Connection and Convergence: Second International Conference on Joint Use Libraries

Adelaide South Australia
Thursday 3 – Friday 4 November 2011

With optional tour of joint use libraries on Wednesday 2 November 2011

Following the first international conference on joint use libraries held in Manchester UK 19-21 June 2007, Auslib Conferences announces the second conference.

Where

Adelaide was founded in 1836. With a population now of 1.2 million, and a Mediterranean climate, it is the capital city of the State of South Australia. Consistently highly ranked within the top 100 of the world’s most liveable cities, it provides access to tourist destinations such as the Australian Outback, Flinders Ranges, Ayers Rock, Kangaroo Island and the Great Ocean Road as well as to other Australian cities and New Zealand. For tourist information on Australia see www.australia.com and on Adelaide and South Australia see www.southaustralia.com.

With over 50 joint use libraries, South Australia has Australia’s largest number. They include a variety in, or close to, metropolitan Adelaide.

Focus

Connection and Convergence will focus on the increasing numbers and varieties of joint use libraries and library colocations being developed around the world. A joint use library is a library in which two or more distinct library service providers serve their client groups, based on an agreement that specifies the relationship between the providers. Library colocations with nonlibrary but related agencies may raise issues of agreements, governance, funding, management, staffing, integration, marketing and evaluation similar to those which need to be considered in developing formal joint use libraries.

Structure and learning outcomes

The conference will comprise twenty papers, with a recorded and transcribed question and answer panel session of the day’s speakers at the end of each day. The conference language will be English. Speakers from Finland, Spain, Sweden, UK, USA and Australia will cover issues such as

- visions and missions
- agreements
- governance
- funding
- management
- staffing
- integration
- information literacy
- collection policies
- user policies
- access policies
- technology and systems
- marketing
- evaluation
- advantages
- disadvantages
- what has worked
- what has not worked

All speakers have been requested to identify at least three learning outcomes from their joint use/colocation experience or research. These learning outcomes will be discussed during the panel sessions and aggregated in the conference proceedings.
Conference proceedings

The printed proceedings will be mailed to all delegates by 15 December 2011 as part of the registration fee. The proceedings will include full papers, transcripts of the panel sessions, and the conference learning outcomes. They will be a valuable ongoing reference for anyone currently involved in, or considering, a joint use library or colocation development.

Conference schedule

**Wednesday 2 November 2011  8.30am-5.30pm**
Optional full day study tour of joint use libraries in, and close to, Adelaide. Pickup and return to 125 North Terrace Adelaide outside the Mercure Grosvenor Hotel. **Numbers are limited.**

**Thursday 3 November 2011  9.00am-5.15pm**
Conference presentations and panel session at the Mercure Grosvenor Hotel, followed by a reception (drinks and finger food) 5.30-7.00pm.

**Friday 4 November 2011  9.00am-5.15pm**
Conference presentations, panel session and conference learning outcomes at the Mercure Grosvenor Hotel.

Conference venue

The Mercure Grosvenor Hotel is at 125 North Terrace, the cultural boulevard of Adelaide and very close to all facilities, cultural venues, shops and transport. It is only 15 minutes by taxi or bus from Adelaide airport and within a short walk of a number of other hotels. See next page for some accommodation options, including the Mercure Grosvenor Hotel.

Weather

November is Spring in Adelaide – usually pleasant days 20-25 degrees Celsius.

Registration

The registration form is on the back of this brochure. The closing date for receipt of registrations is **Friday 14 October 2011**. Early registration is recommended, particularly if you wish to join the study tour.

A provisional program will be available at www.auslib.com.au by 1 July.

Enquiries

For conference enquiries telephone 08 8278 4363 (international 61 8 8278 4363) fax 08 8278 4000 (international 61 8  82784 000) or email info@auslib.com.au

For study tour libraries to be visited and information about joint use libraries and library colocations in South Australia and other parts of Australia and New Zealand please contact Alan Bundy email alan.bundy@auslib.com.au
Accommodation

Delegates are responsible for booking their hotel accommodation and payment of their account – we suggest you request the corporate rate. There is a variety of accommodation within a ten minute walk of the conference venue. These include

**Conference venue**
Mercure Grosvenor Hotel  
125 North Terrace  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8407 8888  
**Note:** smaller less expensive rooms in this hotel may be 3 star  
stay@mercuregrosvenorhotel.com.au [quote Auslib to access conference special rates. Bookings made after 1 October are subject to availability]

Stamford Plaza Adelaide  
150 North Terrace  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8461 1111 Australia-wide free call 1800 500 175 fax 61 8 8231 7572  
sales@spa.stamford.com.au

Oaks Embassy Apartments  
96 North Terrace  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8124 9900 Australia-wide free call 1300 721 514 fax 61 8 8124 9901  
embassy@theoaksgroup.com.au

Comfort Hotel Adelaide Riviera  
31 North Terrace  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8231 8000 fax 61 8 8212 2168  
reservations@adelaideriviera.com.au

Hotel Grand Chancellor Adelaide on Hindley  
65 Hindley Street  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8231 5552 Australia-wide free call 1800 753 379 fax 61 8 8237 3800  
stay@hgcaldelaide.com.au

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128 Rundle Mall  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8215 4444 fax 61 8 8232 2290  
reception@hotelrichmond.com.au

Oaks Horizons Apartments  
104 North Terrace  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8210 8000 Australia-wide local call 1300 721 916 fax 61 8 8210 8001  
reshorizons@theoaksgroup.com.au

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15 Hindley Street  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8231 1000 Australia-wide free call 1800 088 202 fax 61 8 8231 6807  
reservations@adelaideparinga.com.au

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21 Pulteney Street  
Adelaide  
Tel 61 8 8232 0033 fax 61 8 8223 4559  
questmansions@questapartments.com.au

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CONFERENCE FEE

Registration fee – includes morning and afternoon teas, lunches, conference reception, full proceedings, information folder, speaker powerpoints and certificate of attendance A$660.00 incl GST A$________
Additional guest/s for conference reception 3 November 2011 A$44.00 per person incl GST A$________
Joint use libraries tour 2 November 2011 A$88.00 incl GST (will be refunded if tour is full) A$________
Total payment A$________

Refund policy 30 days or more before the conference 75% of fee refunded; 29-14 days before the conference 50% of fee refunded; 13-7 days before the conference 25% of the fee refunded; 0-6 days before the conference 0% refunded

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