

## CONFERENCE THEME

Remembering, Recording and Reclaiming  
Pacific Knowledge

## CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

PARBICA has held nine successful regional conferences since its foundation in 1981. Knowledge gained at the conferences is taken back to the islands of the region by participating archivists to inform their work and to provide in-country training for other archives and records staff. PARBICA 10 is an opportunity for:

- ✿ *Training and professional development in areas identified as most necessary by PARBICA's members*
- ✿ *Strategic planning for the next two years of PARBICA's work to improve the conditions of archives in the Pacific*
- ✿ *Presentation of results and discussion of next stages for PARBICA's current projects*
- ✿ *Collation and presentation of institutional and country reports 2001 – 2003*
- ✿ *Collection and publication of Pacific Archival Statistics 2001-2003*

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### PARBICA IS.....

...the Pacific Regional Branch of the International Council on Archives, formed in 1981, which carries out the aims of the International Council on Archives (ICA) in the Pacific Region. It represents government agencies, non-government organizations, and individuals working in the field of archives or records management in twenty-five nations, states and territories in the Pacific



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[http://www.archivenet.gov.au/archives/parbica/parbica\\_main.htm](http://www.archivenet.gov.au/archives/parbica/parbica_main.htm)

# PARBICA 10

# REMEMBERING, RECORDING AND RECLAIMING

Tenth Biennial Conference of the  
Pacific Regional Branch  
of the International  
Council on Archives



21 – 26 July 2003  
Wellington, New Zealand

Draft Programme Brochure



# INVITATION

On behalf of the PARBICA Bureau and New Zealand, we extend a warm invitation to participate in PARBICA's Tenth Biennial Conference in July 2003 in Wellington.

PARBICA 10 provides an opportunity for the archivists and records managers of the Pacific Islands region to renew professional contacts and share experiences with others who normally work in isolation. In a range of workshops and plenary sessions, we will explore common problems and put forward potential solutions.

*Michael Hoyle*  
Secretary General, PARBICA

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President, PARBICA

## PROGRAMME OUTLINE

### MONDAY 21 JULY

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Opening Ceremonies

Conference opened by Governor General, Prime Minister or Minister responsible for Archives New Zealand.

Latest Developments & Current Issues

Panel discussion by country representatives of issues raised in institutional and country reports on Pacific archives.

Summary of results of Pacific Archival Statistical Survey 2001-2003

Panel discussion on good governance and records and archives.

Institutional Visit

Tour of Archives New Zealand and group discussions issues of interest.

Evening function to meet and mingle with the local recordkeeping community.

### TUESDAY 22 JULY

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Computerisation Workshop

Presented by representatives of the E-government Unit.

Presentation by Wellington City Council Public Library on its Samoan OPAC.

Presentation by Archives New Zealand on its GLADIS project.

Institutional Visit

A visit to see the Alexander Turnbull Library, its Tapuhi finding aid and its Pacific archival holdings.

Project management Workshop

Talks on project management.

Pacific Pathways, UNESCO

Representatives of the national Library discuss UNESCO's Pacific pathways project

### WEDNESDAY 23 JULY

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Education and Training Workshop

Representatives of Victoria University, the Open Polytechnic, USP and PARBICA

Reclaiming: the Western Pacific High Commission Archives

Representative of the University of Auckland discusses the acquisition of the Western Pacific High Commission archives.

Accountability: the New Zealand Government apology to Samoa

The Dept. of Pacific Island Affairs discusses the New Zealand apology to Samoa.

Marae visit

Visit to a local marae.

### THURSDAY 24 JULY

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Conservation Workshop

A panel discussion and workshop on conservation issues such as buildings and storage media.

A PARBICA representative talks about the storage project undertaken in Darwin.

A workshop on preventative conservation presented by the National Preservation Office or Archives New Zealand.

Oral history archives

Presentation on oral history archives. Audio Visual Materials

Presentation and discussion on audio/visual conservation by specialist conservator .

### FRIDAY 25 JULY

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Government Recordkeeping Workshop

Presentation by State Records of NSW, Archives NZ and the Victoria PRO on government recordkeeping programmes.

Institutional Visit

Visit to a relevant government department. PAMBU Meeting/Conference Dinner

### SATURDAY 26 JULY

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PARBICA Biennial General Meeting

