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Report to the ANU Council From the ANU Emeritus Faculty

This report contains the Minutes of the
12th Annual General Meeting of the ANU Emeritus Faculty,
and the 12th Annual Report and the Audited Accounts

ANU Emeritus Faculty

Chair's Report to the 2011 Annual General Meeting

First I wish to thank the members of the Committee who worked hard through the year on our many projects. They have given much to the Faculty and through that, to the ANU.

Support by and for the ANU

Faculty continues to support the ANU in as many ways as it can. We were visited by the new Vice-Chancellor, Ian Young, on 24 May. We told him of our work and he discussed his plans for the ANU. It was a good meeting and the members took much encouragement from it.

Our 10th Anniversary

We celebrated our tenth anniversary on 22 July 2010 in the Fellows' Bar at University House. The Chancellor Professor the Hon. Gareth Evans AO, QC presided and 84 members of the Faculty and the senior staff of the University also attended. The Chair of the Faculty, John Molony, gave the Anniversary Address and the Chancellor responded and proposed a toast to the Faculty. Angela Giblin and Margaret Legge-Wilkinson sang *Gaudeamus Igitur* and other pieces. The speeches made that day can be found here: http://www.anu.edu.au/emeritus/events/Past_Events.html - scroll down to 22 June and click on "speeches".

The Oral History Project - http://www.anu.edu.au/emeritus/oral_history.html

The ANU Emeritus Faculty Oral History Project was initiated in 2008 by a group of members (Nik Fominas, John Molony, and Peter Stewart) interested in exploring the origins and development of the university through oral narratives of academic and general staff of long standing. We are deeply indebted to Peter Stewart for his unwearied and painstaking development of the Project. By the end of 2011, the following interviews had been recorded:

Don Anderson	Bryan Furnass	Giles Pickford
Eric Bachelard	Adrian Gibbs	Beryl Rawson
Ian Buckley	James Grieve	Mike Rickard
Fyfe Bygrave	Jack Golson	Diana Riddell
Ken Campbell	Tony Johns	John Sandeman
David Craig	Dick Johnson	Peter Scardoni
Noel Dunbar	Ian Mathews	Peter Stewart
Margaret Evans	John Molony	
Frank Fenner	Barry Ninham	

The Emeritus Faculty intends to continue conducting interviews on a regular basis during coming years, adding these to the catalogue as they are completed. Written abstracts and audio DVD recordings are available for these interviews. Transcripts will be generated at a later date.

The ANUEF E-Texts Project - <http://www.anu.edu.au/emeritus/e-texts.html>

This facility is maintained by Adrian Gibbs and Nik Fominas. It lists the titles and authors of documents such as lectures, papers, reviews and other items of interest produced by ANUEF Members. Once listed, you may click on the title to view the document. You may also view more formal texts held within the ANU Institutional Repository by visiting <http://scholarskeep.anu.edu.au>

The East Coast Project

The cross-disciplinary team working on the Project meets each month to discuss progress and to plan future developments. It has two main aims: to investigate the varied claims to pre-Cook charting of the East Coast of Australia and to study the voyage of Cook on the *Endeavour* in 1770 when he charted the coast. We concentrate on charts because they are the principal evidence for claims that others touched on the coast in the pre-Cook period. The only charts of genuine consequence are the so-called Dieppe maps of the early 16th century. We are strongly inclined to accept them as being of Portuguese origin and we are now working on the vexed question as to whether they depict the East Coast. Much work has also been done on Cook's voyage and in particular on his relations with the Aborigines at Botany Bay and, later, at Cooktown. We have developed close relations with a group at Cooktown, including the Mayor, who wish to stress its pre-eminence as the place of reconciliation between Australia's first people and Cook. Last month John Molony gave a lecture there on Cook and the Aborigines at a Symposium devoted to this matter. Further collaboration will ensue, including the possibility of investigating alleged physical evidence of a Portuguese presence in the area pre-Cook. The Faculty has generously aided the Project by funding the purchase of several books basic to its research, but other aspects of our research such as the above demand financial support beyond our means.

Obituaries

The Emeritus Faculty assists the ANU with the writing of Obituaries. This work of piety is managed by James Grieve. Here are the names of the dear dead of 2011.

Ewen Drummond
Noel Dunbar
John Eddy
Ken Gardiner
Murray Groves

Hope Hewitt
Basil Johnson
Ken Le Couteur
Peter Loveday
JDB Miller

Ian Proudfoot
Harry Rigby
Jack Richardson
Ian Wilson

ANUEF News - <http://www.anu.edu.au/emeritus/news.html>

Ian Mathews, previously Editor of the *Canberra Times*, publishes *Emeritus* monthly. It knits the Faculty together by informing the members of the work of other members and of the various events and benefits of membership. It also contains much ANU news and current affairs.

A major effort was made to transform *Emeritus* in 2011. It is now being produced with pictures in full colour as a monthly e-publication and is circulated by e-mail as well as by post to those who request hard copy.

The ANUEF Public Lecture Series

The Faculty is indebted to Ian Buckley for his leadership in, and management of, the ANUEF Lecture Series.

The 2011 Lecture Series is listed below.

16 February – Giles Pickford '*Universities: the first 2,350 years*'

16 March - Peter Stork '*A Theologian among Scientists*'

20 April - Paul Collins '*Environmental Thugs and 'Geologists*'

18 May - Bruce Kent *'The Financial Backdrop to the 'Iron Curtain': The Postwar Reconstruction Deadlock and the Onset of the Cold War'*

15 June – Michael McKernan *'Doing History Differently'*

20 July – Ian Rae *'The 16th Century Italian Jesuits in China - Presenting a New Perspective'*

17 August – John Moses *"Other People's Wars or perceived raison d' etat: Historians debate Australian Involvement in the Great War of 1914-18"*

21 September – Sally Ninham *'A Cohort of Pioneers, Australian postgraduates and American postgraduate degrees'*

19 October - Ian Young, ANU Vice-Chancellor, TBA

16 November – Brigadier Adrian d'Hagé, AM, MC (Ret'd) *"The Influence of Religion on American Foreign Policy Towards Israel: American Presidents from Truman to George W. Bush"*

In many cases transcripts of these Lectures going back to 2000 may be found here:

http://www.anu.edu.au/emeritus/events/Past_Events.html

The Annual Kioloa Excursion

The annual weekend excursion to Kioloa on 4-5 November was, as usual, very successful.

Collegiality Lunches

The Collegiality Lunches are held each month in the Molony Room prior to the Faculty Committee meeting and are enjoyed by those who attend when discussion is either unstructured or has a chosen theme. They are enjoyed by those who attend.

Membership

Our current membership, which now stands at 193, is attached. Members can display their CVs on this page which assists in disseminating information about the life and work of members. We thank Di Riddell for her work as Membership Officer.

Web Page	Ada	Gordon	Immunology
Web Page	Ambrose	Wallace	Archaeology
	Anderson	Derek	Biological Sciences
	Anderson	Don	Higher Education Policy
	Anderson	Ian	UNESCO, environment
Web Page	Anderson	Jan	Photosynthesis, Plant Biology
Web Page	Armstrong	John	Computing, Woodcarving
	Barton	Allan	Economics and Commerce
	Barwick	Dick	Earth and Marine Sciences
	Bellett	Alan	Viruses, Cell Biology, Bioethics, Religion & Science
	Bennet	Darryl	History and Biography
	Birtles	Terry	Geography Maps
	Boot	Mac	Economic History, Demography
Web Page	Borny	Geoff	Theatre
	Boyden	Stephen	Human Biohistory
	Bradbury	Howard	Plant Chemistry
	Briggs	Robert	Refugee Advocacy, Law
	Brinkman	Cobie	Neuroscience, non-human primates, Lab animal science
	Bryant	Chris	Zoology, Science Communications
Web Page	Buckley	Ian	Aust. History, Current Affairs, Origins of War
	Burne	Robert	Geology, Environment science
		Victor	
Web Page	Bygrave	Fyfe	Establishing Rainforests
Web Page	Bygrave	Patricia Lee	Education, Music, Research
	Campbell	Ken	Geology, palaeontology
	Castleden	Bill	Environmental Issues
	Caton	Albert	Fisheries
	Caton	Judith	Kioloa, Biology
	Chubb	Ian	Science, Higher Education
	Clanthy	John	English & European Literature
	Clements	Robert	Agricultural Science, Ag Research for Development
Web Page	Coker	Paul	Business & Industry Links with ANU
	Collins	Paul Michael	
	Connah	Graham	African & Australian Archaeology
	Copland	John	Agriculture, United Nations
	Cranfield	Mark	History
	Crompton	Bob	Physics
	Crook	Keith	Geology, Marine Science
Web Page	Curtin	Tim	Higher Ed Funding & PNG
	Dabro	Ante	Sculpture
	de Crespigny	Rafe	Classical Chinese
	de Rachewiltz	Igor	History
	Douglas	Bob	Sustainability and the Future
	Doust	Janet	History and Biography
	Doust	Russell	Libraries
	Dwyer	Don	History, Journalism, Public Relations
	Eddy	John	History, Politics
	Eggleton	Tony	Geology/Climate
	Elliott	Ralph	English

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	Evans	Gillian	Politics/Current Affairs
	Evans	Margaret	
	Felton	Anne	
	Fildes	Joyce	Science, Higher Education
	Firth	Peter	Management
	Flecknoe	Jane	Higher Education
Web Page	Fletcher	Neville	Physics, Music
Web Page	Fominas	Nik	Business Coaching & Special Projects Facilitation
	Fox	James J	Anthropology, resource Management
	Furnass	Bryan	Climate Change, Environmental Health
	Gammage	Bill	Australian History
Web Page	Gibbs	Adrian	Viruses, GM, Bio-informatics
Web Page	Giblin	Angela	Vocal Performance, Pedagogy, Opera, Lieder
	Gibson	Robin	
	Goldie	Jenny	Population, Development, Environment
	Golson	Jack and Clare	Archaeology and many more
	Gore	Mike	Science Communication
	Grafton-Green	C & M	Music, Drama
Web Page	Grant	John	Tertiary Education, UNESCO
Web Page	Grieve	James	French Language & Translation
	Griffin	Helga	Pacific & SE Asian History
	Griffin	Pauline	Higher Education
	Gross	Catherine	Justice & fairness, climate change adaption
Web Page	Gunning	Brian	Biology
	Hall	Bari	Human Resource Management
	Hanratty	James	
	Hardman	Don	Facilities Management
	Hawke	Bob	Politics
	Helyar	Keith Ronald	Soil fertility & plant nutrition, biological & cultural evolution
Web Page	Horridge	Adrian	Vision
	Howlett	Diana	Geography
	Hughes	Abbie	Optical and Neural Science
Web Page	Hunter	Thelma	Political Science
	Hurst	Ros	Music Education
	Ifeka	Caroline	Development, Africa/S. Pacific, environment, water,
	Ingle Smith	David	Environmental Science
	Ireland	Rosh	Russian Drama (Soviet Period), Translation
	Jackson	Bob	Economic History
	Jahnke	Roland	Environment
	Jenkins	Robin	
	Johns	Tony	Asian Studies
	Johnson	Richard	Higher Education, Classics
	Johnston	Arnold	Philosophy, History
	Jones	Peter. J	Palaeontology
	Jubb	Peter	Business Ethics, Financial Reporting
	Kevin	Tony	International politics
Web Page	King	Max	Conservation, Poetry, Biology, Genetics, Reptiles,
Web Page	Kinnell	Peter	Rainfall Erosion

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	Kuhn	Hans	Language Literature Music
	Kumar	Ann	Asian History and politics
	Lane	Peter	Geology, Geography
	Langman	Fred	English Literature, Moral Philosophy
	Langmore	Di	History, Biography
	Lazenby	Alec	International Students, Agricultural R&D
	Levick	William	Neurophysiology of Vision
	Loofs-	Helmut and	Archaeology
	Wissowa	Sigrid Loofs	
	Low	Anthony	History
	Lynch	Justin P	Economics, Environment, International Affairs
	Mackay	Christopher	Economic Development in the South Pacific
	MacLachlan	Alastair D	History
	Marcelja	Stjepan	Science, higher education in less developed countries
	Marchant	Harvey. J.	Antarctica, marine microbiology, climate change
	Marr	David. G	Vietnam History
	Martin	Errol	Logic, Computer Science, Information systems
	Mathews	Ian	United Nations, International Law & Affairs
	Mauldon	Roger	
	Mautner	Thomas	Philosophy
	Mayer	Wolf	Geology, History of Geology
	McBryde	Isabel	Archaeology, Ethnohistory
	McCall	Michael	Epidemiology, Rehab of Land & Streams
	McCormack	Gavan	
	McCullagh	Peter & Mary	Medicine
	McGowan	Barry John	Colonial history/Chinese/Australian history
	McKernan	Michael	Australian History
	McMahon	Ian	Research Policy, Research Funding
	Meadham	Christopher William	Visual Arts, photography, design
	Millar	J. Bruce	Spoken Language Science & Technology
	Mims	Cedric	Medical Research
Web Page	Molony	John	History
	Moyal	Ann	History of Australian Science, biography
Web Page	Muller	Karis	European Languages
	Mulvaney	John	History, Archaeology, Aboriginal History
Web Page	Murphy	Elizabeth	Linguistics, Effective Workplace Writing
	Murthy	Krishna	Computer Science
	Newton	John Oswald	Physics; problems facing planet
Web Page	Ninham	Barry	Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry
	Ninham	Veronica	Psychology, Education, History
Web Page	O'Collins	Maev	Social Development
Web Page	O'Connor	Mark	Literature, Environment
	Owen	Bill	Modern History, International Law
	Papp	Eva	Evolution, Geophysics
Web Page	Pickford	Giles	Higher Education, Poetry, Art
Web Page	Pipitone	Shirley	Eco-psychology, Landscape Architecture and Environment

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	Rae	Ian	Writing fiction; 16th/17th Century Jesuit history
	Rawling	Steve	
	Rensch	Karl	Linguistics, Pacific History
Web Page	Rickard	Mike	Geology
	Riddell	Diana	Theatre/Geography
	Rimmer	Peter	Economic & Human Geography
	Ritchie	Alexander	Vertebrate Palaeontology (esp. early vertebrates)
	Ritchie	Joan	English
	Robbins	Jan	Teaching, Learning, Equity
	Roberts	Alan	Australian History
	Robson	Brian	
	Rosling	Verna	Higher Education
	Sales	Dorothy	Community Welfare
Web Page	Sandeman	John	Science, Physics teaching in all aspects
Web Page	Scardoni	Peter	University Finance
Web Page	Scarr	Deryck	Pacific & Indian Ocean History and Politics
Web Page	Shaw	David	Evolution & Genetics
	Slee	Judith	Cognition, Science Communication
	Smith	Geoffrey D	Biochemistry, Microbiology, Environmental Health
	Spear	Ray	Nuclear Physics
Web Page	Steele	Colin	Scholarly Communication, Book Collecting
Web Page	Stewart	Andrew	Physics/Materials Science
Web Page	Stewart	Peter	Biology and its applications
Web Page	Stork	Peter	Philosophy, Sociology, Theology
	Stowe	Sally	Vision, structural colour in biological systems
	Sutherland	William	Pacific Islands Development
	Tapp	Nicholas	Anthropology, China, South East Asia
	Taylor	Geoffrey H	Earth Sciences, Materials
	Taylor	Ken	Cultural Landscapes, Cultural Heritage, Planning
	Terrell	Deane	Mathematics, Statistics, Viticulture
	Thomson	Fergus	Law, Management, Public Administration, Linguistics
	Travers	Margaret	Russian Language, Early Russian Aviation
	Treacy	Peter	Physics
	Troy	Patrick	Urban Planning
Web Page	Turner	J. Stewart	Geophysical fluid dynamics
	Walker	David	Information systems; Human-computer interaction
	Walsh	David	Program Admin & Outreach
	Walsh	Gerald	Biography, Aust. Rural History, History
Web Page	Ward	Gerard	Geography
	Waterhouse	Jill	History, Museums
	Weigold	Erich	Physical Science - Research
	Wells	Ron	Medicine, Science Genealogy
	White	Pat	Higher Education
	Whitlam	Gough	Politics
	Whyte	Malcolm	Medicine, Alcohol and Drugs
	Williams	Warwick	Higher Education Management
	Wilton	Robert	History, Philosophy, Media
	Windeyer	James	Australian Family Biography, History in Schools
	Woodroffe	Gwen	Microbiology

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[Web Page](#) Wrigley Derek Self-reliant Housing
Yvanovich Bruno Alumni Affairs, Fundraising

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**INCOME AND
EXPENDITURE
STATEMENT FOR THE
YEAR**

INCOME

	\$
Members Fees	4700.00
Refreshment recovery	175.00
Donation	
Interest	6.61
Kioloa	1,668.00
Tota	<u><u>\$6,549.61</u></u>

LESS EXPENSES

Postage	198.00
Stationery	79.05
Education Fund	1000.00
News Letters/Printing	
Project Books	82.55
Equipment	1071.65
Credit Union Fees	8.85
Annual Return	34.00
Catering	773.80
AGM	
Anniversary Newsletter	
Other	
Kioloa	968.00
Tota	<u><u>\$4,215.90</u></u>

Surplus for the Year \$2,333.71

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**STATEMENT OF
FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 2 November 2011**

ASSETS

Cash at Credit Union	8711.39
Credit Union Shares	<u>10.00</u>
Tota	<u><u>\$8,721.39</u></u>

LESS LIABILITIES

Owing to Kioloa	<u>1163.80</u>
Tota	<u><u>\$1,163.80</u></u>

**NET
ASSETS**

\$7,557.59

MEMBERS' FUNDS

Balance at 1 December 2010	6387.68
Add Surplus (Deficit) for Year	2333.71
Less Owing to Kioloa	<u>1163.80</u>
Total	<u><u>\$7,557.59</u></u>

**P. A.
Scardoni
Honorary Treasurer**

**Professor A D Barton FCPA
Honorary Auditor**

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