April-May 2017

Publications

Congratulations!


**Staff News and Achievements**

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• **Professor Marjorie Ebbeck** has been invited and agreed to continue for another term on the international editorial board of the *Early Childhood Education Journal* and *Educating the Young Child* edited book series. The Chair of this Board is Professor Marjory Jalongo, well known to early childhood colleagues.

• **Emeritus Professor Alan Reid** for his contribution to InDaily, piece titled *‘Don't "privatise" our public schools’* May 30th 2017.

• On March 7th, 2017, **Emeritus Professor Alan Reid**, presented the key note address to the Catholic Leaders Symposium at Novotel, Brisbane.

• On March 21st, 2017, **Emeritus Professor Alan Reid** presented at the Education Leaders Symposium at the Hilton Hotel, Darwin.

• On April 6th, 2017, **Emeritus Professor Alan Reid**, launched the Statement on Public Education produced by the Public Education Advisory Committee for the South Australian public system, at Leaders Day 2017, at the Adelaide Convention Centre.

• On April 20th-21st, 2017, **Haydn McComas**, attended the 17th International Conference on Knowledge, Culture and Change in Organisations in Darwin and presented a paper on his research 'Broken Shades of Blue - Culture, Learning and Ethical Leadership in Law Enforcement Agencies'. Supervisors: **Harris, R and Restall, G**.

• **Ms. Sasha Poquet** has presented a full paper at the 7th International Conference for Learning Analytics and Knowledge (LAK’17).

• **Ms. Sasha Poquet** has been elected as a student representative to serve on the Executive Committee of the Society for Learning Analytics Research (SOLAR) [http://www.solaresearch.org/](http://www.solaresearch.org/)

• **Associate Professor Sue Nichols & Associate Professor Phil Cormack** for their Conference presentation April 27th to May 1st 2017, titled: Accountable change agents: Analyzing the contribution of practitioner inquiry to teacher leadership. *American Association for Educational Research Annual Meeting*, San Antonio
A new international literacy research network, funded by the Canadian government, has been formed and includes Associate Professor Sue Nichols. Headed by Professor Linda Laidlaw of the University of Alberta, the network spans Canada, Australia, UK, US and Germany. This network is tasked with reimagining literacy education for contemporary times by: INVESTIGATING literacy teaching and learning by exploring the everyday use of digital media by teachers and students in and out of the classroom; APPLYING digital technologies through "maker" collaborations in 11 international classroom; CO-CREATING literacy curriculum models, frameworks, and theories, intended to enhance and extend learners' digital and multimodal knowledge and skills; DEVELOPING innovative strategies for teaching digital literacy.

Dr Lesley-Anne Ey who was invited to become a member of the APA (American Psychology Association) Task Force on the ‘Sexualisation of Popular Music’ and contribute to their upcoming report. The APA Task force is a huge influence and very well-known organisation.

Dr Lesley-Anne Ey who was interviewed April 19th, 2017, by the Yorke Peninsula Country Times Newspaper, in relation to Childhood trauma at the Childhood Trauma Alliance Meeting.

Associate Professor Anna Sullivan who appeared on Channel 9 news May 29th 2017(4:07pm and 6:06pm), with media coverage topics such as ‘Education experts like Anna Sullivan, University of SA, claim suspending problems students from school can help shape them into criminals later..’ and ‘Figures from the Education Department has revealed more than 3000 SA Schoolchildren are being suspended from school and more than 900 of those were suspended more than once in 2016...’

Adjunct News for School of Education

Publications


The book puts the current interest in historical Jesus research into a proper historical context, highlighting Gnosticism’s lasting influence on early Christianity and making the provocative claim that nearly all Christian Churches are in some way descended from Roman Christianity.


**Conference presentations**

• **Sharon Zivkovic** presented a paper at the 15th meeting of the *Association of European Schools of Planning (Planning and Complexity Thematic Group)* “Crossing over with Complexity: Co-evolution in Planning”, 12 – 14 April 2017, Ghent University, Department of Mobility and Spatial Planning. Title of paper: “The Co-evolution of Spatial Planning and Social Entrepreneurship in a Complex World”.


• **Sharon Zivkovic** presented a paper at *European Consortium for Political Research Joint Sessions of Workshops*, University of Nottingham, 25-30 April 2017. Title of Paper: “Using a diagnostic tool to increase the systemic impact and democratic quality of governance networks”.

**HDR Student News**

*Welcome*

**EDS New HDR Students**

• N/A

*And Congratulations!*

**Recent Completions**

• *Amended* **Melanie Cheel** - *Supervisors* Tony Densley and Michael Trainor
  *Middle primary students’ interpretations of the resurrection of Jesus and implications for religious education in South Australian Christian schools*
Events

Congratulations!

22nd of May ‘The teaching-research nexus: The case of National Exceptional Teachers for Disadvantaged Schools’ presented by Associate Professor Jo Lampert and Associate Professor Bruce Burnett from, QUT, Queensland University of Technology

23rd of May ‘The More Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Teachers Initiative: Initial Scooping and The European Commission SALEACOM project’ Presented by Associate Professor Jo Lampert and Associate Professor Bruce Burnett from, QUT, Queensland University of Technology

Upcoming:
27 October - 29 October ‘The Inclusive Education Summit 2017’