

Training Room, Corner Witte & Albatros Street, Winnellie, 1:30-4:30pm. Cost: \$198 CAVAl/ALIA members, \$220 non-members. Contact: Eve Cornish, [evc@caval.edu.au](mailto:evc@caval.edu.au), register online at [http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego\\_form.html](http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego_form.html)

• **19/6 NT Library & Information Workers.** *Monthly meeting.* Defence Library Service, Building 7201, Robertson Barracks, Winnellie, 5pm. *RSVPs essential to:* Barbara Cotton, ph 08 8946 7870 (w), 08 8988 1557 (h), [cottonballs@bigpond.com](mailto:cottonballs@bigpond.com)

## SA

• **8/5-11/12 ALIA SA.** *General meetings for 2002.* Research Room, Bob Hawke Prime Ministerial Library, City West Campus, University of South Australia, 5:30 for 5:45pm (unless otherwise indicated). (Second Wednesday of every month: 8/5, 12/6, 10/7, 14/8, 11/9, 9/10, 13/11, 11/12). Contact: Marion Fielke, ph 08 8384 0050, fx 08 8384 0051, [marfie@onkaparinga.sa.gov.au](mailto:marfie@onkaparinga.sa.gov.au)

• **13/5-9/12 SA Library Technicians.** *General meeting.* Venue: tba. 13/5, 15/7, 19/8, 16/9, 21/10, 18/11, 9/12. Contact: Jennifer Bodey, ph 08 8405 6587, [jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au)

• **21/5 Australian Serials Special Interest Group (ASSIG) and Acquisitions (National) Dinner and AGM.** Speaker: Jan Fullerton. Sydney venue and cost: tba. Contact: Jenni Jeremy, ph 08 8302 6720, [jennifer.jeremy@unisa.edu.au](mailto:jennifer.jeremy@unisa.edu.au)

• **21/5 SA Library Technicians.** *National Library Technician's Day* — visit two different libraries and then eat, drink and be merry at the Pullman Restaurant, Skycity, Adelaide. Contact: Jennifer, ph 08 8405 6587, [jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au) for more details and to reserve your place.

• **22/5 ALIA SA/UniSA** — Student award presentations: be part of a networking opportunity, enjoy lunch, find out what ALIA is and what it can do for you! University of South Australia, Amy Wheaton Building, Room H1-09, Magill, 12:15-1:45pm. *RSVP to:* Marilyn Brennan, [marilyn.brennan@ozemail.com.au](mailto:marilyn.brennan@ozemail.com.au)

• **4/6 Acquisitions SA.** *Borders after Dark* — a behind the scenes tour of Borders, Adelaide's newest arrival. Meet at the front entrance at 5:30pm to take a tour and see how this new business operates. *Numbers may be limited so please book early.* Contact: Jenni Jeremy, ph 08 8302 6720, [jenni.jeremy@unisa.edu.au](mailto:jenni.jeremy@unisa.edu.au)

• **15/7 SA Library Technicians.** *General meeting.* Venue: tba. Contact: Jennifer Bodey, ph 08 8405 6587, [jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:jbodey@portenf.sa.gov.au)

## QLD

• **7/5-3/12 RAIS Qld.** *General meeting.* Library services meeting room, 14th Floor, BAC (Brisbane Administration Centre) Building, 69 Ann Street, 5:15-6:45pm. 7/5, 4/6, 2/7, 6/8, 3/9, 1/10, 5/11, 3/12. Contact: Kirsty Hamilton (secretary), ph 07 3237 6636, [khamilton@sppcpm.com](mailto:khamilton@sppcpm.com)

• **8/5 CAVAl training activities.** *Effective internet searching.* University of Queensland, St Lucia Campus, 9:30-12:30pm. Cost: \$110 CAVAl/ALIA members, \$132 non-members. Contact: Eve Cornish, [evc@caval.edu.au](mailto:evc@caval.edu.au), register online at [http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego\\_form.html](http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego_form.html)

• **8/5 CAVAl training activities.** *Informit.* University of Queensland, St Lucia Campus, 1:30-4:30pm. Cost: \$110 CAVAl/ALIA members, \$132 non-members. Contact: Eve Cornish, [evc@caval.edu.au](mailto:evc@caval.edu.au), register online at [http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego\\_form.html](http://www.caval.edu.au/Services/rego_form.html)

• **21/5 Qld Library Technicians.** *National Library Technician's Day celebrations & annual dinner.* CO-TAH Restaurant, South Bank Institute of TAFE. Time: tba. Contact: Marian Moyle, ph 07 3840 7763, [m.moyle@slq.qld.gov.au](mailto:m.moyle@slq.qld.gov.au)

• **24/5 Quorum** celebrate LIW 2002 with other

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# Graduation 2001

## Library Studies Unit, Adelaide Institute of TAFE

**F**orty-three students formally graduated at this ceremony. This number included the first group of trainees (10) to complete the Certificate II from the new training package and the final group (18) to complete the 'old' pre-training package Diploma in Library and Information Studies.

Since AITAFE is currently the only South Australian provider of these courses, the graduates came from a very broad geographic area, from Bordertown in the South East of the state to Yaninee in the heart of the Eyre Peninsula.

In fact it was the Yaninee graduate, Susan Denton, who won the ALIA award for Graduate of the Year. Sue who works in the Wudinna school/community library achieved this award and made outstanding use of the resources within her own library as well as resources which were accessible to her online. For example, her research project tapped into a impressive and wide

ranging resources in a variety of media as those of other students who are university based.

The ALIA Acquisitions SA prize for acquisitions related work was awarded to another country student, Jan Ward, who lives in Tanunda and works in the TAFE campus library at Nuriootpa.

This was clearly an outstanding year for country students as the final prize, the AITAFE Council Prize was shared by Marilyn Brown, who also lives and works in the Barossa Valley, and Susan Isted who lives in the Adelaide metropolitan area.

All of these students had at least a part of their course delivered off-campus with delivery technologies including print, videoconference, teleconference and online (using WebCT). Like the modern library at Wudinna, the modern TAFE course need not be confined within a central physical location. ■

## Education and training community shape Australia's biggest learning technology exhibition

11-13 August 2002, Melbourne Exhibition Centre

**M**ore than 5000 education and training professionals will trial new technologies and access ICT advice from their peers at *Edutech 2002*, Australia's biggest learning technology exhibition.

Principals and teachers from Victoria's leading ICT schools have devised a cutting-edge professional development program for this year's show, which demonstrates how technology can enhance teaching and learning outcomes in the primary, secondary and VET sectors.

Ringwood Secondary College Principal Michael Phillips, from the Innovation and Excellence Network, is chairing the professional development advisory board for the event. Board members include educators from the Victorian IT Teachers Association, ICT in Education Victoria, the School Library Association Victoria, TAFE Frontiers and the Australian Principals Centre.

*Edutech's* renewed focus on classroom basics has also attracted some of the best exhibitors and presenters in Australia. Household names Microsoft, Acer and IBM will be showcasing their latest education and training applications at the show, as well as Electroboard, Lexmark, WebCT, Citrix, Macromedia, Edsoft and DE&T.

*Edutech* manager Ryan Percy said strong partnerships with the education and training community ensured *Edutech* was on track and would have something to offer all educators.

Other attractions include an Education Online area facilitated by EdNA and an Edsoft Interactive Zone where visitors can trial a huge range of educational software titles. Students will also play a role, with Mornington Secondary College students installing a wireless network as part of the State Government's ICT Achiever program.

*Edutech* will feature thirteen keynote presentations, twenty-two computer workshops and forty-eight presentations of benchmark ICT practice delivered by educators for educators. Admission is free and registration details are available at <http://www.edutechshow.com>.

For more information, contact Ryan Percy, 03 8420 5412, [ryan.percy@dmgworldmedia.com.au](mailto:ryan.percy@dmgworldmedia.com.au). ■