

ASIA AND PACIFIC SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP
LIBRARY ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

The new Asia and Pacific Special Interest Group (SIG) has been approved by LAA Council.

A meeting of interested people was held at the IFLA/LAA Conference shortly after LAA approval, to decide on aims and activities, following which a newsletter has been issued by George Miller and Susan Prentice. A copy is inserted in this newsletter.

At a more recent meeting at the National Library of Australia on 31st October these positions were filled: Anthony Ketley of NLA - Co-ordinator; Minutes Secretary - Pauline Haldane; Editor - position shared by George Miller and Susan Prentice. The positions of Membership Secretary, Treasurer and Panel Organiser were to be offered to members who were not present at the meeting; these positions will be announced later.

It was planned to produce four newsletters per year, to organise a panel for the 1990 LAA conference in Perth, and to raise the profile of Asian and Pacific librarianship by sending news items to Incite and organising other professional activities.

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