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Introduction

Please note this month's newsletter will be a shorter than normal as our main compiler – Douglas Roser – is on leave.

Welcome to this month's issue of the electronic newsletter of the Royal United Services Institute for Defence and Security Studies NSW, Inc the aim of which is to provide members, stakeholders, and other interested parties up to date news of our latest activities and events as well as selective information on defence issues.

There is no charge to receive this newsletter electronically and recipients are not required to be a member of the Institute. Invite your colleagues to receive this newsletter by going to the newsletter page on the Institute's website <http://www.rusinsw.org.au/Newsletter> where they can register their email contact details.



**Major General J. S.
Richardson CB, Founder
of RUSI NSW**

Latest News

MOVE OF THE ROYAL UNITED SERVICES INSTITUTE FOR DEFENCE AND SECURITY STUDIES NSW TO THE ANZAC MEMORIAL - UPDATE

Yes, we are on track to move the Institute and the Ursula Davidson library to the new education and research centre being built as part of the new wing of the Anzac Memorial.

We expect the move to take place in July to August 2018.

We have had very positive and extensive negotiations with representatives of the Anzac Memorial Trust on the fit-out of the library reading room and how to maximise the storage space in the room allocated for this purpose adjacent to the reading room.

We have finalised the design of the compactus that will house the library collection as well the storage facilities

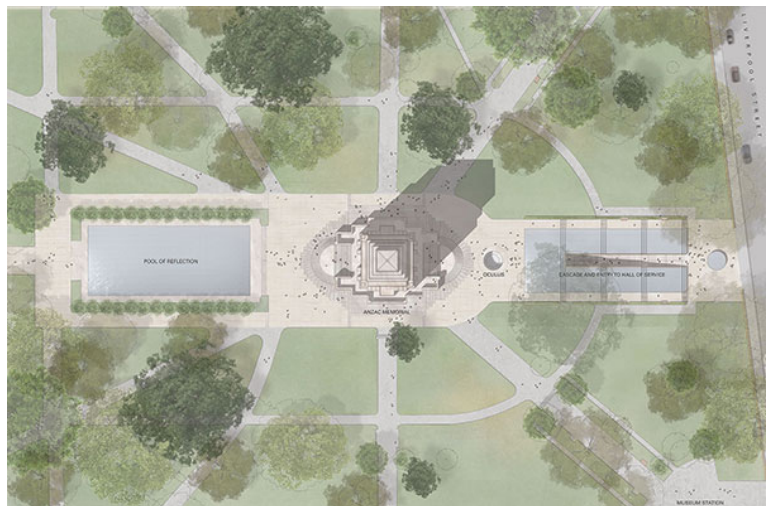


Image source: ANZAC Memorial NSW

to house our extensive collection of maps and our archival material. We are seeking a compactus that will cater for the long-term growth in the library collection.

We are now seeking quotations for the building and installation of the compactus.

A small but dedicated band of volunteers is getting the library ready for the move, identifying and selling surplus books and in culling our non-essential records.

And thanks to the generosity of many of our members and some philanthropists, we have raised over half of the funds we need to purchase the compactus and other expenses associated with the move.

We are excited by the opportunities as for the first time in our 129 years of existence, we will have a permanent home in a prestigious building in the heart of Sydney.

Importantly, we will be easily accessible to you, our members, and to the public.

We are also committed to working with the staff from the Anzac Memorial in publicising our respective events and in promoting each organisation.

Paul Irving
President



Image source: ANZAC Memorial NSW

Institute News

New Members A special welcome is extended to the following new member:

New: Mr Ian Ball, Mr Colin John Baskerville, Mr Barry Korendijk, Mrs Lois Karendijk and Ms Stephanie Hutchinson

Corporate Member: **International Churchill Society**

Deceased Members It is with a deep sense of sadness that the passing of the following members is recorded: **Wing Commander Hedley Robert Thomas AM (Ret'd)**

Upcoming Institute Lunchtime Lectures and Events



Image: Macquarie University

Tuesday 29 August 2017 **Dr Adam Lockyer, Senior Lecturer of Security Studies & Criminology at Macquarie University.**

Subject: Forming Australian Defence Strategy

This is open to any interested person and will be held at Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, Level 1 280 Pitt Street, Sydney – start: 1pm.

Dr Adam Lockyer is a Senior Lecturer in Security Studies at Macquarie University. He held the 2015 Fulbright Scholarship in US-Australian Alliance Studies at Georgetown University. Before joining the Department of Security Studies and Criminology, Dr. Lockyer was a Research Fellow in Defence Studies at the University of New South Wales. He has also held positions at the United States Studies Centre at the University of Sydney, at the Centre for Strategic and International Studies, in Washington, DC, and was the Lowy Institute's 2008 Thawley Scholarship in International Security winner. He also spent four years serving in the Australian Army.

Dr. Lockyer has published widely on issues relating to Australian defence strategy, US defence and foreign policy, post-conflict reconstruction, governance and insurgency. His article titled "The Logic of Interoperability: Australia's Acquisition of the F-35 Joint Strike Fighter" won the SAGE Award for the best international contribution to a Canadian academic journal in 2013. His article entitled "Evaluating Civil Development in Counterinsurgency Operations" won the prestigious Boyer Prize for best original article published in the Australian Journal of International Affairs in 2012. Currently teaching two subjects: Civil Wars and Insurgencies; Australian Defence and National Security Policy.

For more information about Dr Locker [click here](#).

Tuesday 26 September 2017 Lunchtime Lecture: The **Battle of Beersheba – 1917** **Alan Smith, Military Historian**

Alan Smith was born in Newcastle and educated at The Armidale School and Newcastle Boy's High School. He gained an Associate Diploma in Industrial Chemistry in 1952 and in 1982 he completed a Masters Degree from the University of Newcastle in commerce and economics.



He joined the CMF in 1951 as a Recruit Gunner in R Battery, 21 Field Regiment, RAA in Newcastle and was commissioned in June 1954. He had regimental service with the Royal Artillery with SP regiments based in Bloomsbury, London and the Royal Canadian Artillery in Toronto, Ontario during 1954-55. He was promoted major with the Regiment but continued his military service with 2nd Battalion, RNSWR as Support Company commander.

After further training his military education led him into logistics staff appointments in HQs of Communication Zone and 8 Task Force. He was awarded the Efficiency Decoration in 1966 and retired in 1968. He was appointed to the Executive Staff of The Broken Hill Proprietary Company Limited in 1960 and occupied Personnel/Human Resource positions in Corporate, Steel and Wire Divisions in his 36 years service to 1992. His third 'career' is writing artillery history as Assistant Editor and now Editor of the Journal of the Royal Australian Artillery Historical Company, Cannonball.

Tuesday 26 September –RUSIDSS-NSW –Annual General Meeting commencing at 2.00pm

Tuesday 31 October **Counter Terrorism in Australia**. Speaker: Jacinta Carroll, Head of Counter Terrorism Policy Centre, Australian Strategic Policy Institute

Upcoming Institute Social Events

Friday 25 August 2017 ***Institute's 129th Anniversary Luncheon - an opportunity to celebrate.***

The Adam Room, NSW Masonic Club 169-171 Castlereagh Street, Sydney commencing at 1230 hours - open to all members , their partners and friends. Cost \$75 for a sumptuous two course meal and wine.

Invite your friends for a truly enjoyable day – a great way to introduce them to the Institute. **RSVP** required - confirm and pay by 10.00 am Monday 15 August 2017



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Please contact our Office Manager Mr Graham Brown at office@rusinsw.org.au or 9393 2325 if you have any questions or dietary requirements.

We look forward to another happy and productive gathering to commemorate 129 years of fostering debate into strategic and defence matters in NSW.

Friday 1 September 2017 **NSW Masonic Club's Annual Services Dinner** at 1900h at the NSW Masonic Club, where the guest speaker is author Neil McDonald who will speak on "The Blamey Affair - War Correspondent (Chester Wilmot) v the Commander in Chief" - open to all members and their partners. Cost details to be advised. Confirm booking with Rita Surio on (02) 9284 1006.

Wednesday 6 September 2017 **75th Anniversary of Battle for Australia Luncheon**, Mosaic Restaurant, Westin Hotel, 1 Martin Place, Sydney - open to all members and their partners. Cost is \$65 inclusive of wines, soft drinks. Confirm bookings with Ian Guild - (02) 9460 4579.

Wednesday 6 December 2017 **Christmas Luncheon – details to be advised, please reserve this date.**



Recent Past Events of the Institute



Tuesday 25 July 2017
Professor Paul Dobb,
Australian National
University.
Subject: Why Australia
needs a new defence policy.



Upcoming Events by other Organisations

Thursday 14 September 2017 - The Australian Peacekeeping Memorial on Anzac Parade, Canberra, will be dedicated by the Governor General, His Excellency General The Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK MC (Ret'd), on Thursday, 14 September 2017. This will be the principal event during the commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of Peacekeeping from 12-17 September 2017.

July & September 2017 BHA 2017 Tours

- Walking Australian Battlefields on the Western Front

The itinerary for this tour of 10 days includes Waterloo, Fromelles, Menin Gate, Pozieres, Bullecourt, Passchendaele, Villers-Bretonneux, Le Hamel, Mont St Quentin, and Amiens

The inclusions are:

- economy class flights into Brussels and out of Paris
- 3.5/4, twin share accommodation,
- breakfast and lunch daily
- transport each day and airport transfers
- a local guide/driver

The evening meal is specifically excluded to give the guests the opportunity to explore the culinary delights of the towns and villages in France and Belgium on their own. The tour is scheduled for July 2017 and the cost, to be confirmed early next year, is estimated to be \$A7,000.

- Walking Australian Battlefields of the Malaya/Singapore Campaign of 1942

The itinerary for this tour of 7-8 days includes Slim River, Gemas, Gemencheh Bridge, Muar River, Bakri, Parit Sulong/Johor Baru, Singapore Island Defences, Surrender Site and Changi

Inclusions/exclusions are similar to the tour above and the tour is scheduled for September 2017 and the cost, to be confirmed early next year, is estimated to be \$A6,500.

For further details:

enquiries@battle-honours.com.au 0438 871 714 <http://www.battle-honours.com.au>

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The aim of the Institute is to promote informed debate on, and to improve public awareness and understanding of, defence and national security. To this end, the Institute:

- educates the public about Australia's defence and national security;
- publishes a highly-respected professional journal;
- provides a forum for the discussion of defence and security issue by conducting regular lectures, seminars conferences workshops and visits to defence and security establishments;
- provides a professional development programs
- operates a public library, specialising in defence and security literature dating from the late 18th century to the current day; and
- conducts social and networking functions for members.

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