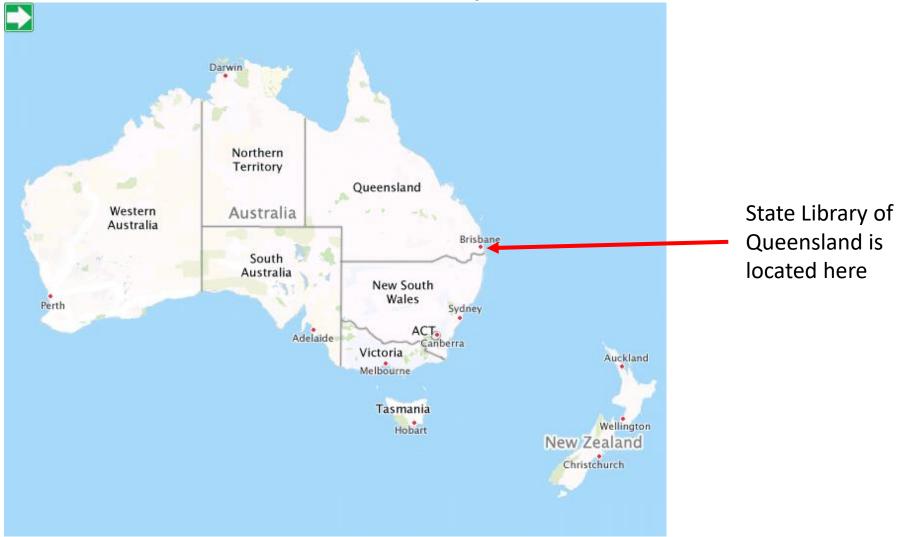
# Dave Allen's Nomination for IGeLU Chair 2021

# Introducing Myself

#### Dave Allen State Library of Queensland, Australia

# Where is the State Library of Queensland?



# Bit about Australia.

- Home to 6 of the top 10 world's most venomous snakes
- Sharks
- Venomous blue-ringed octopus
- Stonefish
- Box jellyfish
- Mad swooping magpies
- Prone to droughts, floods and bushfires

# However the good news – not all Australian animals will kill you



# State Library of Queensland and Ex Libris Products.

- Voyager (since 2002 2015)
- Metalib (no longer in use)
- SFX (no longer in use)
- DigiTool
- Primo (local)
- Alma
- Rosetta

# Who is Dave Allen?

- Current position at State Library of Queensland Lead, Digital Preservation Projects
- Been with State Library of Queensland for > 30 years
- ANZREG Committee Member February 2011 to January 2015
- ANZREG Chair January 2015 to December 2016
- IGeLU SC Committee September 2014 to August 2018
- IGeLU Chair August 2018 to present

# IGeLU Activities (past and present)

- Voyager Product Working Group Liaison
- Alma Product Working Group Liaison
- Primo/Metalib Product Working Group Liaison
- Interoperability Working Group Liaison
- Linked Open Data Working Group Liaison
- Analytics Working Group Liaison
- Rosetta Workinmg Group Liaison
- IGeLU Chair

# Why Vote for Dave Allen!

My three (3) year action plan if voted in as IGeLU Chair is:

- Continue supporting IGeLU's members in advancing members' requirements
- Continue delivery of Annual Conferences but following a hybrid model
- Improve communications with the membership.
- Increase support for National and Regional User Groups.
- Increase IGeLU membership
- Advance with Diversity, Equity and Inclusiveness Agenda.
- Increase IGeLU's profile with Ex Libris, ProQuest and Clarivate
- Continue improving IGeLU's internal policies and procedures.
- On going support of the IGeLU Working Groups and Communities of Practice

# Why Vote for Dave Allen!

 Because I believe a strong user group means a strong product for us all

• My role is to represent you and your organization in any dealings with Ex Libris

Thank you for considering my nomination

I hope I can continue representing you for another three years.

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