

ICAM Australasia 2023 Meeting

16-17 November 2023

Host: Architecture Museum, University of South Australia, Adelaide, Karna Country, South Australia

Venue: University of South Australia, City West campus, Adelaide and selected collecting institutions

RE:CONNECTING

The ICAM Australasia 2023 meeting focuses on: reconnecting existing and welcoming new members to our network; sharing and exchanging information about our collections, projects and programs; and creating opportunities for members to connect for future collaborations. For those unable to attend in person, some online participation will be available via Zoom on Day 1 of the program. Day 2 will involve in-person visits to various collecting institutions in the City of Adelaide.



There is no fee to join ICAM Australasia or to register for the 2023 meeting.

Enquiries or questions: architecturemuseum@unisa.edu.au

Please register to attend the meeting at:

<https://events.humanitix.com/icam-australasia-2023-meeting-2023>

Day 1 (Thursday 16 November): Short presentations by ICAM Australasia network members and public lecture held at the University of South Australia, City West campus on Hindley Street, Adelaide.

Day 2 (Friday 17 November): start at the University of South Australia, City West campus and visit several collections held by institutions in the City of Adelaide. The tour involves walking between venues.

Public Lecture

We are delighted that the ICAM President, **Rebecca Bailey**, will participate in our 2023 meeting and give a public lecture at 6pm on Thursday 16 November. Rebecca is Programme Director: Towards a National Collection at the UK Arts and Humanities Research Council / Historic Environment Scotland.

Her lecture is titled: **‘From Georgio Vasari to M+: a global tour of architectural collections and their missions to “purify taste, ignite imagination ... and awake genius”’**



About ICAM and ICAM Australasia

ICAM Australasia is a regional network of the International Confederation of Architectural Museums (ICAM) <https://icam-web.org/>

ICAM’s objectives are to:

- Preserve the architectural record and make it accessible
- Raise the quality and protection of the built environment
- Foster the study of architectural history in the interest of future practice
- Stimulate the public appreciation of architecture
- Promote the exchange of information and professional expertise.

ICAM Australasia was established in 2010 as a network of people collecting, caring for, managing, promoting and using architecture and design records in Australia and New Zealand. The network is not formally structured and operates through the informal collaboration of its members. ICAM Australasia met annually until October 2019 after which the COVID pandemic, amongst other factors, led to a hiatus in our schedule. The 2023 meeting is a chance to **re-connect** with colleagues and friends and to introduce new people to our network. The ICAM Australasia network focuses on connecting, and on fostering the exchange of information between, institutions; professional, government and community groups; and individuals collecting, caring for, managing, promoting and using architecture and design records. Through connecting and exchanging information with one another, we aim to address ICAM’s objectives.

Our membership

Members of ICAM Australasia include representatives (e.g. directors, collection managers, archivists, volunteers) of Australasian institutions – universities, libraries, museums and archives – holding collections of architectural, design and allied records; members of professional bodies e.g. the Australian Institute of Architects (AIA) and the Australian Society of Archivists (ASA); archivists associated with architectural practices; collection managers and staff and volunteers of local history centres.

DAY 1: Thursday 16 November 2023

8.30am-9.00am (Note all times are Adelaide time - (Central Daylight Saving Time CDT))	Meet at Abbots & Kinney Café, UniSA City West campus Kurna Building, Fenn Place, Adelaide (Refreshments at own expense)	For Abbots & Kinney at UniSA , Fenn Place see City West campus : https://www.unisa.edu.au/siteasset/s/campus-facilities/maps/city-west-campus-and-access-map.pdf
9.00am-9.10am	Move to the Architecture Museum, adjacent to Abbots & Kinney café	Architecture Museum, Kurna Building (K2-21), Fenn Place
9.10am-10.00am	Welcome - Architecture Museum tour by Dr Julie Collins, Collections Manager and Dr James Curry, Director	
10.00am-10.15am	Walk to Jeffrey Smart Building (JS6-13)	Jeffrey Smart Building (JS6-13), Hindley Street- Meet in foyer
10.15am-10.45am	Participant introductions	Streamed online via Zoom
10.45-11.00am	Rebecca Bailey : Introduction to ICAM	Streamed online via Zoom
11.00am-12.00pm	Kevin Liu (Warren and Mahony, Sydney): Reflections on projects as Irving Fellow, Graduate School of Design, Harvard David Kennedy (Robert Bird Engineers, Adelaide): Architectural archives and engineering projects Sarah Cox (Archivist Special Collections, University of Auckland, NZ): Using architectural collections in teaching	Streamed online via Zoom
12.00pm-12.10pm	Break	
12.10pm-12.50pm	Rachel Bell (Archivist, Fletcher Trust, NZ): Introduction to Fletcher Trust archives Mary Lewis and Peter Johnson (Volunteers, State Library of Victoria): Oakley & Parkes collection	Streamed online via Zoom
12.50pm-1.30pm	Lunch	Lunch provided by organisers
1.30pm-2.50pm	Erin Kimber (Archivist, Macmillan Brown Library, University of Canterbury, NZ): Introduction to architectural records in Macmillan Brown Library Ann Carew (Archivist, RMIT Design Archives) Suzy Nunes and Antoinette Buchanan (ACT Heritage Library) <i>Participation TBC</i> Chris Burns (Heritage South Australia) and Bethany Pietsch (Lutheran Archives, Adelaide): 20thC church architecture research at Lutheran Archives	Streamed online via Zoom
2.50pm-3.00pm	Break	
3.00pm-4.20pm	Naomi Mullumby (Architecture, Building and Planning Librarian, University of Melbourne): 'Built Environment Librarians network: the value of having a chat' Donald Watson (architectural historian, Brisbane): Queensland Architects Database Meher Bahl (Restore Conservation Services, Sydney): Digitising architectural collections Cara Stewart and Sarah Rees (Powerhouse Museum, Sydney): Octagon digital twin project	Streamed online via Zoom
4.20-4.30pm	Close	
4.30pm-5.30pm	Own arrangements	
5.30pm for 6.00pm	Pre-public lecture drinks	Pridham Hall, UniSA, Mezzanine level (adjacent Jeffrey Smart building), Hindley Street, Adelaide
6.00-7.00pm	Rebecca Bailey public lecture* 'From Giorgio Vasari to M+: a global tour of architectural collections and their missions to "purify taste, ignite imagination... and awake genius"'	Pridham Hall, UniSA, Mezzanine level (adjacent Jeffrey Smart building) Hindley Street, Adelaide *Lecture to be recorded and made available after the event.
7.15pm	Dinner with Rebecca Bailey (at own expense) <i>*Please advise the meeting organisers if you are attending the dinner.</i>	STEM, Hindley St, Adelaide (adjacent City West campus) https://stembarandrestaurant.com.au/

DAY 2: Friday 17 November 2023

8.30am-8.50am (Note all times are Adelaide times . Adelaide is on CDT (Central Daylight Saving Time).	Meet at Abbots & Kinney Café , UniSA City West campus Kurna Building, Fenn Place, Adelaide (Refreshments at own expense.) Then move to meeting room in adjacent Kurna building for ICAM Australasia business meeting.	For Abbots & Kinney at UniSA , Fenn Place see: https://www.unisa.edu.au/visit/city-west-campus/on-campus/food-vendors/ City West campus map: https://www.unisa.edu.au/siteassets/campus-facilities/maps/city-west-campus-and-access-map.pdf
9.00am-9.40am	ICAM Australasia business meeting*	Kurna building, UniSA CW campus: level 3, K3-25
*If not attending the business meeting, meet at 9.40am at the Architecture Museum, Level 2, Kurna building		
9.40am-9.50am	Walk to UniSA Jeffrey Smart Building (JS6-13) Hindley Street, Adelaide	
9.50am-10.30am	Gavin Walkley collection , UniSA Library, City West Special collection of old and rare books: Architecture, Town Planning, Landscape Architecture and the arts	Jeffrey Smart Building (JS6-13), Hindley Street Meet in foyer. For a map see: http://www.unisa.edu.au/campus-facilities/maps-tours/jeffrey-smart-building/
10.30am-10.45am	Walk to Adelaide City Council Archives (ACCA) , Topham Mall, Adelaide	Adelaide City Council Archives: https://www.cityofadelaide.com.au/community/creativity-culture/city-archives/
10.45am-11.45am	ACCA introduction to the collection and viewing selected items	
11.45am-12pm	Walk to State Library of South Australia (SLSA) , North Terrace, Adelaide for lunch in the foyer café (own expense) followed by collection talks and viewing	State Library of South Australia: https://www.slsa.sa.gov.au/about-us
12pm-12.50pm	Lunch SLSA café (or own arrangement).	Lunch at own expense
12.50pm	Meet in SLSA Ground floor foyer	
1pm-2.30pm	SLSA archivist talk + introduction to John S. Chappel collection	John S. Chappel collection: https://www.slsa.sa.gov.au/at-archival-coalface-john-s-chappel-collection
2.30pm-3.30pm	National Archives of Australia (NAA)/SA is based in the SLSA. NAA presentation on digital architectural records pertaining to SA (and elsewhere in Australia)	Hetzel Theatre SLSA National Archives Australia: https://www.naa.gov.au/visit-us/south-australia#sa-collection
3.30pm-3.45pm	Walk to Art Gallery of SA (AGSA), North Terrace	Art Gallery of South Australia: https://www.agsa.sa.gov.au/
3.45pm-4.45pm	AGSA Introduction to Superstudio and John Dallwitz collection	
4.45pm	Close - Drinks at a nearby venue. Venue tbc.	

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ICAM Australasia 2023 is being held at the University of South Australia on Kurna Country, the traditional country of the Kurna people of the Adelaide Plains. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land, and we acknowledge that they are of continuing importance to the Kurna people living today.