ANZREG: Australia New Zealand Regional Ex Libris Group 2014 Report to IGeLU

Who is ANZREG?

- 63 institutional members across Australia and New Zealand
- 187 members of the ANZREG-L mailing list
- Website: http://anzreg.org/
- Activities coordinated by the ANZREG Committee elected by the membership every 2 years

Current committee

- Chair: Helen Brownlie (University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand)
- Deputy Chair/Chair Elect: Dave Allen (State Library of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia)
- Secretary: Jason Thompson (University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand)
- Committee: Sue Harmer (University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia); Jenny Quilliam (University of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia); one vacant position

ANZREG Activities

The annual ANZREG Seminar held in February 2014 at the State Library of Victoria, was attended by 70 people from Australia and New Zealand. Included in the programme were a number of presentations from the ANZREG community and of interest was the panel discussion on "The effect of hosted services on continuity planning". In conjunction with the Seminar, Ex Libris held two 2-day Alma Technical Seminars and a 1-day Primo Technical Seminar. This was the first time Ex Libris technical seminars were held in the region and the sessions were fully subscribed to.

Building on the successful 2013 Alma webinar series, a number of webinars were planned for the year. Using the conference facilities provided by the State Library of Queensland, provides the opportunity for members spread across 4 time zones to participate in ANZREG activities. The 2014 webinar series has included feedback from Eluna and the Ex Libris Technical Seminar in Montreal. A similar session is planned for attendees at IGeLu.

ANZREG continues to ensure that the Region is well represented on the IGeLU product working groups, and coordinates a number of regional discussions around enhancement voting.

Planning is underway for the next ANZREG seminar to be held in February 2015 at the University of New South Wales in Sydney, Australia. Ex Libris will once again hold Alma and Primo Technical Seminars prior to the one-day seminar. All IGeLU members are welcome to attend.

Helen Brownlie Chair ANZREG September 2014