

## Victorian Chapter, 2015 Report.

Unfortunately, the Victorian Chapter has been relatively inactive for the last twelve months.

In March a contingent of our members attended a lecture at the State Library of Victoria by Julius Bryant, Keeper of Word and Image at the Victoria and Albert Museum, followed by supper and a catch up.

In November, some of our members attended an expert presentation on Digital Libraries of the Future, presented by Deakin University Library and CAVAL. Speakers included Sarah Kenderdine (Professor and Director of IGLAM Laboratory for Innovation in Galleries, Libraries, Archives & Museums) discussing engagement with digital cultural heritage; Gavin Winter (Visualisation & eResearch Manager at the Institute for Future Environment at QUT) presenting his vision on how libraries, universities and major public institutions can leverage high end visualisation technology in engaging and inspirational ways; and Shawna Sadler (Director, Digital Library and Innovation at Deakin University Library) presenting the Future for Digital Scholarship. Thanks to Marina Minns at Deakin University Library for inviting our members to this fascinating and insightful presentation.

Kind Regards,  
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Chair, Victorian Chapter