

Hopes and Fears: Australian Migration Stories

National Library of Australia

26 July 2024 – 2 February 2025

Exhibition Checklist

Michael Cook (b.1968)

Bidjara

Undiscovered #4 2010

National Library of Australia nla.obj-708299938

Lannon Harley

Two women celebrating Boishakhi Mela, (Bengali New Year), organized by Bangabandhu Council Australia and held at Sydney Olympic Park, Sydney 20 April 2013

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-132310634

Conor Ashleigh

Bridal couple Achol and Marial, who belong to the Dinka Yirol community in Western Sydney, with their bridal party, Sydney December, 2013

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-506867692

Craig Mackenzie

Sioana Faupula was born in Kolomotu'a, Tonga, and migrated to Australia in 1972 with her husband and children, 2 November 2012

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-506867692

Robin Smith (1927-2022)

Saidah Saidel, born in the Balochistan region of south-west Asia, who migrated to Australia and became a cameleer c.1896-1901 1966

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-146607205](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-146607205)

Adolarious Humphrey Boyd (1829-1891)

Dennis Dogherty, per Aurora, taken at Port Arthur, 1874

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-142914810](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-142914810)

Anna Zhu

Aliza Chin, whose parents migrated from Hong Kong to Australia in the 1990s, was born and raised in Sydney 2022

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3064087654](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3064087654)

Theodor Engel

Rainer Radok, a 'Dunera' boy at the Tatura internment camp, Victoria, 1943

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-153000650](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-153000650)

Unknown photographer

Agnes Biddle (née Caunter), born in Ashburton, Devon, convicted for arson and transported to Australia at age 15 in 1836, with her son William Biddle c.1880

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-137178734](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-137178734)

Barry York (1951-)

Michael Meilak migrated from Malta to Australia in 1952. He served as a sailor in the British Royal Navy during World War II 1943

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-144405563

Photographer unknown

Anthony (Lebanese migrant) and Faredah Wehby (née Melick) (daughter of a Lebanese migrant).
c.1910

reproduction

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890-2015

National Library of Australia

Dave Tacon

Suyungul Chanisheff in Adelaide (migrant from Ürümqi, Xinjiang, China, 1981) 2022

reproduction

East Turkistan Australia Association's 30th anniversary celebration of the Uyghur community, Adelaide, South Australia, 8 October 2022

National Library of Australia nla.obj-3133467149

Photographer unknown

Filipino-American Sergeant Lorenzo Gamboa and Joyce Cain on their wedding day 1943

reproduction

Papers of the Gamboa family 1949-1999

National Library of Australia

Photographer unknown

Chee Dock (migrant from Canton via California, 1870s) and his wife Mary Nomchong (from Canton 1887) c.1940-41

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-136763383

Photographer unknown

Ellen 'Nell', daughter of Chee Dock and Mary Nomchong (née Boo Jung Gew) wearing her mother's wedding dress from 1887 c.1910

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-136763054

Photographer unknown

William James Nomchong in Sydney (son of Sheong Foon Nomchong who migrated from Canton to Braidwood, 1860s), c.1917

reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-147022030

Ambroise-Louis Garneray (1783–1857)

Portsmouth Harbour with prison hulks 1814

oil on canvas

Rex Nan Kivell Collection

National Library of Australia and National Gallery of Australia nla.obj-134295027

Francis Fowkes (active 1788–1800)

Sydney Cove, Port Jackson, in the County of Cumberland

London: R. Cribb, 1789

National Library of Australia nla.obj-230578175

Joshua Archer (active 1833–66)

The Emigrant's Map of the World

London: H.G. Collins, c. 1851

National Library of Australia nla.obj-231162618

John Gellatly (1803–1856)

Map of Australia, with inset maps of the British settlements of New South Wales, Van Diemen's Land, and Swan River

London: Henry Washburn, 1843

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3028382243](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3028382243)

Charles Rodius (1802–1860)

Billy Blue, the Old Commodore

Sydney: J.G. Astin, 1834

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-135297910](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-135297910)

Artist unknown

Battle of Vinegar Hill 1804

watercolour on paper

Rex Nan Kivell Collection

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-135226428](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-135226428)

Thomas Whitcombe (1763–1824)

Departure of the whaler Britannia from Sydney Cove 1798

oil on canvas

Rex Nan Kivell Collection

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-134108884](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-134108884)

Australian Agricultural Company (issuer)

Australian Agricultural Company share certificate 1825

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1132461>

William Light (1786–1839)

Plan of the city of Adelaide

London: Smith & Elder, c. 1839

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-231421832](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-231421832)

George French Angas (artist, 1822–1886); **James W. Giles** (lithographer, 1801–1870)

Klemsic [Klemzig], a village of German settlers near Adelaide

from *South Australia Illustrated*

London: Thomas McLean, 1847

hand-coloured lithograph

National Library of Australia nla.obj-135640821

Samuel Thomas Gill (1818–1880)

Pennys Stopes, B.B. [Burra Burra] Mine, 12 April 1847 1847

watercolour

National Library of Australia nla.obj-134373714

Alfred Ducôte (active 1832–1843)

E-migration, or A Flight of Fair Game

London: Thomas McLean, 1832

hand-coloured lithograph

Rex Nan Kivell Collection

National Library of Australia nla.obj-135585009

George Philip (1800–1882)

Philip's New Map of the Gold Fields of Australia, Comprising All the Recent Discoveries of Revd W.B. Clarke, Mr Hargraves, Mr Hunter & Others in the Auriferous Districts

Liverpool: George Philip & Son, 1853

hand-coloured relief print, dissected and mounted on linen

National Library of Australia nla.obj-231340323

Nicholas Chevalier (artist, 1828–1902); **Frederick Grosse** (engraver, 1828–1894)

Chinese people ground-slucing, near Beechworth, Victoria 1867

wood engraving print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-135653408](#)

Yackaduna (aka Tommy McRae) (c. 1835–1901)

Aboriginal man and Chinese man, and Aboriginal men fighting 1881

from *Sketchbook of Aboriginal Daily Life Scenes, Wahgunyah Region, Victoria*
reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-153002898](#)

Edwin Stocqueler (1829–1895)

Australian gold diggings c. 1855

oil on canvas

Rex Nan Kivell Collection

National Library of Australia and National Gallery of Australia [nla.obj-134299327](#)

Liverpool & Australian Navigation Company

Steam from Liverpool to Australia under 60 days 1856

Papers of Samuel Valentine, 1856–1930

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/125634>

Samuel Valentine (1832–1904)

Letter from Samuel Valentine to his brother 15 January 1860

ink on paper

Papers of Samuel Valentine, 1856–1930

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/125634>

George A. Willetts (1841–1909)

Samuel Valentine date unknown

on Wadawurrung and Dja Dja Wurrung Country

Papers of Samuel Valentine, 1856–1930

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/125634>

Photographer unknown

'Our cottage Weston Dawson Street Ballarat' date unknown

on Wadawurrung and Dja Dja Wurrung Country

Papers of Samuel Valentine, 1856–1930

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/125634>

John Flynn (1880–1951)

An 'Afghan' camel driver with two unknown men, standing next to a camel train c. 1912–30

reproduction

Australian Inland Mission Collection

National Library of Australia nla.obj-142345446

Secondary punishment uniform, from Van Diemen's Land 1830s

hand-stitched wool

National Library of Australia nla.obj-139411772

Sir William Thomas Denison (1804–1871)

Convict pardon for John Norcup 1849

Convict Documents 1821–72

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2759789>

Eneas Mackenzie (active 1852–53)

The Emigrant's Guide to Australia, with a Memoir of Mrs Chisholm

London: Clarke, Beeton and Co., 1853

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1415442>

W. J. Douglas (active 1891–1894)

Diary 1892

Diary and letters of W.J. Douglas, 1891–94

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2776249>

Alfred Caswall (editor, 1811–1855)

Hints from the journal of an Australian squatter

London: Smith, Elder & Co., 1843

John Alexander Ferguson Collection

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1193987>

Galtjintana-Pepa: Kristianirberaka Mbontala

Hermannsburg in Hannover: Missionshandlung, 1891

National Library of Australia nla.obj-2013017144

Thomas Griffith Taylor (1880–1963)

The New Oxford Wall Maps of Australia

London: Oxford University Press by George Philip & Son, c. 1920

National Library of Australia nla.obj-234325111

John George Bartholomew (1860–1920)

British Imperial Federation Map of the World, Showing Present Political Status of the Various Possessions of the British empire

Edinburgh: John Bartholomew & Co., The Edinburgh Geographical Institute, 1889

National Library of Australia nla.obj-231472059

Photographer unknown

Kanaka labourers on a Queensland pineapple plantation c. 1890

Reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-136808212

Albert Lomer and Co.

Recruiters and boat's crew, New Hebrides, Queensland labour traffic c. 1890

albumen silver print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-135246241](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-135246241)

Low Kong Meng (co-editor, 1831–1888); **Cheok Hong Cheong** (co-editor, 1853–1928); **Louis Ah Mouy** (co-editor, 1826–1918)

The Chinese Question in Australia

Melbourne: F.F. Bailliere, 1879

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-389051536](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-389051536)

William Emanuel Naunton (words and music, 1871–1939); **Harry John Willmott Gyles** (words, 1880–1959)

White Australia: The Great National Policy Song

Melbourne: A.M. Dinsdale, 1910

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-237252357](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-237252357)

Maker unknown

The Flow of Population 1920

map

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-297463529](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-297463529)

John Flynn (1880–1951)

Japanese pearl divers, Broome, Western Australia c. 1914

reproduction

on Yawuru Country

Australian Inland Mission Collection

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-142355689](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-142355689)

Photographer unknown

Anthony Wehby, Braidwood, Victoria c. 1912

on Walbanga Country

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890–2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6929220>

Invoice and order form from Stanton Melick, Warehousemen & Manufacturers, Redfern, to Mr A.G. Wehby, Braidwood 12 May 1931

print and ink on paper

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890–2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6929220>

Marie Bashir's school report card for grade 3 c. 1930

print and ink on paper

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890–2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6929220>

Lionel Lindsay (1874–1961)

Whalers' Arms, The Rocks, Sydney 1912

mezzotint print

National Library of Australia nla.obj-152605448

Photographer unknown

A Chinese-Australian in his market garden, Northern Territory c. 1930

Reproduction

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137943943

Theodor Engel (1886–1978)

Study of Professor Mayer, a Dunera Boy, at Tatura, Victoria 1942

pencil on paper

Portraits of Dunera Boys, 1941–43

National Library of Australia nla.obj-153000358

Watercolour of Hay Internment Camp

watercolour

on Nari Nari, Wiradjuri, and Yitha Yitha Country

Records of Hay Internment Camp, 1940–41

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2921273>

English-to-Arabic Dictionary, carried by Anthony George Wehby 1910

print and ink on paper

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890–2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6929220>

Tarboosh worn by Anthony George Wehby when migrating to Australia 1890

felt with tassel

Records of the Australian Lebanese Historical Society, 1890–2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6929220>

Kwong Sue Duk (1853–1929)

Account book c. 1913–1920s

Papers of the Kwong family, 1891–2001

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/3006822>

Maker unknown

Christening gown first worn by Kwong Mui Ying (May), and later by members of the Kwong family
1901

Papers of the Kwong family, 1891–2001

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/3006822>

Photographer unknown

Kwong Mui Ying (May), first daughter of Kwong Sue Duk's fourth wife, Wong Kwei Far 1918

reproduction

Papers of the Kwong family, 1891–2001

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/3006822>

John Langdon Parsons (1837–1903)

The Sugar Industry in the Mackay District

Adelaide: E. Spiller, Government Printer, 1883

National Library of Australia nla.obj-449751187

Logbook of the Borough Belle 1881–83

Papers of Robert J. Belbin, 1881–83

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2172233>

Phil May (1864–1903)

The Mongolian Octopus — Its Grip on Australia

from *The Bulletin*, 21 August 1886

Commonwealth of Australia

The Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, 63 & 64 Vic., c. 12

Sydney: W.A. Gullick, Government Printer, 1901

Papers of Alfred Deakin, 1804–1973

Commonwealth of Australia

Section 51. Legislative powers of Parliament, The Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, 63 & 64 Vic., c. 12

Sydney: W.A. Gullick, Government Printer, 1901

Papers of Alfred Deakin, 1804–1973

Edward William Foxall (1857–1926)

Colorphobia: An Exposure of the 'White Australia' Fallacy

Sydney: R.T. Kelly, 1903

on Eora Country

John Alexander Ferguson Collection

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2762988>

Photographer unknown

Seaman's Union General Secretary Tom Walsh (centre, with his wife, Adela Pankhurst Walsh, at his left) and Assistant Secretary Jacob Johnson on their way to their deportation hearing at Darlinghurst Courthouse, Sydney 3 September 1925

reproduction

on Eora Country

National Library of Australia nla.obj-162573004

Carl Schiesser (1889–1966)

Erinnerungen aus froher und ernster Zeit [Memories from a happy and serious time] 1912–17

Carl Schiesser Collection, 1912–19

National Library of Australia nla.obj-153347192

Maker unknown

Village Settlements in Queensland

London: Agent-General for Queensland, between 1880 and 1891

National Library of Australia nla.obj-138192194

Commonwealth Immigration Office

Tropical Agriculture in Australia

Melbourne: Albert J. Mullett, Government Printer, c. 1921

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2150170>

Crown Lands Department

Victoria, the Garden State of Australia: Information for the Guidance of Intending Settlers

Melbourne: J. Kemp, Acting Government Printer, 1 February 1908

National Library of Australia nla.obj-352202375

Crown Lands Department

Victoria: The Speedway to Rural Prosperity

Melbourne: H.J. Green, Government Printer, 1926

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-52778245](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-52778245)

The Intelligence and Tourist Bureau

South Australia for the Fruit Grower

Adelaide: R.E.E. Rodgers, Government Printer, c. 1919

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/920050>

William Montgomerie Fleming (1874–1961)

How to Go on the Land in New South Wales

Sydney: W.A. Gullick, Government Printer, 1909

reprinted from *The Sydney Morning Herald*

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-364907808](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-364907808)

The Immigration and Tourist Bureau

From Labourer to Landlord: An Immigrant's Success in New South Wales

Sydney: W.A. Gullick, Government Printer, 1910

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-52811878](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-52811878)

The Hon. D.S. Oman, Minister Crown Lands and Migration

Map of the State of Victoria, Showing Water Supply, Agriculture, Railways, and Other Features

Melbourne: A.J. Mullett, Government Printer, 1922

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-2861351545](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-2861351545)

Charles Dixon (1872–1934)

By P&O to Australia: Fortnightly Sailings from London and Marseilles: Australasia, Egypt, India, Ceylon, Straits, China, Japan, via Egypt and Ceylon

London: the Lamson Agency, Philip Reed, 1928

lithograph

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-2632150972](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-2632150972)

James Northfield (illustrator, 1887–1973); **Commonwealth Immigration Office** (issuer)

The Land of Opportunity: Australia's Irrigation Enterprises

Melbourne: Queen City Printers, 1924

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8688888>

Commonwealth Immigration Office

The Land of Opportunity: Australia's Timber Resources

Melbourne: Queen City Printers, 1924

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-2575737970](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-2575737970)

Minister of External Affairs

Australia: The Land of Sunshine, Health and Prosperity

Melbourne: Syd Day the Printer, c. 1915

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-153508575](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-153508575)

Photographer unknown

Protest against treatment of British soldier-settlers outside Australia House, London 1938

Reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136877633](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136877633)

Photographer unknown

A large group of women migrants in front of Australia House, London c. 1920s

London News Agency

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136877633](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136877633)

Edgar James Kealey (1887–1977)

Aberdeen and Commonwealth Line: One Class Only to Australia via Suez Canal

London: Aberdeen and Commonwealth Line, c. 1932

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136500309](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136500309)

Dr Barnardo's Homes: Australasian Deputation c. 1892

Photographs by Hammer & Co. Adelaide

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-138093170](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-138093170)

Thomas John Barnardo (1845–1905)

Twelve Sheep from Australia

London: J.F. Shaw and Co., c. 1890

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-2237339297](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-2237339297)

John Mulligan (1927–1996)

Teenage and child immigrants from Great Britain brought out by Dr Barnardo's on the P&O liner Canberra 10 October 1963

Reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-145096392](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-145096392)

Raphael T. Roussel (1883–1967)

'To Australia for £37', P&O One Class Service

London: McCorquodale & Co. Limited, c. 1921–30

lithograph

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136513463](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136513463)

Commonwealth Government Line: To Australia

London: Wills Ltd, c. 1918–23

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-2634593169](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-2634593169)

Government of Western Australia

Western Australia: An Official Handbook for the Information of Commercial Men, Migrants and Tourists

Perth: F.W. Simpson, Government Printer, 1925

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2760750>

Leopoldo Zunini (1868–1944)

L'Australia attuale: Usi e costume, agricoltura, industria e commercio [Australia Today: Habits and Customs, Agriculture, Industry and Commerce]

Torino, Italy: Società Tipografico-Editrice Nazionale, 1910

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/664636>

The Big Brother Movement: Bringing Together British Boys and Australian Opportunities

Sydney: New Settlers' League of Australia, New South Wales Division, 1924

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2730871>

Commonwealth Immigration Office (1920–27)

Australia's Offer to the British Boy

Melbourne: Albert J. Mullett, Government Printer, 1922

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1253148>

Commonwealth Immigration Office (1920–27)

Australia Invites the British Domestic Girl

Melbourne: Albert J. Mullett, Government Printer, 1924

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8675424>

Commonwealth Immigration Office

Hints for New Settlers Coming to Australia

Melbourne: H.J. Green, Government Printer, c. 1925

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/777358>

Unknown illustrator

Illuminated address presented to the Honourable Arthur Calwell, Minister for Immigration, by the 663 Poles who arrived in Australia aboard MS Fairsea August 1949

pen, ink, watercolour and ribbon on paper

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-135566711](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-135566711)

Artist unknown

Program presented to the Honourable Arthur Calwell, Minister for Immigration 1949

pen, ink, watercolour on paper

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-137191016](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-137191016)

Photographer unknown

Polish National Dance Group, Australian Citizenship Convention 1950

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-141277226](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-141277226)

Photographer unknown

Verners and Girts Linde with their mural for the arts and craft exhibition at the Australian Citizenship Convention 1950

reproduction

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-1412773](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-1412773)

Marcel Frankovits's French identity document, 1950

Boriska Frankovits's French identity document, 1951

Ford employee badge belonging to Thomas Frankovits, c. 1950

Thomas Frankovits's driver's licence, 1948

Yellow Star of David badge worn by Marcel Frankovits 1940–44

cotton

Papers of André Frankovits, 1889–2013

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6857235>

Photographer unknown

Arthur Calwell welcoming British migrants c. 1945–49

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137017320

The New Settlers' League of Australia (Queensland Division)

'Family Plan': Together as friends c. 1949–50

Papers of John Tolson Massey, 1887–81

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2968699>

Australian News and Information Bureau, Australia House

Cities of Australia

London: Charles & Read, c. 1945–50

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/7761718>

Michael Ross

Australia: Ein freies Land — eine freie Fahne [A free land — a free flag] c. 1952

publisher unknown

colour process lithograph

National Library of Australia nla.obj-133876526

£10 Takes You to Australia: Children under 19 Go Free!

London: Australia House, c. 1960

National Library of Australia nla.obj-1107337919

Artist unknown

Australia Lloyd Triestino: MN Australia, MN Oceania, MN Neptunia

Milan: Amilcare Pizzi S.A, c. 1957–63

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137241735

Alberto Rizzo (1917-1985)

(Left to right) Lucia, Maria, Vincent, Albert and Lydia Rizzo share dessert at the dinner table c. 1959

(Left to right) Maria, Lydia, Albert and Lucia in front of the family home on Clarence Street, Merrylands, in Western Sydney c. 1960

Michelina Rizzo (1918-2000)

Alberto Rizzo in Milan, Italy, visiting his sister Michelina, who ran a photography studio c. 1938

Alberto Rizzo (1917–1985)

Letter from Alberto Rizzo to his mother, Lydia, in Castelfranco, Italy 7 September 1963

Papers of Alberto Rizzo, 1951–78

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6937830>

Ern McQuillan (1926–2018)

Turkish migrants in the dining hall of the Villawood Migrant Hostel 1968

digital print (printed 2012)

National Library of Australia nla.obj-138112121

Central Office of Information, Great Britain

The Colombo Plan

London: Curwen Press Ltd, 1969

National Library of Australia nla.obj-3031481746

Department of Immigration (1945–1974)

The Good Neighbour, No. 168

Canberra: News and Information Bureau, Department of Immigration, 1968

French, Italian and German migrants travelling by Australian National Airways, from Sydney to Tasmania, where they will be employed on the Tasmanian hydro-electric scheme c. 1950

Collection of Australian National Airways Lobby Cards

National Library of Australia nla.obj-149938551

Wolfgang Sievers (1913–2007)

Tunnel work at T-2, Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Scheme 1957

gelatin silver print

Wolfgang Sievers Photographic Archive

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-161709678](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-161709678)

Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Scheme: development relief map presented to Governor-General Sir William John McKell 1949

silver plated map, hardwood, velvet

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-231161370](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-231161370)

Album of newspaper cuttings relating to the Gamboa family

Papers of the Gamboa family, 1949–99

Photographer unknown

Lorenzo and Joyce Gamboa holding 'The Battling Gamboas', an article about the couple that lobbied for Lorenzo to gain Australian citizenship, 1952

Papers of the Gamboa family, 1949–99

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/997866>

The Gamboa Story

People, vol. 2, no. 23 16 January 1952

Papers of the Gamboa family, 1949–99

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/997866>

Photographer unknown

The Gamboa family reunited in Australia 1952

Papers of the Gamboa family, 1949–99

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/997866>

Joe Greenberg (1923-2007)

Australia: Land of Tomorrow

Canberra: Commonwealth Department of Information, c. 1948

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-137199963](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-137199963)

'W.P.' and Joe Greenberg (1923-2007)

There's a Man's Job for You in Australia

Canberra: Commonwealth Department of Information, c. 1947

National Library of Australia nla.obj-136976103

Wong Loy-Wong (aka Samuel Wong) (1874–1953)

Arrogant White Australia: The Case for a Quota for Coloured Migrants

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Arthur Calwell (1896–1973)

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roneograph

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June Orford (b. 1946)

Dr Nouria Salehi in the kitchen of her restaurant, Afghan Gallery, Melbourne 2006

digital print (printed 2024)

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Bruce Howard (b. 1936)

Maria Otranto in her café 1975

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-147731735](#)

Jeff Carter (1928–2010)

The menu at the Niagara Café 2007

digital print (printed c. 2007)

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Joyce Evans (1929–2019)

Interior of the Niagara Café 1994

gelatin silver print

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Photographer unknown

Outside the Rococo Coffee Lounge and Restaurant c. 1960s

on Wurundjeri, Woi-wurrung, and Bunurong Country

Papers relating to Rococo Coffee Lounge and Restaurant, St Kilda, c. 1960s

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8613883>

Menu for the Rococo Coffee Lounge and Restaurant c. 1960s

on Wurundjeri, Woi-wurrung, and Bunurong Country

Papers relating to Rococo Coffee Lounge and Restaurant, St Kilda, c. 1960s

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Louise Whelan (b. 1967)

Woman protesting in remembrance of the 3,000 Chileans killed on 11 September 1973, Druitt St, Sydney 2003

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136851473](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136851473)

Photographer unknown; Australian Information Service (1940–1996)

Refugees from Indochina having lessons, Metta Foundation, Sydney 1979

gelatin silver print

on Eora Country

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3100428353](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3100428353)

Michael Jensen (b. 1943)

Vietnamese boat people, Darwin November 1977

on Larrakia Country

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Anton Cermak (1933–2003)

Chinese community members read the latest news bulletins pinned up outside a bookshop in Chinatown 8 June 1989

Geoff Pryor (b. 1944)

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Canberra: *The Canberra Times*, 25 November 1999

pen and ink wash on board

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David Dare Parker (b. 1958)

East Timorese refugees return home, Dili, East Timor 1999

archival inkjet print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-147923093](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-147923093)

John Immig (1935–2018)

East Timorese refugees crocheting, East Hills Barracks, New South Wales 1999

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-148864474](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-148864474)

John Immig (1935–2018)

Kosovar refugees with a flag and map of Kosovo, Singleton, New South Wales 1999

on Wonnarua Country

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-148867385](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-148867385)

They're a Weird Mob

Sydney: Robert Burton Pty Ltd, 1966

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1143301>

Bruce Howard (b. 1936)

Faith Bandler, Turramurra, New South Wales c. 1975

gelatin silver print

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The People of Australia: Sharing Our Future

Canberra: Australian Government Publishing Service, 1989

Papers of Victor Rebikoff, 1983–2002

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John Spooner (b. 1946)

Al Grassby 1986

pen and ink on paper

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-136415320](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-136415320)

Nick Giannopoloulos (b. 1963); **Simon Palomares** (b. 1962); **Maria Portesi** (active 1980s-)

Wogs out of Work 1988

theatre program

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/3532232>

Joe Dolce (b. 1947)

Shaddap You Face

Melbourne: Remix Music, 1980

sheet music

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Ethnic Girls School-leavers

We Are Proud to Be Wogs!

Fairfield, NSW: Girls in Print Project, 1983

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Amanda Holt (designer, active from 1981); **Juno Gemes** (photographer, b. 1944) and **Elaine Pelot Kitchener** (photographer, b. 1942)

Tall ships, tall stories 1987

print on paper

made on Dharug Country, depicting Gadigal and Cammeraygal Country

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8418095>

Ward O'Neill (b. 1951)

Arne Rinnan, captain of the Norwegian ship Tampa, who rescued 433 Afghans from a sinking fishing boat, receives awards overseas, but no thanks from the Australian Government 2001

pen, ink and pencil drawing

Ward O'Neill Collection

National Library of Australia nla.obj-149910445

Tony Reddrop (b. 1961)

Detainees raise a makeshift cross above a barbed-wire fence at the Woomera Detention Centre 2002

digital type-c print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-149764846](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-149764846)

Tony Reddrop (b. 1961)

Protestors pull down a barbed-wire fence during a protest at the Woomera Detention Centre 2002

digital type-c print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-149764398](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-149764398)

John Immig (1935–2018)

Muslim lifesavers, Cronulla Beach, New South Wales 2007

digital print (printed 2024)

Social Documentary Photographs, Sydney 2007–11

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-133845631](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-133845631)

Anne Zahalka (b. 1957)

Australia, Isle of Refuge 2010

archival pigment ink print

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-138074839](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-138074839)

Deborah Kelly (b. 1962); **Katie Hepworth** (active 2000s-)

The Smuggler: A Bridge over Troubled Waters

Sydney: Cross Border Collective, 2012

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6452205>

Saad Tlaa (b. 1969); **Anthea Fitzgerald** (b. 1948)

Memorial to Josefa Rauluni

Sydney: Cross Border Collective, 2012

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6452153>

Anthea Fitzgerald (b. 1948)

Not y/our place

Sydney: Cross Border Collective, 2012

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6452188>

Rachael Rowe

Baiada strikers at the picket line

Sydney: Cross Border Collective, 2012

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6452320>

Mahmoud Salameh (b. 1972)

Refugees 2014

digital print

Geoff Pryor (b. 1944)

Okay everybody — let's fan out and swamp the country 1999

pen and ink on board

Pryor Collection of Cartoons and Drawings

National Library of Australia nla.obj-157224606

John Immig (1935–2018)

Indonesian Muslims gather for the end of Ramadan, Sydney 1999

Indonesian Muslims, end of Ramadan, 1999

National Library of Australia nla.obj-148869445

June Orford (b. 1946)

Buddhist monks celebrate Vassa at the Thai Buddhist Temple, Box Hill, Victoria 2004

digital print (printed 2024)

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137018135

June Orford (b. 1946)

Fatah and Makai Mohmand displaying a carpet depicting Afghanistan, one of the few personal possessions brought with them 2005

digital print (printed 2024)

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137061592

June Orford (b. 1946)

A Fitzroy Learning Network tutor discusses points of interest with her students, refugees from Afghanistan, Pakistan, Ethiopia and the former Yugoslavia 2005

digital print (printed 2024)

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137095513

June Orford (b. 1946)

Hakim Mabior at work 2005

digital print (printed 2024)

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137048139

Rodney Dekker (b. 1974)

Two musicians play the nadaswaram at the concluding event of the Kumbhabhishekam, Shri Shiva Vishnu Temple, Carrum Downs, Victoria 2007

National Library of Australia nla.obj-137353488

Louise Whelan (b. 1967)

Kwirina weaving baskets in her Blacktown home 2010

digital print (printed 2024)

Collection of Photographs of Multicultural Communities Living in New South Wales, 2010

National Library of Australia nla.obj-152356419

Conor Ashleigh (b. 1987)

Members of Australia's South Sudanese community gather for independence celebrations, Blacktown 2014

digital print (printed 2024)

Australia's South Sudanese Refugee Community, 2010–15

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-506865890](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-506865890)

Ken Leanfore (b. 1986)

Posing for a selfie in front of a 'I heart Cabra' sign during Fairfield City Council's Cabramatta Moon Festival 2022

digital print (printed 2024)

Fairfield City Council's Cabramatta Moon Festival, 28 August 2022

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3128830839](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3128830839)

Sabrina Lauriston

Dance teacher Natalie Toms teaches meke, Fiji's national dance, to (left to right) Tia N, Leilani Qereqeretabua and Kasi K, Bundaberg, Queensland 2022

digital print (printed 2024)

Fiji Day Celebrations, Bundaberg, Queensland, 8 October 2022

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3123461538](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3123461538)

Dave Tacon (b. 1976)

Members of the Uyghur community at Adelaide's Celebration Hall 2022

digital print (printed 2024)

East Turkistan Australian Association's 30th Anniversary Celebration of the Uyghur Community, Adelaide, South Australia, 8 October 2022

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3133466610](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3133466610)

Louise Whelan (b. 1967)

Dramyin performers at the Festival of Tibet celebration 2010

digital print (printed 2024)

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-152357518](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-152357518)

John McKinnon

A family celebrates Greek Easter Day in Melbourne by roasting a lamb over a fire in their backyard
1975

National Library of Australia nla.obj-138047117

Bill Payne

Jose Munoz-Figueroa with a wall hanging by Peruvian weaver Primitivo Leon 1976

Peruvians in Australia: Photographs Collected by the National Library of Australia

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/6186157>

Pundit Paras Ram Maharaj (editor)

Hindi Samachar Patrika

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National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/534629>

Maker unknown

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Parramatta, NSW: AfricanOz Pty Ltd, 2011

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/4971378>

Hubie Purcell (editor)

The Polynesian Outrigger: Polynesian-Australian Monthly Newspaper

Strawberry Hills, NSW: One Tree Hill Publishing Group, May–June 1993

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Dimitri Gogos (1931–2019)

Neos Kosmos

Melbourne: Ethnic Publications Pty Ltd, 29 March 2010

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Antoine Kazzi (editor in chief, b.1958)

El-Telegraph

Bankstown: The Australia Middle East Media, 14 July 2015

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/2830447>

The New Australians' Cultural Association

Testimonials presented to the people of Australia and the government by European migrants to Australia, on the occasion of the Australian Citizenship Convention, Canberra 1953

ink, paint, gold leaf on parchment in a leather-bound volume

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1822125>

The Family Tree of Carl Friedrich Schiller, 1855–1955 1955

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/1213312>

Brij Lal (1952–2021)

Handwritten draft and book outline with the working title 'Islands of a Silent Dawn' c. 2005

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8806329>

Brij Lal (1952–2021)

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Canberra: ANU E Press, 2006

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Padma Narsey Lal (editor, b. 1951)

Mangrove Resource Management: Technical Report No. 5

Fiji: Fisheries Division, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 1983

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Leigh Henningham (b. 1960)

Portrait of Everest Pitt 2022

National library of Australia [nla.obj-3110047460](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3110047460)

Chinese Consuls-General

Documents outlining the daily operations of the Chinese consuls-general c. 1910–20

leaves of homemade tissue paper in a bound volume

National Library of Australia

Junqi Chen

Concertina letter with silk cover, written in classical Chinese 1910

National Library of Australia

Photographer unknown

The Fay family celebrating Harry and Ruby Fay's 25th wedding anniversary 1941

National Library of Australia <https://catalogue.nla.gov.au/catalog/8809259>

Roy Geechoun (aka Lee Lock Gee Choun) (1905–2004)

Cooking the Chinese way

Melbourne: W.D. Joynt, c. 1948

National Library of Australia [nla.obj-3093015795](https://nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3093015795)

Sun Johnson (c. 1865–1925)

Ying wen za hua, wu shi zi xiao [Chinese and English, self-educator]

Sydney: [publisher unknown], c. 1892

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