laurelin, ph 07 3848 3908.

SA

• **15/10 SA Library Technician.** *Planning meeting for 2002.* Contact: Marion Fielke, ph 08 8384 0772, marfie@onkaparinga.sa.gov.au

• **19/11 SA Library Technician.** *Xmas dinner.* Contact: Marion Fielke, ph 08 8384 0772, marfie@onkaparinga.sa.gov.au

TAS

• **6/10 TALIATecs.** *Mini conference and AGM.* The Grange, Campbelltown. Contact: Kerrie Blyth, ph 03 6421 5533, blythkm@tasmail.com

• **17/11 TALIATecs.** *General meeting and end of year party.* Rosevears Winery, Launceston. Contact: Liz Bulman.

VIC

• **5/10 CAVAL training activities.** *Kinetic document delivery: full-day hands-on course covering the inter-library loans system within Kinetic.* CAVAL Collaborative Solutions, 4 Park Drive, Bundoora, 9:30–5pm. Cost: \$165 CAVAL members, \$214.50 non-members. Register online at http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego_form.html

• **16/10 Vic Library Technicians.** *Post-conference meeting.* Members and non-members are welcome to come along to hear a presentation from John Campbell (conference grant winner). No charge. Box Hill Institute, 6 for 6:30pm. RSVP to: Tricia Murray (RMIT library), ph 03 9925 2063, patricia.murray@rmit.edu.au

• **20/10 Vic School Libraries.** *Professional development activity: Intranet-ting.* Star of the Sea College, Gardenvale, 9–2:30pm. Cost \$80 ALIA members, \$100 non-members. For further information contact: Robyn Griffiths, ph 03 9262 7700 or Sandra Ryan, ph 03 9489 7644.

• **27/10 Vic Library Technicians.** *Annual visit to the staff and students at the University of Ballarat, SMB campus.* Our topic is the recent Hobart conference. Leaving Melbourne at 10am, staying overnight and returning Sunday. Transportation will be provided by the group. RSVP to: Kerrie Kelly, ph 03 8664 7131, kkelly@slv.vic.gov.au

continued next page...

WWW.
fola.
org.au

FRIENDS OF LIBRARIES AUSTRALIA

Our Patron

Patron's Message

FRIENDS OF LIBRARIES AUSTRALIA
friends
www.fola.org.au

Phone: (03) 9338 0666
Fax: (03) 9335 1903

NEWSPAPERS WANTED

- Bound volumes or long runs. All 19th and 20th century Australian and overseas newspapers
- Also popular MAGAZINES (e.g. *Life*, *Look*, *Women's Weekly*, etc.) to 1970

PAPER WORLD

Alan Waters, Paper World Pty Ltd
Level 1, 48 Clifton Street, Prahran, Vic 3181
Ph: 03 9529 6888 Fax: 03 9529 6388
E-mail: alan@paperworld.com.au
(Member of the Ephemera Society of Australia)