

Develop your research skills using Trove (online workshop)

Trove is an online Australian database that enables you to access material from libraries, museums, archives and other research organisations, all from home! It provides a wealth of opportunities, and there are many skills you can develop to help make the most of Trove and find material relevant to your own interests. This workshop will help you to develop those skills and discover resources you didn't know existed!

Are you interested in researching Australian or local history, the history of a business or of a particular person?

Have you ever used Trove to read old newspaper articles, and wondered what other records are available?

Would you like to improve and refine your searching capabilities?

Are you about to embark on an oral history project and want to do some background research?

If you answered yes to any of these, this workshop is for you.

This hands-on workshop will:

- introduce you to the diverse range of materials that you can search and access online through Trove, from old photographs and art works through to music, objects and archives
- teach you how to refine your searches
- recommend approaches to enliven your research
- provide an opportunity to do some detective work during the workshop with some interesting challenges!
- show you how to cite the materials found, and to check their copyright status

Date: Friday 29 May 2020

Time: 10:30am – 1:30pm (Eastern states of Australia)

10am – 1:00pm (SA and NT)

8:30am - 11:30am (WA)

Venue: online. Instructions for installing and using the software will be provided upon registration.

Cost: \$60 per person, \$45 for concession card holder/student

This workshop is suitable for:

- Members of community groups and history groups
- Local and community historians
- Students, teachers and researchers
- Anyone planning to undertake historical research

Workshop presenter:

Your presenter is Dr Sally Stephenson (<u>listeningtothepast.com.au</u>), a highly experienced oral historian, researcher and workshop presenter. Sally has presented introductory and advanced workshops (in person and online) on a range of topics for Oral History Australia SA/NT, and regularly receives excellent reviews.

Booking and payment details:

Bookings are essential. Please book and pay online using the link on this page: <u>listeningtothepast.com.au/online-workshops</u>.

What you need to participate in the workshop:

You will need a computer/tablet with internet connection to participate in the online workshop. It is preferable to have a headset (headphones with microphone), but the speakers and microphone on your device are also sufficient.