

**PROFESSIONAL HISTORIANS
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Membership of a Professional Historians Association (PHA) in Australia requires accreditation under a *National Standard* endorsed by the Australian Council of Professional Historians Associations (ACPHA). There are four membership categories. Two are for people who practise as professional historians, one is for graduate historians, and the other, which is not available in all states and territories, is for historical researchers.

The admission criteria for the first three categories are in the ACPHA *National Standard for the Accreditation of Professional Historians in Australia*. Those for the fourth category are in the ACPHA *National Standard for the Accreditation of Historical Researchers in Australia*. A *Checklist for the ACPHA Accreditation Categories* presents the acceptable combinations of academic qualifications and professional experience in a convenient tabular format. Each document mentioned above is available via [the ACPHA Website](#).

Fees charged by members differ according to their qualifications, expertise and the length of the project being undertaken as indicated in the [Scale of Fees recommended for the engagement of Accredited Professional Historians in Australia](#). The availability of all members is likely to be subject to work in progress.

Whilst each PHA (WA) member must adhere to the ACPHA [Code of Ethics and Professional Standards for Professional Historians in Australia](#), the Association cannot guarantee that a member will be suitable for a specific project or task. The Association publishes this list in good faith, and with due care, but it reminds those who use it that the PHA (WA) members named below are independent professionals and should be treated as such.

Examples of some PHA (WA) member's past work can be accessed via [the Members' Work Database](#).

The names and details for PHA (WA) members who are currently available for employment follow.

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Kris Bizzaca has worked as a heritage consultant and professional historian since 1998. She has qualifications in English, history and public history specialising in the research of the post-European settlement and built environment of Western Australia. Kris has extensive experience in the preparation of heritage assessments, conservation plans and museum/interpretation projects and significance assessments of archives and heritage collections. Part time only.

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Registered business name: *Historical Research and Publication Services*. Historian, researcher, archivist and librarian. Experienced in Aboriginal Heritage information services. Was most recently employed at the J. S. Battye Library of West Australian History, first as Manager of the Archival Collections, then as Director of the Battye Library. Author of *Bassendean: a social history 1829-1979* (commissioned by the Town of Bassendean) and numerous articles, papers and presentations over the past 20 years. Currently contracted by the City of Armadale to research and write the history of the district. Availability limited.

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Business name: *Robin Chinnery, Historian*. Qualifications in history, public history and education. Extensive experience researching Western Australian history of places and people for heritage, conservation, interpretation and social histories. Available for short to long term contracts. Curriculum Vitae available on request.

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Registered business name: *National Heritage*. Specialises in data about people, places and land tenure in Australia's north-west. Has extensive database and library holdings relevant to the locality and undertakes research at repositories throughout Australia. Familiar with heritage issues (Aboriginal and European), native title, editing and publishing. Has worked in multi-disciplinary teams and with community groups. Current availability limited.

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Historian and oral historian with extensive experience in local history, Noongar history and museum interpretation. Enjoys working with community groups and in multi-disciplinary teams. Currently undertaking PhD on the cross-cultural history of the Noongar camps in the Perth metropolitan area.

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Registered business name: *Heritage TODAY*. Particularly interested in Western Australian heritage in both built and natural fields. Extensive experience in the preparation and review of Municipal Heritage Inventories and preparing documentary evidence for conservation plans. Curriculum Vitae can be provided on request.

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Historian, oral interviewer and researcher. Extensive project management experience managing multidisciplinary teams. Author of four commissioned histories, with a fifth currently in progress and several papers. Specialist in Western Desert Aboriginal missions. Other interests include Australian institutional, organisational, engineering, social and religious history. Currently an Honorary Research Fellow in history at the University of Western Australia. Available part-time for long or short term contracts. Available part-time for long or short term contracts.

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Registered business name: *Erickson & Taylor: Art, Design and Heritage Consultancy*. Twenty eight years experience researching writing and publishing on Western Australian art, design and heritage including considerable experience with Western Australian heritage projects. Freelance curator and author of books and numerous articles on art, design and moveable heritage. Curriculum Vitae available on request.

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Fifteen years experience in oral history interviewing including work for the J. S. Battye Library of West Australian History and for Professor Jim Hammerton's recent *Ten Pound Poms* publication. Author of *A Press in Isolation: a history of the University of WA Press* and 'Kissing can be Dangerous' *The Public Health Campaign to Prevent and Control Tuberculosis in Western Australia, 1900-1960*. Currently a postdoctoral fellow at the University of Western Australia as part of an ARC Linkage Grant. Interests include social history, women's history and particularly medical and occupational health history.

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Specialises in West Australian Indigenous history and ethnography, but has also published in maritime, diplomatic, journalism and Irish/Australian social history. Currently working on a history of Mardie station, one of the oldest in the Pilbara region. Publications include *Black and white and in between: Arthur Dimer and the Nullarbor* (2002). A former ABC journalist, has extensive oral history experience with Aboriginal people in particular throughout most of WA.

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Qualifications in history, public history and currently undertaking a Masters in cultural heritage studies. Experienced researcher and historian in post European settlement in Western Australia. Research of people, places and buildings undertaken with a particular interest in heritage and conservation issues. Available for short and long term contracts. Curriculum Vitae available on request.

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Dr Mary Anne Jebb is the author of two books, and numerous articles on West Australian history. Her second book, *Blood, Sweat and Welfare; Aboriginal pastoral workers in the Kimberley* (UWA Press 2001) won three awards, and was short-listed for five others. She has extensive experience in historical and cultural research, and in the public sector. Mary Anne has held academic positions at Murdoch University and Notre Dame, and is currently an Honorary Fellow in History at the University of Western Australia. She specialises in historical and cultural research, cultural mapping, interpretive research for museums and displays, and developing management and research capacities in Indigenous communities.

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Historian and researcher. Specialist in cemetery history and church history (Eastern Orthodox). Consultant on cemetery renewal and gender issues in the church. Publications include *The Dismal Trader, Memories Eternal. 100 years of Karrakatta Cemetery; Monuments and Masons* and *Ancient Taboos and Gender Prejudice*. Adjunct Senior Research Fellow at Curtin University. Chairperson, Metropolitan Cemeteries Board. Curriculum Vitae available on request. Availability limited.

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Extensive experience in local history and primary research. Wide-ranging historical skills including the history of European settlement and buildings of Western Australia. Three years experience as a professional heritage officer with expertise in heritage assessments and conservation plans. Available for long or short term contracts.

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Specialising in defence and aviation history and heritage of WA: World War II projects include historical aspects during 1939-45, specific air force, army and navy heritage places, and a state wide survey of military aviation sites and airfields. Experienced with property and land title histories. Heritage experience includes nominations, assessments, conservation plans, advocacy, interpretation and a municipal heritage inventory. Present availability limited due to mobility issues.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORIAN CATEGORY (cont.)

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Historian and writer of Western Australian history, with specialist interests in the visual arts including fine art, craft, design and architecture. Extensive experience working on heritage related projects, heritage assessments and conservation plans, and issues to do with public art. Curatorial experience with major WA art museums and collections.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORIAN (ASSOCIATE) CATEGORY

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Registered business name: *Cricket Researchers*. Member of Australian Society of Sports Historians. Member of Association of Cricket Statisticians and Historians. Specializes in cricket history and player records. This covers club histories, WA cricket grounds, players etc., from Test cricket level to club to Country Week to Darlot Cup (local private schools). Regular contributor to national and international cricket publications. Has over 30 years experience and recently completed *100 Not Out - a History of Country Week Cricket in WA*. Availability is part-time.

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Researcher with experience in heritage issues and museum work in WA. Experienced in significance assessments for museums and places as well as interpretation planning, whilst working with community groups. Specialist area is railway history, including significance assessment and treatment plans. Willing to work in a team and undertake country travel. Availability part-time.

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Registered business name: *Julia Kay Wallis*. Interests: Research and oral history interviews for community projects involving social history, work history, women's history; environmental history and Aboriginal history. Current projects include: Oral History Co-ordinator and interviewer, East Perth Power Station Historical Research Project (2006-2008); research and oral history interviews RSPCA History Project (2007-2008); research, oral history interviews and transcription typing for Metropolitan Cemeteries Board History (2006-present). Previous projects include: Southern Cross History Project, Yarloop community history project, Midland Railway Workshops History Project, heritage walk for Claremont Town Centre.

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Available for work within the Perth metropolitan area to research and write history, specialising in conservation plans, local municipal heritage inventories, heritage impact statements and heritage assessments. Highly skilled in formatting and design for conservation plans and similar large/complex documents.

Past historical research projects include conservation plans (eg Boulder Town Hall, Pinjarra Post Office, Walcott Centre, fmr Midland Railway Workshops) and heritage assessments (eg John Curtin Senior High School, Claremont Primary School). Worked on Interpretation projects with designers including The Hidden Valley: A History of the Harvey Valley before the Dam at Harvey Visitors' Centre and Old Derby Gaol and Boab Tree. Full CV on request.

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Jennifer is available in Perth and country areas to research and write history, education programmes and interpretation. She has recent experience with conservation plans and heritage assessments and in developing museum collection policies and significance assessments. Jennifer is skilled in digital mediums, including presenting digital storytelling workshops and digital skills for museum professionals. Jennifer can also provide advice and help with social media for museums. She has experience working with volunteers and communities and is able to present workshops and lectures. Projects are completed professionally and on time. References, CV and sample work available. Please phone or email to discuss your needs.

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Registered Business Name: *Kaylene Heard Historian & Researcher*. Available for work within the Perth metropolitan area to research or write history. Worked extensively in providing historical context for museum, archival and public heritage collections, including the cataloguing and describing of film, photos and artefacts. Currently working part-time at the WA Maritime Museum on the McKenna photographic collection. Past work has included the research and publication of three volumes on film held at the State Film Archives of WA (assisted by grants from the WA History Foundation) as well as other projects involving extensive research at the J. S. Battye Library of West Australian History and the State Records Office of WA.

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Registered business name: *Westralia Research and Consulting*. Historian specialising in historical research, oral history, heritage and applied technology. Also highly skilled in academic publishing, production management, formatting and design. Currently working as a casual employee for Gavin Jackson Cultural Resource Management, as Archaeological Report Editor. Previous research assistance to such projects as the *Lotterywest 75th Anniversary History Project*, the *Australian Dental Association (WA) History Project*, the *Greek Migrant History Project*, and the *Mundaring Volunteer Bush Fire Fighter History Project*. Flexible work availability. Full CV and quotes on request.

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Experienced researcher and author with a PhD in literature and a strong writing, editing, and public relations background. Particularly interested in biography, family history, council/shire history and community writing. Full length publications include *Heytesbury Stud: An Affair of the Heart* (Sydney: Gary Allen, 2003) and *For Women Who Grieve: Twelve steps to life after the death of your partner* (Melbourne: Lothian Books, 1995; California: Crossing Press, 1996). Not currently available.

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Registered Business Name: *Malcolm Traill History & Heritage*. Specialist (and based in) Albany and the Great Southern region. Experienced in library research, as a former Battye and Albany Local Studies Librarian. Projects include Conservation Plans and Heritage Impact Statements (in conjunction with architectural firm, H+H Architects) for *Denmark District Hospital*, *Vancouver Arts Centre*, and *Scots Church Albany*. Works on Interpretation Plans with designers, and projects include *Kalgan Bridge Trusses*, *Albany Welcome Walls* and *Brig Amity*. Also has Museum Exhibition Design and Oral History experience. CV and quotes available on request.

HISTORICAL RESEARCHER CATEGORY

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Specialises in historical research, heritage assessments and preparation of conservation plans for mining-related and other industrial places. Has extensive experience as a writer and editor of publications in the areas of coastal planning, urban planning, geology and the environment. Curriculum Vitae available on request. Available for short and long term contracts.

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Extensive experience as a librarian in public and academic libraries. Qualified and experienced genealogical researcher. Experience with preparation of family histories for publication, including editing and proofreading. Accredited member of AAGRA. Familiar with the resources of the State Reference Library, J. S. Battye Library of West Australian History, State Records Office of WA and WA Genealogical Society Library. Will carry out research in these and other WA repositories. Prepared to visit cemeteries in metropolitan area to photograph graves. Available to conduct seminars and courses on family history topics.

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