Revealing and linking our collections with Omeka S

catching the wave, riding the risk and avoiding the backwash

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http://www.utas.edu.au/library/find/exhibit

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2018 – Seeking advocates and piloting possibilities

Library Special & Rare Collections

Research Office – Athena SWANN

Research – ARC grants & ERA

Teaching & Learning - Digital Literacy

University Cultural Collections – Linking our Collections

Future directions

Link collections across the Tasmanian GLAM sector
2019 – future looks bright!

Structural changes

- University Librarian now custodian for all University Collections
- New Associate Director, Collections

Library interoperable archival & discovery platforms in place

- Archivematica – preservation
- Access to Memory – descriptions
- Omeka S – discovery

Cemented partnership with eResearch, ITS & Marketing

- Test and add new Omeka S modules
- Create more UTAS website themes & develop platform landing page

Continue rollout of Exhibit plan and communication

- Develop Library & Collections staff Omeka S training
- Communication & training workshops (f2f & online) and a subject guide for researchers