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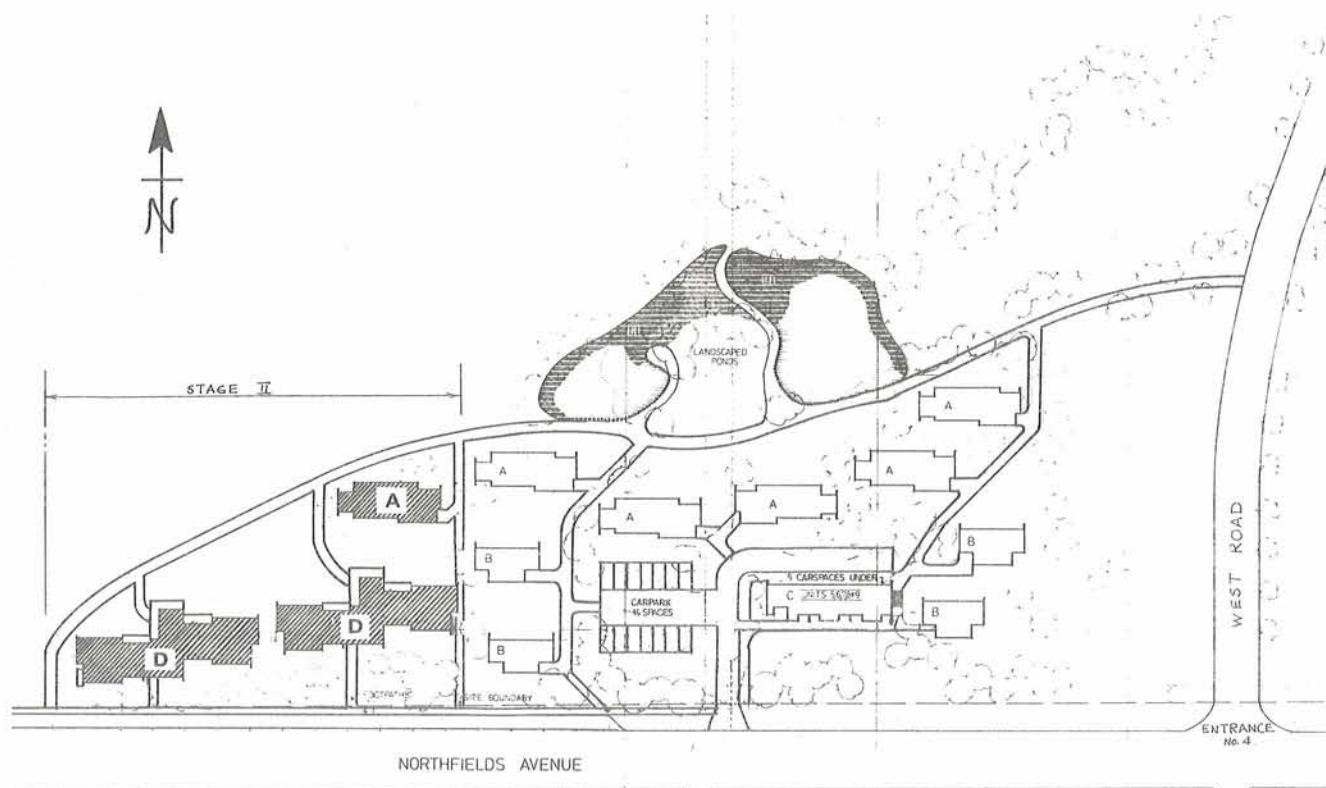
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KOOLOOBONG'S SECOND STAGE IMMINENT

by M.S. Wong



The design and documentation for Stage II of "Kooloobong" - student and visitor accommodation project, are now in progress. This will consist of two blocks of two-storeys (type D) and one of single storey (type A) located to the west of Stage I. The site is bounded by Northfields Avenue, west of West Road (Entrance No. 4) to the South and Robsons Road to the West.

Stage II will accommodate 45 students with 20 in each of the two-storey blocks and 5 in the single storey block, which is similar to the single storey blocks of Stage I. When completed, the complex (Stages I and II) will be able to house a total of 100 students.

The two-storey block will have 4 units of five bedrooms each, with a dining room, kitchen, storeroom, shower and w.c. in each unit. Each level will have 2 units and there will be a large common living room to serve each block.

Tenders for construction will be called shortly and construction is scheduled to commence in July this year.

HISTORIC MEETING DISCUSSES SCIENCE FUNDING

Twenty-eight Deans of Science representing every Australian university met for the first time this week, at the Australian National University.

'The motive behind the meeting' said Dr. Dugald Paton of the A.N.U. 'was the enormously difficult situation in which science education and research find themselves in the Australian universities.'

The Deans agreed that it was impossible to reconcile the publicly stated policies of Government relating to science and technology with the realities within the universities in training scientists and technologists.

Professor Dilworth, a Dean at Murdoch University, said that without proper training of adequate numbers of graduates in science and technology Australia could kiss goodbye any chance of a leading position in the technology-based industries.

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The Deans discussed ways of documenting their financial problems in respect of staffing, equipment, research and post-graduate training to present a clearer picture to Government.

A follow-up meeting has been planned for November this year, to maintain the impetus of the campaign for better funding of science and technology.

The University of Wollongong was represented at this meeting by Associate Professor Peter Bolton, Chairman of the Faculty of Science, and by Dr. Martin Bunder, Chairman of the Faculty of Mathematical Sciences.

MUSIC CRITIC VISITS SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS

Arthur Jacobs and distinguished music critic, writer and historian spent the first two weeks of April lecturing in the School of Creative Arts.

Professor Jacobs, visiting Australia on a British Council Grant, spoke about the operas of Wagner and Britten, the role of the music critic and, in a joint music and theatre class, addressed the topic of "Opera as Drama".

In an interview for the ABC radio, Professor Jacobs spoke highly of the School's interdisciplinary initiatives and commented on an enjoyable visit. The enjoyment was mutual.

CHANGES AT IDP

It was announced in Canberra on Wednesday, that Professor K.J.C. Back is to leave his present position as Vice-Chancellor of the James Cook University of North Queensland at the end of this year to become the Executive Director of the International Development Program of Australian Universities and Colleges Ltd. (IDP).

The present Executive Director (Professor D.E. Tribe) is due to retire on 31 December 1985.

In announcing this appointment Dr. Graham Swain, the Vice-Chairman of IDP, spoke enthusiastically of the growth of IDP's activities and of its good fortune in attracting a person of Professor Back's experience and standing to the organization.

"Professor Back" he said "is not only Australia's longest serving Vice-Chancellor, he has also had a long and intimate connection with Australia's overseas aid programs". Besides advising the Australian Development Assistance Bureau as a member of several of its important committees and overseas missions, Professor Back has been closely associated with international cooperation between universities. For many years he was Chairman of the Australian-Asian Universities' Co-operation Scheme and the Australian Universities' International Development Program. He played a leading role in negotiations between the Australian Committee of Directors and Principals (ACDP) and the Australian Vice-Chancellors' Committee (AVCC), which led to the formation of IDP and was its first Chairman. He has also served on the Council of the University of Papua New Guinea and is presently on the Council of the University of the South Pacific.

In welcoming the appointment of his successor, Professor Tribe stressed that Professor Back's long experience and previous association with IDP would ensure the steady and effective development of the organisation. "Professor Back" he said "is already very well-known and respected throughout Southeast Asia and the Pacific. I know that his appointment will be warmly

welcomed throughout Australia and the region in which IDP is active."

1985 AUSTRALIAN VICE-CHANCELLORS' COMMITTEE — ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF CONFERENCE

This year the University of Wollongong is hosting the 1985 AVCC Administrative Staff Conference. The conference is held annually and provides an opportunity each year for the Registrars and Senior Financial Officers of each of the 19 Australian Universities to meet and discuss matters of common interest which may have arisen during the preceeding year or are likely to arise in the future. Others attending include Mr. Frank Dialoa, Registrar from the University of Papua New Guinea and Mr. Peter Hampton from the New Zealand Vice-Chancellors' Committee, and secretarial representatives from the Australian Vice-Chancellors' Committee.

The Conference is being held from 5-7 May. The working sessions of the Conference are being held at the University and discussions over the two days will touch on many topics including administrative responsibilities and the development of management skills, occupational health and safety and the problems facing universities, external pressures on universities, industrial relations and overseas students.

The Conference will conclude on Tuesday evening 7 May with the Chancellor's Dinner at Gleniffer Brae at which delegates and a number of invited guests will be present.

An additional meeting of Registrars with representatives from the Federal Department of Education has been scheduled for Wednesday 8 May at the University to discuss the implementation of the Overseas Students Policy recently announced by the Federal Government.



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Campus Community Interface

LOST FRIENDS

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G. Chorvat	

VISITING CATHOLIC SCHOLAR

His Lordship the Bishop of Sale, Bisohop Eric D'Arcy, a Philosophy graduate from the University of Melbourne, will be the Friends Visiting Catholic Scholar for 1985.

Date: 2nd August, 1985

Venues: 12.30 p.m. Union Common Room - (light luncheon served)

6.30 for 7 p.m. Renown Court (dinner meeting)

Topics for both addresses will be publicized later.

General Notices

DISABLED STUDENTS

by B.C. Moldrich
University Secretary

Disabled students who feel that they have, or are likely to have, special problems associated with examinations are invited to contact Beth Urwin in the Counselling Centre (ext. 3592) or Harry Alla in the Examination Section (Student Administration, ext. 3925) by 10th May, 1985.

All enquiries will be treated in confidence.

YOUTH FOR UNDERSTANDING

by Les Phillips

In January 1986, through Youth for Understanding, a non-profit educational exchange program, 260 international students will be arriving in Australia from U.S.A., Europe, Canada, Scandinavia, South America and Japan. What we need in the Illawarra is 30 host families; these are the backbone of the organization. Being a host family is a rich and rewarding learning experience, the world coming into your home. If you have room in your lives for a young person from overseas, then why not take part in the magic of sharing another culture. In 1986 a rewarding experience can also be available to Australian high school students who would like to live overseas and go to school for 12

months in any of these countries. Youth for Understanding is now taking applications from students wishing to take part in this unique experience for 1986. Should either of these experiences appeal to you, "host family" or "student", please telephone Youth for Understanding's regional co-ordinator, Mrs. Val Kill on 845987.

THE BROADCASTERS BARBECUE - HELP BY ATTENDING

Illawarra Community Broadcasters are having a fund raising B-B-Q on Saturday 11th May, at 12.30 p.m. to be held at the home of Sue and Rob Salmon, 20 Parrish Ave., Mt. Pleasant. Tickets at \$12 per head include lunch, refreshments and entertainment, which will be provided by The Illawarra Folk Club. Tickets are available from Hugh Spencer: 270024 or Sue Salmon: 848468.

NEW UNI TAXI RANK

A taxi rank has been installed on the intersection of Northfields Ave. and Union Road. It will be removed if it is not used.

A taxi ride is 60 cents cheaper if you don't ring up. So check the rank first before ringing.

ART THERAPY

12.30 p.m. each Thursday at the Counselling Centre - Using a variety of art media we will be exploring personal resources and dilemmas and creativity - we will not be artistic - if you're interested contact Greg Hampton (27-0592).

CARNIVALE 1985: 14-22 SEPTEMBER

People wishing to organise an activity in conjunction with Carnivale 1985 should contact the Editor on 270073.

REWARD

A substantial reward is offered for the recovery or return of a 10" telescope and other fittings in an undamaged condition which were removed late December 1984 from the University Observatory on Mt. Keira Road.

Anyone with any information should contact MBS Loss Adjusters (phone 271700) or Susan Abraham (ext. 3931) Administrative Officer, Finance.

The reward offer is open until 24th May, 1985.



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Seminars

Further details about the seminars are shown on the 'Campus News' noticeboard.

MATHEMATICS SEMINARS

Thursdays, 1.30 p.m., Room 204 Austin Keane Building

May 23

Dr. Charles Ellen,
John Lysaghts Research Group, Port Kembla

May 30

Professor Nan Phan-Thien,
Department of Mechanical Engineering, Sydney Uni.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Room G25, Building 1 (Metallurgy Building)

Monday — 4-5.30 p.m. — 6th May, 1985

Dr. E.J. Steele, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong.
'Acquired Inheritance'.

Friday — 4-5.30 p.m. — 3rd May, 1985

Dr. E.J. Steele, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong.
"Somatic Selection and Strategy of Antibody Genes".

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY SEMINARS

All seminars are held in Building 18, Room 206.

Friday, May 3, 12.30 p.m.

Dr. Michael Guilhaus, Department of Chemistry, University of Wollongong
"Explorations of the Chemistry of gas phase ions with a versatile mass spectrometer of reversed geometry".

Convenor: Dr. P.G. Burton

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY AND LEGAL STUDIES

The following is a list of seminars to be held in room 19.2035 at 11.00 a.m. on the dates shown.

May 10

Ferdinand Gul, "Public Perception of Auditor Independence"

May 24

John Ryan, "The Monetary Model".

June 7

Hai Yap Teoh - Topic to be advised.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Time: Wednesday - 12.30 p.m.

Location: 19.206

May 29:

M. Terry, Industrial Relations Unit, University of Warwick
"Recent developments in workplace industrial relations in Britain"

June 8:

R. Castle, Department of Economics, University of Wollongong
"Aboriginal Employment and Training Programmes: a critique"

JOINT SEMINAR ON PHILOSOPHY FOR CHILDREN FACULTY OF EDUCATION & DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

10.30 a.m. Friday 10th May, 1985 in Room 19.1016 (Social Sciences).

Speakers: Professor Matthew Lipman and Ann Margaret Sharp, Director and Associate Director of the Institute for the Advancement of Philosophy for Children (IAPC), Montclair State College, New Jersey.

Topic: Philosophy and the Teaching of Thinking Skills.

This seminar should be of interest to all those who are concerned with aspects of cognitive development in children and who appreciate the importance of teaching critical thinking skills. It is one of three activities involving Drs. Lipman and Sharp in the Wollongong area. The other two are a workshop for school teachers (May 9) and an extended workshop for prospective teacher-trainers (May 13-18).

For further information, including details of the itinerary for Professors Lipman and Sharp, please contact Laurance Splitter (ext. 3605).

VIETNAM — TEN YEARS ON

Venue: University of Wollongong (Pentagon Building)

Programme: Saturday, July 6

9.45 - 10.30 Registration/Morning Tea
10.30 - 12.00 Opening Address and Discussion
12.00 - 1.30 Lunch (Pentagon)
1.30 - 3.15 Aspects of Vietnam's Foreign Relations
3.15 - 3.45 Afternoon Tea (Pentagon)
3.45 - 5.15 The Kampuchean Question
7.30 (for 8.00) Drinks & Conference Dinner (The Union)

Sunday, July 7

9.30 - 11.00 Vietnam's Political Development
11.00 - 11.20 Morning Tea (Pentagon)
11.20 - 12.45 Aspects of Social, Economic & Cultural Development
12.45 - 2.00 Lunch (Pentagon)
2.00 - 3.00 Australia and Vietnam

Participants Include:

Dr. Stuart Harris, Permanent Head, Department of Foreign Affairs.

Peter Hastings, Associate Editor, Sydney Morning Herald. (Dinner Speaker)

Prof. Colin Mackerras, Director, School of Modern Asian Studies, Griffith University.

Dr. David Chandler, Director, Centre of Southeast Asian Studies, Monash University.

Dr. David Marr, Fellow in Southeast Asian History, Institute of Advanced Studies, Australian National University.

Prof. Stewart Fraser, Professor of International Education, La Trobe University.

Dr. Ben Kiernan, Research Fellow, Centre of Southeast Asian Studies, Monash University.

Dr. Ian Wilson, Fellow, Contemporary China Centre, Australian National University.

Dr. Carl Thayer, Department of Politics, Faculty of Military Studies, Duntroon.

Further Inquiries:
Contact The Australian Vietnam Society,
Wollongong Branch,
P.O. Box 112, Thirroul, N.S.W. 2515.

or

Dr. Alan Healy, Department of History.

WOMEN'S STUDIES CONFERENCE

As part of the celebrations to commemorate 1985 as the centenary of the graduation of the first two women from the University of Sydney, a Women's Studies Conference will be held at the University from Friday 20 September to Sunday 22 September.

Organisers of the Conference are calling for research papers, of approximately 3-4,000 words, on any aspect of women's studies, either within a specific discipline or of an inter-disciplinary nature. It is hoped the program will reflect the full range of work being done in women's studies in Australia.

Those interested in submitting papers or in obtaining details about the Conference should contact Barbara Caine (Dept. of History), Elizabeth Gross (Dept. of General Philosophy) or Marie de Lepervanche (Dept. of Anthropology), at the University of Sydney, 2006. Registration forms will be available in July.

Closing date for papers is 31 May.

VIETNAM WAR 10TH ANNIVERSARY

Friday, 3 May at the Migrant Resource Centre, 3 Rawson Street.

6 p.m. - Introductory talk.

7 p.m. - "Far from Vietnam", a film directed by Goddard, Resnais, Varda, Lelouche, Klein and Ivens.

Information: CARPA, phone 284865.

Research Grants

HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS - RESEARCH INTO DRUG ABUSE

The Minister for Health, Dr. Neal Blewett, has announced that funds are available under the National Campaign against Drug Abuse for research projects which will improve the understanding of and response to problems of drug abuse.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Director, Australian Institute of Health, Department of Health, P.O. Box 100, Woden, A.C.T. 2606, or by telephoning (062) 897770, and locally from Trevor Smith, ext. 3079.

APPLICATIONS FOR LABOUR MARKET RESEARCH GRANTS

The Bureau of Labour Market Research is the Research Arm for the Department of Employment and Industrial Relations.

The Bureau provides a limited number of grants each year to promote research and analysis into the Aus-

tralian Labour Market. Applications for the 1985/86 grants are now invited.

Applications may be submitted in two categories.

Priority Topics:

These have been identified by the Advisory Council to the Bureau as having policy importance. They are:

- Labour Market Efficiency and Adjustment
- Youth in the private service sector of the labour market
- Proposals for analyses using Australian Longitudinal Survey data.

General Research

This may include any topic of significance which will enhance understanding of aspects of the labour market and provide guidance to labour market policies or programs.

Further information from Trevor Smith on ext. 3079.

Letters

Dear Sir,

I wonder if the Uni gardeners have any awareness of ecology and the welfare of native animals. In their zeal to rid the Library Duck-pond of reeds they left the local brown-ducks, and the black ones with red and yellow appendages, with nowhere to nest. As a result cats from adjoining houses have killed most of the wild native birds that used to live there. Also the draining of the other large pond, near the Humanities car park, killed all the fish. The reeds died out over a period of months then were burned; along with all the lizards, frogs, invertebrates etc. The scorched pond looks far worse than the beautiful reed-filled pond that previously housed several families of local wild ducks, other birds, reptiles and invertebrates. There is nothing wrong with reeds in a pond! Nature knows best how to utilize the nutrients in an ecosystem to provide a habitat for local creatures. These perhaps well intentioned encroachments by the gardeners are destructive and misguided and should be re-evaluated. As the university exists at the foot of Mount Keira, and has several of the best creeks and streams in the area adjoining the botanical gardens, it has a responsibility to the wildlife that is unable to understand man-made boundaries. The Illawarra has a deplorable history of environmental exploitation and - looking at the University's own environmental policies - one can only hope that some kind of responsible land management plan will emerge here in the near future.

Yours sincerely,
Chris Illert
HPS (ext. 3722)



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Concerts, Exhibitions and Entertainment

SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS

May Events:

Exhibitions - Long Gallery - University Entrance 4
April 22 - May 12 - Peter Shepherd 'More than a Portrait'
Drawings and Paintings

"JAZZ AT ITS BEST"

Don Harper and Stephen McKenna want to feature aspiring young jazz musicians in this relaxing but professional atmosphere.

Fridays between 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.

Enquire from School of Creative Arts or Union Office ext. 3781 or 297833.

Job Vacancies

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Wollongong	Research Officer in Psychology Clerk - Dept. of Chemistry Library Assistant/Library Technician Research Assistant in Biology Professional Officer in Civil & Min. Eng.
Massey, N.Z.	UGC Postdoctoral Fellowships
ANU	Research posts in Geology, Mathematics, Population Biology, Plasma Physics, Economics, North Australia Laser Physics, Genetics, Anthropology Senior Lecturer in Accounting, Pre-history Tutor/Senior Tutor in Hindi Chair of Philosophy
Adelaide	Visiting Posts for Economists Computing Officer Gr. 1 Research Officer in Chemical Eng. Postdoctoral Fellow in Genetics Research Fellow in Biochemistry Research Officer in Women's Studies Research Officer in Electrical & Electronic Engineering Research Associate in Applied Mathematics
Newcastle	Lecturer in Sociology
Melbourne	Chair of Surveying
AVCC	University vacancies in Australia and overseas

Scholarships and Prizes

Details of the scholarships and prizes below are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated at 49 Northfields Avenue. Application forms are available from the Student Enquiries Office.

Corpus Christi College, Cambridge	Senior Research Scholars
National Library Canberra	Fellowships
Scuola Superiore Enrico Mattei	Competition for Entry (65-3-1 refers)
Asthma Foundation of Victoria	Travel Grant (65-3-1 refers)
University of Oxford	Rhodes Scholar (65-3-1 refers)
Philips Industries	Postgraduate Scholarships in Science and Engineering
Australian Cancer	Leslie Vacation Scholarships

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SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS University of Wollongong

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In 1984 the School of Creative Arts launched a Patrons' Scheme to encourage community support and involvement in the artistic activities of the School. Patrons enjoy many benefits including:

- Free admission to all concerts and theatre performances.
- Discounts on all purchases from exhibitions.
- Discount on tickets to Gala Evenings.

Anyone in the community with an interest in the Arts is invited to join. Please phone 27 0987 for further information or return the slip below to School of Creative Arts University of Wollongong, P.O. Box 1144, Wollongong, 2500.

Name

Address

I would like to join the patrons scheme as follows

- ☐ Annual Individual Patron: \$50
- ☐ Annual Family Patron: \$100 (maximum 6 people)
- ☐ Annual Corporate Patron: \$500 (maximum 10 people)
- ☐ Life Patron: \$1,000

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