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The Royal Australian Historical Society in conjunction with Coffs Harbour District Family History Society Inc.

COFFS HARBOUR DISTRICT REGIONAL SEMINAR



Procession at the corner of Grafton Street and High Street, Coffs Harbour c.1925
[Coffs Harbour Collection, courtesy of Coffs Harbour Regional Museum]

Saturday 29th October 2016 – 9.30am to 3.30pm

at

Cavanbah Centre, 191 Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour

Land title workshops, researching and recording German migration to New South Wales, researching homes and possessions (full program overleaf)

Cost - \$20 (includes morning tea and lunch)

Call History House: (02) 9247 8001 or email: history@rahs.org.au

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Program - Saturday 29th October 2016

Time	Speaker	Topic
9.30am	Registration	
10.00am	Welcome	
10.15am	Associate Professor Carol Liston	<p>Accessing Land titles records: How to access them from home and understand what they mean</p> <p>Associate Professor Carol Liston will provide advice and guidance to assist researchers in accessing and using the historically significant records that Land and Property Information is making available through its SIX Portal – the official source of NSW geospatial information, which also provides access to authoritative land and property information. A two-hour session with a morning tea break.</p>
11.15am	Morning Tea	
11.45am	Associate Professor Carol Liston	Land titles records (continued)
12.45pm	Lunch	
1.30pm	Dr Kathrine Reynolds	<p>Researching and recording German Migration History to Australia</p> <p>One of the challenges of researching and writing history is to keep track of all the sources that support your findings and arguments. Managing notes and references ensures that you correctly acknowledge these sources, and enables your readers to follow the evidence. Join Dr Kathrine Reynolds as she discusses her research on German Migration history and learn skills that you can implement to keep track of your history research.</p>
2.30pm	Ms Christine Yeats	<p>Furnishing your ancestors house</p> <p>Biographical and family history is much more than lists of names and genealogical charts. It is about getting to know the person by exploring their lives and considering when, where and how they lived. One of the ways you can do this is through research into their homes and possessions. Join Christine Yeats as she discusses the range of printed and archival resources available to researchers to help discover how your ancestors may have furnished their houses.</p>
3.30pm	Seminar Close	

About the RAHS Regional Seminar Program and Grants Program

The RAHS 2016-2018 regional seminar program is supported by grant funding from Arts NSW. The goal of the program is to develop historical expertise in the community that will help support history and heritage projects. The RAHS also administers the Cultural Grants Program, an Arts NSW devolved funding program that assists historical research and publication of local, community and regional history projects. To learn more about regional seminars, grants, RAHS membership and how we can support your history projects, see our website www.rahs.org.au or contact us on (02) 9247 8001.