

What's happening in our institution

Julie Finch is now the Project Director for the New Museum Project for the Western Australian Museum; she commenced her post in January this year. Prior to this she worked in Bristol, UK as Director of Museums, Galleries and Archives for Bristol until December 2013.

Other appointees are;

Bill Seager – Creative Director
Trish McDonald – Creative Director
Jeff Hurley – Team Leader
Philippa Rogers – Team Leader
Daniel Schoknecht – Team Leader
Ian Thilthorpe – Team Leader

Exhibitions and projects in development

- **Last Gentlemen of War** 08/11/14 – 22/02/2015 (available for tour after July 2015)
 - Story of the *SMS Emden* and *HMAS Sydney* and the Battle for the Cocos, 1914
- **Lustre: pearling and australia** 30/05/2015 – 25/10/2015 (available for tour after Dec 2015)
- **National ANZAC Centre, Albany** Due to open 1 Nov 2014

Current and recent exhibitions

Perth

- ***Ialuru: A Celebration*** – in conjunction with Yirra Yarkin celebrating 21 years as WA's leading Aboriginal performing arts company
- ***Dinosaur Discovery*** – Lost Creatures of the Cretaceous
- ***SASR – Out of the Shadows*** - an exclusive glimpse into the secret world of Australia's Special Air Service Regiment, marking the Golden Jubilee of the Regiment's formation in 1964.

Maritime Museum, Victoria Quay

- ***Inside: Life in Children's Homes and Institutions*** from National Museum of Australia

Geraldton

- ***A Convict in my Family*** - Photographic exhibition by Mine Konakci from Sydney Living Museums

Albany

- ***Debt of Honour*** – Story of 2nd/2nd in Dili in WWII, developed by WA Museum

Kalgoorlie/Boulder

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- **PIAF** – I Think I Can
- **PIAF Gardens** – Festival venue

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Perth Concert Hall

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- **Aurelio Costarella Retrospective** - developed by WA Museum in conjunction with Aurelio Costarella
- **Kiss My Camera** - Annual photographic exhibition from WAMI

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- **Seeing Change:** a photographic story from Abrolhos fishers

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- **Sci-Pop** – WA Scientists in Paint by Miles Noel

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- ***Traversing Antarctica*** – in conjunction with National Archives

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