

STATE LIBRARY OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Site Report 2007

1. Site Profile

Release: 2006 1.3 Upgraded January 23, 2007,
Latest update installed August 23, 2007

| Record type | Number |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Bibliographic | 1279372 |
| Order | 257074 |
| Checkin (cards) | 128341(8973) |
| Authority | 488451 |
| Item | 1263289 |
| Patron | 96981 |
| Vendor | 691 |
| Invoice | 6413 |

300 user licenses 150 staff, 150 public.

Modules in use

Automatic Authorities Control Processing

Electronic Ordering (EDIFACT)

GUICAT

Millennium Acquisitions

Millennium Administration

Millennium Cataloguing

Millennium and INNOPAC Circulation

Millennium Serials

ResearchPro - testing

Patron Self Registration

Patron API

Electronic Resource Management (ERM) – on training database

Airpac – in development

Materials booking – on training database

Reference databases

WebBridge (testing)

Web OPAC

WebpacPro

2. Changes in 2007

2.1 Upgrade to Release 2006 1.3.

2.2 **WebpacPro**. Installed August 7 2007. This had an immediate effect on relevance ranking as default result display. Extended results also implemented.

2.3 **ResearchPro**. Installed on a local server. Requires reprofiling of PICMAN database after migration to new platform and addition of State Library website search as ResearchPro targets.

2.4 **Backup tapes**. Initialization of backup tapes was automated using a telnet script. This saves time for IT Support staff.

2.5 **Time keeping**. Software was installed so that the Millennium server takes the time from the operating system not the application.

2.6 **My Millennium for staff**. Staff are registered as patrons and can login to see a staff view of the catalogue, which includes order information, preferred searches and links to common online tools.

2.7 **Requesting through Millennium Circulation**. New procedures set up and being implemented as part of movement of low-use offsite storage material, including circulation of serials and manuscripts through Millennium.

2.8 **PC Reservation Software**. Testing external reservation software in conjunction with Patron API product for patron authentication.

2.9 **Airpac**. Installed and in development on training server.

2.10 **SSL**. Thawte SSL certificate introduced to improve security of patron functions.

2.11 **Keyword synonyms** merged in production database. There is an issue where merged keywords are in the middle of a phrase, such as "Sydney harbour bridge", the search produces no results. This issue is with software engineering for evaluation.

2.12 **Katie Wilson, Manager, Digital & Library Systems**. Katie left the library to pursue a lifestyle seachange.

3. Forthcoming events

In progress 2007:

- Preparation to upgrade to Release 2007
- ResearchPro implementation
- PC Reservation software
- Webopac redevelopment

- Airpac
- SpellCheck
- My Millennium for staff and public
- ERM implementation
- Loading bibliographic and item records for multicultural material
- Loading patron records from delimited files
- WebBridge links to LibrariesAustralia in the webopac

Planned or investigating for 2008:

- ERM implementation
- Electronic Serials Invoicing
- New label and purchase order printing procedures
- Load of Eighteenth Century Collections Online (ECCO) MARC records
- Investigate Extended Approval Plan Interface with selected vendors

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