



## Papers of Jane Jacobs

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# COLLECTION OVERVIEW

## Scope and content note

The papers consist of correspondence, books, field notes, research notes, journal articles, notebooks, minutes of meetings, newspaper clippings, pamphlets, photocopies of official documents and reports collected by Jacobs while undertaking research for her Master of Arts in Cultural Geography at the University of Adelaide. It includes material on the Adnyamathanha, Kokatha and Pangala [Parkalla/Barngarla/Bungala/Banggarla] peoples living in and around Port Augusta, South Australia as well as general material on the Kokatha People's Committee, the Southern Lands Council and other land rights activities in the region during the early 1980s.

The collection also includes research material on the Colebrook Home for Aboriginal Children in Quorn, South Australia. While researching her master's thesis, Jacobs became friends with Faith Thomas, who had been a Colebrook resident. Thomas had in her possession a set of lantern slides of the Colebrook Home and showed them to Jacobs. In 1984 Jacobs received a grant from the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies to reproduce and research the slides and undertake a history of Colebrook Home. The photographic material which accompanied this collection has been transferred to the Audiovisual Archives Program.

Jacobs also undertook a number of consultancies in the field of Aboriginal affairs for both private and government bodies. Some of this material has been included in this collection.

## Provenance

The papers were donated to the Institute by Jane Jacobs in 2002.

## Material separated from collection

Issues of *Aboriginal Training and Cultural Journal* (Vol 1, No 3), *Australian Resources*, (Vol 2, No 1) *Land Rights News* (Vol 2, No 2) and *National Messagstick* (Vol 1, Nos 1 & 2) which were received with these papers have been transferred to the Library's Serials Collection.

## Arrangement of collection

The papers have been arranged into six series. Where possible, the original arrangement of the papers and file titles has been preserved by the Library.

## Related material

For a complete list of other works by Jane Jacobs that are held by the Institute and for related material consult [Mura@, the AIATSIS catalogue](#)

For access any related audiovisual material contact the [Audiovisual Archive](#)

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## BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Jane Jacobs was born in South Australia in 1958. She graduated from the University of Adelaide with a Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in 1981 and completed her Master of Arts in Cultural Geography in 1984.

She remained at the University of Adelaide as a Research Associate for a number of years, combining lecturing with numerous consultancies in the field of Aboriginal affairs for both private and government bodies. She worked with Professor Fay Gale on the protection of Aboriginal rock art and prepared various publications and reports for the Australian Heritage Commission on this topic.

Jacobs later moved to Melbourne to lecture at Melbourne University and then to London where she completed her Ph.D at University College London. She currently lectures at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland where she is Director of the Graduate School in Geography.

Jacobs' publications include *Tourism and the protection of Aboriginal cultural sites* with Fay Gale (1994); *Tourists and the National Estate: procedures to protect Australia's heritage* with Fay Gale (1997); *Edge of empire: postcolonialism and the city* (1996) and *Uncanny Australia: sacredness and identity in a postcolonial nation* with K. Gelder (1998). She has also co-edited other works and written numerous book chapters and journal articles.

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## SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

### Series 1 Correspondence, 1980-88

This series consists mainly of correspondence relating to Jacob's thesis. It includes records relating to the financial and administrative aspects of her thesis work as well as her research. Other material relates to her consultancy projects with Sutton Partners and the Australian Heritage Commission.

**Item**

- 1 Correspondence, 1980-82, with various institutions and individuals relating to her thesis
- 2 Correspondence with the University of Adelaide and the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, 1981-83 relating to expenses. The file also contains invoices, receipts and costings of various field trips
- 3 Correspondence, 1981-85, with the University of Adelaide relating to her thesis
- 4 Correspondence, 1982-83, with the Department of Education and the University of Adelaide in relation to her thesis allowance and a part-time teaching contract
- 5 Correspondence, 1983, with Sutton Partners relating to consultancy work
- 6 Correspondence, 1984-86, with the Australian Heritage Commission relating to a paper by Jacobs and Fay Gale on 'Visitor management for heritage sites' and other works by them
- 7 Correspondence, 1984-87, with the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies relating to Associate Membership of the Institute and a research grant. The file also contains a set of rules for members
- 8 Correspondence, 1985, with the Australian Rock Art Association (AURA) relating to membership and the publication of articles in their journal, *Aura*
- 9 Correspondence, 1985, with Betty Dohnt and others in Port Augusta
- 10 Miscellaneous correspondence, 1985-88
- 11 Correspondence, 1986, with Dr Peter Quartermaine, Associate Director of the Centre for American and Commonwealth Arts and Studies, Exeter, relating to a contribution to a book on Australian art

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**Series 2 Notebooks and genealogies, 1980-87**

This series consists of 48 notebooks compiled by Jacobs while undertaking research for her Masters thesis and various field trips and consultancy projects. Also included are a number of family trees which have been drawn up on computer paper. The family names include: Baker, Dare, Egan, Hunt, Higgins, Kyte, Smith, Strangways, Thomas, Wingfield and Williams.

The notebooks had been sorted and arranged into bundles by Jacobs and assigned subject headings. This order has been maintained by the Library in listing the notebooks. A number of notebooks have had pages removed from them and the loose pages have been filed into the research folders in Series 3. The notebooks contain some diary entries, in particular those relating to field trips, names and addresses, minutes from meetings, notes of interviews and notes from published sources.

**Pastoral review, 1981-82****Item**

- 1 Minutes of an open meeting convened by the Aboriginal Research Centre on the 'Pastoral Bill' (n.d.)
- 2 Notes from a staff seminar given by Fay Gale on kin patterns in Adelaide and notes from a meeting held on 6 April 1982 on the 'Pastoral Bill'
- 3 Notes from an unidentified meeting on the 'Pastoral Bill' (n.d.)

**Item**

- 4 Notes relating to academic matters in a notebook entitled 'ANZAAS pastoral meeting' (n.d.)

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**Port Augusta and surrounding areas: Masters research, 1981-82****Item**

- 5 Notes of interviews with Miss Cantle, Suzie Reid and Lois O'Donoghue
- 6 Notes of interviews with Christine Coulthard and Lorna Grantham
- 7 Minutes of a meeting of the Southern Land Council at Cooper Pedy (n.d.) and notes of interviews with John Thomas and Simon Dane
- 8 Notes of interviews with Judy Welgraven, Patty Miller and Maxine Forbes. There are also notes from meetings of the Adnjamathanha at Nepabunna, 1981
- 9 Notes on movement of families from Nepabunna provided by Gerty Johnson
- 10 Archival references for Police Records and some notes from specific series
- 11 Notes relating to the Kokatha
- 12 Notes relating to the Kokatha People's Committee executive meeting, 30 November, 1981 and notes of an interview with Betty Dohnt
- 13 Notes of an interview with Eva Strangways, notes on Umeewarra and also Aboriginal education in Port Augusta
- 14 Notebook titled 'Adnjamathanha land rights meeting'. However there are only four pages of untitled notes. It is possible that pages have been removed from the notebook
- 15 Notes of an interview with Lorna Grantham
- 16 Notes of interviews with Bernice Wilson and Lorna Sultan
- 17 Notes on National Aborigines Week, 1981, in Port Augusta
- 18 Notes of a trip to Port Augusta, August-December, 1981. Includes interviews with John McKenzie, Audrey Kinnear and Kevin Coulthard
- 19 Notes of a trip to Port Augusta, August-December, 1981: Indulkana and Port Lincoln trips
- 20 Notes of various interviews, including Vincent Coulthard, on 26 August 1981. There are also notes from meetings of the Adnjamathanha and Kokotha
- 21 Notes of interviews with John McKenzie and Lynch Ryan relating to Balcanoona, September 1981. Also contains various Adnjamathanha family trees
- 22 Notes of interviews with Garry Richardson, Regional Superintendent of the National Parks and Wildlife Service; Charlie Jackson, an employee of the Aboriginal Development Commission and notes of a trip to Andamooka with Johnny Tregenza in September, 1981. There are also notes on Gladys Kite's family

- 23 Notes of an interview with Mrs Clifton relating to Carawilloo and Chinaman's Creek, 21 October 1981 and also with Pastor Eckerman
- 24 Notes on a Southern Lands Council meeting, 3-4 October, 1981
- 25 Notes on activities and meetings, 7-10 October 1981
- 26 Notes on activities and meetings, 16-17 October 1981
- 27 General notes and family histories, November 1981
- 28 Notes on West Coast trip, September 1982

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### **Port Augusta area, 1984-85**

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- 29 Port Augusta field trip, 30 November-3 December, 1984
- 30 Stony Point, 3 December 1984
- 31 Port Augusta women's study, 1st field trip, 18 March-23 March 1985. [*Closed access. Apply to appropriate female Aboriginal elders for access. Open access – communities (female elders). Held in Women's Cupboard*]
- 32 Port Augusta women's study, 2nd field trip, 26 March 1985. [*Closed access. Apply to appropriate female Aboriginal elders for access. Open access – communities (female elders). Held in Women's Cupboard*]
- 33 Port Augusta women's study, 3rd field trip (n.d.). [*Closed access. Apply to appropriate female Aboriginal elders for access. Open access – communities (female elders). Held in Women's Cupboard*].

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### **Flinders Ranges and others, 1980-87**

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- 34 Flinders Ranges trip I, honours research, 1980
- 35 Kakadu trip, August 1982
- 36 Flinders Ranges trip I, 3rd Year Geography camp, 27-31 August, 1984: book I
- 37 Flinders Ranges trip I, 3rd Year Geography camp, 27-31 August, 1984: book II
- 38 Mootwingee and Panaramatee, 7-12 December 1984
- 39 Carnarvon Gorge, May 1985
- 40 Sydney visitor survey, 16 January-26 January, 1987: field note book
- 41 Sydney visitor survey, 16 January-26 January, 1987: observation book
- 42 Flinders trip - Workers Education Association (WEA) (n.d.)

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### **Colebrook, 1984-87**

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- 43 Notes of an interview with Faith Thomas (nee Coulthard) (n.d.)
- 44 Notes of an interview with Lois O'Donoghue, 26 February 1984 by C. Laurence
- 45 Notes of an interview with Lois O'Donoghue, 1984 by Jane Jacobs
- 46 General notes on Colebrook, December 1984
- 47 Notes of interviews with Ruth McKenzie, Nancy Barnes and Miriam Dadleh during a trip to Port Augusta and Quorn, 4-7 November, 1986
- 48 Notes on the Colebrook Home, Quorn, 60th anniversary celebrations, 17-20 April, 1987

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#### Genealogies

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- 49 Family trees drawn on computer paper. The family names include: Baker, Dare, Egan, Hunt, Higgins, Kyte, Smith, Strangways, Thomas, Wingfield and Williams. There are also notes of an interview with Mrs Croft

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#### Series 3 'Aboriginal land rights in Port Augusta', 1921-86

This series consists of books, field notes, research notes, journal articles, minutes of meetings, newspaper clippings, pamphlets, photocopies of official documents and reports collected by Jacobs while undertaking research for her Master of Arts in Cultural Geography at the University of Adelaide. It includes material on the Adnyamathanha, Kokatha and Pangala [Parkalla/Barngarla/Bungala/Banggarla] peoples living in and around Port Augusta, South Australia as well as general materials on the Kokatha People's Committee, the Southern Lands Council and other land rights activities in the region during the early 1980s.

Jacob's research involved discussions on land interests with Port Augusta based Aborigines (mainly the Adnyamathanha, Kokatha and Pangala [Parkalla/Barngarla/Bungala/Banggarla] peoples), attendance at land rights meetings and documenting the development and demise of the region affiliation called the Southern Lands Council.

Sound tapes of interviews and meetings have been transferred to the Audiovisual Archives Program. Notebooks can be found in Series 2.

A copy of Jacob's thesis, 'Aboriginal land rights in Port Augusta', is held in the Manuscript Collection at MS 2127.

#### Item

- 1 Pastoral review. Notes relating to the 'Pastoral Act Amendment Bill', 1982, 1981-83 and a copy of the Bill
- 2 Pastoral lands - South Australia. Map photographic negatives



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- 3 Port Augusta. Field notes gathered in 1981. Informants were Gwen Rathman and Lorna Sutton
- 4 Port Augusta - Port Lincoln area. Bibliography supplied by the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, 1985
- 5 Contacts and addresses, 1981
- 6 Port Augusta. Field notes and typescript notes on Aboriginal communities. Includes notes on Umeewarra Mission
- 7 Davenport and the Pangala [Parkalla/Barngarla/Bungala/Banggarla]. Lists of names of people living on these estates, 1981
- 8 National Aboriginal Week, Port Augusta, 6-11 July, 1981. Program of activities
- 9 Port Augusta. List of names with tribal groupings
- 10 Port Augusta. Notes on the history of the area including early camps, rations and Umeewarra Mission
- 11 Port Augusta. Miscellaneous newspaper clippings on Indigenous issues, 1980-82
- 12 Port Augusta - Aboriginal employment. Copy of *Port Augusta Aboriginal employment training research project: summary report, August 1978* and notes on the project
- 13 Port Augusta: demography. Lists of families from the area
- 14 Port Augusta: housing. Locations of Aboriginal housing, 1981 and lists of occupants
- 15 Pitjantjatjara model. Notes
- 16 Pitjantjatjara land rights. Extract from the *Legal Service Bulletin*, April, 1979 on the Pitjantjatjara Land Rights Bill 1978
- 17 *Pitjantjatjara Land Rights Act*. Notes
- 18 Pitjantjatjara land rights. Possible extract from the Land Rights Working Party (Cock's report, 1978)
- 19 Pitjantjatjara land rights. Newspaper clippings and notes from newspapers, 1980-84
- 20 Pitjantjatjara land rights. Photocopies of the 'Pitjantjatjara Land Rights Bill' 1978 and 'Pitjantjatjara Land Rights Bill 1980'
- 21 Land rights and compensation. Typescript manuscript: 'Land rights and compensation in settled Australia' by Peter Sutton, Adelaide, 1981. Attached are notes by Jacobs
- 22 Land rights literature. Pamphlet entitled *Aborigines and the Commonwealth Games* published by the Aboriginal Legal Rights Movement, Inc, (n.d.)
- 23 Land rights - maps. Photocopies and cibachrome copies of maps of areas under consideration for land claims, Queensland, South Australia and the Northern Territory

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- 24 Sacred sites, South Australia. Newspaper clippings, 1980-81
- 25 Land rights - national preferred model. Two journal articles: 'Preferred model for land rights', *Aboriginal Newsletter*, No 144, 1985, p. 1 and 'Uniform land rights', *Good Government*, No 864, 1986, p. 1-2. There is also a copy of 'Aboriginal land rights, a statement by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, the Hon. Clyde Holding, MP, in the House of Representatives, 18 March, 1986'
- 26 Land rights. Miscellaneous notes and photocopies. Included is a letter from the Aboriginal Development Commission, South Australia, 1984, giving details of land purchased by the Commission on behalf of Aboriginal communities and groups
- 27 'Roxby Downs (Indenture Ratification) Bill', 1982. Photocopy of the bill
- 28 Roxby Downs. Newspaper clippings and notes, 1981
- 29 Roxby Downs. Photocopies of a report, 'Southern Land Council field report, Roxby Downs - Olympic Dam Site, 12-13 November, 1981' and environmental guidelines laid down by the South Australian Department of Environment and Planning for an environmental impact study to be carried out by Sutton Partners, Consulting Anthropologists, 1980
- 30 Federation of Land Councils Conference, Alice Springs, 1981. Photocopy of the agenda for 27 November and a press statement released by the Council
- 31 Roxby Downs. Notes and newspaper clippings, 1981-83
- 32 Roxby Downs. Information sheet (n.d.)
- 33 Reference sources. Photocopies of catalogue cards from the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies Library, 1981
- 34 Reference sources. Photocopy of an untitled document containing references to various aspects of national parks and ecological reserves
- 35 Basedow expeditions. Notes on various expeditions by Herbert Basedow
- 36 South Australian Aboriginal Lands Trust. Journal articles on the Trust, 1971-72 and tables from their annual reports, 1976-80, showing land transferred to the Trust
- 37 Land rights. General material consisting of journal articles and notes, 1968-81
- 38 Land legislation - South Australia. Notes from published sources
- 39 Aborigines in South Australia. Notes from published sources
- 40 Aborigines and social welfare. Notes from published sources
- 41 Daisy Bates Collection. Photocopies of field data from the Daisy Bates papers which are held at the National Library of Australia, Canberra
- 42 Ooldea, South Australia. Notes from published sources and photocopied pages from *Knights of the boomerang*
- 43 *Port Augusta Despatch*. Notes on Aborigines from 1879-89

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- 44 Police records. Notes from 1876-1977
- 45 Protector of Aborigines reports and police records. Notes on the Kokatha from 1886-1935
- 46 Protector of Aborigines reports. Notes on the Adnjamathanha from 1871-1937
- 47 Protector of Aborigines reports. Notes on Port Augusta from 1870-1920
- 48 Typescript manuscript. 'The Adnjamathanha people of the Flinders ranges: information for teachers' by Jacobs (n.d.)
- 49 Adnjamathanha. Newspaper clippings, 1980-82
- 50 Adnyamathanha genealogies. Lists of names with family trees
- 51 Mountford-Sheard Collection. Notes and photocopies from the Mountford-Sheard Collection of Ethnology held at the State Library of South Australia
- 52 Pastoralism. List of names engraved on a stone at 2 Mile Gate, Martins Well
- 53 Adnjamathanha. 'Report of trip to Mootwingee Historic Site, New South Wales, by members of the Adnjamathanha tribe of the Flinders Ranges and the Aboriginal and Historic Relics Administration, 14-16 January, 1977'
- 54 Flinders Ranges Aboriginal Development Group. Two papers relating to Leigh Creek
- 55 Bookartoo ochre deposit. Reports and notes
- 56 Mount Chambers mythological site (Maravaringa Watna Yalta). South Australian site record form, 1981
- 57 Adnyamathanha mythology. Notes and maps
- 58 Adnyamathanha and R. M. Williams. Brief notes relating to his early days in the Gammon Ranges near Nepabunna
- 59 Adnjamathanha. Aerial photographs of Chambers Gorge and Balcanoona Run and miscellaneous map negatives
- 60 Redcliff. Newspaper clippings and notes relating to the proposal for a petrochemical plant at Redcliff
- 61 Adnyamathanha profiles. Notes on various individuals including members of the Coulthard family
- 62 'Aboriginal man in the ranges': seminar paper by R. Ellis, Curator of Relics, South Australian Museum, presented at a Department of Adult Education seminar on 'The future of the Flinders Ranges', 7-8 April, 1972
- 63 Adnyamathanha - tribal boundaries. Notes including some family trees and miscellaneous papers

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- 64 Book launch. Invitation to a book launch of *The Adnyamathanha genealogy*, by Pearl McKenzie and Christine Davis Wilton and *Yura and Udnyu: a history of the Adnyamathanha of the North Flinders Ranges*, by Peggy Brock, September 1985. [Held by the Library at B B864.18/Y1]
- 65 'Comment on the Beverley Uranium Project draft environmental impact statement': submission by the Adnyamathanha tribe
- 66 'Aboriginal culture in South Australia'. Photocopy of an article by R. Ellis from the *S. A. Yearbook*, 1978
- 67 'An intelligent parasite: A. P. Elkin and white perceptions of the history of Aboriginal people in New South Wales'. Paper by Heather Goodall presented at the Conference of the Australian Historical Association, University of New South Wales, October 1982
- 68 Adnyamathanha. Miscellaneous papers
- 69 Ram Paddock Gate. Copy of *Minerawuta: Ram Paddock Gate, an historic Adnyamathanha settlement in the Flinders Ranges, South Australia*, paper prepared by the Heritage Unit of the South Australian Department for the Environment (1981) and a copy of a handbook for Geography III, Aboriginal and ethnic Australia, 'Field Camp, Flinders/Gammon Ranges handbook'
- 70 Adnyamathanha move to Port Augusta. Note
- 71 Adnyamathanha. 'Land use in the Flinders Ranges'. Talk initially to be given by Fay Gale but presented by Jane Jacobs and 'The Adnyamathanha people': a workshop paper presented by Jacobs (1984)
- 72 'A history of the Adnyamathanha of the North Flinders Ranges - methodological considerations'. Paper by Peggy Brock
- 73 Nepabunna. Photocopies of three photographs of Nepabunna from the collection of Mrs Wylie. The photographs have been transferred to the Audiovisual Archive Program
- 74 Pastoral Act - amendments. Photocopy of a letter by Gordon Coulthard, August 1981, on behalf of the Adnyamathanha Land Rights Committee relating to the Pastoral Act Review Committee report, 1980-81
- 75 Adnyamathanha Land Rights Committee. Notes on events May 1978 - February 1982
- 76 Nantawarinna. Notes on acquisition
- 77 Adnyamathanha. Photocopy of a letter by G. S. Coulthard to the South Australian Minister for Mines relating to uranium mining, 1979
- 78 Adnyamathanha land rights meetings. Notes and some minutes from meetings 1979-81
- 79 'Adnyamathanha'. Photocopy of a typescript draft by Donna Maegraith (n.d.)
- 80 Mt Serle. Notes of meetings relating to the management of Mt Serle, 1981

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- 81 Adnjamathanha. Notes on land rights meetings and the role of women
- 82 Adnjamathanha and the Heritage Unit. Notes on relations between the two organisations, 1981
- 83 Leigh Creek. Photocopy of a letter by G. S. Coulthard relating to Leigh Creek coal fields and compensation and royalties for the Adnjamathanha, 1979
- 84 Adnjamathanha Land Rights Committee. Photocopies of correspondence of the Committee, 1975-81
- 85 Flinders Ranges. General notes from published sources, a photocopy of 'Flinders Ranges National Park, draft management plan', 1979 and a copy of a travel pamphlet *Features of the Flinders Ranges* issued by the South Australian Government Publicity and Tourist Bureau
- 86 Adnjamathanha Land Rights Committee. File containing correspondence and minutes of meetings, May 1978-May 1981
- 87 Balcanoona Station. Notes of meetings with National Parks and Wildlife Service relating to Balcanoona Station, 1981
- 88 Balcanoona Station. Notes of meetings of Adnjamathanha Land Rights Group relating to Balcanoona Station, 1981
- 89 Adnjamathanha Land Rights Committee. Notes and papers relating to Balcanoona Station, 1980-81
- 90 Kokatha Peoples Committee. Correspondence with the Kokatha People's Committee relating to Jacobs' research on the Kokatha people and her thesis, 1983-86
- 91 Kokatha. Notes from the *Port Augusta Despatch* and other sources relating to the Aborigines in Port Augusta and the surrounding areas from 1884-1927
- 92 Photocopy of an extract from *The Advertiser* (May 1939?) reporting on a child who was lost in the bush for 36 hours
- 93 Kokatha People's Committee (KPC). Draft of field notes supplied to the Committee
- 94 Kokatha and missions. Notes
- 95 Kokatha. Notes on the east-west line
- 96 Poonindie. Notes on the Poonindie mission and station
- 97 Suzie Reid. Transcripts of interviews with Suzie Reid, 1981
- 98 Kokatha. Notes
- 99 Kokatha identity. Notes, 1981
- 100 Kokatha. Notes from journal articles on the Kokatha
- 101 Kokatha. Notes on tribal boundaries

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- 102 Kokatha. Notes on Carawilloo
- 103 Kokatha. Notes on language/ethnography
- 104 Kokatha. Notes on the initiation of Willie Kite in 1921
- 105 Kokatha and Adnjamathanha. Notes on relations between the two groups
- 106 Kokatha. Notes on Kokatha identity and territory. Contains some name lists
- 107 Kokatha profiles. Contains various family lists
- 108 Kokatha genealogy. File containing family tree charts
- 109 Maru Consultants. Leaflet explaining the services of Maru Consultants and notes on the Kokatha Peoples Committee
- 110 Kokatha People's Committee. Notes on the Committee from its files and notes and lists of members
- 111 Kokatha People's Committee. Event schedule compiled from Committee files, November 1979-March 1982
- 112 Kokatha People's Committee and the Heritage Unit. Notes on relations between the two organisations
- 113 Kokatha People's Committee. Notes on funding from Committee files
- 114 Kokatha People's Committee. Notes of various meetings and lists of those in attendance, November 1979-November 1981
- 115 Koonibba project. Correspondence 1981-83 relating to Koonibba and a photocopy of the *Koonibba jubilee booklet, 1901-1926*
- 116 Yalata community and Maralinga. Notes and newspaper clippings, 1980-82
- 117 Land rights policy. Photocopies of two speeches given at the Australian Mining and Petroleum Law Association Conference on Aboriginal land rights, February 1981
- 118 Nepabunna. Notes and reports
- 119 Port Augusta. Notes on Aboriginal organisations and groups in the Port Augusta area
- 120 Port Augusta. Photocopy of published directory (no title page) on Aboriginal organisations in the Port Augusta area
- 121 'Port Augusta Social Club: the background and the work being done by the Port Augusta Aboriginal Social Club', paper by Rosemary E. Smith, Torrens College of Advanced Education, 1974
- 122 Oodnadatta. Two booklets: *Oodnadatta heritage survey*, by Jen Gibson and Bruce Shaw (1986) and *Wangkanyi: Aboriginal recollections of Oodnadatta*, by the Aboriginal Heritage Branch of the Department of Environment and Planning (n.d.); pamphlet entitled *Oodnadatta: blossom of the mulga*; and two newspaper clippings

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- 123 Photocopy of *The Flinders ranges cultural heritage project: an outline of proposals to provide Aboriginal community involvement in relevant education and cultural heritage programmes*, by Craig Hoskyns and Bob Ellis (1977) and notes on the report
- 124 Port Augusta - Department of Community Welfare. Various papers on Aboriginal child care and a report of the South Australian Community Welfare Advisory Committee entitled 'Enquiring into residential child care in South Australia', 1973
- 125 Aboriginal Development Commission. Brief note taken from the Department of Aboriginal Affairs, *Annual Report*, 1979-80
- 126 Aboriginal Evangelical Fellowship. Notes
- 127 Northern Region Aboriginal Employment and Adult Education Committee. Brief notes
- 128 Port Augusta - education. Includes reports on education training programmes at Davenport Reserve and an issue of *Yura Wangkanyi* (1981)
- 129-30 Southern Land Council. Notes and minutes of meetings, 1981-82
- 131 Southern Land Council. Draft of a paper on the Council (n.d.)
- 132 Southern Land Council and women. Notes
- 133 Ration depots. Notes
- 134 Woomera. Draft chapters of a book on Woomera relating to Aboriginal matters being written by Peter Morton, 1986

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**Series 4 Colebrook Home, 1934-87**

Jacobs' research into Colebrook Home for Aboriginal Children came about while working in the Flinders Ranges in the early 1980s. Here she met Faith Thomas (nee Coulthard), who had been raised in Colebrook Home during the time it was located in Quorn, South Australia.

One day, during their many talks, Faith Thomas showed Jacobs a set of lantern slides of Colebrook Home which had been left to her by Sisters Ruby Hyde and Delia Rutter who had been missionaries at the home. The slides had been used by the United Aborigines Mission (UAM) to publicise their mission efforts and to raise money.

In 1984 Jacobs received a grant from the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies to reproduce the lantern slides, to research and identify the photographs and to document the history of Colebrook Home. She was assisted in the project by Caroline Laurence who later wrote her thesis on Colebrook Home.

On the completion of the project the original lantern slides were deposited in the Mortlock Library in Adelaide (PRG 769) so they could be easily accessed by ex-Colebrook residents. A set of 83 copy negatives was deposited with AIATSIS in 1988 (UAM.1.BW).

Photographs of Colebrook Home which were deposited by Jacobs with this collection have been transferred to the Audiovisual Archives Program. They consist mainly of copies of the original

Colebrook photographs (lantern slides) and photographs taken at a 60th anniversary reunion held at Quorn in 1987. A tape of an interview with Ruth McKenzie in November 1986 has also been forwarded to the Audiovisual Archives Program.

This series consists of research material gathered by Jacobs and Laurence while researching Colebrook Home. It includes correspondence relating to the project, a chronology of the home, a list of names of children who lived at Colebrook, worksheets and notes used during the project in trying to identify all of the photographs and notes and other material produced for the 60th anniversary celebrations held at Colebrook Home in 1987. Also included is a copy of Laurence's thesis on Colebrook Home and a copy of a conference paper about the research project by Jacobs and Laurence.

Interviews with ex-residents of Colebrook Home can be found in Jacobs' notebooks in Series 2.

#### Item

- 1 Correspondence with the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies (AIAS), 1984-87. The file contains general correspondence relating to a research grant awarded to Jacobs in 1984 and also includes draft copies of a research report to the AIAS (n.d.)  
Correspondence, 1985-87, relating to Colebrook Home. Correspondents include Faith Thomas and R. M. Williams
- 3 Chronology of Colebrook Home (1800-1982)
- 4 List of names of children who lived at Colebrook, including details of where they came from, compiled by Caroline Laurence
- 5 Photographic worksheets and a list of the Colebrook Home slides with caption information that was written on the original glass plates
- 6 Photocopy of a chapter entitled 'Ernabella story', by Muriel Olssen in Australian short stories, (n.d.). Olssen was raised in Colebrook Home from the age of five
- 7 Photocopied extract from *History of the UAM*, by A. E. Gerard, [194-] and a copy of *United Aborigines Messenger*, Vol 4, No 16, 1934
- 8 Protector of Aborigines, correspondence, GRG 52/1, Public Records Office, South Australia. Research notes relating to homes for Aboriginal children
- 9 Protector of Aborigines, correspondence, GRG52/1, Public Records Office, South Australia. Photocopies
- 10 Advisory Council of Aborigines, correspondence and minutes, GRG 52/10-12, Public Records Office, South Australia: research notes relating to homes for Aboriginal children
- 11 'Aboriginal identity: the contribution of a mission home'. Draft typescript thesis with amendments by Caroline Olivia Mary Laurence (n.d.)
- 12 'Aboriginal identity: the contribution of a mission home'. Typescript thesis by Caroline Olivia Mary Laurence submitted for the degree of Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Geography, University of Adelaide, 1984. [Also held by Library at MFE 145]
- 13 Invoices, receipts and travel claims relating to Jacob's research on the Colebrook homes, 1984-87
- 14 Draft of a submission to the South Australian Lands Trust in 1985 for the purchase of land at Eden Hills which was the site of the Colebrook Home
- 15 'Recollections, representations and records: an analysis of a photographic record of Colebrook home for Aboriginal Children'. Draft copy of a paper presented by Jacobs and Laurence at the Australian History Association Conference, 1986



## Item

- 16 Colebrook Home 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations, 18-19 April, 1987. Typescript notes prepared for a souvenir booklet and five copies of the booklet. Two of them have been signed by ex-residents of Colebrook. There is also a program of a thanksgiving service which was held at Quorn Uniting Church on 19 April, 1987
- 17 'Have we got it right'. Forms which were part of a photographic display at the Colebrook Home anniversary celebrations, 1997. Visitors and ex-residents were asked to correct any incorrect caption information on these forms

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## Series 5 Women's business, Port Augusta and surrounds, 1947-85

*Closed access. Apply to appropriate female Aboriginal elders for access. Open access – communities (female elders). Held in Women's Cupboard.*

This series consists of correspondence, journal articles, notebooks, notes and reports relating to research and consultancy projects undertaken by Jacobs in the Port Augusta area during the 1980s.

Jacobs carried out a number of surveys in the Stony Point area as part of a consultancy for Kinhill on the Stony Point gas pipeline and terminal. In 1984 she was contracted to undertake a pilot study for the South Australian Aboriginal Heritage Unit for a project to record women's culture in western South Australia. The pilot study was designed to identify women in the Port Augusta area who had knowledge of women's traditional culture including ceremonies, songs, mythology, genealogy and the location of sites and to identify areas suitable for field investigation as part of a major survey. A copy of Jacob's report is also in this series at Item 11.

## Item

- 1 Correspondence, 1981-85, with Santos, Social and Ecological Assessment Pty Ltd and others relating to surveys in the Stony Point area
- 3 Various reports on Stony Point including
- 'Progress report, anthropological survey, Stony Point', by Jane Jacobs and Lesley Potter, April 1981
  - 'Cooper Basin Producers liquids development scheme (Stony Point Port and terminal facilities): anthropological assessment', by Jane Jacobs and Leslie Potter, 1981 (incomplete photocopy)
  - 'Report on visit to Stony Point to check on Aboriginal sites', by Jane Jacobs, 1982
  - 'Report to Pangkala people on field trip to Stony Point, 3/12/84' (n.d.) and 'Report to Santos and Heritage Unit on field trip to Stony Point, 3/12//84', by Jane Jacobs (n.d.)
- 4 Photocopies of three South Australian Aboriginal Site Cards prepared by Jacobs which record sites in the Stony Point area on land owned by Santos, 1981. Two of the sites relate to women's ceremonies
- 5 'Language groups and Aboriginal ownership': paper by Peter Sutton intended for the AIAS Biennial Conference on Land Rights, May 1980 and unidentified pages by Sutton on the Kokatha

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- 6 Notes on the Kokatha and women and the 'Whyalla mob' including notes from the Kokatha People's Committee and Southern Land Council meetings, 1981-82
- 7 Notes by Jacobs on testing at Woomera and the effects on Aboriginal inhabitants in the area from documents held in the South Australian Archives and other sources. There is also a copy of an address given at the Melbourne Town Hall by Charles Duguid on 31 March, 1947 entitled 'The rocket range, Aborigines and war'
- 8 Photocopies of correspondence of Antakirinja Incorporated including a submission for funding, 1985 and a letter relating to the boundary between the Adjakuyani and Kokatha peoples, 1985
- 9 Miscellaneous material relating to Aboriginal women including correspondence, journal articles and notes, 1981-85
- 10 'Aboriginal women's cultural project, Port Augusta: pilot study brief', a copy of the contract for the project and a report recommending Jacobs for the project, 1984
- 11 'Women talking up big: report on Aboriginal women's cultural project, Port Augusta: pilot study', 1985 (Confidential report - Women only)
- 12 Newspaper clippings relating to the first Aboriginal Women's Arts Festival, 11-16 February, 1985 including a program of events which appeared in *The Advertiser*, 19 January, 1985

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## Series 6 Other papers, 1984-87

This series consists of papers relating to other projects undertaken by Jacobs. Included are submissions and reports to the Australian Heritage Commission for work undertaken with Professor Fay Gale on the protection of Aboriginal art sites. Jacobs was also active in the area of Aboriginal family history and has conducted numerous workshops for the Aboriginal Research Centre at the University of Adelaide.

## Item

- 1 Notes from a seminar entitled 'Aboriginal art: the politics of consumption and display' presented on 15 March during the Adelaide Festival of Arts - Artists' Week, 1984. The file also contains a poster from an exhibition 'Art and land: Aboriginal sculptures of the Lake Eyre Region', held at the South Australian Museum, 1986
- 2 'Impact of tourists on Aboriginal art sites at Uluru (Ayers Rock)': first report to the Australian Heritage Commission, 1984
- 3 Various submissions to the Australian Heritage Commission, 1984-85, by Jacobs and Fay Gale for consultancy projects and funding
- 4 'Study of the impact of tourists upon Aboriginal art sites at Uluru (Ayers Rock), N. T.': first progress report to the Australian Heritage Commission, 1984
- 5 Contract for a consultancy by Jacobs and Fay Gale to prepare a handbook on cultural site protection techniques at tourist destinations, 1985
- 6 Application for a research grant from the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies by Fay Gale and assisted by Jacobs for a project entitled 'Tourist impact on Aboriginal rock art in Australia', 1986

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- 7 'Identifying high-risk visitors at Aboriginal art sites in Australia', by Fay Gale and Jane Jacobs, *Rock Art Research*, Vol 3, No 3, 1986, first draft and final copy. There is also a review of the article by Josephine Flood and a response by the authors
- 8 Copy of *Resources for Aboriginal family history* edited by Rodney Lucas, Canberra, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, 1986. [Also held by Library at REF 92.0/LUC]
- 9 Aboriginal family history workshop, Aboriginal Research Centre, University of Adelaide, 7/7/87-10/7/87. File containing a workshop program, notes, a notebook and miscellaneous material relating to the workshop which was conducted by Jane Jacobs and Doreen Kartinyeri. There is also correspondence relating to this workshop and others conducted by Jacobs
- 10 Aboriginal family history workshop. Notes and overheads for a one day family history workshop held at Murraylands TAFE, 3 June 1987 and a notebook containing notes for this workshop and another held at Port Augusta, 14-15 February 1987
- 11 Aboriginal family history workshop. Draft and final copies of 'Aboriginal family history workshop and genealogy handbook' by Jacobs [1987], miscellaneous papers relating to workshops, 1987, and a copy of *Link-up*, Canberra [1985]
- 12 'Aboriginal site visitor survey, 17/1/87-26/1/87': survey manual compiled by the New South Wales National Parks and Wildlife Service to assess visitor pressure at some of the many art sites located in the Sydney-Hawkesbury region of New South Wales

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