

# UNSWWORKS

## **Engaging the academic community in the use of digital repositories**

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SEARCH:

Search

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**DEPOSIT RESOURCES** (UNSW Staff Only)

#### News:

▶ Total Resources 277

#### Faculty Collection:

- ▶ Arts & Social Sciences
- ▶ Australian Defence Force Academy
- ▶ Built Environment
- ▶ Australian School of Business
- ▶ College of Fine Arts
- ▶ Engineering
- ▶ Law
- ▶ Medicine
- ▶ Science

#### Highlights:

- ▶ Most Accessed Items
- ▶ Recent Additions
- ▶ Author Details

#### Work of The Day:

- ▶ Hepatitis & health: A survey of high school students in New South Wales 2001

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## Benefits

- Enhance the value and impact of research by making it more visible and accessible globally
- Support researchers to manage their works efficiently
- Provide an enduring home
- Easier information discovery
- Citation impact can increase from 25% to 250% depending on the discipline
- Assist with University reporting
- RQF/ERA: storing the “best” research outputs
- Statistics on downloads

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## Fixes these:

- Only some UNSW research can be found
- Scattered over many UNSW websites
- Only some have full text
- Cannot search for them
- Cannot search the text for key concepts or emerging terminology

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## Outreach Librarian Service

- **Role:**
- ***“Relationship managers”***
- Show the value of the library’s services and content
- Identify and create effective solutions to user needs
- Promote library services elicit feedback
- Identify opportunities for the delivery of new services
- Contribute to the UNSW research cycle

# Outreach service promotes **UNSWWORKS**

- **How?**
- Calls
- Attendance at School Meetings
- Attendance at Special Faculty Meetings
- Presentations
- Early Career Researcher seminars

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## Academic responses

- Postprints destroyed
- Lack of awareness of publishing issues and copyright
- Academy time poor
- Copyright issues
- Multiple authors' works
- Complexity of uploading process
- Use of other digital repositories
- Duplication of reporting research outputs

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## Library solutions

- Bulk uploads done on behalf of the academic
- Download content from SSRN
- Simplification of the uploading procedures
- HERDC: implementing a single mechanism for academics to report research publications
- Content embedded in individuals' and School websites
- Clarity around the type of content
- Enhancement of functionality
- Publishing sessions