

Information Commons @ Auchmuty

Status Report 30/7/03

Communication and Consultation

Web Pages

Web pages have been updated with new information including

- Revised overview of the project
- Concepts, drawings and maps
- Schedule of works
- Minutes from Consultative Meeting (29th April)

Email feedback

Feedback sought on the project via online email link. No correspondence received between April and July

Library Consultative Group

The meeting was held on 29th April. The majority of invited representatives attended. Progress to date was reported to representatives, and Vicki Picasso presented a concept of the Auchmuty Information Commons. Some concerns were raised and have since been addressed.

Minutes of the Library Consultative group have been made available on the public web pages.

Specific Groups

Consultation with affected groups has continued. No major concerns have been raised.

Most working sub-groups have been dissolved with Information Commons issues and planning now being addressed by two consolidated groups known as the Information Commons Working Party, and the Architects Liaison Group.

Milestones

The majority of anticipated milestones for the period of April to July have been achieved including:

- Relocation of Adaptive Technology – the ADT Centre is now operating from its new location on Level 2
- Relocation of Law Collections – Primary and secondary Law collections have been successfully relocated, along with Law Reserve. A new moot room adjacent to Law Reserve is now available for student use
- Operation of Biomedicine and Law Information Support Service desk – the BLISS is now operating from its permanent location near the Law Collection

- Temporary Relocation of Information Desk – the Information desk has been temporarily located to Reference Lane to allow for the construction of the new ISO work space on Level 3
- Temporary relocation of Project Officer
- Construction begun on ISO and Client Services Manager Offices

Anticipated Milestones (next reporting period)

For the next report, anticipated for September 2003, completed milestones should include

- Completion of ISO Workspace and Client Services Manager Office
- Construction of new area of Desktop Services space
- Renovation and cabling underway in Information Commons area of Level 2
- Permanent relocation of Client Services Manager, ISO's, Bibliographic Services Manager and Project Officer

Alterations to Anticipated Milestones

Desktop Services Team is no longer relocating to 107 – they will be remaining in their current vicinity, with some walls relocated to accommodate an enhanced entry and a café in the Information Commons space.

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