Professionals’ Lecture Series

Professor Don DeBats, Head of American Studies, provided a dynamic and interesting presentation at the most recent Faculty Professionals’ Lecture Series event on 16 October. The topic, ‘Beyond Hope: The 2012 US Elections’, drew a capacity audience for the insightful address on the current state of the US economy, the country’s voting system and the race to the US Presidency. Professor DeBats commentary on the neck and neck battle between Romney and Obama provided views on domestic and foreign policy issues, including unemployment, gross national debt, the winding down of wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, and uncertainty across the Middle East.

Unlike Australia’s compulsory voting system, the number of likely voters across the US is largely dependent upon personal circumstance, where people live and what they care about most. The key issues for the electorate include jobs, taxes, wars, abortion, medicare, debt, leadership and the role of government. Whether Romney or Obama can turn around the country’s recent woes and fiscal policy will be decided on the 6th of November.

The US Election websites for full coverage of the polls are http://realclearpolitics.com/elections/ and http://www.politico.com/2012-election/

Thursday 22 November, 5.45pm for 6pm, Flinders Victoria Square Campus (182 Victoria Square)

2012 Dean Jaensch Lecture – ‘Can South Australia Legislate for Marriage Equality?’
Professor George Williams, AO - Leading Constitutional lawyer and public commentator
Registration essential by 20 November http://www.flinders.edu.au/events/

Phyllis Tharenou
Executive Dean
Congratulations to Professor Sharyn Roach Anleu who has been honoured by Flinders University with the inaugural award of the title “Matthew Flinders Distinguished Professor”.

Radio Interviews

ABC Riverland SA, Remark, 9 October –
Dr Eduardo de la Fuente was invited by Narelle Graham to discuss tattooing. Fuente says tattooing was first practised thousands of years ago and whereas it earlier had ceremonial or religious connotations it is now more associated with personal choice or expressing individuality. Fuente says that until recently tattooing was only adopted by a small minority of the population like soldiers, sailors and outlaws. Fuente stated that one in seven people now have a tattoo and this number goes up dramatically for people born after 1982.

ABC1 Adelaide, 26 October –
Assoc Prof Haydon Manning was interviewed by Simon Royal regarding Isobel Redmond’s leadership. Manning stated that there had been some revolving of doors in terms of Liberal staff. He says Redmond is not safe in the position as leader. Redmond has been criticised for a series of gaffs, such as statements about cuts to the public service. She has also criticised Martin Hamilton-Smith’s so-called military leadership style, and offended veterans in the process. Redmond and Deputy Opposition Leader, Steven Marshall, have met publicly with Federal Liberal MP Christopher Pyne to present a united front.

ABC Radio 7 October –
Dr Damien Riggs was interviewed by the Western Australian on the topic of conversion therapy, and was part of a panel discussing the topic of beliefs, psychology and sexual orientation, Please follow the link to listen to the whole program [http://www.abc.net.au/sundaynights/stories/s3606969.htm](http://www.abc.net.au/sundaynights/stories/s3606969.htm)

Presentations

Associate Prof Haydon Manning addressed the Labour History Society AGM, on the topic, ‘Labor’s Vote, then and now’ at the Box Factory on Sunday 28th October.
Dr Nik Taylor was an invited speaker at The 23rd New Zealand Companion Animal Conference 2012 on the 9 and 10 October. In her presentation ‘Human-Animal Relationships; The Link to Society’ she exposed some of the sociological reasons behind the varied behaviour of humans towards the animal kingdom.

Publications

Farewell to Heather Paull – 18 October 2012

An afternoon tea was held on Thursday 18 October to farewell highly respected Faculty member, Heather Paull, member of the Research Admin Office team. Seventy staff attended the function to say their goodbyes to Heather, and to wish her well in her retirement. Heather had been at Flinders since 1988, firstly as a student, completing her PhD in 1995, and then as a staff member aiding research candidates and academics in an administrative role. Professor Tharenou congratulated Heather on her outstanding service and contribution to the University.

Current and former staff across the University gathered for the afternoon tea to farewell Heather.
School of Psychology

PhD Completions

• Lydia Woodyatt (PhD). Self-forgiveness as a restorative process following interpersonal transgressions. Supervisor: Michael Wenzel

Grants

• Lisa Beatty has been awarded a NHMRC project grant ($380,989.83 ) for 2013-2015 entitled: “iCanCope: A randomised controlled trial evaluating an internet self-help program for cancer-related distress”. Tracey Wade is an associate investigator on this grant.

• Simon Wilksch, Tracey Wade and Craig Barr Taylor have received a NHMRC Mental Health Targeted Call for Research grant for prevention of, and early intervention in, mental illness in young people of $254,904 over a 3 year period entitled: “Eating disorder prevention in young-adult women at risk: A randomised controlled trial of two online programs”

Postgraduate Student Publications


Conference Presentations


• Leon Lack attended the 24th annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian Sleep Association, Darwin, NT, October 2012 where he gave a workshop on treatment of insomnia and a symposium on the treatment of insomnia.

The following oral and poster presentations were also given:

• Lovato N, Lack L, Wright H. (2012). Predictors of improvement in subjective sleep quality reported by older adults with sleep maintenance insomnia following group-based CBT-I. Sleep and Biological Rhythms 10 (Supp.1), 22.


Community Service

• Marika Tiggemann gave a Staff Seminar on October 19 at the Appleton Institute, Central Queensland University, on the topic of ‘Work-Life Balance for Academics’.


• Simon Wilksch presented a talk titled "Adolescent Eating Disorder Treatment" to the Paediatric Unit Grand Round at FMC on October 18.

• Robyn Young presented a workshop on placement issues for children with Autism when families break down. The workshop formed part of the National Professional Development program for those involved in Family Law.

• Robyn Young attended a ‘Sustainability in teaching, learning and research’ workshop.

• Mary Luszcz was a guest of ABC Radio National, speaking with Natasha Mitchell on Life Matters about factors contributing to ageing well, on October 30, 2012.

• Mary Luszcz was invited to present a talk on Ageing Well - A South Australian Perspective at The Psychology of Healthy Ageing Symposium hosted by the Centre for Excellence in Population Ageing Research & the APS Ageing Interest Group (ACT) held in Canberra on 25 October 2012.

• Mary Luszcz gave a presentation on ‘How South Australian Baby Boomers see their lives when they are 70’ using data from the South Australian Active Ageing Research Cluster’s Baby Boomer Report at the Active Ageing in SA Communities Forum held at the Adelaide Town Hall on 5 October 2012.

Other

• Michael Wenzel has assumed presidency of the International Society of Justice Research (ISJR) at its biennial meeting at Rishon LeZion, Israel, September 9-12, 2012.

• Norm Feather was elected to an Honorary Fellowship of the Australian Psychological Society at its Annual Conference held in Perth in October.

Graduation Date – 18 December 2012

The Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences Graduation Ceremony will be held at the Adelaide Convention Centre on Tuesday, 18 December, commencing at 10:00am.

Please reserve this date in your diaries.
School of International Studies

Staff Activities:

Dr Andrekos Varnava has just returned from his four month research trip to Istanbul, Paris and Nicosia. His last presentation abroad was at a conference in Budapest on his ancestral district of Famagusta, titled ‘Famagusta during the Great War: From Backwater to Bustling’, *Historic Famagusta: A Millennium in Words and Images*, Central European University, Budapest, 5-6 October 2012.

Assoc Professor Susanne Schech co-convened the Migration Update 2012 Conference held at The Science Exchange Auditorium on 12 October 2012. This was the second conference in an initiative by the Don Dunstan Foundation to bring researchers of the South Australian universities into dialogue with policy makers, practitioners and the wider community. The conference is organised and sponsored by Adelaide University, Flinders University and UniSA, as well as the SA Government and the Don Dunstan Foundation. The School of International Studies provided financial support. This year’s conference theme was "Migration and Social Transformation" and was attended by over 80 participants from the state government, universities and non-government sector. Download the 2012 Full Conference Proceedings

The following staff received research funding from the School:

**Lockwood, D.** “The Communist Party of India and the Indian Emergency”, $3000

**Monteath, P.** “Friedrich Gerstäcker in South Australia”, $2926

**Monteath, P.** “Holocaust in the Ukraine”, $1715

**Schech, S.** “Migration Update 2012 Conference: Migration and Social Transformation”, $2000

Recent publications:


Gender Consortium

Australian Leadership Awards Fellowships Program (ALA)

International Symposium
The Gender Consortium hosted the symposium titled *African Women’s Leadership: Expanding Opportunities* on Friday 26 October 2012 at Victoria Square Campus. The Symposium was opened by well-known Adelaide identity, Dorinda Hafner. Presenters included: Casta Tungaraza (Murdoch University), Niki Vincent (Leadership Institute of South Australia), Esther Simbi (Department for Communities and Social Inclusion, SA), Maria Johns (Migrant Women’s Lobby Group SA; and Network of Immigrant and Refugee Women of Australia), Batsirai Melinda Mangoma (Program participant in Young Women’s Leadership Training and Cultural Intelligence), Zita Adut Deng Ngor (Women’s Legal Service (SA) Inc, Lillian Mwanri (Flinders University) and Assina Ntawumenya (Women’s and Children’s Health Network; and African Women’s Federation, SA).

L-R: Casta Tungaraza and Dorinda Hafner

The African Fellows presented their policy briefs at the International Symposium to an audience of 85 registered local, national and international participants.
Gender Consortium

Attendees took up opportunities to network.

This symposium covered many aspects on Leadership for African women including: best practices and lessons learned, adaptive leadership, leadership training and cultural intelligence, disability and future directions. Information on presenters and papers will be available soon at:

Business School Students on OH&S visits
During Semester 2, students from the Business School, studying Occupational Health and Safety, went out on field trips to several local businesses. Topic Coordinator, Dr Marian Whitaker says: “We are very grateful to the businesses that supported us in this work; the students learned a great deal more than they could in the classroom. In return, each student group will return a summary of their findings to the participating companies”.
Here we see a group of students wearing protective hard hats and safety vests. One great lesson that they have learned is that personal protective clothing can be a major defence in a life threatening circumstance.

Professor John McDonald has recently ‘celebrated’ the 40th anniversary of his appointment to the staff of Flinders University. John’s original appointment was at Lecturer, what is now called level B. He was promoted to senior lecturer in 1976, and Reader in 1982. He was later to become one of the very few Flinders staff to be appointed to a Personal Chair during the period before Ian Chubb extended the practice of ‘promotion rounds’ to the grades above D viz. D+ and E.

Conference presentations

Sigitas Karpavicius presented a paper entitled Dividends: Relevance, Rigidity and Signaling at the 2012 Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, 17-20 October 2012, Atlanta, GA (USA).

Daniel Leonard presented a seminar on Technology Transfers at McGill University, Montreal on 28 September and a paper on Emulation at the IAES Conference on 7 October 2012 in Quebec, Canada.
Flinders Business School

Dr Harminder Singh of the School of Accounting, Economics and Finance, Faculty of Business and Law, Deakin University, presented a seminar on Friday 26th October, during his third visit to Flinders Business School. The seminar was entitled *Volume-Volatility relation and the source of volatility: An empirical analysis of the Australian market.*

Harminder explained that his main reason for returning regularly to present at FBS is “because of the excellent critical feedback from colleagues”.

Copies of Harminder’s paper are available from: Phil.lawn@flinders.edu.au

![Dr Harminder Singh during his seminar presentation](Photo: courtesy of M Whitaker, FBS)

National Institute of Labour Studies

**Professor Bill Martin** will visit NILS in early November 2012. During the visit, he will work with Dr Josh Healy on joint publications relating to paid care employment in the community and disability services industry. Professor Martin is currently the Program Leader in Education, Employment and Labour Markets at the Institute for Social Science Research (ISSR), the University of Queensland. Before taking up that appointment, Bill was, for 20 years, a member of the Sociology Faculty at Flinders University, and later the Acting Director of NILS. He continues to hold the position of Adjunct Research Associate at NILS.

**NILS Seminar**

20 November 2012, 3.00 pm in room 3.18, Law & Commerce Building

Occupational Health and Safety

Manual Handling Training:
Staff are encouraged to attend a session provided by the OH&S Unit which is scheduled for Thursday 6 December from 1-3pm in room 240 SSN. This training is extremely beneficial for staff who are handymen outside of the University. You will pick up some very worthwhile tips on how to work safely around the office and the home. Please contact Vickie Armstrong if you are able to attend.

First aid kit location:
First aid kits are located in the following rooms:

260N  Richard Jesson – trained first aider
345N  Julie Robinson – trained first aider
115N  Psychology Workshop – no trained first aiders available
252S  Chris Hankel – trained first aider
259AS Anne Redman – trained first aider (room 267S)
340S  Debra Hackett – trained first aider
381S  Julie Tonkin – trained first aider (temporary)
389S  Sonja Yates – trained first aider
3.12 LWCM Nicholas Bluhm – trained first aider

Staff who work in a supervisory capacity and are responsible for the well-being of other staff and students are required by the University OH&S Policies to complete the online supervisor training package.

Reporting an accident or incident:
Should you be witness to, or involved in, an accident or incident on campus please notify security. If the situation warrants an ambulance, they are able to direct the emergency personnel to the location and provide first aid support as required.
Staff are encouraged to use the Accident/Incident reporting form providing details of the situation and any persons who may have witnessed this incident.
If you are aware of loose or slippery tiles, worn carpet or building leaks which may be considered a risk to the health and well-being of staff and students, please report them to your Work Group Health and Safety Representative – Melchior Mazzone (SSN), Ludek Seda (LWCM) and Vickie Armstrong (SSS) for attention.
Faculty Research and Higher Degrees Services Unit News

Faculty Higher Degree Research Network

Grant Writing Resources

- The handouts and recordings of the past ARC grant writing workshops are available at [Workshops and Presentations](http://facultyresearch.flinders.edu.au) on the Faculty Research web site and on the [Research Services Office](http://research.flinders.edu.au) web site.
- The Faculty Research Officers will organise external reviews of ARC applications – please contact mary.lyons@flinders.edu.au

ARC Linkage Projects 2012 for funding to commence 2013 are now open


External closing date 5:00pm (AEDT), 3 December 2012.

The Faculty Research Officers can offer practical assistance with your application including access to RMS, budgets, and organising an external review of your advanced draft. Contact mary.lyons@flinders.edu.au.

RePortal launched by Research Services Office

[https://research.flinders.edu.au/FLINdex/](https://research.flinders.edu.au/FLINdex/)

The Research Services Office has launched the first iteration of the RePortal (research portal), a web-based research performance and activity portal. The RePortal currently includes, on an individual basis, the following:

- employment data: drawn from HR data
- research publications (both HERDC and non-HERDC): drawn from the Research Management Information System (publications)
- HERDC funded research income: drawn from the Grants Finance Office data
- research projects (externally funded) data [we are aware this currently data has a high degree of incompleteness]: drawn from RMIS
- HDR students: to come later
- esteem measures: to come later

Please review your data; if any information is missing or incorrect, please contact the Research Data Team in the Research Services Office ([research.data@flinders.edu.au](mailto:research.data@flinders.edu.au)).

**RePortal workshop**

10am – 11:30am, Thursday 22 November 2012

Health Science Lecture Theatre Complex, Room 3.10

A workshop designed for discipline and school research data coordinators about RePortal will be held by the Research Services Offices, presented by Ben Jacobs, Data and Systems Manager, Research Services Office.

The session will cover the following information:

- Instructions and tips on how to efficiently enter publications into the Research Management Information System (RMIS);
• How to get the most out of the Research Data Portal (RePortal), including summaries of research performance;
• Discuss a number of upcoming changes in the system and collection processes;
• Tips and strategies for department/school coordinators to assist in generating data for annual and other reports.

The session will include morning tea: Please RSVP to Lauren Humphrys for catering purposes Lauren.Humphrys@flinders.edu.au

University Conference poster templates

During the Flinders brand refresh project, the need for a conference poster template which included the University logo and a choice of colours/sizes became apparent. In response, a series of generic templates for posters has been developed, including 'How to Use' guidelines. These are available for downloading at the Flinders Press website (scroll down the page) where you can also view individual instruction files without having to download the entire file bundle.

Flinders Partners Partnering Program

To apply for the program, please download the application form. /downloads/Partnering Program Application Form_May 2012.docx

Are you looking for an industry partner to put forward an application for ARC or NHMRC funding for your project?

Would you like access to an extra $1000 to help you build your relationship with your chosen partner?

The Flinders Partners Partnering Program can help you do just that. The Flinders Partners Partnering Program has been developed with the support of the DVCR’s office, to help researchers at Flinders find an appropriate industry partner for input on their project and financial assistance.

The program is a 12 month service package designed to enable researchers to develop a valuable relationship with a commercial entity, and to put together a persuasive collaborative grant submission. Through workshops, mentoring, market research and funding, participants of the program will possess all the tools they require to help them successfully acquire collaborative research grants.

Interested parties should submit a Partnering Program Application Form through their heads of School or equivalent. All submitted applications will undergo a review panel (comprised of both Flinders University and Flinders Partners staff), and successful applicants will be invited to attend a two hour proposal workshop to discuss their project’s potential and the scope of services to be provided through the Partnering Program. Please note: there are only five places available in each round.

From there, participants of the program will have access to 6 hours’ worth of Flinders Partners time, allocated as outlined below:

1. Market Validation – 2 hours
2. Partner Identification Coaching – 2 hours
3. Aid with writing the grant application – 2 hours

Participants of the program will also have $1000 in funds available to them to advance their relationship with a commercial partner. Expenditure of these funds will need to be pre-approved, and should be put towards things such as travel, professional fees and entertainment.

For more information about the program, please contact Fiona Smith on 8201 7606, or via email.
We would like to bring to your attention some collections relating to South Australian politics and history that might be of interest to you.

**Borrow Collection** – material on the early settlement history of South Australia from the collection of Keith Travers Borrow

**A.M. Dolling Collection** - Alison Dolling (aka Mary Broughton) was the editor of the Women's Pages of the Chronicle from 1966-1975, focusing on South Australian history

**Dunstan Collection** - the papers and library of former Premier Don Dunstan

**David Elder William Light Collection** - material collected by David Elder in his research for various publications on Colonel William Light

**Heritage and Tourism Collection** - Material donated in 2009 by Lyn Leader-Elliott, relating to cultural and heritage tourism

**Reece Jennings Collection** - includes material gathered by Reece Jennings for his thesis on the history of SA Railways


**Liberal Movement Press Clippings Collection**

**Nicholls Papers** - clippings and memorabilia of Sir Robert Nicholls, speaker of the SA House of Assembly 1933-1956

All photos in the Dunstan Collection have been digitised, so you can see, for example, Dunstan addressing Parliament for the first time as Premier. (Note that they are not yet findable from the catalogue – go to Collections/Special/Dunstan/Photographs to search.)

A group tour with the Special Collections Librarian of your interest area can be arranged by contacting your liaison librarian. The collection is located on Level 3 of Central Library.

For more information see the Special Collections guide [http://flinders.libguides.com/specials](http://flinders.libguides.com/specials)

**Your Liaison Librarians are:**

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Nothing about us without us? An exploration of best worst scaling discrete choice experiment methods to obtain adolescent specific preferences for health

Traditionally the views and preferences of adolescents have been excluded from health care decision-making. In contrast, during the last three decades health economists have increasingly sought and incorporated the views and preferences of adults into the methodology of economic evaluation as applied to health care and into the health care priority setting process. Recently, there has been an increasing recognition of the need to incorporate the views and preferences of adolescents in determining adolescent health care priorities and shaping health care policy. The Child Health Utility 9D is a recently developed instrument that has been specifically designed for the measurement and valuation of child and adolescent health for incorporation into the economic evaluation of health care treatment and preventive programs. This presentation will report upon the methods and results from a study to utilise best worst scaling discrete choice experiment methods, a new and novel preference elicitation approach to obtain adolescent population specific health state values for the Child Health Utility 9D. The implications of the study findings in terms of the potential future application of best worst scaling discrete choice experiments for eliciting preferences both within the health care sector and in other areas of public policy will be discussed.

Tuesday 20 November 2012 @ 3:00pm
Law & Commerce Building, Level 3, Room 3.18,
(On the north ridge, next to car park 4), Flinders University, South Australia

To enquire about the NILS 2012 Seminar Series, please contact via email nils@flinders.edu.au or phone +61 8 8201 2265. Alternatively, visit the website http://www.flinders.edu.au/sabs/nils/events/
Beyond Concern: Beyond ‘Sexualisation’?

Professor Feona Attwood

Feona Attwood is a Professor in the Media Department at Middlesex University, UK. Her research is in the area of sex in contemporary culture; and in particular, sexualisation, sexual cultures, new technologies, identity and the body, and controversial images and media. She is a leading contributor in contemporary debates, and authored numerous works such as Mainstreaming Sex: The Sexualization of Western Culture (2009), porn.com: Making Sense of Online Pornography (2010) and Investigating Young People’s Sexual Cultures (with Clarissa Smith, Sex Education, 2011). Her recent publications have focussed on online culture, aesthetics, sex and the media, and public

Wednesday 28th November, 6.00pm - 8.00pm

Room 1, Level 1, Flinders City Campus, Victoria Square, Adelaide

Refreshments provided:
RSVP monique.mulholland@flinders.edu.au
Corrupting Public Policy

Corruption has a profound effect on public policy. Where it is present, corrupt behaviour undermines policy objectives, it affects the delivery and quality of public services, it distorts investment priorities, it reprioritises capital works, it damages the environment and generally enriches the greedy and damages the poor.

When integrity in government is compromised, then public policy is compromised. We often think of corruption as primarily a third world phenomenon, but in developed societies we often see policy diminished by corrupt activities. This lecture will focus on types of corrupt activity in different policy settings and will discuss various countermeasures.

6 PM Thursday 15 November
Flinders University Victoria Square
Level 1, 182 Victoria Square, Adelaide

This free event will be followed by light refreshments.
Please RSVP tejaswini.patil@flinders.edu.au
Lunchtime workshop
14 November 2012 at 1.00pm in 115SSS

Come along to the eLearning Services Unit’s information session and discussion about Teaching Online. We will watch a short video and have an informal discussion about how you can integrate online resources into your teaching sites.

Get motivated and prepared for 2013!

Some of you will be able to get an early start as some NS1 topics are now available.
Bring your lunch if you like!
Tea / coffee provided
debra & Marcia

S1 and NS1 FLO sites for 2013

Semester 1 2013 topics will be available in FLO in December and students will have access to their topics on 25 February (ie one week before teaching begins).
If you would like us to:
• copy content across from your S1 or NS1 2012 topics
• create shared FLO sites
please send your requests to sabs.flo@flinders.edu.au

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You are personally responsible for complying with copyright law. FLO is for your use and hence you are responsible for content you add. Materials on this system must comply with university policy and the law. Please note in particular, the ‘Policy on acceptable use of information and communication technology (ICT) Resources; (www.flinders.edu.au/ppmanual/student/ict.html), ‘Policy on research practice’ (www.flinders.edu.au/ppmanual/computing/information-communications-technology.cfm) ‘Overview of Copyright’ (www.flinders.edu.au/library/copyright/overview.cfm).

Education Technology User Group (ETUG)

ETUG brings together staff who are using, or want to use, emerging technologies in their professional lives.

15 November 2012

Maximising the use of Moodle
Mark Bailye (NetSpot)

Augmented reality using Aurasma
Selena Woodward (Education)

Introduction of mandated electronic assignment submission, marking and returns in SoNM
Nicci Parkin (Nursing & Midwifery)
Enrol now!

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The mobile theme gives you access to all topics and content but does not support quizzes or assignment submission. To complete these activities, switch back to the standard theme.
Note: Some mobile devices will not be able to submit assignments using either theme.
Turnitin

Teaching staff who intend using Turnitin must be inducted into the use of the software and into academic integrity issues via workshops. When preparing to add the Turnitin tool to your FLO site, please keep in mind ‘The protocols for the use of electronic text matching software’ which must be complied with. For further information, see www.flinders.edu.au/ppmanual/student/academic-integrity.cfm#appendixa

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FLO Live is communication software that allows staff and students to collaborate with using voice-over-internet (VoIP) audio, share software applications, presentation slides, free-form whiteboards and text chat. If you are interested in using FLO Live for your teaching or research collaboration, please contact the sabs.flo@flinders.edu.au or flo.live@flinders.edu.au.

The eLearning Unit … supports staff with FLO and the CMS, by:
• setting up FLO sites
• creating shared FLO sites
• creating course or special purpose sites
• advising on the use of activities in FLO
• optimising images
• recoding or editing audio files
• conducting one-on-one and group training sessions
• helping with CMS web development
• providing tea/coffee

Send your requests or questions (big and small) to sabs.flo@flinders.edu.au to ensure that your email gets to the right person. We will do our best to either answer your questions ourselves or we will find someone who knows the answer.

The cast of the eLearning unit is debra hackett, Melchior Mazzone and Marcia Schubert.