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Roger D Scott Collection

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Contents Papers relating to management education and higher education policy in Australia. This collection includes information on the Ralph Inquiry into Management Education, which published its results in 1982. It also includes papers relating to the merger talks between Canberra CAE and the ANU, and the formation of the University of Canberra as well as to education in Queensland. These papers have been collated by Emeritus Professor Roger D Scott of the School of Political Science and International Studies, University of Queensland.

Biography Professor Roger D Scott (1939– ) was a Rhodes Scholar from 1962 to 1965 who began his distinguished career in 1965 lecturing at the University of Sydney. He later lectured at Queen's University of Belfast, and the Canberra CAE (Principal Lecturer in Politics in the School of Administrative Studies). From 1977 to 1987 he was the J D Story Professor of Public Administration, at the University of Queensland and President of the University’s Academic Board, 1986 to 1987. From 1987 until 1990 he was the Principal of the Canberra CAE, and Foundation Vice-Chancellor of the University of Canberra. From 1990 to 1994 he was the Director-General of Education, State Government of Queensland, the first to be appointed outside of the department. In 1994 he was a Visiting Professor in the Graduate School of Management at Griffith University. That same year until 2000 he was Dean of Arts, at the Queensland University of Technology and then Professor of Public Management, Faculty of Business, at QUT from 2000 to 2002. He is currently an Emeritus Professor in the School of Political Science and International Studies, University of Queensland.

Notes Open access
All original documents on thermal paper and overhead projection sheets have been copied for preservation purposes.

Box 1
Folder 1
‘How management education fits into the context of educational reorganization’ [1975-1982]

Folder 2
‘Interviews with Ralph Committee members and others after the event’ [1982]
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Folder 4
‘Inquiry into Management Education—Manuscript’ [plan for a book on the Ralph Inquiry and the implementation of its recommendations, 1982-1985]

Folder 5
‘Conclusions and Analysis’ [book outline and material for final conclusions, 1980-1982]

Folder 6
‘Townsville’ [papers relating to the amalgamation of the Townsville College of Advanced Education with James Cook University, 1982]

Folder 7
‘JCU Latest Version and Supplementary Data’ [includes a case study of the amalgamation of James Cook University with the Townsville College of Advanced Education by Prof. Scott, 1982-1983]

Folder 8
‘Useful Ralph Committee Stuff’ [1980-1983]

Folder 9
‘JCU/TCAE original documentation, correspondence on drafts’ [1982-1984]

Folder 10
‘JCU Manuscript, 5/8/83 version’

Box 2
Folder 1
‘II. Getting down to work: August-Dec. 1980: organising the surveys—Factory Visits—AAMO/ME conferences—Small Business’

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‘V. Pleasing Nobody: Ralph Reactions File’ [1982]

Folder 6
‘DDIAE paper and OHPS’ [papers from a conference on ‘The Reorganisation of Tertiary Education in Australia’ held at the Darling Downs Institute of Advanced Education, Toowoomba, 8-11 Jul 1982]

Folder 7
[Documents discussing the origins of the Ralph Inquiry, early 1980s]

Box 3
Folder 1
‘I. Starting Up: 1980—a narrative, covering setting up and three meetings (ie April-June 1980)’

Folder 2
Book outline, draft of ‘IME Executive Summary’, and ‘Order of Chapters: 1st draft’ [early 1980s]

Folder 3
‘Correspondence re Defamation Action: final version IME’

Folder 4
‘An overview—the problems of studying the IME: RAIPA symposium: Ralph correspondence (confidential)’ [1982-1984]

Folder 5
‘Negotiations: minority report: Feb.-April 1982: recent telexes to/from IME: confidential’
Folder 6
Correspondence during time as Principal of Canberra College of Advanced Education [1987-1989]

Folder 7
Correspondence during time as Vice-Chancellor of the University of Canberra [1989-1990]

Folder 8 [Part 1]
Papers relating to the proposed amalgamation of ANU, CCAE, and CITA [1987-1988]

Folder 8 [Part 2]
Papers relating to the proposed amalgamation of ANU, CCAE, and CITA [1989]

Box 4

Folder 1
Faiz [Author?], [n.d.]. PhD - ‘Chapter 5: Result chapter of the CCAE Transition into University of Canberra’

DVD contained in envelope addressed to Professor Roger Scott from the University of Canberra Alumni containing the 40th anniversary celebration of the University of Canberra [1968-2008]


Folder 2
Newspaper cuttings [1977-1988]

Folder 3
Newspaper cuttings [1989]

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Newspaper cuttings [1990-1991]
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Folder 1
Newspaper cuttings [1992-1994]

Folder 2
Correspondence during time as Director-General of Education, Queensland [1990-1994]

Folder 3
Precis of reading for Director General Interview [23 May 1989]

Folder 4
Papers relating to political correctness in Queensland School Curriculum [1994-]

Folder 5
Included with book is copy of a newspaper article by Colin Lamont as well as a response by author and a response by columnist.

Folder 6
Miscellaneous papers relating to Queensland Education [1989-1994]

Folder 7
Two copies of Professor Scott’s curriculum vitae as well as papers relating to selecting as principal of the Canberra College of Advanced Education and Director General of Education Queensland [1987-1992]

O’Donnell, Dan, [n.d.], [Title Unknown – know cover page], privately published.

Year 5 Social Studies Draft Replacement Unit 1 & Draft resource list: Year 5 Draft replacement units, primary social studies. Brisbane: Studies Directorate, Department of Education.

Folder 8
Book reviews written by Professor Scott relating to topics such as public administration, political science in Australia and higher education in Australia [1970-1986]
Folder 9
Papers relating to higher education in Australia written by Professor Scott and various other authors [1988-2006]

Box 6
Folder 1


Folder 2
Articles relating to public sector management in Australia written by Professor Scott and various other authors [1987-2000]

Folder 3
Certificate in recognition of Professor Roger Scott’s contribution to the Institute of Public Administration and his appointment as a fellow of the Institute. Includes presentation running sheet [8 February 2000]

Box 7
Folder 1
Papers relating to the Ralph Report [1982-1983]

Folder 2
Speeches and lectures given by Professor Scott relating to education, public administration, and politics in Australia [1977-c1996]
Folder 3
Correspondence during time as Professor of Public Administration and President of the Academic Board University of Queensland [1977-1987]

Folder 4
Draft copy of book ‘Resisting Amalgamation from a position of Weakness’ [12 September 2003]

Folder 5
Draft copy of book chapters 4 and 5 from an unknown book. [n.d.]

Folder 6
Collection of miscellaneous notes. Various paper sizes.


OHP Box Containing authors comments on papers 25 years on from the original conference.

Box 8
Folder 1
Journal articles relating to higher education, politics and public administration in Australia written by Professor Scott and various other authors [1972-2004]

Folder 2
Correspondence during time as a visiting Professor at Griffith University [1994]

Folder 3
Correspondence [2002 –2003]

Folder 4
Newspaper cuttings [1995-2007]
Folder 5
Transcripts of interviews with Roger Scott [1995, 2000]

Folder 6
Papers relating to Queensland Politics [1986-1991]

Folder 7
Papers relating to the Queensland Government Chief Executive Officer’s performance agreement [1991-1994]

Folder 8
Papers relating to the Management of Regional Education Queensland [1993]


