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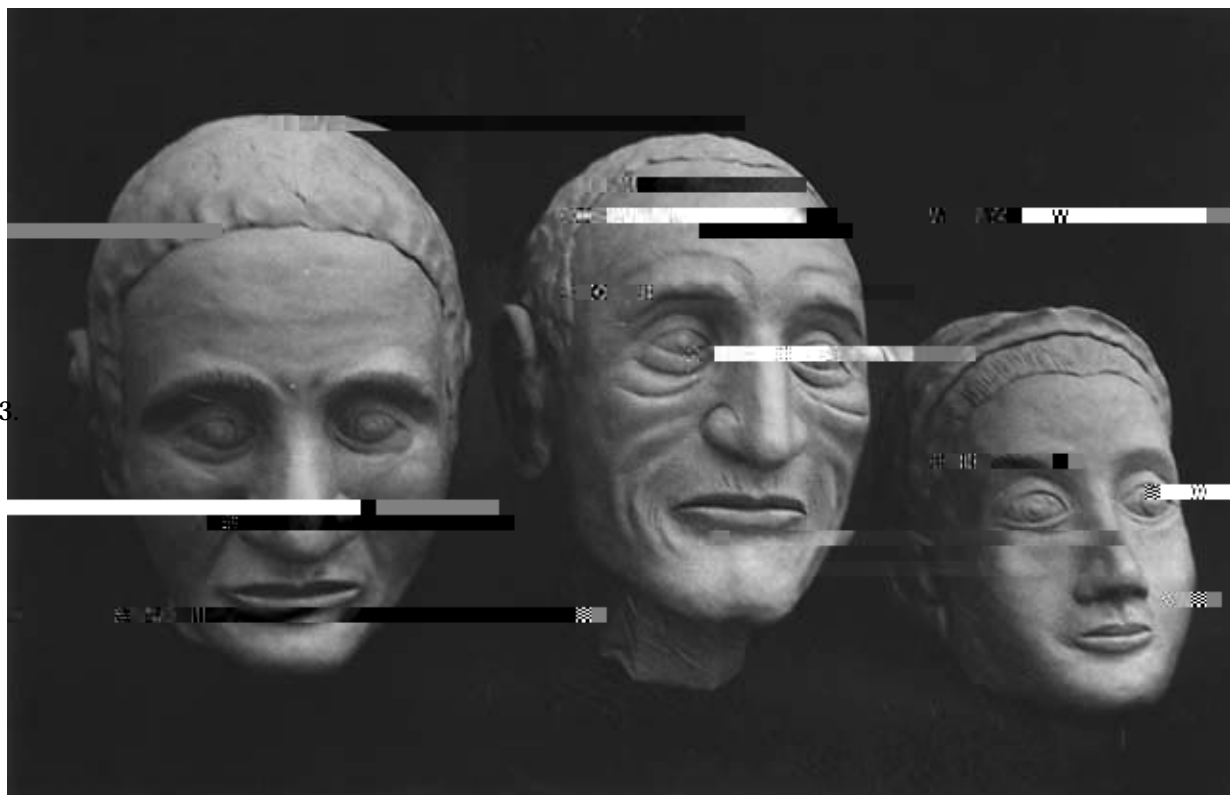
Pompeii — recreating faces from the past

University of Adelaide researchers are using modern-day forensic science techniques to bring 2000-year-old victims of Mount Vesuvius back to life.

Vesuvius erupted in 79 AD, burying the ancient Italian city of Pompeii in ash and killing many of its residents.

The remains of hundreds of those victims have been excavated by archaeologists and anthropologists, but until recent years those human remains were not considered to be of major importance in the study of ancient sites.

"In the 1960s and 1970s the custom in classical



Faces of the past recreated. Photo courtesy of Professor Maciej Henneberg

INSIDE

Associate Professor Susan Magarey, the new Director of the Adelaide Research for Humanities & Social Sciences (ARCHSS), formally takes up her post this week. She writes about the aims of the new Research Centre in "Guest Commentary" on page 2.



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“The agreement consolidates the University’s already close links with Singapore, as well as its strategic objectives in the area of international education,” Professor O’Kane said.

“It also builds upon the University’s particular strengths in

Going to a conference this year?

If you will be attending a national or international conference this year, then consider volunteering to host it in Adelaide.

The Adelaide Convention and Tourism Authority (ACTA) is working with the University of Adelaide to bring more conferences to Adelaide. We are here to help you and provide complimentary support from the earliest bidding process to the final realisation of the conference.

We provide an impartial 'one stop shop' and can help you with all of your conference needs.

Radio 5UV — the first 25 years

On 28 June, Radio 5UV celebrates its 25th birthday, with a solid record of achievement and a clear focus on its future as a vital part of the University of Adelaide.

5UV was established by the then Department of Continuing Education with the aid of a donation to the University from Kenneth Stirling. The money was for an educational initiative, and the University took that initiative to create the first radio station in Australia with an E (for Education) class license.

The first programs featured recorded lectures where you could hear the squeak of chalk on the board. Legal restrictions on the broadcasting of music on the then experimental licence meant that fanfares had to be edited out of Shakespeare plays. That restriction was eventually lifted and the broadcasting of music of many kinds has become an important feature of 5UV's schedule.

Concerts from Elder Hall and other university venues are frequently heard on 5UV, supporting local composers and musicians as well as giving music students the opportunity to have first class recordings of their performances for auditions and professional purposes.

The station plays many roles.

As a University department, 5UV has given valuable media exposure to many people and projects at the University. Through its membership of the Community Broadcasting Association of Australia, 5UV has provided leadership and support for the

rapidly developing community radio network. Access to the ComRadSat satellite distribution service gives 5UV the capacity to reach over 120 other radio stations.

Many of its programs are heard nationally, further enlarging the reach of the University's work. As a community radio station, it involves in its programming literally hundreds of volunteers from the widest reaches of Adelaide; retired academics and other professionals, University students, music lovers, people with some time to give and an interest in communication.

The station has always provided first class training for its staff and volunteers, and since its inception its 'graduates' have been snapped up by the ABC and commercial broadcasters. Keith Conlon, the first director, is one of Adelaide's best loved media figures. Sue Howard, former breakfast host, now manages radio for the ABC. When on the news you see Richard Morecroft, Angela Pippas, Samantha Maiden or Adrian Raschella, you are seeing four people among many for whom 5UV has been an important professional springboard.

5UV has recently become a nationally accredited provider of media training services.

5UV's role in the University's community identity was recognized in the 1996 National Quality review, alongside the establishment of the Thebarton research precinct.

Initially established in a warren of corridors under the Hughes Plaza, the Station

moved in 1989 to a street front position facing the University at 228 North Terrace. It is now ideally placed to continue its work of being a bridge linking the University to the city, the State and beyond.

Like all university departments, 5UV has suffered financial restrictions, but has worked very hard to ensure the continuity of excellent broadcasting for which it has received many national awards and nominations.

Most recently the station was awarded the Archbishop of Adelaide's media citation for two nationally syndicated radio programs about youth suicide. These programs grew out of a project linking the expertise of the Department of General Practice at the University of Adelaide and Flinders Medical Centre to the production skills of the radio station, providing the audio component to a national continuing education initiative for general practitioners.

The establishment in 1972 of an educational radio station placed the University of Adelaide in the forefront of the development of educational technology. Twenty-five years on, 5UV broadcasts on the World Wide Web and is developing plans for audio on demand material.

As the university responds to the challenges of the new technologies in educational service delivery it can be proud that its investment in Radio 5UV has borne such fruit and is well placed to continue and develop its service into the future.

—Ewart Shaw



Then Governor of South Australia, Sir Mark Oliphant and Dame Roma Mitchell, then Deputy Chancellor of the University of Adelaide, at the official launching of Radio 5UV in 1972.



5UV's first manager, Keith Conlon at the console



The station's second manager, Jill Lambert



Radio 5UV's current manager, Jeff Langdon. Photos courtesy of 5UV.

From the Premier

This month we toast a significant landmark with the silver birthday of 5UV.

Twenty-five years ago your station was a trail-blazer in a concept new to Australia—community radio. Since that inception, 5UV has gone on to provide radio listeners with a fresh outlook on programming which has placed great emphasis on being educational, informative and above all else, entertaining.

Along the way it has been the vehicle for launching the broadcasting careers of a wide range of presenters and technical staff, many of whom have become household names in the wider media.

All this would not have been possible without the drive and enthusiasm of everyone who has been involved with 5UV—from institutions such as the University of Adelaide, the sponsors, the small band of paid staff and, not the least, the many volunteers who have embraced the community radio concept.

The station which went to air with the catchcry 'first on the dial' is now the nation's oldest community radio station and I wish you every good fortune for the next 25 years.

Hon. John Olsen, MP
Premier of South
Australia

From the Arts Minister

5UV has been a leader in community broadcasting in Australia—and it still sets the standard! Over the years it has expanded and excelled in both the production quality and diversity of its programmes.

I congratulate and thank 5UV for countless hours of challenging, diverse radio listening over the past 25 years—and wish all associated with the station all the best for the future.

Diana Laidlaw, MLC
Minister for the Arts

From the V-C

Radio 5UV holds a unique place in Australian broadcasting and, indeed, in Australian higher education. On the station's 25th birthday, I offer my whole-hearted congratulations to the management and staff of 5UV, as well as the many volunteers who have contributed so vitally to 5UV's broadcasts over its life.

Mary O'Kane
Vice-Chancellor

Alumni **IN BRIEF**

Medieval talk

The Cornell Chapter invites all enthusiasts of medieval history and literature to a luncheon meeting on 21 July at which Dr Tom Burton will speak about his work on medieval writings in a talk entitled "(Mis)translation or adaptation? English and French anti-feminism".

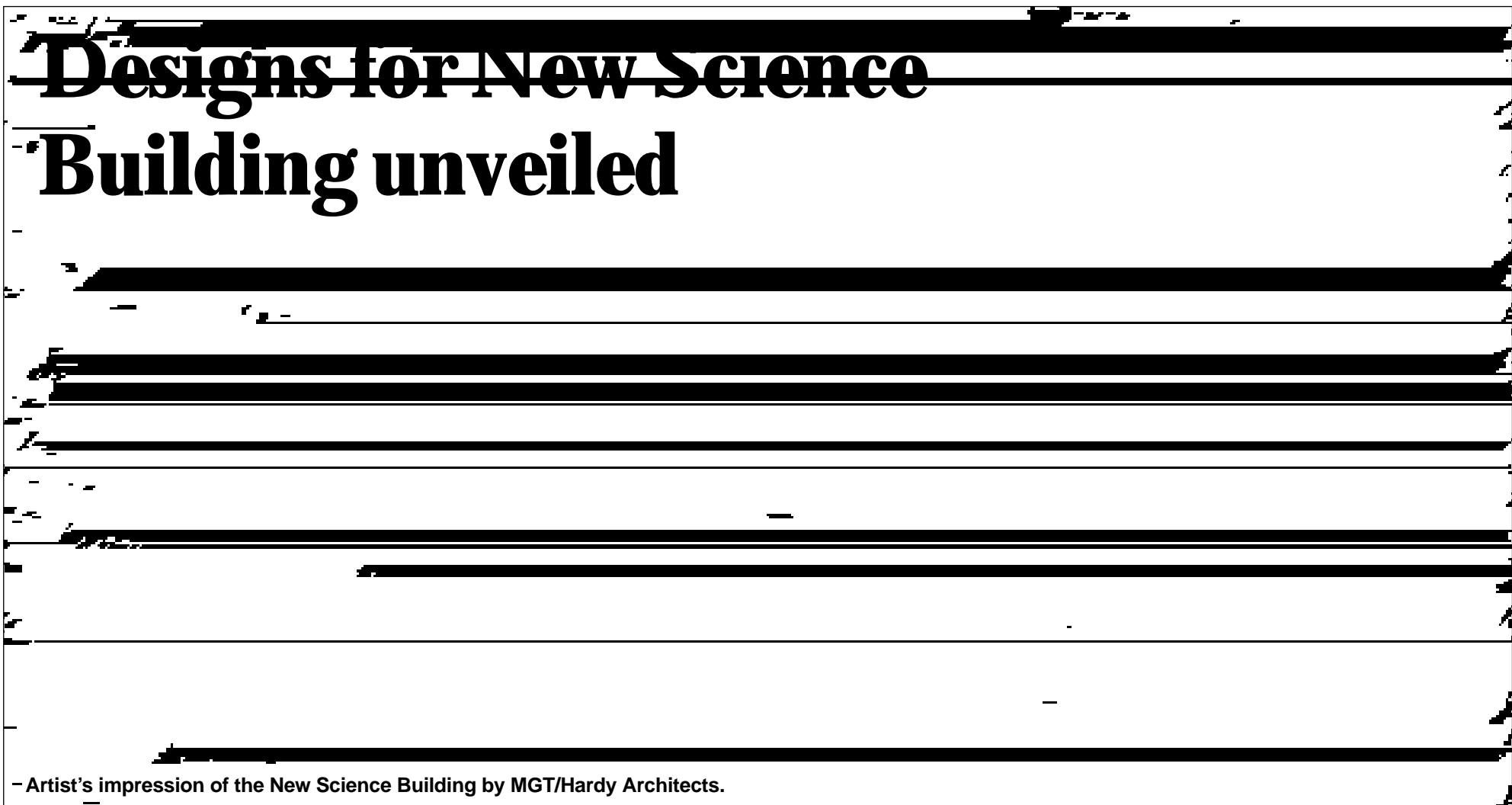
Readers wishing to book for the luncheon meeting—12.30pm in the Hoods Room of the Staff Club on Monday 21 July—should call the Alumni Office, 8303 4275. Cost: \$27 per person. Seating strictly limited: bookings essential.

Concertos Plus concert

Elder Conservatorium graduates Mark Smith (BMus New 1997) and Paul Leggett (GradDip MusPerf 1992) are featured soloists with American flautist Jeffrey Cohan in a concert by the Kensington and Norwood Symphony Orchestra on Sunday 6 July at 2.30pm.

Mark Smith (trumpet) is currently an Honours composition student in the Elder Conservatorium and has appeared extensively around Australia as well as touring England with the Aceprint Victoria Band. Paul Leggett (violin) has appeared with the Adelaide and Tasmanian Symphony Orchestras and the Adelaide Chamber Orchestra, among others.

They will join flute virtuoso Jeffrey Cohan in a program of music by Wagner, Smetana, Haydn, Böhm and Ysaÿe, to be presented in the Salvation Army Citadel, 55 George St Norwood. Tickets \$10/\$6 at the door.



- Artist's impression of the New Science Building by MGT/Hardy Architects.

Demolition of the University of Adelaide's Fisher building will begin in mid-July, representing the next major stage of a \$41 million project to redevelop the lower level of the North Terrace campus.

The first phase of the demolition will see the northern end of the Fisher building pulled down, making way for construction of the New Science Building (pictured above) between Union Hall and Frome Road.

Staff and students who currently work in the northern end of the Fisher building are being relocated to the southern end, or to other laboratories and lecture theatres around the campus.

The focus of the five-year development project is the demolition of the Fisher building and the construction of

ACCOMMODATION

AVAILABLE: 2 br unit close to all facs (bus, shops & uni). Avail from 6 Aug - 8 Nov 97 (extension possible). \$120 pw. Ph 8332 0540.

DULWICH: Person to share 3 br stone cottage from late July. Close to both Waite and North Tce and transport. \$70 pw + bond & exp. Ph 8333 2590 (ah).

GILBERTON: Furn townhouse close to city/Uni avail 4 mths from late July. \$250 pw. Ph Dr Han 8204 7417 or email: phan@medicine.adelaide.edu.au

GLENSIDE: 3 br house with study, sep games rm, c/port & garage. \$175 pw. Ph 8407 9684 or 8223 1431 (ah).

HACKNEY: Comfortable, fully furn rm avail for non-smoker. Linen, etc provided, share facs. Ph Wendy Alstergren 8363 4436.

HYDE PARK: Furn office on King William Road on half-time share basis. \$300 per

month. Ph 8302 2760.

LINDEN PARK: 2 br, furn townhouse. Spac living area, carport, avail early Sept for 6-9 mths, close to Waite (suit academics or visitors). Non smoker only. \$150 pw (+2 weeks bond). Ph Marie 8303 7213 or fax 8303 7109.

MEDINDIE: Lge room avail in 4 br house, share with 2 postgrads and 1 worker. Close to transport, off street parking. Non smoker only. \$60 pw + exp. Ph 8342 1516.

MILLSWOOD: Fully furn house avail 28 July - 23 Dec 97. 3 br, 2 b/rms, sep dining, all linen, cutlery, etc included. Small easy care garden, garage with auto roller door. Ph Vicki Waye 8303 5024 or 8351 1656 (ah) or email: vwaye@law.adelaide.edu.au

NORTH ADELAIDE: Person to share 3 br cottage, 5 mins walk to Uni. \$65 pw. Ph Vincent 8267 2736.

NORTON SUMMIT: Historic

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2-storey semi-detached stone house with 2 br (1 with own lounge area), dble garage, cottage garden. Avail mid July 97. \$160 pw. Ph 8390 3272 or 8303 8909.

WANTED: Visiting German prof and family require 2 br, furn house or unit for 6 mths from mid Aug 97. Close to transport within 30 mins of Uni. Ph David 8303 5378 or 8272 0520 (ah) or email: dmckirdy@geology.adelaide.edu.au

FOR SALE

FAX: Mitsubishi personal facsimile, model no FA-320 (1992), complete with fax paper, in good working order. Ph Angela Rogers 8303 5855.

HOLDEN COMMODORE: VN 1989 sedan, V6 auto,

power steer, air cond, security sys, exc cond, very reliable. VBA 084. \$11,500. Ph David 8363 4371 or 8332 5982 (ah).

MICROWAVE: Sharp, exc cond. \$60. Ph 8297 1848 (after 8pm).

OFFICE ITEMS: 4 x 2 drawer mobile wooden filing cabinets from \$25 ea. 1 x 4 drawer metal filing cabinet, \$80. Rectangular blackwood board table, 1200mm x 2400mm, \$400. 6 upholstered neutral tone chairs with arms, \$240 the lot. Microbyte SE30 PC, \$75. Apple Mac SE30 & Image-writer II printer, \$100 for both. L-shaped mushroom/pink desk with left-hand return, \$200. Ph Unisure 8303 5141.

TELEVISION: Orion Teletext, colour, 51cm, remote control, exc cond.

\$350 ono. Ph 8297 1848 (after 8pm).

TOYOTA COROLLA: 1997 auto, runs well. Ph 8303 7274 or 8379 1501 (h).

UNIT: West Beach - 1 br unit, newly renovated, views over city, walk to beach, mins to city/Uni. \$38,000. Peter Jackson 0419 810 681.

WATCH: Collector's item, Ladies 18 carat gold fob watch, mint condition, C1880's. \$1,500 ono. Ph 8265 4028.

DEPARTMENTAL

TENDER: Ford Futura station wagon, 1996, white, 40,200km, VUS 423, auto, air cond, ABS, cruise control, driver's airbag, floor mats, mudflaps, fire extinguisher, cargo barrier, tow pack. Inspection Monday 2 July (10am-12noon), ph D Harris 8303 7455. Tenders in a sealed envelope marked Tender No W227 to the

Purchasing Manager, Waite Campus by Monday 7 July 97.

TENDER: Mitsubishi Triton utility tray top 1995, white, 25,000km, diesel, VSO 745, tow pack, mudflaps, manual. Inspection Thurs 3 July (10am-12noon), ph L Schmidt 8303 7894. Tenders in a sealed envelope marked Tender No W226 to the Purchasing Manager, Waite Campus by Tuesday 8 July 97.

MISCELLANEOUS

TUITION: Years 3-12, all subjects. Also French & Spanish for children & adults. Experienced teacher (ex Pembroke). Ph 8339 2986.

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