

University of Tasmania Library Review 2004

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Panel

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Terms of reference

Review and comment on:

1. The Library's self-assessment
2. The alignment of the Library's goals, objectives and planning processes with the University's plan, and the implementation of its operational plans
3. Commendations in relation to identified strengths and recommendations for action that may be taken to improve the effectiveness of operations within existing resources.
4. Recommendations for action that may be taken to improve the effectiveness of operations if additional resources were available.
5. The quality of the Library's organisational structure, management and leadership
6. The capacity of the Library to meet likely future challenges related to its functions, especially with respect to:
 - a. Growth in student numbers
 - b. Provision of support at the Cradle Coast campus
 - c. Continuing growth in academic centres off the main campuses
 - d. Future growth in off shore numbers
7. The appropriateness of the human and financial resources and physical infrastructure, particularly in relation to the collection and client needs, with consideration of relevant benchmarks.
8. The relationship with key university bodies, and with staff and students both on campus and off campus
9. The relationship with external bodies, and in particular the State Library of Tasmania