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Australasian Association for Digital Humanities (aaDH)

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To Our Members

The Australasian Association for Digital Humanities (aaDH) continues to make significant strides in advancing digital humanities research and collaboration across the region. In 2023-2024, we've experienced notable engagement, highlighted by our successful events. This year's key achievements include:

- The online international DH seminar series 'The Middle Scale: Methods, Transformations, Futures' (Convened by Tyne Daile Sumner and Michael Falk) (Ongoing)
- The Algorithmic Humanities satellite event at Fantastic Futures in Canberra (October)
- The co-convened CAPOS symposium, 'Commons, Platforms, and Emerging Knowledge Frameworks' (November 2023)
- The appointment of new aaDH Communications Manager (Alex Shermon) and new Ordinary Member Michael Falk
- The appointment of aaDH President Tyne Daile Sumner as Secretary of the International Association of Digital Humanities Organisation (ADHO) Executive Board
- Redesign of aaDH website and new free long-term hosting

Next year, we will hold the Digital Humanities Australasia (DHA2025) Conference at the Australian National University (ANU) in Canberra (December 2025). This conference will attract new members and continue to invigorate our community's commitment to digital humanities research in the Australasian region and globally. We remain dedicated to fostering interdisciplinary collaboration, supporting emerging scholars, and pushing the boundaries of digital humanities scholarship in Australasia.

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS
- [INKE: Creative Approaches to Open Social Scholarship](): aaDH Roundtable, 29 November 2023
- [Algorithmic Humanities]() (aaDH Satellite event at Fantastic Futures, Canberra) 16 October 2024
- [DH Seminar Series]() 2024

LOOKING AHEAD
- Digital Humanities Australasia 2025 (DHA2025), Canberra, the major conference of the aaDH
- Grow aaDH membership
- Launch aaDH Junior Scholars Fellowship

We look forward to the year ahead and seeing you at our Digital Humanities Australasia conference in Canberra in 2025.

Kind regards,

Dr Tyne Daile Sumner
President, Australasian Association for Digital Humanities (aaDH)

Financial Summary

2022-2023

Balance 01/07/2022		21259.18
Income 01/07/2022 - 30/06/2023	ADHO distribution	7742.53
Expenditure 01/07/2022 - 30/06/2023		2002.14
Balance 30/06/2023		26999.57

2023-2024 Current year

Balance 01/07/2023		26,999.92
Income 01/07/2023 - 30/06/2024		0.00
Expenditure 01/07/2023 - 30/06/2024		95.40
Balance 30/06/2024		26,906.53

2024-2025

Balance 01/07/2024		26,906.53
Income 01/07/2024 - 30/06/2025	ADHO distribution	3,312.00
Expenditure 01/07/2024 - 30/06/2025		
Balance 30/06/2025		

Members of aaDH (November 2024)

AADH Personal Members: 15

2025 is the conference year, so we envisage that the membership will increase substantially, as has been the case in other conference years. aaDH membership will be tied to discounted conference attendance.

TOTAL MEMBERS WITH AADH VOTING RIGHTS: 15

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS, 2024
- Dr Tyne Daile Sumner, Australian National University (President, 2024-26)
- Associate Professor Tully Barnett, Flinders University (Vice-President, 2022-25)
- Dr Craig Bellamy, Independent Scholar (Secretary, 2024-26)
- Professor Paul Arthur, Edith Cowan University (2024-26)
- Alexander Ritchie, University of Otago (2022-25)
- Professor Shawn Ross, Macquarie University (2021-24)
- Associate Professor Rachel Hendery, Western Sydney University (*ex offico 2024-26)*

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ELECTED, 2024
- Dr Michael Falk, University of Melbourne (2024)
- Alex Shermon, University of Melbourne (2025-2027)

NOTICE OF MEETING AND AGENDA
The Annual General Meeting of the Australasian Association for Digital Humanities (aaDH) will be held via Zoom on Monday, 9 December 2024 (1-2 PM)

The agenda for the meeting will be:

1. Acceptance of minutes of the previous AGM (2023)
2. Financial report (2023-2024)
3. Ratification of new members Michael Falk and Alex Shermon
4. Special business

If you wish to participate in the AGM, don't hesitate to contact The Secretary at txtcraigbellamy@gmail.com, and we can add you to the Zoom meeting. If you want someone else to join on your behalf, please complete the proxy form in [Appendix 2 in the Rules of the Association](#) (rule 21.1) and forward it to the Secretary before the start of the meeting.

Kind regards,

Dr Craig Bellamy

Secretary, Australasian Association for the Digital Humanities (aaDH)

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