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to the Parliament and Community



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# FOR THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 2013 TO 31 DECEMBER 2013

The Hon. Adrian Piccoli MP Minister for Education Level 34 Governor Macquarie Tower 1 Farrer Place SYDNEY NSW 2000

# Dear Minister

In accordance with the provisions of the Annual Reports (Statutory Bodies) Act 1984 and the Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 we have pleasure in presenting to Parliament the Annual Report of Charles Sturt University for the year 2013.

Yours faithfully,

Lawrie Willett, AO Chancellor

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Professor Andrew Vann Vice-Chancellor and President

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# About Charles Sturt University

Charles Sturt University is the largest regionally based university in Australia, enrolling nearly 38,000 students from across Australia and more than 120 countries around the world. As a leader in quality online-supported distance learning, Charles Sturt University remains the largest and one of the most experienced providers of courses delivered by innovative distance education. We offer one of the most comprehensive suites of courses of any university in the country, with more than 70% of our professional programs delivered in areas of identified national and regional labour market skill shortages.

Our campuses are located across rural, metropolitan and international locations. Our Australian campuses serve the distinct needs of diverse regional communities from northern New South Wales to central Victoria. Our metropolitan locations at the CSU Study Centres in Melbourne and Sydney provide on campus education to international students in a range of undergraduate and postgraduate programs from the Faculty of Business, and our campus in Ontario, Canada, provides on campus offerings in Education. Internationally, we also deliver programs in collaboration with leading partner institutions in Europe and Asia, as well as through distance education.

Our combination of campuses and online supported education makes Charles Sturt University one of Australia's truly national universities, with more than 27% of our domestic students enrolled from states and territories outside NSW.

We deliver research in close collaboration with users in industry, government and the community. We operate six University Research Centres, a Faculty Research Centre, an Australian Research Centre and three Cooperative Research Centres. Our research centres in agriculture, education, theology, ethics and environmental science maintain strong industry linkages that inform our research priorities and approach. Our research strengths have been designed to align with, and inform, our teaching programs and address national and regional priorities.

# What makes us different?

It is the combination of a national vision built on regional opportunity; collaboration; our sense of community; our flexibility; our focus on individuals; and our results that make Charles Sturt University unique and different.

# National vision - regional opportunity

At Charles Sturt University we have a national vision that is enabled by our focus on regional opportunity. We take a strategic national perspective in everything we do, while focusing locally, in our multiple regions, as well as in collaboration with professional bodies and industry, to achieve results.

# Collaboration

Our willingness to work collaboratively with stakeholders across all levels and all our interactions, and an attitude that aims to bring out the best in people are what make us truly different. We believe in our ethos of 'better together' in our dealings with students, staff, industry and partners, and governments to deliver an improved outlook for the future.

# Sense of community

We are contextualised by the many regions that we serve – our communities make us relevant. As a major contributor and stakeholder in our communities, we value and consider the needs of our regions and all our locations in our course profile and student and research outcomes.

#### Flexibility

We were born into flexibility – it is part of us. Our flexibility comes from a heritage of developing and administering programs in the context of our communities and their individual geography and circumstances, as well as the changing landscape of the world in which we operate now and into the future.

#### Our focus on individuals

Informed by our sense of community and our heritage of flexibility, we recognise the value of the individual. This focus is characterised by our determination to bring out the best in people – to work together to ensure our students are the best they can be in all their pursuits.

#### Results

We take a unique, demand-driven approach to the construction and administration of our research and teaching programs. We look to solve important community issues by engaging with industry and professions and this results in better outcomes for all our stakeholders.

We take the time to listen to all our stakeholders. We hear what's important to them and then consider, communicate and respond. At Charles Sturt University we constantly ask 'how can we help our students and stakeholders achieve their goals?'. By doing this we proudly play a part in their success.

This togetherness enables us and our stakeholders to achieve things we otherwise may not achieve.

At Charles Sturt University we believe that we are better together.

# University Strategy 2013-2015



Professor Andrew Vann Vice-Chancellor and President

# FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD

We are a university of the land and people of our regions. True to the character of regional Australia we have gumption, we have soul and we collaborate with others.

We develop holistic, far-sighted people who help their communities grow and flourish.

Acknowledging the culture and insight of Indigenous Australians, CSU's ethos is clearly described by the Wiradjuri phrase:

'yindyamarra winhanga-nha'

('the wisdom of respectfully knowing how to live well in a world worth living in').

Harnessing technology, we thrive as a distributed yet connected community, welcoming and engaging with people across Australia and the world.

# Objectives for

# **OUR REGIONAL COMMUNITIES:**

- a University whose courses, graduates and research help them to thrive and prosper economically, socially and environmentally
- improved educational outcomes and lives for Indigenous, regional, rural and remote Australians.

# OUR PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC COMMUNITIES:

 a globally networked university, dedicated to scholarship, research and practice and which helps to shape the future of the professions.

# **OUR STUDENTS:**

- flexible access to professional education regardless of background or location
- a qualification and high level of employability for a new career, career advancement or change
- the knowledge, skills, attitudes, habits and professional networks for a successful life and career
- the ability to operate across cultures, spaces and places and with a variety of professions
- critical thinking and ability to influence the world for the better
- an engaging, responsive experience that creates a lifelong sense of connection and belonging to our community.

# **OURSELVES:**

- to extend our 'One University' philosophy into a truly connected community
- to be recognised as the national leader, and a significant international player, in practice-based and distance education
- to be national research leaders in areas relevant to our communities and to be recognised internationally in areas of research strength
- to learn from and improve our practice
- to value our staff for their contributions to the university and ensure they have opportunities to grow, develop and innovate.

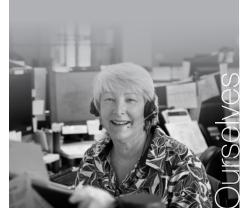
# And our evidence of success towards these objectives will be improvements in

- proportion of Indigenous Australian and low SES students
- graduates from rural and regional areas commencing employment in the same area
- market share of students studying from CSU regional footprint
- contribution to regional employment and gross regional product
- scholarly and professional engagement
- successful research that influences and informs our communities, the professions and others.
- overall educational experience, skills development and sense of belonging measures for later year students.
- graduate overall satisfaction, good teaching experience and proportion in full-time employment
- alumni engagement.

- national market share in distance education and recognition of our online environment
- students with work related knowledge and skills
- research income and quality and quantity of research outcomes
- HDR student load
- staff climate survey results
- proportion of Indigenous Australian staff and women in senior positions
- operating surplus.







# To achieve these objectives, we will focus on the following Strategic Priorities over the next three years

# In Curriculum Learning and Teaching, we will:

- increase student engagement through well-designed, responsive and timely online and face-to-face interaction
- implement key actions from a new Curriculum Learning and Teaching Plan focused on innovation
- identify most effective and sustainable programs targeted at progress and retention and focus on these from 2014
- introduce a leading learning management system and educational technologies, integrated with other student system plans, and considerate of student and staff support and change management requirements.

#### And measure this by:

- relevant quality of teaching, engagement and responsiveness survey results
- students with work related knowledge and skills
- the proportion of courses and subjects adhering to the CLT plan
- student attrition and progress rates
- quality of the online environment.

# In Research and Research Education, we will:

- develop a narrative about how our research contributes to the social good of our communities
- develop and promote our research concentrations to strengthen the CSU research profile
- purposefully resource and manage areas of research strength so they are expected to be in the top 50% national ranking, and maintain or gain a performance that equates to ERA ratings of 4 and 5 by 2016
- improve research participation and output by investing in Faculty Research Compacts
- improve the HDR student experience through emphasis on good supervision.

#### And measure this by:

- successful research that influences and informs our communities, the professions and others
- research income and output measures
- research quality assessment outcomes
- proportion of staff contributing to research outputs
- HDR student load, completions and overall satisfaction.

#### In Internationalisation, we will:

- internationalise the curriculum across all courses
- internationalise our regional campuses to be preferred destinations for international students
- pursue international DE markets
- increase undergraduate student international experience
- promote activity that directly supports or leverages off CSU in Ontario
- identify and pursue strategically important international research partnerships and networks
- capitalise on the opportunities of the Asian Century.

#### And measure this by:

- proportion of courses internationalised
- international student load on regional campuses and by DE
- undergraduate students undertaking international experience
- effectiveness of strategic international research partners and networks and relevance to mission.

# In Courses and Campuses, we will:

- introduce Engineering, Medicine and Regional Creative Industries and languages
- in consultation with our communities, develop a regional and campus strategy that articulates the CSU Model and maps out discipline and course profile futures for our campuses and distance education.

#### And measure this by:

- national market share in distance education
- market share of students studying from CSU regional footprint
- · student load indicators
- graduates from rural and regional areas commencing employment in the same area.

# In Service, Support and Communication, we will:

- implement significant service quality improvements focusing on interactions with students as a priority
- ensure we lead the sector for the student 'recruitment to arrival' experience (application to census date)
- establish functional responsibility for supporting clear, consistent, targeted and consolidated student communication practice across the organisation.

# And measure this by:

 relevant first-year student survey results and other measures to be developed in 2013.

#### In Partners and Relations, we will:

- ensure our academic partnerships align with CSU values and goals, are viable, sustainable and of high quality
- strengthen our capacity to engage with government and influence public policy
- improve consistency and coordination of engagement with regional communities through Heads of Campus
- improve consistency and engagement with professional and employer groups.

#### And measure this by:

 measures to be developed in 2013 including alumni engagement.

#### In Indigenous Education, we will:

- complete recruitment of the Indigenous Academic Fellowships and increase our employment of Indigenous staff in general
- implement cultural competency training for all staff
- ensure all UG programs incorporate Indigenous Australian content consistent with the Indigenous cultural competence pedagogical framework
- maintain national leadership in this area.

#### And measure this by:

- programs with Indigenous content
- staff who have completed training
- proportion of Indigenous Australian academic staff and students.

# In Sustainability, we will:

- move to carbon neutrality by 2015
- continue to aggressively pursue energy efficiency
- implement a recognised framework to manage, measure, improve and promote our sustainability performance
- celebrate our leadership in this area as an example to others
- encourage and assist organisations in our regional communities to achieve their sustainability goals.

#### And measure this by:

- our carbon footprint and relevant energy indices
- performance against indexes in the new framework.

# And ensure they are underpinned by actions in these Strategic Enablers

# For People and Culture, we will:

- ensure clear leadership and committee responsibilities for complex changes
- bed down academic workload management practices and new organisational structures
- recruit and develop leaders and managers to change culture, innovate and adapt in a complex and competitive environment
- implement the HR enabling plan to ensure a diverse, safe, engaged and progressive workforce and culture.

# And measure this by:

- staff climate survey results for Passion and Progress
- proportion of Indigenous Australian staff and women in senior positions.

#### For Information, we will:

 establish a centralised business intelligence function and community of practice with the responsibility to enhance our business intelligence, reporting capabilities and support to ensure effective organisational decision making and performance monitoring.

# And measure this by:

 measures to be developed in 2013.

# For Infrastructure – Physical and Virtual, we will:

- ensure infrastructure is optimised for student engagement, responsive to changing needs and aligned with or extends our capacity to achieve our strategic goals
- develop an online environment that connects our students and staff and helps promote innovation with our other communities.

#### And measure this by:

- successful outcomes of projects within approved capital plans
- engagement with the online community by staff.

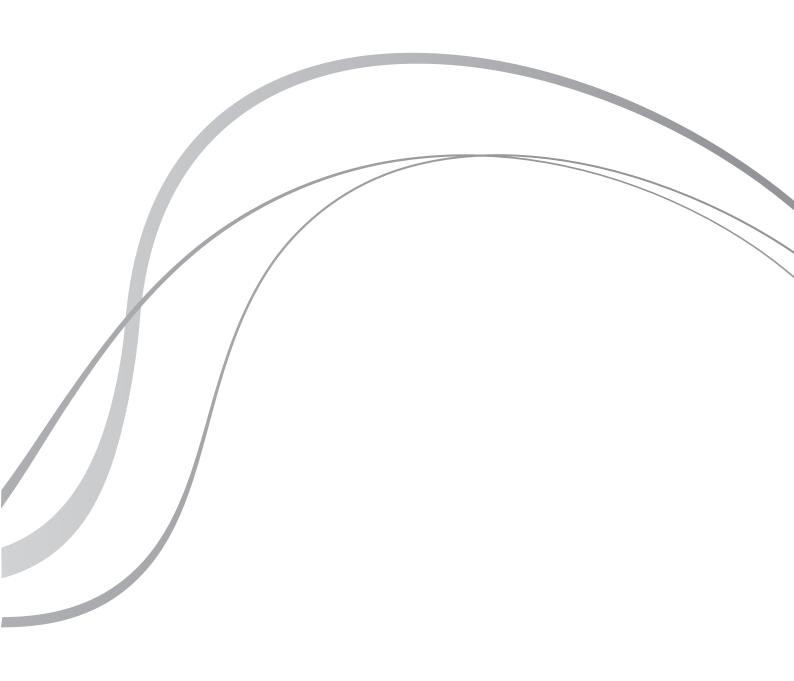
# For Financial and Operational Stewardship, we will:

- revise the budget format to give a more transparent view of our financial operations
- instigate improvements to operations and internal services to reduce cost and improve effectiveness and efficiency.

# And measure this by:

- operating surplus
- cost saving of operational changes
- a 10-year financial plan.

# ++++ Appendices



# Social inclusion

# ITEM 1 MULTICULTURAL POLICIES AND SERVICES PROGRAM

2013 Key multicultural strategies

In late 2013 a decision was taken to appoint a Pro Vice-Chancellor, Indigenous Education (PVC IE), at Charles Sturt University. The position and appointment of Professor Jeannie Herbert reaffirms CSU's strong agenda for social inclusion in higher education, especially CSU's commitment to improving access and learning opportunities for Indigenous Australian students. The PVC IE will lead the Office of Indigenous Affairs. The Office of Indigenous Affairs will take on direct oversight of the Indigenous Education Strategy and Sub-Plan, external and community relations, and institution-wide alignment and coordination of other key elements of work in areas such as employment of Indigenous staff, building load and improving retention and success of Indigenous Australian students.

The Division of International Education and Partnerships (DIEP) was established in April 2013 and is tasked with leading the University's strategy for international education and partnership activities, building on research, diversity and community engagement opportunities and capitalising on the synergies between partnerships with international institutions and those within Australian vocational education partners (Technical and Further Education [TAFE] institutes). DIEP is committed to expanding and improving international and domestic linkages to increase future student enrolment and establish CSU as the national and, increasingly, a global provider of choice for online education.

The Dean of Students is a senior position within the University created to provide targeted support for all cohorts of students. Created in 2011, the Division under the Dean of Students is being restructured in 2014 to include a Director of Inclusion and Indigenous Strategic Practice Leader, tasked with identifying and meeting the needs of students from a wide range of equity groups (including international and Indigenous students).

The University has set performance indicators for its staffing profile, recruitment and professional development objectives, its ultimate goal being to achieve a workforce that reflects the diversity of the wider community. Implementation of the objectives will assist the University to achieve a culture and staffing profile that enables it to respond more effectively to the diverse backgrounds of its students and to provide them with a more enriching educational experience.

As of 2013, the Division of Student Learning's Innovation and Improvement Plan 2013 has listed the following strategies:

- internationalise the curriculum across all courses
- ensure all undergraduate programs incorporate Indigenous Australian content consistent with Indigenous cultural competence pedagogical framework
- implement Cultural Competency training for all staff
- bed down new organisational structures, creating an environment that is inclusive, creates opportunities and fosters innovation for people and culture.

These strategies are in conjunction with CSU's Graduate Learning Outcomes embedded in the curriculum. The following Graduate Learning Outcomes are relevant to CSU's Multicultural Policies and Services Program:

- the opportunity for international experiences and to develop an international perspective in their discipline or profession
- an engagement with the responsibilities of global citizenship
- the opportunity to develop cultural competence
- the opportunity to engage meaningfully with the culture, experiences and histories of Indigenous communities.

| ACTIVITY AREA                     | STRATEGY  | OUTCOMES   | RESPONSIBILITY  | TIMELINE             |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------|
|                                   | LEADERSHIP,   | PLANNING AND EVALUATION  |   |                      |
| Corporate and<br>Forward Planning | Revise Multicultural Policies<br>and Services Program (MPSP)  | Update Plan biannually to reflect the changes in Services and Programs happening at the University.  | To be announced   | 2014                 |
|                                   | Regular evaluation of MPSP  | Areas for improvement are identified and Plan is updated. Resources are identified.  | Budget and Planning<br>Committee  | Annually<br>mid-year |
|                                   | Senior planners approve and allocate resources needed for implementation of MPSP  | Managers are responsible for allocation of resources to support identified MPSP (formerly EAPS) strategies   | SEC   | Annually             |
|                                   | New structures have been created, such as Division of International Education and Partnerships, and Dean of Students  | Inclusion of MPSP principles in CSU strategic plans  | Pro Vice-Chancellor,<br>Dean of Students  | 2014                 |
| Policy and Program<br>Development | MPSP reporting responsibilities   | Greater emphasis on the access and participation for all student cohorts   | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing              |
| Monitoring<br>and Reporting       | Monitoring participation - of students from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, non-English speaking background (NESB) students, students who are holders of a humanitarian visa and/or who have a refugee background. Monitoring includes access, retention success and participation (available            | Reporting to Community Relations Commission for annual highlights and biannual Action Plans. Reporting to NSW Treasury for the University Annual Report. Statistics from the Office of Planning and Audit will show trends in performance indicators for students from these | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing              |
|                                   | in Equity Performance Indicators).  Reporting processes for HR, related to staff from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.  | backgrounds.  Employment trends of staff from culturally and linguistically diverse  | Manager, Diversity and<br>Equity (Human Resources)                                  | Ongoing              |
|                                   | diverse backgrounds.  Identify emerging communities - in campus towns and particular issues related to their participation in higher education.   | backgrounds.  Enhanced communication with these communities to increase their opportunities for participation in higher education.   | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing              |
|                                   | CON   | MUNITY HARMONY   |   |                      |
| Program and<br>Service Delivery   | Inclusive teaching project  | Short training course that includes awareness of culturally diverse population inclusion   | DLTS, Teaching and Staff<br>Development Coordinator:<br>Inclusive Teaching Project  | Ongoing              |
|                                   | CSU / Infinity Intercultural Foundation<br>Agreement development  | To provide for teaching and research of subjects in Islamic Studies and for cooperation in interfaith education and research   | Executive Dean, Faculty of Arts, Islamic Studies and Interfaith Education Committee | Ongoing              |
|                                   | Cultural activities - designated staff continue the support and expansion of various social events with an international / multicultural focus. This has included international movie nights, religious fellowship groups and Harmony Day (the cross-cultural sharing including cultural artefacts, food, music and dance). | Awareness of need for proactive programs to support cultural and linguistic diversity.   | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing              |
|                                   | English language and literacy,<br>numeracy and career development<br>support - support is offered to<br>students from culturally and<br>linguistically diverse backgrounds.   | Enable successful participation of students from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.  | Academic Support Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing              |

|                                 | Spiritual support - religious requirements have been addressed with Islamic prayer rooms available to students and staff on campus. A diversity of visiting religious advisors are available for students to contact. Facilities are provided to groups of differing religious backgrounds to enable their personal faith observances and practices. The Baha'i group commenced weekly meetings with the aim of encouraging wider University community participation and embracing diversity, understanding and interaction.  | Improve access to higher education for students with religious, faith and/or spiritual observances and practices. Understand needs of students from a diversity of religious backgrounds.                         | Student Support, Student<br>Services Office, Dean of<br>Students  | To continue<br>and expand<br>on services |
|---------------------------------|---|---|---|--|
|                                 | Student clubs - designated staff assist students with establishing and, at times, conducting club activities to further assist specific groups of students like the Islamic Club, Baha'i Club or International Student Club. Activities can often facilitate friendships and help towards the valuing of diversity and cultural awareness. Active International Student Clubs on Albury-Wodonga and Wagga Wagga campuses. Sports Council organised weekend events and tours for all students, yet with students from other cultures in mind to help foster their engagement in social activities in the company of fellow students. | Awareness of need for proactive programs to support cultural and linguistic diversity.  | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students  | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | International exchange programs   | CSU students experience cultural diversity and increase awareness of need for cultural harmony  | CSU Global  | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | Overseas practicum placements   | CSU students experience cultural diversity and increase awareness of need for cultural harmony  | Faculty, CSU Global   | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | ACCESS AND EQUITY WITHIN A  | FRAMEWORK OF SOCIAL JUS   | TICE OBLIGATIONS  |  |
| Staffing                        | Collect statistics on employment distribution and outcomes for staff from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds   | Inform workforce planning targets. Provide report to the Director of Equal Opportunity in Public Employment   | Manager, Diversity and<br>Equity (Human Resources)  | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | Maintain a register of staff with different language backgrounds who agree to be identified for equity purposes.  | Register of staff with language backgrounds other than English is available for consultation and other purposes.  | Manager, Diversity and<br>Equity (Human Resources)  | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | Review cultural leave provisions,<br>benchmark with the sector and<br>include cultural and religious events<br>and ceremonies within Special<br>Leave provision (as required by<br>Premier's Memo)  | Employment practices are consistent with the needs of a culturally diverse workforce.   | Executive Director, Human<br>Resources, Director,<br>Workplace Relations and<br>Policy                                | Ongoing                                  |
| Program and<br>Service Delivery | Support and publicise complaint procedures that facilitate effective resolution of discrimination or harassment  Access and equity in admissions - processes are flexible to achieve the desired level of a client-centred approach; accommodating the circumstances or educational disadvantages that can be experienced among students from diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds. CSU also recognises  | Complaints of racial harassment or discrimination are dealt with quickly and effectively.  Improves access and desired level of a client-centred approach of people from diverse backgrounds in higher education. | University Ombudsman,<br>Manager, Diversity<br>and Equity, University<br>managers and supervisors<br>Dean of Students | Ongoing                                  |
|                                 | overseas based prior learning and/or the cross crediting of skills as determined by Faculty Boards.   |   |   |  |

| Program and<br>Service Delivery               | Educational access schemes - give recognition to applicants from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, NESB and prospective students who are holders of a Humanitarian Visa and/or who have a refugee background.  | Opportunity for increased participation by students from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.   | Dean of Students   | Ongoing                            |
|---|---|---|--|------------------------------------|
|   | Equity scholarships and grants - recognise culturally and linguistically diverse people, NESB students, people who are holders of a Humanitarian Visa and/or people who have a refugee background.  | Improved financial support aids participation by students from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, NESB, holders of Humanitarian Visa or who have a refugee background.  | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students               | Ongoing                            |
|   | Health and safety program - for female international students and women who are holders of a Humanitarian Visa and/or who have a refugee background.  | Guides and informs health<br>and safety practices of women<br>born overseas, holders of a<br>Humanitarian Visa and/or who<br>have a refugee background.   | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students               | To continue and expand on services |
|   | Indigenous Student Services - is committed to providing all the encouragement, support and assistance ATSI students might need from admission, through to graduation and beyond. The ISS Centres on various campuses are welcoming and friendly, and the professional and caring staff can help ATSI students with the majority of their needs. | Staff assist and support Indigenous students in the areas of: application for admission, funding through various government assistance such as AUSTUDY and ABSTUDY, accommodation enquiries, study skills, careers, counselling and tutorials. Every Indigenous student at CSU can receive extra study support through the Indigenous Tutorial Assistance Scheme. | Indigenous Student<br>Services Office,<br>Dean of Students | Ongoing                            |
|   | Student mentoring program - offers mentors to commencing students from diverse backgrounds and international student mentors in first year of study.  | A specific peer mentoring program was introduced and serves to facilitate the orientation, personal and study adjustments thatare necessary throughout the first year of study. Also serves as a process of early identification of risk factors which may affect the wellbeing and study progress of international students.                                     | Student Services Office,<br>Dean of Students               | Ongoing                            |
|   | ECONOMIC A  | ND CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES   |  |                                    |
| Information<br>Education and<br>Communication | Identify emerging communities in campus towns and particular issues related to their participation in higher education  | Enhanced communication with these communities to increase their opportunities for participation in higher education   | Executive Director,<br>Marketing and<br>Communication      | Ongoing                            |
|   | MPSP is appropriately located on CSU website  | Enhanced profile for MPSP (formerly EAPS) processes   | Director, Planning and Audit                               | Ongoing                            |
|   | MPSP is appropriately located in Annual Report  | Compliance with CRC requirements  | Office of the Vice-Chancellor                              | Ongoing                            |
| Communication<br>and Language<br>Services     | Translation of academic regulations into community languages e.g. Korean, Tongan  | Greater ease of communication   | Office of Academic<br>Governance                           | Ongoing                            |
| Language and<br>Terminology                   | Update the data bank of web imagery to include images of staff and students of different ethnic backgrounds for use on the University website.  | Imagery on the University website conveys the diversity of staff and students at CSU  | Executive Director,<br>Marketing and<br>Communication      | Ongoing                            |
| Activity Area: Funded                         |   |   |  | 1                                  |
| Grants and<br>Contracted<br>Services          | MPSP requirements - incorporation of relevant MPSP requirements into the contracting out of activities and programs to private sector providers.  | Guidelines for provision of services at CSU Study Centres   | Academic Support Office,<br>Dean of Students               | Ongoing                            |

# People

# ITEM 2 UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

The Council is constituted to ensure the proper stewardship and strategic direction of the University, and is directly accountable to the stakeholders of the University for creating and delivering value and improved performance through effective governance. During 2013, the membership of the Council reflected the perspectives and capabilities of our various stakeholders – our staff, students, graduates and communities.

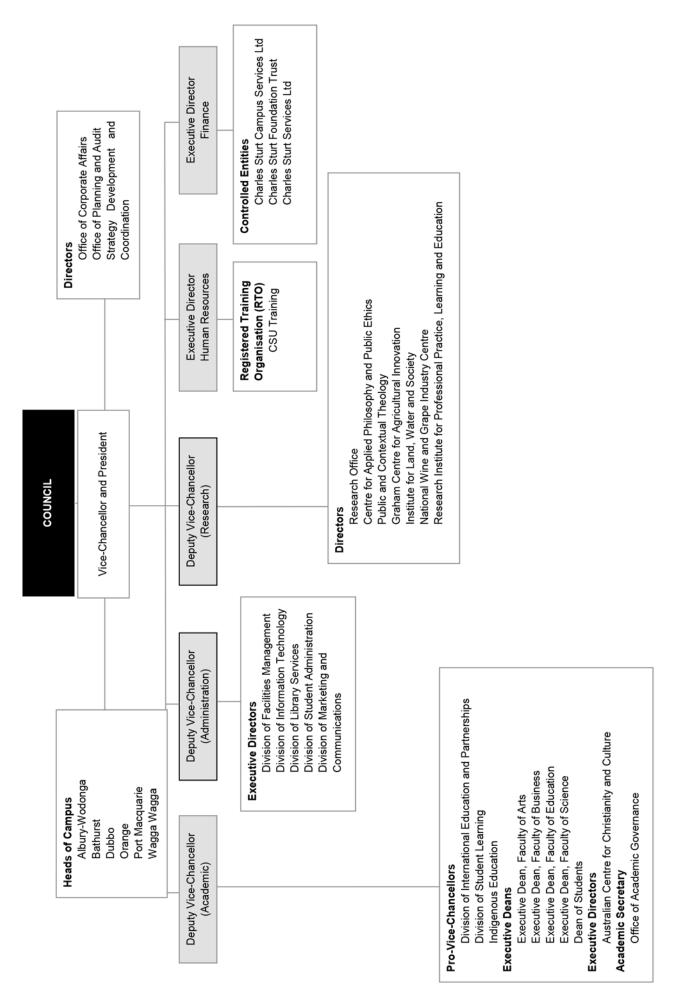
Table 1: Members of the Council during 2013

| Member                  | Position                                     | Term End         |
|-------------------------|--|------------------|
| Mr Lawrence Willett AO  | Chancellor (s 8I(a))                         | 2 December 2014  |
| Professor Andrew Vann   | Vice-Chancellor (s 8I(b))                    | 31 December 2016 |
| Professor Ben Bradley   | Presiding Officer, Academic Senate (s 8I(c)) | March 2014       |
| Mr Gerard Martin        | Ministerial appointee (s 8H(1))              | 31 March 2013    |
| Ms Patricia Murphy      | Ministerial appointee (s 8H(1))              | 31 March 2013    |
| Mr Antonio Catanzariti  | Ministerial appointee (s 8H(1))              | 30 June 2013     |
| Ms Saranne Cooke        | Ministerial appointee (s 8H(1))              | 31 August 2017   |
| Mr Richard Hattersley   | Ministerial appointee (s 8H(1))              | 30 June 2015     |
| Mr Rob Fitzpatrick      | Council appointee (s 8G(1))                  | 30 June 2017     |
| Mr Neville Page         | Council appointee (s 8G(1))                  | 30 June 2017     |
| Ms Kathryn Pitkin       | Council appointee (s 8G(1))                  | 30 June 2014     |
| Mr Angelos Frangopoulos | Graduate member (s 8F(1))                    | 30 June 2014     |
| Mrs Jennifer Hayes      | Graduate member (s 8F(1))                    | 30 June 2017     |
| Mr Peter Hayes          | Graduate member (s 8F(1))                    | 30 June 2015     |
| Mr Jamie Newman         | Graduate member (s 8F(1))                    | 30 June 2017     |
| Dr Susan Wood           | Elected member (s 8E(2)(a))                  | 30 June 2014     |
| Ms Carmen Frost         | Elected member (s 8E(2)(b))                  | 30 June 2014     |
| VIs Saba Nabi           | Elected member (s 8E(2)(c))                  | 30 June 2014     |

Table 2: Attendance by members at meetings of Council

| Max | Attended   |
|-----|--|
| 6   | 6  |
| 6   | 6  |
| 6   | 5 (1)  |
| 6   | 6  |
| 1   | 1  |
| 1   | 1  |
| 3   | 2 (1)  |
| 2   | 1 (1)  |
| 6   | 5 (1)  |
| 3   | 3  |
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| 6   | 5 (1)  |
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Key: 'Max' refers to the number of meetings the member was eligible to attend. 'Attended' refers to the number of meetings the member attended, with the number in parentheses being the number of meetings for which apologies were received.



#### ITEM 4 SENIOR EXECUTIVE

# VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRESIDENT

PROFESSOR ANDREW VANN BEng(Hons) Nottingham Trent,

GradCertBusAd Sunshine, PhD Bristol, FAIM, FAICD, FIEAust

#### Key responsibilities

The Vice-Chancellor and President, as principal executive officer of the University, is responsible to the University Council for:

- developing and articulating a clear vision, mission and strategic direction for the University to secure the University's future as a strong and progressive institution
- · fostering excellence of learning and teaching, with a particular emphasis on emerging technologies to support the online education environment
- building the University's research profile
- implementing the University's strategic plan as approved by University Council
- establishing and maintaining relationships with key stakeholders including government, professional bodies, alumni, community and industry leaders.

# Significant achievements in the reporting year

- continued effective management and enhancement of the University and its standing in the community and within the Australian Higher Education sector
- oversight of the development of subplans to support the University Strategy 2013-2015.

# **DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR & VICE-PRESIDENT** (ACADEMIC)

PROFESSOR GARRY MARCHANT BComm(Hons) NSW.

MA PhD Michigan, FCPA, CMA, MAICD

# Key responsibilities

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Vice-President (Academic) is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor and President for the academic development of Charles Sturt University and assisting the Vice-Chancellor generally in the administration, management and leadership of the University.

# Significant achievements in the reporting year

- effective management of the portfolio area
- development of Port Macquarie Campus
- · oversight of Smart Learning Project
- development of the Curriculum Learning and Teaching, Internationalisation and Indigenous Education subplans to support the University Strategy 2013-2015.

# DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR AND VICE-PRESIDENT (ADMINISTRATION)

PROFESSOR KEN DILLON BADipEd Macq, GDipLib RiverinaCAE,

MEd(Hons) CSturt, PhD SQld

#### Key responsibilities

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Vice-President (Administration) is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor and President for the delivery of an integrated and efficient University administration and assisting the Vice-Chancellor generally in the administration, management and leadership of the University.

#### Significant achievements in the reporting year

- · effective management of the portfolio area
- development of the Service, Support and Communication, Sustainability and Infrastructure – Physical and Virtual subplans to support the University Strategy 2013-2015.
- divisional restructure to enhance efficiency and effectiveness.

# DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR AND VICE-PRESIDENT (RESEARCH)

PROFESSOR SUE THOMAS BSc(Hons) PhD La Trobe,

MBA(TechMgt) APESMA/Deakin, GradCertTertEduc Flinders

#### Key responsibilities

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Vice-President (Research) is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor and President for the development, promotion and overall leadership of research and research training at Charles Sturt University.

#### Significant achievements in the reporting year

- effective management of the portfolio area
- development of the Research and Research Education Plan to support the University Strategy 2013-2015
- · recruitment of new Directors of CAPPE and NWGIC.

# EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, FINANCE PAUL DOWLER BBus MitchellCAE, MBS CSturt, CPA

#### Key responsibilities

The Executive Director, Finance is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor and President for the provision of strategic financial advice in the context of the higher education environment and the University Strategy.

The Executive Director, Finance, is accountable for the development, implementation and monitoring of policies and procedures relating to the financial management and advancement of the University at a time of significant change in the funding arrangement and regulation.

The Executive Director is responsible for administering the Division of Finance and its operations, including a number of trading entities.

#### Significant achievements in the reporting year

- · effective management of the portfolio area
- · significant improvements in structure and format of budget and financial reporting
- · provision of timely and accurate financial forecasts
- development of the Financial and Operational Stewardship subplan as an enabler for the University Strategy 2013-2015
- initiation of Revenue and Resources Efficiency Working Group.

# EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, HUMAN RESOURCES MICHAEL KNIGHT BBus MitchellCAE, MMgt USQ, FAHRI, GAICD

#### Key responsibilities

The Executive Director, Human Resources is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor and President for the provision of strategic human resource advice in the context of the higher education environment and the University Strategy.

The Executive Director, Human Resources, is accountable for the development, implementation and monitoring of policies and procedures relating to human resource management, including building organisational capability.

The Executive Director is responsible for administering the Division of Human Resource and its operations.

# Significant achievements in the reporting year

- · effective management of the portfolio area
- facilitation of senior leadership development and enhanced organisational capability
- · contribution to the search, selection and induction of senior executive staff
- · provision of timely and effective human resource advice
- · development of the People and Culture Plan as an enabler for the University Strategy 2013-2015
- negotiation of a new Enterprise Agreement for 2013-2016.

#### ITEM 5 EXECUTIVE PERFORMANCE AND REMUNERATION

Table 3: Number of executive staff of the University by gender

|        | 2012 | 2013 |  |
|--------|------|------|--|
| Female | 1    | 1    |  |
| Male   | 5    | 5    |  |
| TOTAL  | 6    | 6    |  |
|        |      |      |  |

Table 4: Executive Staff Remuneration and Performance

| Name                     | Position                                      | Bonus payment | Remuneration paid for the period  | I                      | Significant achievements in the reporting year  |
|--------------------------|---|---------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---|
| Professor<br>Andrew Vann | Vice-Chancellor                               | -             | Salary<br>Superannuation          | \$460,715<br>\$ 78,322 | Continued effective management and enhancement of the University and its standing in the community and within the Australian Higher Education sector                        |
|                          |   |               | Total Remuneration                | \$539,037              | Oversight of the development of subplans to support the University Strategy 2013-2015   |
| Professor                | Deputy  | -             | Salary                            | \$387,833              | Effective management of the portfolio area  |
| Garry Marchant           | Vice-Chancellor (Academic)                    |               | Superannuation                    | \$ 33,090              | Development of Port Macquarie Campus  |
|                          | ( loadorno)                                   |               | Total Remuneration                | \$420,923              | Oversight of Smart Learning Project   |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Development of the Curriculum Learning and Teaching,<br>Internationalisation and Indigenous Education subplans<br>to support the University Strategy 2013-2015              |
| Professor                | Deputy  | -             | Salary                            | \$289,756              | Effective management of the portfolio area  |
| Sue Thomas               | Vice-Chancellor (Research)                    |               | Superannuation                    | \$ 49,258              | Development of the Research and Research Education Plan   |
|                          | (Hesearch)                                    |               | Total Remuneration                | \$339,014              | to support the University Strategy 2013-2015  |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Recruitment of new Directors of CAPPE and NWGIC   |
| Professor<br>Ken Dillon  | Deputy<br>Vice-Chancellor<br>(Administration) | -             | Salary                            | \$229,711              | Effective management of the portfolio area  |
|                          |   |               | Superannuation Total Remuneration | \$ 39,050<br>\$268,761 | Development of the Service, Support and Communication,<br>Sustainability and Infrastructure – Physical and Virtual<br>subplans to support the University Strategy 2013-2015 |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Divisional restructure to enhance efficiency and effectiveness  |
| Mr Michael Knight        | Executive<br>Director, Human<br>Resources     | -             | Salary                            | \$229,711              | Effective management of the portfolio area  |
|                          |   |               | Superannuation Total Remuneration | \$ 39,050<br>\$268,761 | Facilitation of senior leadership development and enhanced organisational capability  |
|                          |   |               |                                   | ,, -                   | Contribution to the search, selection and induction of senior executive staff   |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Provision of timely and effective human resource advice   |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Development of the People and Culture Plan as an enabler for the University Strategy 2013-2015  |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Negotiation of a new Enterprise Agreement for 2013-2016   |
| Mr Paul Dowler           | Executive                                     | -             | Salary                            | \$219,219              | Effective management of the portfolio area  |
|                          | Director,<br>Finance                          | *             | Superannuation Total Remuneration | \$ 36,170<br>\$255,389 | Significant improvements in structure and format of budget and financial reporting  |
|                          |   |               |                                   | +200,000               | Provision of timely and accurate financial forecasts  |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Development of the Financial and Operational Stewardship subplan as an enabler for the University Strategy 2013-2015  |
|                          |   |               |                                   |                        | Initiation of Revenue and Resources Efficiency<br>Working Group   |

#### **ITEM 6 EMPLOYEES**

Table 5: FTE\* staff (continuing and fixed term)

|      | Academic | General** | Total   |
|------|----------|-----------|---------|
| 2011 | 776.2    | 1190.5    | 1966.7  |
| 2012 | 847.4    | 1229.1    | 2076.5  |
| 2013 | 940.9    | 1264.4    | 2,205.3 |

<sup>\*</sup>The term FTE means Full Time Equivalent \*\*General staff figures do not include contract staff.

Table 6: Academic staff by classification (FTE)

|                       | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Above Senior Lecturer | 128.2 | 134.7 | 135.7 |
| Senior Lecturer       | 153.4 | 169   | 165.5 |
| Lecturer              | 427.3 | 476.5 | 575.1 |
| Below Lecturer        | 64.3  | 64.2  | 60.5  |

Table 7: Professional / General Staff by Classification (FTE)

|                    | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Level 1            | 24.1  | 24.5  | 27.9  |
| Level 2            | 32.1  | 33.6  | 28.5  |
| Level 3            | 132.2 | 96.1  | 100.9 |
| Level 4            | 261.1 | 265.9 | 259.1 |
| Level 5            | 239.8 | 241.6 | 252.3 |
| Level 6            | 219.1 | 238.7 | 241.8 |
| Level 7            | 118.2 | 161.2 | 171.3 |
| Level 8            | 81.7  | 73.3  | 78.1  |
| Level 9            | 32    | 38.5  | 44.0  |
| Level 10 and above | 50.2  | 55.6  | 60.2  |

#### ITEM 7 EMPLOYEE WAGE MOVEMENTS

During 2013, staff covered by Charles Sturt University's Enterprise Agreement received a 1.5% salary increase, effective from 12 April 2013 and a 1.4% salary increase effective from 20 December 2013.

#### ITEM 8 WORK HEALTH AND SAFETY

Work Health and Safety (WHS) supports the identification, development and implementation of strategically based work health and safety programs. These programs aim to ensure compliance with relevant work health and safety legislation, as well as to assist managers and employees to maintain a workplace that is free from risk to health, safety and welfare.

# Achievements for 2013

- During 2013 a suitable system and vendor for the provision of an online WHS management system within the University was selected (SCRIM Safety First). The system will go 'live' in early 2014 and will initially manage incident and hazard reporting, incident investigations, corrective actions, workers compensation records management and some WHS audits (e.g. Workplace Inspections).
- During 2013 the University introduced new mandatory WHS induction modules. These new modules, known as "Safety @ CSU" and "WHS for Managers" ensured accurate and relevant WHS information continued to be provided to all workers and that managers received additional information commensurate with the additional duties of care placed upon them by WHS legislation. Through ongoing reporting, monitoring and follow up, compliance levels for mandatory module completion continues to improve. By end 2013, 95.01% of staff had completed the mandatory Safety @ CSU (ELMO) induction module (and EEO modules). This compares to 88.93% as at end 2012. By end 2013, 78.39% of managers had completed the mandatory WHS for Manager Module (this being a new module for 2013 there is no 2012 data with which to compare).

- Consolidated internal systems for managing the changes introduced in late 2012 by the Workers Compensation Act 1987 amendments (e.g. Pre-injury Average Weekly Earnings (PIAWE) calculations for all notifications). All claims are now notified and managed in accordance with these new legislative requirements.
- Effectively managed CSU's workers compensation and injury
  management processes, ensuring a timely and sustainable return
  to work for all CSU's injured workers. Compliance with legislative
  requirements has also been maintained. As a result of proactively
  managing the University's workers compensation claims, the University
  achieved improvements in a number of relevant measures including:
  payment trends for weekly benefits, reduction in number of days
  paid in weekly compensation and reduced premium renewal forecast
  (when comparing 2013 renewal forecast with 2012 premium renewal
  forecast and adjustment).
- Implemented a series of Wellbeing initiatives for staff to engage with, including:
  - o CSU's Inaugural Wellbeing Conference and Expo (held at all major CSU campuses). This initiative was also selected for inclusion in the National Mental Health Commission's (NMHC) Mentally Healthy Workplace Alliance program. The initiative will be run again in 2014
  - Delivery of influenza vaccination program for staff and students across all University campuses. In 2013 CSU completed 560 flu vaccinations for staff and students across all campuses. This represented a 1.27% increase from 2012.
  - o In 2013 CSU participated in the Global Corporate Challenge (GCC) for the second consecutive year. CSU had 47 member teams across all campuses (an increase of 45% from the 22 teams registered for the 2012 GCC). CSU was also recognised by the GCC organisation with an Outstanding Achievement Award for its Organisation Step Average (12,509 steps).
  - o Weight Watchers at work.

- Implemented the agreed WHS Consultation arrangements, including the establishment of Designated Work Groups (DWGs) followed by the election and training of Health and Safety Representatives (HSR) as defined in the WHS Act 2011. HSR arrangements now complement WHS Committees, which continue to operate.
- As part of monitoring compliance and informing continuous improvement opportunities, WHS audits were undertaken in conjunction with CSU's compliance committees (that is, Chemical Safety Committee, Institutional Biosafety Committee and Radiation Safety Committee) and some other higher risk CSU workplaces.
- Continued to support, advise or report to the University's WHS committees, including compliance committees (Radiation, Biosafety and Chemical), Audit and Risk Committee (ARC) and the University Safety and Health Management Committees (USHMC).
- During 2013, CSU maintained its partnership with PPC Worldwide in offering and promoting the Employee Assistance Program (EAP) to eligible staff. In 2013 this program was promoted across the entire University with specific promotions targeted at staff (EAP) and managers / supervisors (Manager Help Line). EAP usage throughout 2013 has remained typical with previous years, being slightly below the utilisation rates within the higher education sector.
- Improvements to the Health, Safety and Wellbeing website were completed, including the development of an extensive Wellness and Wellbeing resource.
- Delivery of WHS training and/or awareness sessions to University staff and managers, including training on new WHS legislation (WHS Act 2011), manual handling and risk management principles.
- All WHS reporting requirements to the University's Senior Executive
  Committee (and other senior committees) were fulfilled. Such reporting
  ensured high level exposure to WHS information, promoted a
  positive safety culture through senior management commitment
  and accountability for performance and ensured informed work
  health and safety decision making from senior leaders.
- To ensure consistent and timely ergonomic assessment services across all CSU worksites, Service Level Agreements (SLAs) with suitably qualified service providers (e.g. rehabilitation providers) were established with providers capable of servicing the areas where CSU campuses are located. This information will be made available to staff and managers.
- Throughout 2013 CSU monitored changes in WHS and/or Injury Management legislation that would affect CSU and its operations. Updates were provided to CSU's Senior Executive and the University's Audit and Risk Committee (ARC) wherever changes occurred.
- Implemented relevant WHS policy and procedure at CSU's Port Macquarie Campus.
- Continued to monitor, manage and update the University's Work Health and Safety Management System (including policies, procedures and related materials) in accordance with recognised standards, legislative changes and/or University requirements.
- Continued to build capability in CSU managers through training, mentoring and coaching.
- Attendance at the Australasian Universities Safety Association 2013 Conference.

#### Activities planned for 2014

- Implement the chosen online WHS management system (SCRIM Safety First) within the University including appropriate education and training tools for delivery to staff and managers required to work in the system for the purpose of performing incident and hazard reporting, investigations, corrective actions, workers compensation records management and/or WHS audits (e.g. workplace inspections).
- Undertake further promotion of the University's Employee Assistance Program (EAP) to ensure appropriate usage both in terms of volume and primary presenting problems.
- Continue to support the University's agreed WHS Consultation arrangements, including Health and Safety Representatives (HSR) and WHS Committees.
- Plan and conduct CSU's 2014 Wellness and Wellbeing Conference and Expo.
- Implement a suitable education and training program aimed at improving CSU managers' ability to reduce the onset of work related psychological illness and injury. Furthermore, the program will provide managers with the skills to identify and manage the impacts of psychological illness and injury in the workplace.
- Introduce suitable ergo-pace software to assist in the risk management of musculoskeletal injury from sustained computer use completed by certain staff groups / positions at CSU.
- Continue to maintain and provide up to date WHS information.
- Continue to provide professional WHS advice and support to the University.

#### WHS Performance

- There were no employee, student or visitor fatal incidents during the reporting period.
- There were no WorkCover NSW (or similar regulators from other relevant jurisdictions, for example Ontario, ACT, Victoria) prosecutions during the reporting period.

Table 8: WHS Performance Indicators (employees)

| Year | Total number incidents <sup>(1)</sup> | Number of fatal incidents | Number of medical treatment incidents <sup>(2)</sup> | Total employees      | Total Workers' Compensation claims <sup>(1)</sup> |
|------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|----------------------|---|
| 2013 | 198 <sup>(7)</sup>                    | Nil <sup>(0)</sup>        | 106 <sup>(7)</sup>                                   | 2,191 <sup>(3)</sup> | 37 <sup>(5)</sup>                                 |
| 2012 | 248(8)                                | Nil <sup>(0)</sup>        | 147 <sup>(8)</sup>                                   | 2,157(4)             | 39(6)   |

# Table 9: WHS Performance Indicators (casual employees, students and visitors)

| Year | Total number casual employee incidents* (1) | Total number student incidents (1) | Total number visitor incidents (1)(9) |  |
|------|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 2013 | 32(7)                                       | 120 <sup>(7)</sup>                 | 12 <sup>(7)</sup>                     |  |
| 2012 | 40 <sup>(8)</sup>                           | 148 <sup>(8)</sup>                 | 21 <sup>(8)</sup>                     |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Casual staff defined as staff who have no ongoing or fixed-term position with CSU.

#### Explanatory notes

- As per recognised reporting standards, the above performance indicators do not include near-miss incidents or commuting injuries (injury does not occur through the course of employment or during a recess period).
- 2. Medical Treatment Incidents include incidents where medical treatment, including first aid, was sought.
- 3. Total Employees is from Alesco as at 31 December 2013. It does not include casual employees.
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- 5. Total number of workers compensation claims received under the Charles Sturt University policy (Policy No. MWR0024606033) for the period of 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013 (excludes incident only reports where no cost was incurred as a result of the incident/injury).
- 6. Total number of workers compensation claims received under the Charles Sturt University policy (Policy No. MWR0024606033) for the period of 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2012 (excludes incident only reports where no cost was incurred as a result of the incident/injury).
- 7. Total number of incidents for the period of 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013.
- 8. Total number of incidents for the period of 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2012.
- Visitors include contractors, service company personnel (e.g. Charles Sturt Campus Services) and persons attending courses, facilities, events and clinics managed by the University.

#### ITEM 9 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Equal Opportunity (EO) supports the development and implementation of strategically based equity and diversity programs that contribute to the University's workforce strategy.

#### Achievements in 2013 include:

- Increase in the proportion of women in senior management positions to 44% of staff at Level 10 or above. Three of four Executive Deans are women.
- Increase in the proportion of women on major University committees.
   Women represent 40% or more of the membership of at least two-thirds of the University's major committees. A strategy to increase the membership of women on University Council has seen female membership increase from 29% to 40%.
- Continuation of the Leadership Development for Women Program.
- Restructuring and extension of parental leave provisions and development of fact sheets covering pregnancy and maternity, breastfeeding, parental leave, concurrent parental leave and adoption.
- Increase in the proportion of Indigenous staff to 2.6% of all staff.
- · Appointment of an Indigenous member to University Council.
- Appointment and induction of four Indigenous Academic Fellows as part of a funded program to support Indigenous graduates into an academic role.
- Continuation of the Indigenous traineeship program three trainees successfully completed their traineeship in 2013 and two additional trainees were appointed.
- Indigenous staff conference (Nguluway) held in conjunction with probationary police constable attestation parade, which included five Indigenous policing students.
- Two Indigenous staff and one non-Indigenous staff member completed Certificate II in Wiradjuri Language. The Wiradjuri language project was further developed with the introduction of the Graduate Certificate in Wiradjuri Language and Cultural Heritage.
- Increase in the proportion of academic staff from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds to 16%.
- Work training placements for people with disability.

- Introduction of workplace adjustment plans to facilitate documentation, monitoring and review of workplace adjustments for staff with disability.
- Introduction of new EO Online modules (equal opportunity training), completion rate 95.4% of staff.
- Development and roll out of training on prevention of bullying (Developing a Healthy Workplace Culture).
- Update or development of the following policies / procedures or guidelines – Policy and Procedures on Breastfeeding;
   Children on Campus; Policy and Procedure for Addressing Domestic Violence Impacts on Campus; and Supporting Gender Transition at CSU: Information for Staff and Students.

# Activities planned for 2014 include:

- Continue to contribute to improvements in workforce planning at CSU to achieve the equity indicators of the University Strategy, specifically for women and Indigenous staff.
- Establish strategies and programs to support leadership development for women and a culture where women are valued as leaders.
- Continue to provide structured support for Indigenous Academic Fellows and identify additional strategies to support work practices that are culturally appropriate and inclusive.
- Continue to identify opportunities for and support Indigenous traineeships.
- Consult with staff to review and update the University's Disability Action Plan.
- Continue to review and update policies.
- Put in place appropriate statistical collections and analytical tools to comply with reporting requirements under the Workplace Gender Equality Act.
- Put in place strategies to support an application for Employer of Choice under the new provisions in 2015.
- Introduce and support an Ally program, which focuses on a culture that is inclusive of sexual and gender diversity.
- Develop web pages and additional resources on work/life balance, disability and sexual and gender diversity.
- Complete consultations and development of Indigenous web portal.

#### Statistical Information

Table 10: Trends in the Representation of EEO Groups (Academic Staff)

|  | % of total staff                          |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |
|--|---|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|
| EEO Group  | Benchmark or target                       | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |  |  |
| Women  | 50%                                       | 45%  | 45%  | 46%  | 46%  | 48%  |  |  |
| Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders              | 2.6%                                      | 2%   | 1%   | 1%   | 1%   | 1.6% |  |  |
| People whose first language was not English                | 19%                                       | 13%  | 13%  | 14%  | 14%  | 16%  |  |  |
| People with a disability                                   | n/a                                       | 3%   | 3%   | 3%   | 3%   | 3%   |  |  |
| People with a disability requiring work-related adjustment | 1.1% (2011)<br>1.3% (2012)<br>1.5% (2013) | 1%   | 1%   | 2%   | 2%   | 1.3% |  |  |

Table 11: Trends in the Representation of EEO Groups (General Staff)

|  | % of total staff                          |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |
|--|---|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|
| EEO Group  | Benchmark or target                       | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |  |  |
| Women  | 50%                                       | 65%  | 65%  | 66%  | 66%  | 67%  |  |  |
| Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders              | 2%  | 3%   | 3%   | 3%   | 3%   | 3.1% |  |  |
| People whose first language was not English                | 19%                                       | 4%   | 4%   | 4%   | 4%   | 4%   |  |  |
| People with a disability                                   | n/a                                       | 5%   | 5%   | 4%   | 4%   | 4%   |  |  |
| People with a disability requiring work-related adjustment | 1.1% (2011)<br>1.3% (2012)<br>1.5% (2013) | 1%   | 1%   | 1%   | 1%   | 1.2% |  |  |

Table 12: Trends in the Distribution of EEO Groups (Academic Staff)

|  | Distribution Index     |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |
|--|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|
| EEO Group  | Benchmark<br>or Target | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |  |  |
| Women  | 100                    | 83   | 83   | 82   | 82   | 82   |  |  |
| Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders              | 100                    | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  |  |  |
| People whose first language was not English                | 100                    | 93   | 94   | 92   | 92   | 97   |  |  |
| People with a disability                                   | 100                    | 108  | 112  | 119  | 119  | 105  |  |  |
| People with a disability requiring work-related adjustment | 100                    | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  |  |  |

Table 13: Trends in the Distribution of EEO Groups (General Staff)

|  | Distribution Index     |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |
|--|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|
| EEO Group  | Benchmark<br>or Target | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |  |  |
| Women  | 100                    | 87   | 87   | 87   | 87   | 87   |  |  |
| Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders              | 100                    | 85   | 93   | 97   | 94   | 94   |  |  |
| People whose first language was not English                | 100                    | 98   | 100  | 104  | 108  | 110  |  |  |
| People with a disability                                   | 100                    | 91   | 91   | 93   | 92   | 91   |  |  |
| People with a disability requiring work-related adjustment | 100                    | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  | n/a  |  |  |

# Explanatory notes

- 1. Staff numbers as at 31 March 2013.
- 2. Excludes casual staff.

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Above Salary Payments to Academic Staff: Guidelines

Academic Staff Probation
Academic Staff Promotion
Access to Personal Files

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Prevention of Harassment and Bullying (CSU in Ontario)

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Receipt of Gifts by CSU Staff: Guidelines

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Safe Use of Radiation Emitting Soil Density and Moisture Gauges

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Visiting and Adjunct Appointments
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# Travel

# ITEM 11 OVERSEAS TRAVEL

Academic staff travel overseas extensively to undertake teaching, conduct research, attend conferences and workshops and engage in international relations. Students travel overseas to undertake student exchanges, attend conferences and conduct research.

Table 14: Staff overseas travel listing

| Staff member surname | Faculty or Division | Position    | Destination<br>(Africa, Asia, Europe,<br>NZ, Pacific, PNG,<br>USA) | Departure date | Return date | Purpose of visit       |
|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|--|----------------|-------------|------------------------|
| Jackson              | Science             | Academic    | Laos   | 8-Jan          | 6-Sep       | Research               |
| McLeod               | Education           | Academic    | Jamaica  | 1-Jan          | 20-Jan      | Research               |
| Krivokapic-Skoko     | Business            | Academic    | USA  | 2-Jan          | 15-Jan      | Conference             |
| Hobbs                | Science             | Admin       | USA  | 10-Jan         | 29-Jan      | Conference             |
| Haire                | Arts                | Academic    | Pakistan   | 7-Jan          | 13-Jan      | Conference             |
| Sok                  | Business            | Academic    | France   | 4-Jan          | 13-Jan      | Conference             |
| McMillan             | Education           | Academic    | USA  | 1-Jan          | 28-Jan      | Conference             |
| Atkinson             | Education           | Academic    | USA  | 1-Jan          | 28-Jan      | Conference             |
| Evans                | Education           | Academic    | USA  | 1-Jan          | 3-Feb       | Conference             |
| Moloney              | OIR                 | Admin       | China  | 6-Jan          | 9-Jan       | Meetings               |
| Ahmad                | Business            | Academic    | Thailand   | 18-Jan         | 22-Jan      | Conference             |
| Given                | Education           | Academic    | USA/Canada   | 19-Jan         | 11-Feb      | Conference/Meetings    |
| Lei                  | ILWS                | PhD student | Malaysia   | 12-Feb         | 20-Feb      | Meetings               |
| Vote                 | Science             | Academic    | Laos   | 17-Jan         | 31-Dec      | Research               |
| Eustace              | Business            | Academic    | Hong Kong  | 27-Jan         | 6-Feb       | Teaching               |
| Gibbons              | Education           | Academic    | Hong Kong  | 26-Jan         | 4-Feb       | Meetings               |
| Harris               | Business            | Academic    | South Africa   | 8-Mar          | 31-Mar      | Working while overseas |
| Ramful               | RIPPLE              | Guest       | ex Mauritius   | 26-Jan         | 1-Feb       | Interview              |
| Patricia             | Education           | Guest       | ex UK  | 9-Mar          | 25-Mar      | Visiting Academic      |
| Burgess              | Education           | Academic    | Hong Kong  | 29-Jan         | 3-Feb       | Conference             |
| Stodart              | Science             | Academic    | Cambodia   | 9-Feb          | 17-Feb      | Research               |
| Wynn                 | Science             | Academic    | Pakistan   | 9-Feb          | 24-Feb      | Meetings               |
| Wade                 | Science             | Academic    | Laos   | 7-Feb          | 16-Feb      | Meetings               |
| Но                   | RIPPLE              | Academic    | Singapore  | 21-Jan         | 22-Apr      | Research               |
| Markopoulos          | Education           | Guest       | ex Greece  | 9-Feb          | 15-Feb      | Interview              |
| Eberbach             | Science             | Academic    | Laos   | 24-Feb         | 3-Mar       | Research               |
| Parvez               | Business            | Academic    | Austria  | 11-Feb         | 17-Feb      | Conference             |
| Pymm                 | Education           | Academic    | USA  | 10-Feb         | 18-Feb      | Conference             |
| Hernandez-Jover      | Science             | Academic    | Spain  | 14-Mar         | 8-Apr       | Conference             |
| Gibbons              | Education           | Academic    | Canada/NZ  | 10-Feb         | 25-Feb      | Meetings               |
| Owens                | Education           | Academic    | PNG  | 8-Feb          | 3-Mar       | Research               |
| Zheng                | Science             | Academic    | USA  | 9-Feb          | 16-Feb      | Conference             |
| Currie               | Science             | Academic    | Thailand   | 20-Feb         | 25-Feb      | Conference             |
| Hannan               | Arts                | Academic    | UK   | 5-Apr          | 14-Apr      | Conference             |
| Lei                  | Science             | PhD student | China  | 24-Jan         | 11-Mar      | Research               |
| Doyle                | Science             | Academic    | UAE  | 13-Feb         | 28-Feb      | Workshop               |
| Spence               | CAPPE               | Academic    | USA/Austria  | 22-Feb         | 9-Mar       | Conference             |
| Wess                 | Science             | Academic    | ex Wales   | 15-Feb         | 24-Feb      | Meetings               |
| Case                 | Education           | Visitor     | ex USA   | 23-Apr         | 8-May       | Meetings               |
| Delahunty            | Arts                | Academic    | USA  | 5-Mar          | 17-Mar      | Conference             |
| D'Netto              | Business            | Academic    | USA  | 23-Feb         | 22-Mar      | Conference             |
| Hamlin               | Science             | Academic    | Italy  | 26-Feb         | 13-Mar      | Conference             |
| Tenzing              | Science             | PhD student | Bhutan   | 27-Feb         | 21-Apr      | Research               |
| Miller               | CAPPE               | Academic    | USA  | 28-Feb         | 14-Mar      | Conference             |
| Gunn                 | Science             | Academic    | Nepal  | 2-Mar          | 10-Mar      | Workshop               |

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| Finlayson            | ILWS                | Academic    | Switzerland  | 23-Feb                                | 4-Mar       | Meetings                 |
| Gunasekara           | Business            | Academic    | China  | 1-Mar                                 | 31-Mar      | Teaching                 |
| Wagner               | FLI                 | Academic    | France   | 22-Feb                                | 2-Mar       | Conference               |
| Harrison             | Education           | Academic    | Norway   | 26-Feb                                | 5-Mar       | Research                 |
| Carrigan             | Business            | Academic    | Spain  | 27-Feb                                | 9-Mar       | Conference               |
| Kuttappan            | Science             | PhD student | India  | 25-Feb                                | 9-Jun       | Research                 |
| Holzapfel            | Science             | Academic    | France/Germany   | 27-Feb                                | 27-Mar      | Research                 |
| Woruba               | Science             | Student     | PNG  | 20-Feb                                | N/A         | Research                 |
| Smith                | Science             | Academic    | Singapore  | 8-Mar                                 | 12-Mar      | Conference               |
| Wilson               | Science             | Academic    | South Africa/<br>Botswana  | 5-Mar                                 | 15-Mar      | SSP                      |
| Campbell             | CAPPE               | Academic    | UK   | 2-Mar                                 | 18-Jun      | Research                 |
| Hill                 | Marketing           | Admin       | Singapore/Malaysia/<br>Hong Kong                                   | 3-Mar                                 | 23-Mar      | Meetings,<br>Recruitment |
| Stodart Group        | Science             | Visitor     | ex Cambodia/Laos   | 25-Feb                                | 2-Mar       | Conference               |
| Myers                | Business            | Academic    | China  | 26-Feb                                | 4-Apr       | Teaching                 |
| Steinke              | OIR                 | Admin       | China  | 27-Feb                                | 13-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Woolston             | Arts                | Academic    | Cambodia/China   | 3-Mar                                 | 11-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Corboy               | Arts                | Visitor     | Cambodia   | 3-Mar                                 | 9-Mar       | Meetings                 |
| Wess                 | Science             | Academic    | ex UK  | 15-Mar                                | 23-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Saliba               | Arts                | Academic    | India  | 5-Mar                                 | 15-Mar      | Research                 |
| Blanchard            | Science             | Academic    | India  | 5-Mar                                 | 15-Mar      | Research                 |
| Weckert              | CAPPE               | Academic    | Switzerland/Thailand   | 18-Mar                                | 5-Apr       | Meetings                 |
| Quinn                | Science             | Academic    | UK   | 8-Apr                                 | 28-Apr      | Conference               |
| Lowrie               | RIPPLE              | Academic    | Singapore/Indonesia  | 14-Mar                                | 23-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Linsdell             | Arts                | Academic    | India  | 13-Mar                                | 16-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Sunderland           | Arts                | Academic    | India  | 13-Mar                                | 16-Mar      | Meetings                 |
| Edney                | Science             | PhD student | Malaysia   | 19-Apr                                | 26-Apr      | Conference               |
| Higgins              | Arts                | Academic    | UK   | 14-Mar                                | 26-Mar      | Conference               |
| Bryant               | Arts                | Academic    | UK   | 14-Mar                                | 26-Mar      | Returning home           |
| Sheridan             | Arts                | Academic    | Sweden   | 19-Mar                                | 26-Mar      | Conference               |
| Hampton              | Marketing           | Admin       | Canada   | 28-Mar                                | 28-Apr      | Meetings                 |
| Vanniasinkam         | Science             | Academic    | Hong Kong  | 17-Mar                                | <br>23-Mar  | Meetings                 |
| Black                | Science             | Academic    | Netherlands  | 14-Mar                                | 26-Apr      | Conference               |
| Uys                  | DLTS                | Academic    | Thailand   | 19-Mar                                | 23-Mar      | Conference               |
| Wilson               | Science             | Academic    | UK/Hungary   | 30-Mar                                | 27-Apr      | SSP                      |
| Cain                 | DIT                 | Admin       | USA  | 1-Apr                                 | 14-Apr      | Conference               |
| McGill               | Science             | Academic    | Pakistan   | 30-Mar                                | 29-Apr      | Research                 |
| Friend               | Science             | Academic    | Reunion Island   | 23-Mar                                | 31-Mar      | Conference               |
| Krivokapic-Skoko     | Science             | Academic    | Tanzania   | 22-Mar                                | 1-Apr       | Research                 |
| Blackwell            | Science             | Academic    | Tanzania   | 22-Mar                                | 3-Apr       | Research                 |
| Deloire              | Science             | Academic    | France/Italy   | 2-Apr                                 | 15-Apr      | Conference               |
| Wallace              | Education           | Academic    | UK/USA   | 3-Apr                                 | 26-May      | Research/Conference      |
| Uys                  | DLTS                | Academic    | Netherlands/Belgium  | 3-Apr                                 | 15-Apr      | Conference               |
| Patterson            | Science             | Student     | Germany  | 12-Apr                                | 28-Apr      | Conference               |
| Gurr                 | Science             | Academic    | China  | 15-Apr                                | 18-Apr      | Conference               |
| Harrison             | Education           | Academic    | Canada   | 16-Apr                                | 28-Apr      | Conference               |
| Peters               | Science             | PhD student | Germany  | 18-Apr                                | 30-Apr      | Conference               |
| Greer                | Science             | Academic    | Chile  | 18-Apr                                | 29-Apr      | Conference               |
| Ovington             | Arts                | PhD student | Spain, Portugal  | 6-Apr                                 | 30-Apr      | Conference               |
| Zeleke               | Science             | Academic    | Laos   | 6-Apr                                 | 12-Apr      | Meetings                 |
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| Millar               | Science             | Academic    | Indonesia  | 7-Apr                                 | 21-Apr      | Research                 |

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| Raidal               | Science                    | Academic    | Germany  | 8-Apr                                 | 6-May        | Conference, Meetings |
| Wilkinson            | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 24-Apr                                | 6-May        | Conference           |
| Edwards Groves       | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 24-Apr                                | 6-May        | Conference           |
| Wade                 | Science                    | Academic    | Laos   | 4-Apr                                 | 17-Apr       | Research             |
| Locker               | Science                    | Admin       | Laos   | 6-Apr                                 | 12-Apr       | Research             |
| Eberbach             | Science                    | Academic    | Laos   | 4-Apr                                 | 12-Apr       | Research             |
| Trebilcock           | Arts                       | Student     | UK   | 9-Jan                                 | 28-Jan       | Conference           |
| Mackenzie            | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 13-Apr                                | 3-May        | Conference           |
| Lowrie               | RIPPLE                     | Academic    | Singapore  | 6-Apr                                 | 23-Apr       | Research             |
| Lowrie               | RIPPLE                     | Academic    | Singapore  | 13-Apr                                | 23-Apr       | Research             |
| Logan                | RIPPLE                     | Academic    | Singapore  | 6-Apr                                 | 14-Apr       | Research             |
| Gentle               | Science                    | PhD student | Bangladesh/Nepal/<br>Japan   | 19-Apr                                | 8-Jun        | Conference, Research |
| Spence               | CAPPE                      | Academic    | UK   | 9-Apr                                 | 16-Apr       | Conference           |
| Thiruvarudchelvan    | Business                   | PhD student | Singapore  | 15-Apr                                | 24-Apr       | Conference           |
| Burmeister           | Business                   | Academic    | Russia   | 16-Apr                                | 21-Apr       | Conference           |
| Garrison             | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 16-Apr                                | 4-May        | Conference           |
| Krebs                | Science                    | Academic    | Pakistan   | 10-Apr                                | 21-Apr       | Research             |
| Dockett              | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 19-Apr                                | 3-May        | Conference           |
| Perry                | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 19-Apr                                | 3-May        | Conference           |
| Bristol              | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 21-Apr                                | 4-May        | Conference           |
| Khan                 | Science                    | PhD student | Pakistan   | 14-Apr                                |              | Returning Home       |
| Gunasekara           | Business                   | Academic    | Cambodia/Malaysia  | 25-Apr                                | 30-Apr       | Teaching             |
| Moloney              | OIR                        | Admin       | Cambodia/Malaysia  | 19-Apr                                | 25-Apr       | Graduation/Meetings  |
| Cavanagh             | OIR                        | PVC         | Cambodia/Malaysia  | 19-Apr                                | 25-Apr       | Graduation/Meetings  |
| Rogiers              | NWGIC                      | PhD student | Chile  | 20-Apr                                | 28-Apr       | Conference           |
| Keogh                | Business                   | Academic    | Cambodia   | 26-Apr                                | 1-May        | Teaching             |
| Reid                 | Arts                       | Academic    | Russia   | 15-Apr                                | 25-Apr       | Conference           |
| Vann                 | OVC                        | VC          | Canada   | 22-Apr                                | 26-Apr       | Meetings             |
| Delahunty            | Arts                       | Academic    | Philippines  | 21-Apr                                | 27-Apr       | Research             |
| Doyle                | Science                    | Academic    | UK/Brazil  | 29-Apr                                | 16-Jun       | Research/Conference  |
| Hall                 | Education                  | Academic    | USA  | 26-Apr                                | 4-May        | Conference           |
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| Poudel               | Science                    | PhD student | Nepal/Japan  | 29-Apr                                | 10-Jun       | Research/Conference  |
| Hill                 | International<br>Education | Admin       | Singapore/Malaysia   | 1-May                                 | 9-May        | Meetings             |
| Poudel               | Science                    | PhD student | Nepal  | 27-Apr                                | 2-Sep        | Research             |
| Zia                  | Business                   | Academic    | USA  | 4-May                                 | 12-May       | Conference           |
| Linsdell             | Arts                       | Academic    | Indonesia  | 6-May                                 | 9-May        | Teaching             |
| Frimpong             | Finance                    | PhD student | Ghana  | 5-May                                 | 18-May       | Returning home       |
| Watts                | Science                    | Academic    | France   | 8-May                                 | 19-May       | Conference           |
| Bush                 | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 6-May                                 | 19-May       | Meetings             |
| Delahunty            | Arts                       | Academic    | Sri Lanka  | 14-May                                | 22-May       | Research             |
| Telfser              | OIR                        | Academic    | USA  | 23-May                                | 3-Jun        | Conference           |
| Obied                | Science                    | Academic    | Japan  | 8-May                                 | 17-May       | Conference           |
| Daly                 | Arts                       | Academic    | UK/Canada  | 5-May                                 | 28-May       | Teaching             |
| Trent                | Business                   | Visitor     | China  | 6-May                                 | 25-May       | Meetings             |
| Combes               | Education                  | Academic    | UK   | 22-Jun                                | 6-Jul        | Conference           |
| Hamilton             | OVC                        | Academic    | Round World  | 7-May                                 | 26-May       | Teaching             |
| Hamilton             | Education                  | Admin       | Malaysia/India   | 14-May                                | 25-May       | Meetings             |
| Miller               | CAPPE                      | Academic    | Netherlands  | 17-May                                | 18-Nov       | Research             |
| Clarke               | CAPPE                      | Academic    | UK/Finland   | 23-May                                | 19-Jun       | Research/Conference  |
| Steinke              | Education                  | Academic    | China  | 11-May                                | 23-May       | Meetings             |

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| Gunasekara           | International<br>Education | Academic          | China  | 11-May         | 8-Jun       | Teaching                   |
| Moran                | Arts                       | Academic          | France   | 9-Jul          | 2-Aug       | Conference                 |
| Myers                | Business                   | Academic          | China  | 11-May         | 11-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Sadr                 | Science                    | Academic          | Japan  | 20-May         | 27-May      | Conference                 |
| Curtin               | Science                    | Academic          | Nepal/Vietnam  | 24-May         | 15-Jun      | Supervise Students         |
| Luck                 | Science                    | Academic          | Canada   | 26-May         | 15-Jun      | Research                   |
| Noble                | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 26-May         | 5-Jun       | Conference                 |
| Given                | Education                  | Academic          | Canada   | 4-Jun          | 21-Jun      | Conference/Research        |
| Gibbons              | Education                  | Academic          | India  | 18-May         | 25-May      | Meetings                   |
| Gibbons              | Education                  | Academic          | USA/Canada   | 27-May         | 21-Jun      | Conference/<br>Graduations |
| Nielsen              | Business                   | Academic          | France/Denmark   | 30-May         | 24-Jun      | Conference/Research        |
| Wilson               | Science                    | PhD student       | Brazil   | 1-Jun          | 11-Jun      | Conference                 |
| Wynn                 | Science                    | Academic          | Pakistan/USA   | 1-Jun          | 20-Jun      | Meetings/Conference        |
| McLeod               | Education                  | Academic          | Vietnam  | 1-Jun          | 15-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Currie               | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 6-Jun          | 27-Jun      | Conference/Meetings        |
| Auzmendi             | Science                    | Academic          | Finland/Switzerland  | 7-Jun          | 15-Jul      | Conference/Research        |
| Shaw                 | DSA                        | Admin             | Canada   | 10-Jun         | 18-Jun      | Graduation                 |
| Tukuniu              | Finance                    | Admin             | Canada   | 10-Jun         | 18-Jun      | Graduation                 |
| Munday               | Education                  | Academic          | Germany/Hungary  | 9-Jun          | 27-Jun      | Conferences                |
| Finlayson            | ILWS                       | Academic          | USA  | 1-Jun          | 14-Jun      | Meetings                   |
| Lesser               | Business                   | Academic          | China  | 24-May         | 8-Jun       | Teaching                   |
| Heather              | International Education    | Academic          | China  | 28-May         | 9-Jun       | Graduation/Meetings        |
| Lawrie               | OVC                        | Chancellor        | China  | 28-May         | 9-Jun       | Graduation/Meetings        |
| Adam                 | CAPPE                      | Academic          | Europe/USA   | 9-Jun          | 18-Jul      | Conference                 |
| lem                  | Arts                       | AusAid<br>student | Cambodia   | 24-May         | 3-Jun       | Research                   |
| Davidson             | Science                    | Academic          | USA/Canada   | 4-Jun          | 15-Jun      | Meetings                   |
| Owens                | Education                  | Academic          | PNG  | 28-May         | 14-Jun      | Research                   |
| Skinner              | Science                    | Academic          | Vietnam  | 7-Jun          | 27-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Robson               | Science                    | Academic          | Vietnam  | 29-Jun         | 13-Jul      | Teaching                   |
| Archibald            | Science                    | Guest             | Vietnam  | 15-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Downes               | Education                  | Academic          | Canada   | 10-Jun         | 22-Jun      | Canada Graduation          |
| Behrendt             | Science                    | Academic          | UK   | 11-Jun         | 17-Jul      | Conference/Meetings        |
| Vann                 | OVC                        | VC                | Canada   | 11-Jun         | 16-Jun      | Graduation/Meetings        |
| Groth                | Science                    | PhD student       | USA  | 3-Jun          | 31-Aug      | Research                   |
| Herbert              | Indigenous Studies         | Academic          | UK   | 19-Jun         | 25-Jul      | Conference                 |
| Sar                  | Business                   | Academic          | Denmark  | 10-Jun         | 21-Jun      | Conference                 |
| Croft Piggin         | Education                  | Academic          | Canada   | 15-Jun         | 26-Jun      | Conference                 |
| Murphy               | Education                  | Academic          | Spain/UK   | 23-Jun         | 8-Jul       | Conference                 |
| Amoeteng             | Science                    | PhD student       | Ghana  | 7-Jun          | 4-Oct       | Research                   |
| Linsdell             | Arts                       | Academic          | Canada/UK  | 12-Jun         | 25-Sep      | Meetings/Research          |
| Green                | Arts                       | Academic          | Canada/UK  | 12-Jun         | 25-Sep      | Meetings/Research          |
| Wess                 | Science                    | Academic          | Canada/UK  | 11-Jun         | 20-Jun      | Graduation/Meetings        |
| Denshire             | Education                  | Academic          | UK   | 14-Jun         | 7-Jul       | Conference                 |
| Middleton            | Science                    | Guest             | Nepal  | 13-Jun         | 13-Jul      | Teaching                   |
| Calabrese            | Science                    | Guest             | Nepal  | 1-Jun          | 28-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Powell               | Science                    | Guest             | Bangladesh   | 22-Jun         | 7-Jul       | Teaching                   |
| Ryan                 | Science                    | Guest             | Bangladesh   | 15-Jun         | 29-Jun      | Teaching                   |
| Droulers             | Business                   | Academic          | UK   | 16-Jun         | 29-Jun      | Conference                 |
| Willoughby           | Science                    | Guest             | Vietnam  | 28-Jun         | 16-Jul      | Teaching                   |
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| Vien                 | Science                 | Guest             | Vietnam  | 21-Jun         | 7-Jul       | Teaching         |
| Lloyd                | Education               | Academic          | UK   | 13-Jun         | 2-Jul       | Conference       |
| Sinclair             | Science                 | PhD student       | Norway   | 13-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Conference       |
| McEwen               | Education               | Academic          | UK   | 15-Jun         | 28-Jul      | Conference       |
| McMullen             | Business                | Academic          | UK   | 16-Jun         | 14-Jul      | Conferences      |
| -ord                 | CAPPE                   | Academic          | Netherlands/<br>Portugal   | 16-Jun         | 18-Jul      | Conferences      |
| Blackman             | Science                 | Academic          | USA  | 9-Sep          | 15-Feb      | SSP              |
| Bowles               | Arts                    | Academic          | South Africa   | 24-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Conference       |
| _emerle              | Science                 | Academic          | Turkey/UK  | 20-Jun         | 10-Jul      | Conference       |
| Anyanwu              | Arts                    | Academic          | UK   | 23-Jun         | 2-Jul       | Conference       |
| Vade                 | Science                 | Academic          | Philippines  | 27-Jun         | 17-Jul      | Research         |
| Rahman               | Business                | PhD student       | Indonesia  | 15-Jun         | 19-Jun      | Conference       |
| insdell              | Business                | Academic          | Spain  | 23-Jun         | 1-Jul       | Conference       |
| Guisard              | Science                 | Academic          | France   | 9-Jun          | 16-Jun      | Meetings         |
| lossain              | Science                 | PhD student       | Canada   | 25-Jun         | 4-Jul       | Conference       |
| rede                 | Education               | Academic          | South Africa   | 24-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Conference       |
| Booth                | Finance                 | Admin             | UK   | 24-Jun         | 8-Jul       | Conference       |
| Mendham              | Education               | PhD student       | UK/Spain   | 21-Jun         | 30-Jul      | Conference       |
| Brennan              | Arts                    | Visitor           | ex USA   | 30-Jun         | 5-Jul       | Conference       |
| Peters               | Science                 | Academic          | PNG  | 17-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Research         |
| Raidal               | Science                 | Academic          | PNG  | 17-Jun         | 30-Jun      | Research         |
| oudley               | Education               | Academic          | France   | 24-Jun         | 4-Jul       | Meetings         |
| Bi                   | Business                | Academic          | Korea  | 18-Jun         | 28-Jun      | Conference       |
| Moloney              | International Education | Academic          | Canada   | 16-Jun         | 26-Jun      | Meetings         |
| Gastineau            | CAPPE                   | Academic          | Switzerland  | 20-Jun         | 4-Jul       | Conference       |
| Ceric                | Business                | Academic          | Croatia/Turkey   | 8-Jun          | 7-Jul       | Conference       |
| Qayyum               | Business                | Academic          | UK   | 23-Jun         | 5-Jul       | Conference       |
| Jys                  | DSL                     | Academic          | Fiji   | 25-Jun         | 29-Jun      | Conference       |
| Bone                 | Business                | Academic          | Europe   | 26-Jun         | 14-Jul      | Conference       |
| Carroll              | Education               | Academic          | UK   | 26-Jun         | 12-Jul      | Conference       |
| taire                | Education               | Academic          | Europe   | 28-May         | 14-Jun      | Conference       |
|                      | Education               |                   | •  |                | 13-Jun      |                  |
| Veston               |                         | Academic          | Europe / ISA   | 26-May         | 27-Oct      | Conference       |
| Delahunty            | Education               | Academic          | Europe/USA   | 12-Jun         |             | Conference       |
| Vatson               | Education Science       | Academic Academic | Costa Rica   | 9-Jun          | 2-Jul       | Conference       |
| rancis               |                         |                   | China  | 24-Jun         | 3-Jul       | Conference       |
| rivokapic-Skoko      | Business                | Academic          | Canada   | 2-Jul          | 16-Jul      | Conference       |
| Boland               | Arts                    | Academic          | USA/UK/France  | 24-Jun         | 8-Aug       | Conference       |
| riend                | Science                 | Academic          | USA  | 1-Jul          | 14-Jul      | Conference       |
| Browne               | Science                 | Academic          | USA  | 5-Jul          | 30-Oct      | Teaching         |
| Marino               | Education               | Academic          | Spain  | 25-Jun         | 1-Jul       | Conference       |
| Vinslade             | Education               | Academic          | Fiji   | 24-Jun         | 3-Jul       | Conference       |
| chmidtke             | Science                 | Academic          | France   | 1-Jul          | 15-Jul      | Conference       |
| 1ungai               | Arts                    | Academic          | Malaysia   | 29-Jun         | 4-Jul       | Conference       |
| Pulla                | Arts                    | Academic          | Malaysia   | 28-Jun         | 13-Jul      | Conference       |
| Spence               | Arts/CAPPE              | Academic          | UK/Portugal  | 28-Jun         | 8-Jul       | Conference       |
| ustace               | Business                | Academic          | Hong Kong  | 30-Jun         | 10-Jul      | Teaching         |
| lampton              | Business                | Academic          | Korea  | 7-Jul          | 23-Jul      | Conference       |
| lill                 | Business                | Academic          | Korea  | 7-Jul          | 23-Jul      | Conference       |
| Velsh                | Arts                    | PhD student       | UK   | 26-Jul         | 13-Aug      | Conference       |
| berbach              | Science                 | Academic          | India  | 29-Jun         | 8-Jul       | Meetings         |
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| McGrath              | Business            | Academic          | Japan  | 21-Jul         | 29-Jul      | Conference          |
| Kumar                | Science             | Academic          | Vietnam/India  | 14-Jul         | 6-Aug       | Conference          |
| Campbell             | CAPPE               | Academic          | Brazil   | 16-Jul         | 4-Aug       | Conference          |
| Kulmar               | Business            | Academic          | Netherlands  | 12-Jul         | 21-Jul      | Conference          |
| Suklje               | Science             | Guest             | ex France  | 15-Aug         | 19-Jul      | Visiting Academic   |
| Antalick             | Science             | Guest             | ex France  | 15-Aug         | 19-Jul      | Visiting Academic   |
| Но                   | Student Services    | AusAid<br>student | Vietnam  | 19-Jul         | N/A         | Returning home      |
| lem                  | Arts                | AusAid<br>student | Cambodia   | 27-Jul         | N/A         | Returning home      |
| McGarry              | Science             | Academic          | UK   | 31-Aug         | 15-Sep      | Conference          |
| Caroline             | Education           | PhD student       | UK/Spain   | 20-Jun         | 15-Jul      | Conference          |
| Chapple              | Science             | Academic          | Turkey   | 26-Aug         | 7-Sep       | Conference          |
| Rana                 | Science             | PhD student       | Nepal  | 10-Jul         | 18-Oct      | Research            |
| Eustace              | Business            | Academic          | USA  | 19-Jul         | 3-Aug       | Conference          |
| Begum                | AGSPS               | AusAid<br>student | Pakistan   | 7-Jul          |             | Returning home      |
| Demskoy              | Business            | Academic          | UK   | 6-Jul          | 16-Jul      | Conference          |
| Burmeister           | Business            | Academic          | Germany  | 11-Jul         | 6-Dec       | SSP                 |
| Condon               | Business            | Academic          | Vietnam  | 20-Jul         | 28-Jul      | Conference          |
| Higgins              | Arts                | Academic          | Italy/UK   | 23-Jul         | 9-Aug       | Conference          |
| Ramsay               | Science             | Academic          | India  | 13-Jul         | 28-Jul      | Research            |
| Bryant               | Science             | Academic          | Italy  | 23-Jul         | 9-Aug       | Conference          |
| -<br>-rimpong        | Science             | Student           | Kotoka   | 29-Jul         |             | Returning home      |
| Chidwala             | Science             | Student           | Africa   | 20-Jul         |             | Returning home      |
| Orump                | DIT                 | Admin             | Canada/USA   | 22-Jul         | 30-Aug      | CSU Ontario         |
| Cumming              | Education           | PhD student       | UK   | 20-Jul         | 28-Jul      | Conference          |
| Walsh                | Arts                | Academic          | USA  | 18-Jul         | 27-Jul      | Conference          |
| Bush                 | Business            | Academic          | China  | 22-Jul         | 31-Jul      | Meetings            |
| Wynn                 | Science             | Academic          | China  | 25-Jul         | 30-Jul      | Conference          |
| Edwards Groves       | Education           | Academic          | Canada   | 31-Jul         | 13-Aug      | Conference          |
| Wade                 | Science             | Academic          | Laos   | 31-Jul         | 13-Aug      | Conference          |
| Sumsion              | RIPPLE              | Academic          | UK   | 18-Jul         | 2-Aug       | Conference          |
|                      | OIR                 | Academic          | China  | 20-Jul         | 26-Jul      | Meetings            |
| Steinke              | OIR                 | Academic          | China  | 20-Jul         | 27-Jul      | Meetings            |
| Millar               | Science             | Academic          | Laos   | 26-Jul         | 9-Aug       | Conference          |
| Yi                   | Education           | Academic          | Singapore  | 16-Aug         | 24-Aug      | Conference          |
| Deloire              | NWGIC               | Academic          | France   | 25-Jun         | 13-Jul      | Conference          |
| Howard               | CAPPE               | Visitor           | ex USA   | 2-Aug          | 7-Aug       | Conference          |
| Lucas                | CAPPE               | Visitor           | ex USA   | 2-Aug          | 10-Aug      | Conference          |
| Yannakogeorgos       | CAPPE               | Visitor           | ex USA   | 1-Aug          | 9-Aug       | Conference          |
| Owens                | Education           | Academic          | PNG  | 2-Aug          | 23-Sep      | Research            |
| Gurr                 | SAWS                | Academic          | Philippines  | 28-Jul         | 1-Aug       | Conference          |
| Scriven              | Education           | PhD student       | Canada   | 3-Aug          | 16-Aug      | Conference          |
| Davidson             | Education           | Academic          | Canada   | 3-Aug          | 16-Aug      | Conference          |
| Hamilton             | CAPPE               | VC-Chair          | UK, France   | 31-Jul         | 3-Dec       | Research            |
| Masso                | Education           | PhD student       | Italy  | 2-Aug          | 1-Sep       | Conference          |
| Cowdell              | PACT                | Academic          | USA  | 1-Jul          | 24-Jul      | Conference          |
| McLeod               | RIPPLE              | Academic          | Canada/Turkey  | 4-Aug          | 5-Sep       | Conferences         |
| O'Connell            | Education           | Academic          | Indonesia/Singapore  | 9-Aug          | 9-Sep       | Conference/Teaching |
| Finlayson            | ILWS                | Academic          | Budapest   | 2-Aug          | 12-Aug      | Conference          |
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| Fowler               | Science               | PhD student                   | Turkey/Germany   | 10-Aug                     | 24-Sep                                | Conference/Research            |
| Mukhopdhyay          | Science               | PhD student                   | Brazil   | 6-Aug                      | 19-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Quansah              | Science               | Academic                      | USA  | 10-Aug                     | 28-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Clulow               | Science               | Academic                      | USA  | 30-Jul                     | 15-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Locker               | Science               | Admin                         | Laos   | 3-Aug                      | 11-Aug                                | Meetings                       |
| Wang                 | RIPPLE                | Academic                      | ex USA   | 7-Aug-13                   | 15-Aug                                | Relocation                     |
| Bi                   | Business              | Academic                      | USA  | 7-Aug                      | 16-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Tane                 | Science               | Academic                      | Cambodia   | 6-Jul                      | 22-Jul                                | CSU Global                     |
| Chan                 | Business              | Academic                      | Malaysia   | 2-Jul                      | 15-Jul                                | CSU Global                     |
| Willsher             | St Martins            | Academic                      | Fiji   | 23-Jun                     | 30-Jun                                | CSU Global                     |
| Blaikie              | Arts                  | Academic                      | East Timor   | 28-Jun                     | 10-Jul                                | CSU Global                     |
| Small                | Business              | Academic                      | China  | 23-Jun                     | 6-Jul                                 | CSU Global                     |
| Telfser              | Science               | Academic                      | China  | 23-Jun                     | 7-Jul                                 | CSU Global                     |
| Kemp                 | Science               | Academic                      | China  | 23-Jun                     | 7-Jul                                 | CSU Global                     |
| Phuah                | Science               | PhD student                   | USA  | 7-Jun                      | 9-Jul                                 | Conference                     |
| MacDonald            | Education             | Academic                      | Sweden   | 12-Aug                     | 28-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Owens                | Science               | Academic                      | USA  | 3-Aug                      | 25-Aug                                | Training                       |
| Eberbach             | Science               | Academic                      | Laos   | 2-Aug                      | 12-Aug                                | Meetings                       |
| Combes               | Education             | Academic                      | Singapore  | 16-Aug                     | 23-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Jeffries             | DIT                   | Admin                         | Canada   | 17-Aug                     | 8-Sep                                 | CSU Ontario                    |
| Wintle               | Science               | Academic                      | Canada   | 12-Aug                     | 22-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Tyson                | Arts                  | Academic                      | Malaysia   | 8-Aug                      | 13-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Smallbone            | Science               | PhD student                   | UK   | 16-Aug                     | 1-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Kamal                | Science               | PhD student                   | China/Bangladesh   | 23-Aug                     | 21-Sep                                | Conference                     |
| Kerr                 | Science               | Academic                      | Pakistan   | 15-Aug                     | 28-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Tufail               | Science               | PhD student                   | ex Pakistan  | 22-Aug                     | 10-Oct                                | Conference                     |
| Amoabeng             | Science               | AusAid<br>student             | Ghana  | 10-Aug                     | 10 000                                | Returning home                 |
| Ash                  | Science               | Academic                      | China  | 21-Aug                     | 31-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Scifleet             | Education             | Academic                      | Denmark  | 16-Aug                     | 25-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Carroll              | Education             | Academic                      | Singapore  | 17-Aug                     | 23-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Kopf                 | Science               | Academic                      | UK   | 16-Aug                     | 25-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Hopps                | Education             | PhD student                   | Sweden/Estonia   | 17-Aug                     | 2-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Masters              | Education             | PhD student                   | Sweden/Estonia   | 17-Aug                     | 2-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Goff                 | Education             | PhD student                   | Sweden/Estonia   | 12-Aug                     | 2-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Lipu                 | Education             | Academic                      | Singapore  | 16-Aug                     | 26-Aug                                | Conference                     |
| Tribolet             | Education             | Academic                      | Estonia  | 20-Aug                     | 3-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Middlemost           | Research              | Admin                         | UK/Spain   | 25-Aug                     | 13-Sep                                | Conference/Meetings            |
| Adorada              | Science               | Academic                      | China  | 23-Aug                     | 1-Sep                                 | Conference                     |
| Samdup               | ILWS                  | Visitor                       | ex Bhutan  | 9-Aug                      | 21-Aug                                | Meetings                       |
| Wade                 | Science               | Academic                      | Italy  | 9-Aug<br>17-Aug            | 10-Sep                                | Conference                     |
| Brabazon             | Education             | HOS                           | Canada   | 20-Aug                     | 10-Sep                                |                                |
| Brain                | Theology              | Academic                      | UK   | 20-Aug<br>28-Aug           | 13-Sep                                | Meetings  Conference           |
| Namgay               | Science               | Academic<br>AusAid<br>student | Bhutan   | 29-Aug                     | 4-Oct                                 | Home visit                     |
| Lowrie               | RIPPLE                | Academic                      | Germany/USA  | 24-Aug                     | 23-Sep                                | Conference/Meetings            |
| Dunston              | Science               | PhD student                   | Zimbabwe   | 24-Aug                     | 23-Sep                                | Research                       |
| McGovern             | Business              | Academic                      | China  | 30-Aug                     | 29-Sep                                | Teaching                       |
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|                      | Business              | Academic                      | China  | 31-Aua                     | 10-Sen                                | Conference                     |
| Zheng                | Business              | Academic<br>Academic          | China  | 31-Aug<br>25-Aug           | 10-Sep                                | Conference                     |
|                      | Business ILWS Science | Academic Academic PhD student | China Indonesia Zimbabwe   | 31-Aug<br>25-Aug<br>28-Aug | 10-Sep<br>31-Aug<br>20-Dec            | Conference Conference Research |

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| Wess                 | Science             | Exec Dean         | UK   | 21-Aug                                | 3-Sep           | Relocation                     |
| Myers                | Business            | Academic          | China  | 31-Aug                                | 29-Sep          | Teaching                       |
| Bush                 | Business            | Academic          | Cambodia   | 28-Aug                                | 4-Sep           | Teaching                       |
| Hillman              | Education           | Academic          | Turkey/Sweden  | 5-Sep                                 | 2-Oct           | Conference                     |
| Harrison             | Education           | Academic          | Switzerland  | 2-Sep                                 | 13-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Pulla                | Arts                | Academic          | Nepal/India  | 5-Sep                                 | 21-Sep          | Research                       |
| Curtis               | ILWS                | Academic          | Canada   | 30-Aug                                | 15-Sep          | Research                       |
| Major                | Education           | Academic          | Turkey/UK  | 7-Sep                                 | 26-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Esdaile              | ILWS                | Guest             | Tanzania   | 6-Sep                                 | 1-Oct           | Research                       |
| Easton               | Science             | Academic          | Italy/Estonia  | 22-Aug                                | 22-Sep          | Conference                     |
| McCormack            | Science             | Academic          | UK/Italy/Estonia   | 17-Aug                                | 4-Sep           | Conference                     |
| Mackay               | Science             | Academic          | UK   | 15-Aug                                | 17-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Lawrence             | Arts                | Academic          | UK   | 11-Sep                                | 22-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Gibbons              | Education           | Academic          | UK/Turkey/Sweden/<br>Canada  | 4-Sep                                 | 25-Sep          | Conference/Meetings            |
| Wilkes               | Science             | Academic          | UK   | 7-Sep                                 | 25-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Knipe                | Education           | Academic          | Turkey   | 5-Sep                                 | 21-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Burgess              | Education           | Academic          | Turkey   | 5-Sep                                 | 21-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Van Duinen           | Arts                | Academic          | UK   | 3-Sep                                 | 10-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Steen                | Business            | Academic          | Cambodia   | 30-Aug                                | 4-Sep           | Teaching                       |
| Jackson              | Science             | Academic          | Laos   | 14-Sep                                | Ongoing Project | Research                       |
| Lesser               | Business            | Academic          | China  | 31-Aug                                | 15-Sep          | Teaching                       |
| Bowker               | Arts                | Academic          | Italy/France   | 16-Nov                                | 3-Jan           | Research                       |
| Davidson             | Education           | Academic          | India  | 7-Sep                                 | 16-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Scriven              | Education           | PhD student       | India  | 7-Sep                                 | 16-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Finlayson            | ILWS                | Academic          | Chile  | 7-Sep                                 | 17-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Smith                | Science             | Academic          | Nepal  | 14-Sep                                | 22-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Heller               | Science             | Academic          | UK, Italy  | 9-Sep                                 | 23-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Hughes               | Science             | Academic          | UK   | 7-Sep                                 | 23-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Miller               | CAPPE               | Guest             | ex USA   | 1-Sep                                 | 8-Sep           | Conference                     |
| Ford                 | CAPPE               | Academic          | USA  | 5-Sep                                 | 22-Sep          | Teaching                       |
| Wang                 | Science             | Academic          | Spain  | 13-Sep                                | 23-Sep          | Conference                     |
|                      | Science             | Academic          | England/Ireland  | 12-Sep                                | 18-Oct          | Meetings                       |
| Sangster<br>Clark    | Science             | Academic          | Spain/France   | 18-Sep                                | 15-Oct          | Conference                     |
|                      |                     |                   | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·                              | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | 28-Sep          |                                |
| Watson<br>Hicks      | Science<br>Business | Academic Academic | Belgium Switzerland/ Singapore                                     | 11-Sep<br>5-Dec                       | 12-Jan-14       | Conference Teaching/Conference |
| Sumsion              | Education           | Academic          | Malaysia   | 7-Sep                                 | 13-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Walsh                | Business            | Academic          | China  | 12-Sep                                | 29-Sep          | Teaching                       |
| Durur                | OVC                 | Admin             | Turkey   | 6-Sep                                 | 30-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Clark                | Science             | Academic          | France   | 18-Sep                                | 15-Oct          | Teaching                       |
| Williamson           | Education           | Academic          | Italy  | 2-Oct                                 | 1-Nov           | Conference                     |
| Perez Mujica         | Science             | Academic          | Greece   | 21-Sep                                | 30-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Weckert              | CAPPE               | Academic          | Norway/Philippines   | 23-Sep                                | 16-Oct          | Meetings                       |
| Renzo                | CAPPE               | Academic          | ex UK  | 30-Jun                                | 26-Jul          | Conference                     |
| Powell               | Education           | PhD student       | Turkey   | 6-Sep                                 | 17-Sep          | Conference                     |
| Jackson              | Science             | Academic          | Laos   | 8-Jan                                 | Ongoing project | Research                       |
|                      | Science             | Academic          | USA  | 23-Sep                                | 3-Oct           | Conference                     |
| Weston               | Business            |                   | China  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |                 |                                |
| Bush                 |                     | Academic          |  | 17-Sep                                | 29-Sep          | Meetings                       |
| Pointon              | Education           | Academic          | Thailand   | 20-Oct                                | 31-Oct          | Conference                     |
| Sheridan(Fernandes)  | Arts                | Academic          | UK   | 6-Oct                                 | 16-Dec          | Research                       |
| White                | Business            | Academic          | China  | 22-Sep                                | 24-Sep          | Meetings                       |

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| Ward         Arts         Academic Indonesia         27-Sep         4-0c           Hill         International Education         Academic Singapore/Malaysia         26-Sep         13-O           McGill         Science         Academic Pakistan         26-Sep         15-O           Thomson         Science         Guest Pakistan         2-Oct         18-O           Loyd Zantiotis         Education         Academic Cinkey         18-Oct         28-O           Duan         Business         Academic Singapore         27-Sep         6-Oc           Vanniasinkam         Science         Academic Julk         28-Sep         11-Oct           McMillan         Science         Academic Julk         28-Sep         11-Oct         21-Oct           Huang         Business         Academic Julk         28-Sep         11-Oct         20-O           Haire         Arts         Academic Julk         19-Oct         20-O           Haire         Arts         Academic Julk         19-Oct         20-O           Haire         Arts         Academic Julk         19-Oct         20-O           Bull         Business         Academic Julk         19-Oct         20-O           Bull         Business   | 8-Sep           | Meetings            |
| Hill   | 5-Sep           | Meetings            |
| McGill   Science   | -Oct            | Teaching            |
| Thomson  | 3-Oct           | Conference          |
| Blewitt         Arts         Academic         China         23-Sep         28-Sep           Loyd Zantiotis         Education         Academic         Turkey         18-Oct         28-O           Duan         Business         Academic         Singapore         27-Sep         6-Oc           Avaniasinkam         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oc           McMillan         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oc           Wynn         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oc           Huang         Business         Academic         USA         12-Oct         20-Oc           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oc           Kennan         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         28-Oc           Kennan         Education         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         28-Oc           Condon         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         28-Oc           Condon         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         28-Oc           Cariffin         Finance  | 5-Oct           | Meetings            |
| Lloyd Zantiotis         Education         Academic         Turkey         18-Oct         28-Oct           Duan         Business         Academic         Singapore         27-Sep         6-Oc           Vanniasinkam         Science         Academic         Spain         25-Oct         1-No           McMillan         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oct           Wynn         Science         Academic         China         14-Oct         21-Oct           Huang         Business         Academic         USA         12-Oct         20-Oct           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Bull         Business         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Kennan         Education         Academic         Londad/UK         19-Oct         28-Oct           Lemerle         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         28-Oct           Condon         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         20-Oct           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-Oct           Finlayson         ILWS  | 6-Oct           | Meetings            |
| Duan         Business         Academic         Singapore         27-Sep         6-Oct           Vanniasinkam         Science         Academic         Spain         25-Oct         1-No           McMillan         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oct           Wynn         Science         Academic         USA         12-Oct         20-Oct           Huarg         Business         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Kennan         Education         Academic         Long Kong         24-Oct         30-Oct           Kennan         Education         Academic         Malaysia         15-Oct         25-Oct           Condon         Science         Academic         Malaysia         15-Oct         25-Oct           Condon         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-Oct           Griffil         Finance         A  | 8-Sep           | Teaching            |
| Vanniasinkam         Science         Academic         Spain         25-Oct         1-No           McMillan         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oct         21-Oct           Wynn         Science         Academic         USA         12-Oct         21-Oct         21-Oct         21-Oct         21-Oct         20-Oct         22-Oct         20-Oct         28-Oct          | 8-Oct           | Conference          |
| McMillan         Science         Academic         UK         28-Sep         11-Oct         21-Oct           Wynn         Science         Academic         China         14-Oct         21-Oct         22-Oct         22-Oct         28-Oct         38-Oct         28-Oct         38-Oct         38-Oct         28-Oct         38-Oct         38-Oct         38-Oct         38-Oct | -Oct            | Conference          |
| Wynn         Science         Academic         China         14-Oct         21-Oct           Huang         Business         Academic         USA         12-Oct         20-Oct           Haire         Arts         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Bull         Business         Academic         USA         11-Oct         20-Oct           Bull         Business         Academic         USA         11-Oct         28-O           Kennan         Education         Academic         Canada/UK         19-Oct         30-N           Lemerle         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         30-O           Doughty         Science         Academic         Wietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         15-Oct         25-O           Condon         Science         Academic         Wietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         15-Oct         25-Oct           Condon         Science         Academic         Wora         6-Oct         12-Oct           Griffin         Finance         Academic         Wora         6-Oct         12-Oct           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Bu   | -Nov            | Conference          |
| Huang   Business   Academic   USA   12-Oct   20-Oct  | 1-Oct           | Conference          |
| Haire  | 1-Oct           | Conference          |
| Bull         Business         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         28-Oct           Kennan         Education         Academic         Canada/UK         19-Oct         30-N           Lemerle         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         26-O           Doughty         Science         Academic         Wietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Laird         Science         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Carroll         Arts         Acade   | 0-Oct           | Conference          |
| Kennan         Education         Academic         Canada/UK         19-Oct         30-N           Lemerle         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         26-O           Doughty         Science         Academic         Malaysia         15-Oct         25-O           Condon         Science         Academic         Vietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         31-O           Edgeworth         Education  | 0-Oct           | Conference          |
| Kennan         Education         Academic         Canada/UK         19-Oct         30-N           Lemerle         Science         Academic         Indonesia         22-Oct         26-O           Doughty         Science         Academic         Malaysia         15-Oct         25-O           Condon         Science         Academic         Vietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Brenner         A  | 8-Oct           | Conference          |
| Doughty         Science         Academic         Malaysia         15-Oct         25-Oct           Condon         Science         Academic         Vietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         Uhang Kong         24-Oct         29-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         31-O           Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Bremner         Arts         Academic         HNG         19-Oct         17-No           Owens         Education         Academic   | 0-Nov           | SSP/Conference      |
| Condon         Science         Academic         Vietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-Oct           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Owens         Education         Academic         PNG         19-Oct         17-No           Owens         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science  | 6-Oct           | Conference          |
| Condon         Science         Academic         Vietnam/Laos/<br>Cambodia         16-Oct         2-No           Laird         Science         Academic         USA         2-Oct         30-O           Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-O           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-Oct           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-No           Owens         Education         Academic         PNG         19-Oct         17-No           Owens         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science  | 5-Oct           | Conference/Meetings |
| Finlayson         ILWS         Academic         Korea         6-Oct         12-Oct           Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-No           Owens         Education         Academic         PNG         19-Oct         1-De           Ansell         Marketing         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science         PhD student         Taiwan/Canada/USA         19-Oct         11-D           Crowe         RIPPLE         A  |                 | Research            |
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| Griffin         Finance         Admin         Hong Kong         22-Oct         3-No           Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         31-O           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-No           Owens         Education         Academic         PNG         19-Oct         1-De           Ansell         Marketing         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science         PhD student         Nepal         23-Oct         12-D           Strappe         Science         Academic         USA         1-Nov         11-D           Crowe         RIPPLE         Academic  | 2-Oct           | Workshop            |
| Chan         Business         Academic         USA         21-Oct         31-O           McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-O           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-N           Owens         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science         PhD student         Nepal         23-Oct         12-D           Strappe         Science         Academic         China         22-Oct         31-O           Verdon         RIPPLE         PhD student         Taiwan/Canada/USA         19-Oct         11-D           Crowe         RIPPLE         Academic  |                 | Graduation          |
| McCausland         Education         Academic         China         20-Oct         29-Oct           Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         Japan         21-Oct         31-O           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-N           Owens         Education         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-N           Owens         Education         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Ansell         Marketing         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science         PhD student         Nepal         23-Oct         12-D           Strappe         Science         Academic         China         22-Oct         31-O           Verdon         RIPPLE         PhD student         Taiwan/Canada/USA         19-Oct         11-D           Crowe         RIPPLE         Academic         USA         1-Nov         20-N           Willett         OVC  | 1-Oct           | Conference          |
| Carroll         Arts         Academic         Hong Kong         24-Oct         6-No           Francis         Science         Academic         Japan         21-Oct         31-O           Edgeworth         Education         Academic         UK         29-Oct         25-N           Bremner         Arts         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-N           Owens         Education         Academic         UK         20-Oct         17-N           Owens         Education         Academic         PNG         19-Oct         1-De           Ansell         Marketing         Academic         Hong Kong         21-Oct         28-O           Sherry         Science         PhD student         Nepal         23-Oct         12-D           Strappe         Science         Academic         USA         19-Oct         11-D           Crowe         RIPPLE         Academic         USA         1-Nov         20-N           Willett         OVC         Chancellor         Hong Kong         23-Oct         28-O           Thompson         Education         Academic         Laos         14-Oct         Ongo           Namgay         Science         Academic <td>9-Oct</td> <td>Conference</td>   | 9-Oct           | Conference          |
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| Clayton RIPPLE Academic Europe 30-Oct 20-N Brennan Kemmis Education Academic Europe 30-Oct 26-N  |                 | Conference/Research |
| Brennan Kemmis Education Academic Europe 30-Oct 26-N   |                 | Research            |
| <u>-</u>   |                 | Conference/Research |
| Kemmis Education Academic Europe 30-Oct 26-N   |                 | Conference/Research |
| ·  | 9-Nov           | Conference/Research |
| Green Education Academic Europe 30-Oct 19-N Bristol Education Academic Europe 30-Oct 4-De  |                 | Conference/Research |
| <u> </u>   | Dec<br>0-Nov    | Conference/Research |

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| Edwards Groves       | Education                  | Academic          | Europe   | 30-Oct         | 26-Nov      | Conference/Research |
| Cavanagh             | International<br>Education | PVC               | Hong Kong  | 20-Oct         | 26-Oct      | Graduation/Meetings |
| Francisco            | Education                  | Academic          | Europe   | 30-Oct         | 26-Nov      | Conference          |
| Langat               | Education                  | Academic          | Europe   | 30-Oct         | 24-Nov      | Conference          |
| Steinke              | International<br>Education | Admin             | Hong Kong  | 21-Oct         | 26-Oct      | Graduation/Meetings |
| Thiruvarudchelvan    | Business                   | PhD student       | Korea  | 2-Nov          | 9-Nov       | Conference          |
| Geoff                | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 28-Sep         | 7-Oct       | Conference          |
| McMillam             | Science                    | Academic          | UK   | 28-Sep         | 11-Oct      | Conference          |
| Swarbrick            | Science                    | Academic          | Japan  | 3-Nov          | 16-Nov      | Conference          |
| Quinn                | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 7-Nov          | 16-Nov      | Conference          |
| Al Saggaf            | Business                   | Academic          | Japan  | 7-Nov          | 12-Nov      | Conference          |
| Barnett              | Business                   | Academic          | ex UK  | 7-Nov          | 9-Dec       | Research            |
| Heler                | CAPPE                      | Academic          | Japan  | 30-Oct         | 5-Nov       | Conference          |
| Wade                 | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 1-Nov          | 9-Nov       | Conference          |
| Pymm                 | Education                  | Academic          | Hong Kong  | 3-Nov          | 11-Nov      | Teaching            |
| Soltanzadeh          | Arts                       | Academic          | Japan  | 31-Oct         | 5-Nov       | Conference          |
| Rodriguez Valdez     | Arts                       | Academic          | Japan  | 31-Oct         | 5-Nov       | Conference          |
| Henschke             | CAPPE                      | Academic          | USA  | 13-Oct         | 19-Oct      | Conference          |
| Ford                 | CAPPE                      | Academic          | USA  | 13-Oct         | 19-Oct      | Conference          |
|                      | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 2-Nov          | 10-Nov      | Conference          |
| Dassanayke<br>Wilson | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 1-Nov          | 8-Nov       | Conference          |
| _                    |                            |                   |  |                |             |                     |
| Szepessy             | Arts                       | PhD student       | USA  | 19-Nov         | 2-Dec       | Conference          |
| Garrison             | Education                  | Academic          | USA  | 8-Nov          | 3-Feb-14    | Conference/Research |
| Van Heeswyk          | Business                   | Academic          | China  | 7-Nov          | 25-Nov      | Teaching            |
| Bush                 | Business                   | Academic          | China  | 7-Nov          | 17-Nov      | Teaching            |
| McGovern             | Business                   | Academic          | China  | 10-Nov         | 9-Dec       | Teaching            |
| McKinnon             | Arts                       | Academic          | China  | 9-Nov          | 16-Nov      | Meetings            |
| Nabi                 | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 9-Nov          | 23-Nov      | Conference          |
| Mohamed              | Science                    | AusAid<br>student | Maldives   | 8-Nov          | 16-Feb      | Reunion visit       |
| Jamal                | Science                    | AusAid<br>student | Maldives   | 8-Nov          | 16-Feb      | Reunion visit       |
| David                | Science                    | AusAid<br>student | Fiji   | 11-Nov         | 24-Feb      | Reunion visit       |
| Denyer Simmons       | Arts                       | Academic          | Thailand   | 15-Nov         | 25-Nov      | Conference          |
| O'Brien              | Arts                       | Academic          | Singapore  | 30-Oct         | 3-Nov       | Conference          |
| Taylor               | Science                    | Academic          | Nepal  | 14-Nov         | 10-Jan      | CSU Global/Research |
| McLeod               | Education                  | Academic          | USA  | 11-Nov         | 19-Nov      | Conference          |
| McKenzie             | EFPI                       | Academic          | Spain  | 16-Nov         | 26-Nov      | Conference          |
| Kemp                 | Science                    | Academic          | China  | 3-Nov          | 29-Nov      | Research            |
| Michalk              | Science                    | Visitor           | China  | 3-Nov          | 24-Nov      | Research            |
| Cavanagh             | OIR                        | DVC               | India  | 6-Nov          | 17-Nov      | Meetings            |
| Langford             | Science                    | Visitor           | China  | 8-Nov          | 29-Nov      | Research            |
| Chinkwo              | Science                    | Academic          | USA  | 15-Nov         | 26-Nov      | Conference          |
| Behrendt             | Science                    | Academic          | China  | 12-Nov         | 25-Nov      | Research            |
| Tribolet             | Education                  | Academic          | Sweden/UK  | 13-Nov         | 11-Dec      | Conference          |
| Но                   | RIPPLE                     | Academic          | Singapore/Malaysia   | 8-Nov          | 21-Nov      | Conference          |
| Torregrosa           | Science                    | Visitor           | ex France  | 12-Nov         | 28-Nov      | Meetings/Research   |
| Rohman               | Science                    | PhD student       | Indonesia  | 15-Nov         | 30-Jun      | Research            |
| Jenkins              | Science                    | Academic          | Sudan  | 21-Nov         | 29-Nov      | Conference          |
|                      |                            |                   |  |                |             |                     |
| Sarker               | Science                    | PhD student       | Sarker   | 18-Nov         | 28-Nov      | Conference/Research |

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| Hampton              | International<br>Education | Academic    | India  | 14-Nov         | 23-Nov          | Meetings                  |
| Francis              | Science                    | Academic    | Malaysia   | 16-Nov         | 22-Nov          | Workshop                  |
| Condon               | Science                    | Academic    | Vietnam  | 25-Nov         | 30-Nov          | Research                  |
| Walsh                | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 21-Nov         | 8-Dec           | Teaching                  |
| Pak                  | Science                    | Academic    | Singapore  | 16-Nov         | 23-Nov          | Conference                |
| Mamun                | Business                   | Academic    | Taiwan   | 18-Nov         | 24-Nov          | Conference                |
| Garnett              | Science                    | Academic    | Vietnam  | 25-Nov         | 7-Mar-14        | Research                  |
| Myers                | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 6-Nov          | 7-Dec           | Teaching                  |
| Wade                 | Science                    | Academic    | China/Laos   | 16-Nov         | 30-Nov          | Meetings                  |
| Pawar                | Arts                       | Academic    | China  | 23-Nov         | 29-Nov          | Conference                |
| Maria                | Science                    | Academic    | New Zealand  | 1-Nov          | 16-Nov          | CSU Global                |
| Brewster             | Science                    | Academic    | New Zealand  | 1-Nov          | 16-Nov          | CSU Global                |
| Tyson                | Arts                       | Academic    | Macau  | 16-Nov         | 1-Dec           | CSU Global                |
| Hill                 | Education                  | Academic    | Vanuatu  | 26-Oct         | 17-Nov          | CSU Global                |
| Woods                | Education                  | Academic    | Solomon Islands  | 26-Oct         | 17-Nov          | CSU Global                |
| Poole                | Education                  | Academic    | Nepal  | 10-Nov         | 3-Dec           | CSU Global                |
| Dillion              | Education                  | Academic    | India  | 14-Nov         | 9-Dec           | CSU Global                |
| Stodart              | Science                    | Academic    | Thailand/Cambodia/<br>Laos   | 17-Nov         | 26-Nov          | Meetings                  |
| Gao                  | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 1-Dec          | 4-Feb-14        | Research                  |
| Kent                 | Business                   | Academic    | Canada   | 16-Nov         | 24-Nov          | Meetings                  |
| White                | Business                   | Academic    | Canada   | 18-Nov         | 24-Nov          | Meetings                  |
| Lesser               | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 23-Nov         | 8-Dec           | Teaching                  |
| Weckert              | CAPPE                      | Academic    | Thailand   | 27-Nov         | 2-Dec           | Conference                |
| Nekwaya              | Science                    | Student     | Namibia  | 29-Nov         | N/A             | Administration            |
| Bush                 | Business                   | Academic    | Cambodia   | 28-Nov         | 4-Dec           | Teaching                  |
| Browne               | Arts                       | Academic    | Singapore  | 7-Dec          | 15-Dec          | Conference                |
| Gurr                 | Science                    | Academic    | China  | 21-Nov         | 16-Dec          | Research                  |
| Bhanugopan           | Business                   | Academic    | Netherlands/<br>Germany  | 6-Dec          | 17-Dec          | Conferences               |
| Sharp                | Education                  | Visitor     | ex UK  | 1-Feb-13       | 15-Feb-14       | Meetings                  |
| Gao                  | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 1-Dec          | 5-Feb-14        | Research                  |
| Pulla                | Arts                       | Academic    | India  | 2-Dec          | 24-Dec          | Research/Conference       |
| Roberts              | Science                    | Academic    | Micronesia   | 13-Feb-13      | 28-Feb-14       | Research                  |
| Sulikowski           | Arts                       | Academic    | UK   | 1-Dec          | 13-Dec          | Conference                |
| Aslam                | Science                    | PhD student | ex Pakistan  | 30-Nov         | Ongoing project | Conference                |
| Rahman               | Business                   | Academic    | Bangladesh   | 3-Dec          | 28-Dec          | Conference                |
| Crawford             | Business                   | Academic    | Guatemala/Chile/<br>USA/Cuba                                       | 5-Dec          | 17-Jan-14       | Conference/Research       |
| Hossain              | Business                   | PhD student | Hong Kong/<br>Bangladesh   | 19-Dec         | N/A             | Conference/Returning home |
| Islam                | Business                   | Academic    | China  | 13-Dec         | 18-Dec          | Conference                |
| Trede                | Education                  | Academic    | Germany  | 17-Dec         | 28-Jan-14       | Conference                |
| Spennemann           | Science                    | Academic    | France   | 7-Dec-13       | 6-Dec-14        | SSP                       |
| Budd                 | HR                         | Visitor     | ex USA   | 10-Dec         | 15-Jan-14       | Visiting Academic         |
| Kalle                | Science                    | Academic    | Thailand   | 21-Dec         | 22-Jan-14       | Conference                |
|                      |                            |             |  |                |                 |                           |
| Hall                 | Education                  | Academic    | Barbados   | 16-Oct         | 14-Feb-14       | Research/Conference       |

# Stakeholders and Consumers

#### ITEM 12 NEW PUBLICATIONS

#### Handbooks and Manuals

- CSU Handbook (published electronically)
- Academic Manual (published electronically)
- Brand Policy and Procedures (published electronically)
- Brand Guidelines (published electronically)

#### Corporate Documents and Reports

- 2012 Annual Report to Parliament
- University Strategy 2013-2015
- · Consolidated Budget

#### Prospectuses / Study Guides Undergraduate and Postgraduate

- on campus and distance education publications
- Undergraduate guide for study in 2014 (on campus and distance education) - 'your first degree'
- Postgraduate guide for study in 2014 'your next step'
- Choose Your Career Year 10 Information Guide
- TAFE materials CU@CSU and events materials

# International publications

- International prospectus 2014
- CSU Study Centre prospectus
- International fees list (printed and online)
- International fees lists for Canada and the UK (electronic)
- International Partners and IRR marketing procedures/guidelines, plus materials
- Pre-departure guide (electronic)

# Other publications and materials

- Making University Affordable booklet
- CSU Scholarships brochure
- CSU Pathways to CSU brochure
- ATAR cut-off sheet
- MyDay Calendar
- Choose Your Career Year 10 poster
- CSU Testamur
- a range of publications for specific services within the University, including STUDY LINK, various Schools and Divisions, CSU Green, CSU Training, Indigenous Student Services
- a range of course flyers across all faculties
- Graduation Ceremony materials; tickets and programs for each Campus - both CSU and CSU Training
- Vice-Chancellor's Awards materials (banners, posters, e-postcard, certificates)
- HR documents shadowing; mentoring; preparing for employment documents; PM&DS documents; Your Voice survey materials
- Academic Support documents
- Port Macquarie courses/campus brochure
- a range of promotional banners, posters, fridge magnets, signage, postcards, calendars, stickers and certificates
- a range of advertising support materials (posters, postcards, e-postcards, magnets, bookmarks)
- CSU Winery newsletters
- Change of preference materials letters; booklet; postcard; magnet
- PREP materials letters: invitation: cake artwork: certificates

#### ITEM 13 PRIVACY AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

The University has a Privacy Management Plan (PMP) to ensure continued compliance with the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 (NSW) (PPIPA). A full review of the University's PMP was undertaken in 2012 and the revised PMP was approved by the Vice-Chancellor in October 2012 and included in the Administration Manual in late 2012. The revised PMP has been the subject of educational sessions provided by the University Ombudsman. Notification to staff, through the internal news site and social networking site, has been undertaken to alert staff to the revision of the PMP. One complaint of Breach of Privacy was addressed through an Internal Review as per the PPIPA. No breach of privacy was identified. The University has also reviewed the PMP in relation to the Privacy Act 1988 (Clth) and the Privacy Amendment (Enhancing Privacy Protection) Act 2012 (Clth). The adaptation of the University's PMP to the Australian Privacy Principles has been determined, recognising that as the University receives significant Commonwealth funding the Commonwealth Act is also applicable to the University's dealings and that the Privacy Regulation 2013 commences on 14 March 2014. The Ombudsman has undertaken Privacy Assessments as part of the new technology assessment process for the University. Issues with the standard format of some software have been identified and access restricted to only University staff where potential to breach privacy was assessed as being likely.

# ITEM 14 RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE OMBUDSMAN OR AUDITOR-GENERAL

There have been no matters raised that may pose a significant financial or operational risk to the University.

# ITEM 15 ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Government Information (Public Access) Regulation 2009 - Schedule 2

Annual Review of Information made available:

The University has maintained ongoing review of the links to the Administrative and Academic Manuals that contain the regulations governing candidature at the University. From links on the Student portal, the GIPA processes and significant information of the University including the Academic and Administrative Manuals is clearly identifiable; this is reflected in the revised design for the student 'landing page'. These Manuals provide students with the Rules of the University. The student 'landing page' also highlights the profile and clarity of course and subject information and through specific links provides access to other support information.

Total number of Access Applications: 2

Total number of Applications refused: 0

SCHEDULE 2 - Statistical information about access applications to be included in Annual Report

(Clause 7)

Table 15: Number of applications by type of applicant and outcome\*

|   | Access granted in full | Access granted in part | Access refused in full | Information not<br>held | Information<br>already available | Refuse to deal<br>with application | Refuse to confirm/<br>deny whether<br>information is held | Application<br>withdrawn |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Media   | 0                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Members of Parliament                                       | 0                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Private sector business                                     | 0                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Not for profit organisations or community groups            | 0                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Members of the public (application by legal representative) | 0                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Members of the public (other)                               | 1                      | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 1                        |

<sup>\*</sup> More than one decision can be made in respect of a particular access application.

If so, a recording must be made in relation to each such decision. This also applies to Table 16.

Table 16: Number of applications by type of application and outcome\*

|  | Access granted<br>in full | Access granted in part | Access refused in full | Information not<br>held | Information<br>already available | Refuse to deal<br>with application | Refuse to confirm/<br>deny whether<br>information is held | Application<br>withdrawn |
|--|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Personal information applications*   | 1                         | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |
| Access applications (other than personal information applications)                     | 0                         | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 1                        |
| Access applications that are partly personal information applications and partly other | 0                         | 0                      | 0                      | 0                       | 0                                | 0                                  | 0   | 0                        |

<sup>\*</sup> A 'personal information application' is an access application for personal information (as defined in clause 4 of Schedule 4 to the Act) about the applicant (the applicant being an individual).

Table 17: Invalid applications

| Reason for invalidity   | No of applications |
|---|--------------------|
| Application does not comply with formal requirements (section 41 of the Act)  | 0                  |
| Application is for excluded information of the agency (section 43 of the Act) | 0                  |
| Application contravenes restraint order (section 110 of the Act)              | 0                  |
| Total number of invalid applications received                                 | 0                  |
| Invalid applications that subsequently became valid applications              | 0                  |

Table 18: Conclusive presumption of overriding public interest against disclosure: matters listed in Schedule 1 of Act

|   | Number of times consideration used* |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Overriding secrecy laws                               | 0                                   |
| Cabinet information                                   | 0                                   |
| Executive Council information                         | 0                                   |
| Contempt  | 0                                   |
| Legal professional privilege                          | 0                                   |
| Excluded information                                  | 0                                   |
| Documents affecting law enforcement and public safety | 0                                   |
| Transport safety                                      | 0                                   |
| Adoption  | 0                                   |
| Care and protection of children                       | 0                                   |
| Ministerial code of conduct                           | 0                                   |
| Aboriginal and environmental heritage                 | 0                                   |

<sup>\*</sup> More than one public interest consideration may apply in relation to a particular access application and, if so, each such consideration is to be recorded (but only once per application). This also applies in relation to Table 19.

Table 19: Other public interest considerations against disclosure: matters listed in table to section 14 of Act

|  | Number of occasions when application not successful * |
|--|---|
| Responsible and effective government                                 | 0   |
| Law enforcement and security   | 0   |
| Individual rights, judicial processes and natural justice            | 0   |
| Business interests of agencies and other persons                     | 0   |
| Environment, culture, economy and general matters                    | 0   |
| Secrecy provisions   | 0   |
| Exempt documents under interstate Freedom of Information legislation | 0   |

Table 20: Timeliness

|  | Number of applications |
|--|------------------------|
| Decided within the statutory timeframe (20 days plus any extensions) | 2                      |
| Decided after 35 days (by agreement with applicant)                  | 0                      |
| Not decided within time (deemed refusal)                             | 0                      |
| Total  | 2                      |

Table 21: Number of applications reviewed under Part 5 of the Act (by type of review and outcome)

|  | Decision varied | Decision upheld | Total |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------|
| Internal review  | 0               | 0               | 0     |
| Review by Information Commissioner*                              | 0               | 0               | 0     |
| Internal review following recommendation under Section 93 of Act | 0               | 0               | 0     |
| Review by ADT  | 0               | 0               | 0     |
| Total  | 0               | 0               | 0     |

<sup>\*</sup> The Information Commissioner does not have the authority to vary decisions, but can make recommendations to the original decision-maker. The data in this case indicates that a recommendation to vary or uphold the original decision has been made by the Information Commissioner.

Table 22: Applications for review under Part 5 of the Act (by type of applicant)

|   | Number of applications for review |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| Applications by access applicants                         | 0                                 |
| Applications by persons to whom information the subject   |                                   |
| of access application relates (see section 54 of the Act) | 0                                 |

#### ITEM 16 CONSUMER RESPONSE

The University Ombudsman is responsible for the management, resolution and reporting of complaints and concerns.

The University Ombudsman maintains a register of complaints and concerns and provides reports to the Planning and Strategy Committee, Faculty Executive Deans and Division Executive Directors identifying systemic issues and recommendations.

Complaints activity remains steady with several matters escalating to third party external bodies, such as the NSW Ombudsman, Australian Human Rights Commission and the Administrative Decisions Tribunal. The University has not been found to have a case to answer at external review. The major themes in complaints continue to reflect concerns with communication difficulties. These difficulties include student concerns about failures to receive timely responses from academic and professional staff and course advice regarding progression and enrolment patterns, despite this material being available in the online environment.

The University Ombudsman provides regular training on complaints management and provides advice to all students at the commencement of the academic year regarding the complaints processes.

#### ITEM 17 ELECTRONIC SERVICE DELIVERY

Information and Communication Technology services continue to be critical to the CSU community. 2013 has seen significant enhancements to existing systems, as well as the implementation of new services providing greater functionality, flexibility and reliability for students and staff alike. Ongoing improvements have also extended to the delivery and support of technology services as evidenced by CSU's top ranking within the Australian and New Zealand University sector for IT service quality to staff. Campus IT service delivery has expanded to support the growth of University services at Canberra, Port Macquarie and Wangaratta.

#### Highlights from 2013 include:

- implementation of an Enterprise Timetabling solution (Syllabus Plus). This has streamlined timetabling policy, process and procedures and improved the timetabling experience for students and staff. The system will also enable greater utilisation of existing teaching and learning spaces, reducing the amount of new spaces required.
- a new solution for managing and administering student work placements was implemented (InPlace). This has directly improved the experience of those students undertaking work placements as well introducing efficiencies in the administration of placements.
- a Customer Relationship Management system (Talisma) was successfully implemented. This was initially designed to record, track and report on student enquiries, however its use now extends beyond existing students to include managing contact with prospective students and alumni.
- · the management and allocation of on campus student accommodation was overhauled with the roll out of a specialised Accommodation Management solution (StarRez). This has provided efficiencies in the administration of Halls of Residence accommodation, and has also delivered an online portal to enable students to apply for accommodation online and manage their accommodation requests.
- with the goal of delivering improved quality and consistency of the examination experience for both students and staff, an Exam Management Solution (Databee) was successfully implemented and utilised for the first time in 2013.

- measuring student satisfaction with the content, structure and delivery of courses is assisted with the use of an online survey tool. A new system was implemented in 2013 (CourseEvals). As well as enabling a revised survey to be delivered in 2014, it also allows responses to be submitted via mobile devices thereby improving
- the CSU Replay lecture and personal recording service was extended to include more teaching spaces. Additionally, the utilisation of the service by academics and students increased dramatically in 2013 with a 105% increase in the number of recorded lectures and close to a 70% increase in the number of recordings being viewed.
- as highlighted above, CSU was independently ranked number one for IT service quality in the support and delivery of technology services to staff. This is the second consecutive year that CSU has been awarded top rank in the Systems Thinking University Service Quality Benchmark for Staff report. The survey, which covers 26 universities across Australia and New Zealand, identified that CSU continued to provide exceptional support to staff.
- security of CSU's electronic data and technology services has been a key focus of 2013. An independent audit identifying risks and opportunities to further secure network services was undertaken in early 2013. All of the main recommendations, covering critical risk areas, have been successfully implemented with work continuing to address the other less critical issues identified.
- the evaluation of a replacement Learning Management System was completed in 2013. Blackboard was selected to replace the existing Sakai-based Interact product. A major project is currently underway to implement the Blackboard solution. This activity will continue throughout 2014, extending into 2015.
- the introduction of Oracle RAC (Real Application Clusters) technology has provided greater redundancy and service reliability for a number of CSU's main applications which utilise Oracle databases. The use of Oracle RAC will be extended in 2014 to include a number of other key applications. Additionally, implementing high availability and redundancy options across all layers of the critical applications Banner and Alesco will be undertaken in 2014. This project will not only minimise the risk of data loss and periods of extended downtime but will also enable full (as opposed to partial) failover testing of these services to be undertaken for the first time
- the initial phase of the Smart Tools application, in support of the Smart Learning initiative, has migrated from a trial environment to a full production quality IT infrastructure in support of the upcoming Smart Tools usage.
- Other areas of activity include coordination and development of the CSU mobile strategy, to give focus to the strategies providing opportunities to leverage mobile technology to engage our online community, implementation of managed support for tablet devices including iPads and Windows 8 tablets - enabling faculties and divisions to utilise managed tablet type devices in support of their teaching and learning, research or administrative activities, ongoing development of a virtual desktop infrastructure (VDI) environment and implementation of Broadcast Video Technology service to support teaching and learning for large student cohorts across a number of CSU campuses.

#### ITEM 18 RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL AUDIT

Risk and opportunity is managed at CSU through comprehensive governance, planning, compliance and budgetary frameworks. During 2013 the University further aligned risk management with operational planning (Initiatives and Improvement Plans) and with Business Continuity Plans. A database to store this information and support scrutiny and approval at institutional level has been implemented.

Areas of focus identified in CSU's Strategic Risk Assessment include:

- developing a distinctive model of learning and teaching (Curriculum, Learning and Teaching Plan, Smart Learning Project)
- developing an acceptable research profile (Research Plan)
- developing the University's international perspective across research, curriculum development and enrolment (Internationalisation Plan)
- addressing educational needs of communities and professions (Courses and Campuses Plan)
- improving student services, support and communication (Service, Support and Communication Plan)
- maintaining workforce capability (People and Culture Enabling Plan)
- · ensuring workplace health and safety
- attending to community needs within research activities (Research Plan)
- managing external party relationships (Partners and Relations Plan)
- information infrastructure and integration (Information Enabling Plan)
- maintaining physical and virtual infrastructure to support research, learning and teaching and the student experience (Infrastructure Strategic Enabling Plan)
- improving the education, lives and aspirations of indigenous Australians (Indigenous Education Plan)
- · coordinating, prioritising and implementing University plans
- potential conflict between financial and operational constraints and environmental sustainability (Sustainability Plan, Financial and Operational Stewardship Enabling Plan).

CSU's risk management policy and framework align to AS/NZS ISO 31000:2009, Risk Management - Principles and Guidelines (Standards Australia, November 2009). On behalf of the Audit and Risk Committee of Council, the University Auditor conducts a program of audits that are prioritised on the basis of risk, internal capability and the operation of other assurance processes within the University.

#### Finance and Legal

#### ITEM 19 ACCOUNTS PAYMENT PERFORMANCE

Charles Sturt University is committed to the on-time payment of its accounts where reasonably possible. The geographic spread and decentralised nature of Charles Sturt University can cause delays when vendors do not send their invoices, as requested, direct to the Accounts Payable Section in Wagga Wagga. This leads to invoices being lost, misplaced or generally not actioned by the people receiving them. During 2013 improvement in processes, including the successful implementation of online ProMaster purchase requisitioning software, has resulted in payment targets being exceeded, significant increase in payments occurring within 30 days, and a reduction in overdue charges being applied to the University.

Table 23: Totals for 2013

|           | Paid in 30 days  | Paid in 30 - 60 days | Paid in 60 - 90 days | Paid in 91+ days | Total            |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|------------------|
| March     | \$30,536,751.26  | \$3,579,046.88       | \$585,349.33         | \$689,491.33     | \$35,390,638.80  |
| June      | \$41,987,364.67  | \$1,895,828.26       | \$369,425.07         | \$470,205.08     | \$44,722,823.08  |
| September | \$41,719,738.47  | \$2,288,387.01       | \$255,602.09         | \$771,883.41     | \$45,035,610.98  |
| December  | \$64,029,307.57  | \$2,371,210.27       | \$327,853.34         | \$671,968.85     | \$67,400,340.03  |
|           | \$178,273,161.97 | \$10,134,472.42      | \$1,538,229.83       | \$2,603,548.67   | \$192,549,412.89 |

Table 24: Accounts paid on time within each quarter

|           | Target | Actual | \$               | Total Amount Paid |
|-----------|--------|--------|------------------|-------------------|
| March     | 85%    | 86%    | \$30,536,751.26  | \$35,390,638.80   |
| June      | 85%    | 94%    | \$41,987,364.67  | \$44,722,823.08   |
| September | 85%    | 93%    | \$41,719,738.47  | \$45,035,610.98   |
| December  | 85%    | 95%    | \$64,029,307.57  | \$67,400,340.03   |
|           |        |        | \$178,273,161.97 | \$192,549,412.89  |

Table 25: Accounts on which interest has been paid

|                                 | •                   |            |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Organisation                    | Reason for Interest | Amount     |
| AGL Retail Energy Limited       | Overdue Charges     | \$93.20    |
| Astley's Plumbing               | Overdue Charges     | \$105.60   |
| Bathurst Regional Council       | Overdue Charges     | \$8.04     |
| Cleanaway                       | Overdue Charges     | \$20.00    |
| Energy Australia                | Overdue Charges     | \$1,291.68 |
| J & B Thompson Pty Ltd          | Overdue Charges     | \$24.75    |
| Port Macquarie Hastings Council | Overdue Charges     | \$0.76     |
| Westpac Banking Corp            | Overdue Charges     | \$49.84    |
|                                 |                     |            |

#### ITEM 20 CREDIT CARD CERTIFICATION

The Vice-Chancellor certified that credit card use during 2013 was in accordance with established requirements and practices.

#### ITEM 21 FUNDS GRANTED

Charles Sturt University makes significant contributions to community activities and initiatives related to its core educational mission. Funding for non-government community organisations is drawn from resources made available for regional engagement under the University Strategy 2013-2015.

Total direct financial contributions does not account for the significant investment in staff time and expertise, and ancillary support, provided by the University to regional engagement initiatives. The Table below lists direct financial contributions to non-government community organisations for 2013.

Table 26: Funds Granted Listing

| Non-government community organisation         | Funds granted | Description  |
|---|---------------|--|
| 2MCE-FM Radio Station and National Radio News | \$292,000.00  | Support community broadcasting within the Bathurst community                             |
| Mitchell Conservatorium Inc                   | \$25,000.00   | Support the teaching of music within the Bathurst community                              |
| Murray Conservatorium                         | \$45,364.00   | Support the teaching of music within the Albury community                                |
| Orange Regional Conservatorium Inc            | \$5,000.00    | Support the teaching of music within the Orange community                                |
| Mitchell Childcare Centre                     | \$35,000.00   | Supporting the objectives of early learning development within the Bathurst community    |
| Wagga Wagga Childcare Centre                  | \$70,000.00   | Supporting the objectives of early learning development within the Wagga Wagga community |
| Albury Childcare Centre                       | \$40,000.00   | Supporting the objectives of early learning development within the Albury community      |
| Riverina Conservatorium of Music              | \$53,182.00   | Support the teaching of music within the Wagga Wagga community                           |
| Riverina Playhouse                            | \$25,000.00   | Support the Wagga Wagga acting and entertainment community                               |
| Riverina Summer School for Strings            | \$3,000.00    | Sponsorship  |
| Thurgoona Football Club Inc                   | \$1,000.00    | Donation towards 2013 Season   |
| Various other organisations                   | \$10,000.00   | Various donations to other organisations   |
| United Theological College                    | \$40,000.00   | Supporting theological studies in the Australian community                               |
| St Mark's Theological College                 | \$65,000.00   | Supporting theological studies in the Australian community                               |
| TOTAL   | \$709,546.00  |  |

#### ITEM 22 CONSULTANTS

Table 27: Consultants engagement costing equal to or >\$50,000 – Actual costs for 2013

| Supplier                             | Expenditure    | Description |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Orange City Council                  | \$165,100.76   | Design      |
| Albury City Council                  | \$51,765.00    | Design      |
| AECOM Australia Pty Ltd              | \$52,976.78    | Design      |
| Egan Australasia Pty Ltd             | \$65,000.00    | Consultants |
| Altis Consulting Pty Ltd             | \$200,000.00   | Consultants |
| Squiz Pty Ltd                        | \$50,000.00    | Design      |
| Eternity Technologies Pty Ltd        | \$59,904.00    | Consultants |
| Moore Stephens Melbourne Pty Ltd     | \$54,450.00    | Consultants |
| BVN Architecture Pty Ltd             | \$185,500.00   | Design      |
| APP Corporation Pty Limited          | \$112,760.00   | Design      |
| Brewster Hjorth Architects           | \$66,836.14    | Design      |
| Brewster Hjorth Architects           | \$332,333.00   | Design      |
| GHD Pty Ltd                          | \$39,375.00    | Design      |
| NBRS & Partners                      | \$45,830.44    | Design      |
| NBRS & Partners                      | \$38,267.20    | Design      |
| Wagga Wagga City Council             | \$67,000.00    | Design      |
| Woods Bagot Architects               | \$583,782.94   | Consultants |
| Thinc Projects Australia Pty Ltd     | \$76,099.62    | Consultants |
| Wilde & Woollard Pacific Pty Limited | \$44,237.00    | Consultants |
| Wilde & Woollard Pacific Pty Limited | \$5,260.00     | Consultants |
| Sinclair Knight Merz                 | \$54,176.05    | Consultants |
| Architectus Group Pty Ltd            | \$51,300.00    | Design      |
|                                      | \$2,401,953.93 |             |

#### Consultants paid < \$50,000

470 payments made totaling \$2,020,752.71

#### ITEM 23 LAND ACQUISITION AND DISPOSAL

#### Property: Lot 8 Major Innes Road, Port Macquarie

Settlement date: 12 December 2013

|  | Payable by Vendor | Payable by Purchaser |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| Purchase Price   |                   | \$2,282,500.00       |
| Less Deposit   |                   | \$228,250.00         |
| Balance  |                   | \$2,054,250.00       |
| Council Rates For Period 1/07/2013 to 30/06/2014 – 365 days \$3321.72 Adjusted as paid Purchaser allows 200 days For period 12/12/2013 to 30/06/2014 |                   | \$1,820.12           |
| Water Availability For period 01/10/2013 to 31/12/2013 – 92 days \$43.25 Unpaid Vendor allows 73 days For period 01/10/2013 to 12/12/2013            | \$34.32           |                      |
| Land Tax For period 01/01/2013 to 31/12/2013 – 365 days \$9,028.00 paid Purchaser allows 19 days For period 12/12/2013 to 31/12/2013                 |                   | \$469.95             |
| Vendor allows for discharge of mortgage  | \$104.50          |                      |
| Totals   | \$138.82          | \$2,056,540.07       |
| Less amount payable by vendor  |                   | \$138.82             |
| Amount due at settlement   |                   | \$2,056,401.25       |

#### Property: Lot 7 Major Innes Road, Port Macquarie

Settlement date: 14 August 2013

|   | Payable by Vendor | Payable by Purchaser |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|
| Purchase Price  |                   | \$1,950,000.00       |
| Less Deposit  |                   | \$195,000.00         |
| Balance   |                   | \$1,755,000.00       |
| Council Rates \$2,170.68<br>For period 01/07/2013 to 30/06/2014<br>Purchaser allows 320/365 days    |                   | \$1,903.06           |
| Water access charge \$43.25<br>For period 01/07/2013 to 30/09/2013<br>Purchaser allows 47/92 days   |                   | \$22.10              |
| Water usage from 08/06/2013 to 14/08/2013<br>0.1932 kL per day @ \$2.41 kL<br>Vendor allows 68 days | \$31.66           |                      |
| Totals  | \$31.66           | \$1,756,925.16       |
| Less amount payable by vendor   |                   | \$31.66              |
| Amount due at settlement  |                   | \$1,756,893.50       |

#### ITEM 23 LAND ACQUISITION AND DISPOSAL

### Property: Lot 31 Table Top Road, Thurgoona

Settlement date: 25 January 2013

|  | Payable by Vendor | Payable by Purchaser |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| Purchase Price   |                   | \$400,000.00         |
| Less Deposit   |                   | \$40,000.00          |
| Balance  |                   | \$360,000.00         |
| Council Rates \$373.52<br>For period 01/07/2012 to 30/06/2013<br>Purchaser allows 156/365 days |                   | \$159.64             |
| Water rates \$30.00 unpaid For period 01/11/2012 to 28/02/2013 Portion payable by Vendor       | \$21.50           |                      |
| GST<br>Purchaser allows  |                   | \$40,013.81          |
| Legal Fee on Purchase<br>Purchaser allows  |                   | \$2,313.82           |
| Totals   | \$21.50           | \$402,487.27         |
| Less amount payable by vendor  |                   | \$21.50              |
| Amount due at settlement   |                   | \$402,465.77         |

#### Property: Lot 33 Table Top Road, Thurgoona

Settlement date: 25 January 2013

|  | Payable by Vendor | Payable by Purchaser    |
|--|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Purchase Price   |                   | \$500,000.00            |
| Less Deposit   |                   | \$50,000.00             |
| Balance  |                   | \$450,000.00            |
|  |                   |                         |
| Council Rates \$325.79<br>For period 01/07/2012 to 30/06/2013<br>Purchaser allows 156/365 days |                   | \$139.24                |
| Water access charge \$43.25 For period 01/07/2013 to 30/09/2013 Purchaser allows 47/92 days    |                   | \$22.10                 |
| Water rates \$30.00 unpaid For period 01/11/2012 to 28/02/2013 Portion payable by Vendor       | \$21.50           |                         |
| GST<br>Purchaser allows  |                   | \$50,011.77             |
| Legal Fee on Purchase<br>Purchaser allows  |                   | \$2,250.10              |
| Totals   |                   | \$402,401.11<br>\$21.50 |
| Less amount payable by vendor  Amount due at settlement  |                   | \$502,379.61            |

There were no land disposals during 2013.

#### **ITEM 24 LEGAL CHANGE**

The Charles Sturt University Act 1989 was amended by the Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2013 (NSW) with effect from 5 July 2013.

#### ITEM 25 ECONOMIC OR OTHER FACTORS

The Australian economy is forecast to grow by 2.5% in 2013/14 and by 3.0% in 2014/15. The Australian economy is expected to transition from resource investment led growth to resource production. Education is the largest service export industry and the fourth largest export industry overall.

The outlook for the global economy remains challenging with growth expected below trend at 3.0%. There are encouraging prospects for the United States, offset by ongoing recession in the euro zone and some emerging economies. Solid growth forecasts for the Asian economies.

During 2013, the official cash rate declined from 3.0% to 2.5%. Inflation for 2013 was 2.7% and the All Ordinaries index moved from 4,722 points to 5,353, a movement of 13.3%. Investments have remained steady; these impacts are identified in the accompanying Financial Reports. These factors have not impacted on the operational objectives being met in 2013.

# ITEM 26 INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE FOR THE PARENT ENTITY

The average rate of return on all funds was 5.41%. Interest earnings were \$5.2million while distributions from equity based managed funds totalled \$4.5million. Charles Sturt University's investment strategy is overseen by a committee of the University Council and has been using the current strategy since 2002. Prior to this funds were generally invested in interest bearing deposits and bank bills.

#### Table 28: Investment performance results

The University utilises the brokerage services of Treasury Corp and others as listed below to administer all of its managed fund portfolio.

These Brokers adopt appropriate benchmarking facilities and CSU has accepted these in accordance with its investment strategy requirements.

| Ausbil Dexia MicroCap Fund | 1 Year (%) | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%) |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Net Return                 | 33.85      | -          | 18.45      | -          |
| Benchmark                  | -13.35     | -          | -15.27     | -          |
| Net Relative to Benchmark  | 47.20      | -          | 33.72      | -          |

| BT Wholesale Fixed Interest Fund | 1 Year (%) | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%) |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Net Return                       | 1.04       | 3.98       | 6.70       | 6.05       |
| Benchmark                        | 1.99       | 4.81       | 6.95       | 5.70       |
| Net Relative to Benchmark        | -0.95      | -0.83      | -0.25      | 0.35       |

| Colonial First State Wholesale        |            |            |            |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Government Inflation Linked Bond Fund | 1 Year (%) | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%) |
| Net Return                            | -1.58      | -          | 6.38       | -          |
| Benchmark                             | -2.08      | -          | 8.10       | -          |
| Net Relative to Benchmark             | 0.50       | -          | -1.72      | -          |

| Colonial First State Wholesale Index<br>Australian Bond Fund | 1 Year (%) | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%) |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Net Return   | 1.61       | -          | 6.54       | 5.30       |
| Benchmark  | 1.99       | -          | 6.95       | 5.70       |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                    | -0.38      | -          | -0.41      | -0.40      |

| Magellan Global Equity Fund                                    | 1 Year (%)         | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%)         |
|--|--------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| Net Return   | 51.20              | -          | -          |                    |
| Benchmark  | 47.00              | -          | -          |                    |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | 4.20               | -          | -          | -                  |
| UBS Diversified Credit Fund                                    | 1 Year (%)         | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%)         |
| Net Return   | 5.03               | 7.94       | 7.91       | 9.84               |
| Benchmark  | 2.87               | 3.41       | 3.94       | 3.99               |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | 2.16               | 4.53       | 3.97       | 5.85               |
| Medium Term Growth Facility Trust (withdrawn during 2013)      | 1 Year (%)         | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%)         |
| Net Return   | 10.70              | 10.29      | 7.66       | 7.29               |
| Benchmark  | 9.89               | 9.51       | 7.33       | 6.97               |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | 0.82               | 0.78       | 0.34       | 0.32               |
| TCorp Long Term Growth Facility Trust                          | 1 Year (%)         | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%)         |
| Net Return   | 22.48              | 18.54      | 10.51      | 10.02              |
| Benchmark  | 20.88              | 17.53      | 10.32      | 9.73               |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | 1.60               | 1.01       | 0.19       | 0.29               |
| Australian Shares Sector Trust (withdrawn during 2013)         | 1 Year (%)         | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 Year (%)         |
| Net Return   | 24.68              | 21.88      | 9.86       | 13.22              |
| Benchmark  | 19.68              | 19.71      | 8.46       | 12.33              |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | 5.00               | 2.17       | 1.40       | 0.89               |
| Indexed Australian Shares Sector Trust (withdrawn during 2013) | 1 <b>Y</b> ear (%) | 2 Year (%) | 3 Year (%) | 5 <b>Y</b> ear (%) |
| Net Return   | 19.98              | 20.05      | 8.81       | 12.33              |
| Benchmark  | 20.20              | 20.23      | 8.95       | 12.47              |
| Net Relative to Benchmark                                      | -0.22              | -0.18      | -0.13      | -0.14              |

#### **ITEM 27 INSURANCE**

Table 29: Insurance Policy Listing

| Class of insurance  | Insurer/Broker                           | Policy Number  | Expiry date       |  |
|---|--|----------------|-------------------|--|
| Clinical Trials   | Unimutual                                | UL CSU 14      | 31-October-2014   | \$10 Million   |
| General and Products Liability                                      | Unimutual                                | UL CSU 14      | 31-October-2014   | \$100 Million public liability                                     |
| Professional Indemnity  | Unimutual                                | UL CSU 14      | 31-October-2014   | \$80 Million aggregate   |
| Medical and Veterinary Malpractice                                  | Unimutual                                | UL CSU 14      | 31-October-2014   | \$80 Million aggregate   |
| Contract Works  | Allianz Insurance                        | BAW000-485-869 | 31-October-2014   | \$20 Million any one contract                                      |
| Corporate Travel  | Chubb Insurance                          | 93123426       | 31-October-2014   | \$120,000 death<br>and capital benefits<br>Weekly benefits \$400   |
| Expatriate Insurance  | ACE Insurance                            | 01PX530477     | 31-October-2014   | \$1 Million medical expenses                                       |
| Group Personal Accident<br>(Council & Committees)                   | Chubb Insurance                          | 93125454       | 31-October-2014   | \$300,000 death<br>and capital benefits<br>Weekly benefits \$2,000 |
| Group Personal Accident - Police College                            | Ace Insurance                            | 02PO014230     | 31-December-2014  | \$200,000 death and<br>capital benefits<br>Weekly benefits         |
| Group Personal Accident - Students                                  | Pro Risk Underwriting for Lloyds         | PA00193        | 31-December-2014  | \$50,000 death and<br>capital benefits<br>Weekly benefits          |
| Hirers Liability  | CGU Insurance                            | 10M 6279631    | 31-October-2014   | \$10 Million any one loss  |
| Management Liability  | WR Berkley                               | DK0120D7H430   | 31-October-2014   | \$10 Million any one<br>claim, \$20 Million<br>aggregate           |
| Motor Vehicle - Australian Vehicles                                 | CGU Insurance                            | 24F 2045359 01 | 31-October-2014   | Market Value   |
| Motor Vehicle - Canadian Vehicles                                   | AON                                      | 711576056      | 01-September-2014 | Market Value   |
| Occupational Accident Insurance - Canadian Students                 | ACE INA Life Insurance/<br>Mercer Canada | SG 10402301    | 01-November-2014  | Per Canadian<br>Legislation  |
| Property – Material Damage and Business Interruption                | Unimutual                                | UL CSU 14      | 31-October-2014   | \$1.2 Million subject to sub-limits                                |
| Workers Compensation NSW - Charles Sturt University                 | Employers Mutual                         | MWR0024606033  | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation NSW - Charles Sturt University Campus Services | Employers Mutual                         | MWR0024618033  | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation – ACT  | QBE Workers Compensation                 | CA1899851GWC   | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation - Northern Territory                           | Allianz Workers Compensation             | TWY0008726-04  | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation - Tasmania                                     | Allianz Workers Compensation             | LWL0007915-04  | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation - Western Australia                            | Allianz Workers Compensation             | WWH0050599-04  | 31-December-2014  | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation - Victoria                                     | Gallagher Bassett                        | 13790637       | 30-June-2014      | Per Legislation  |
| Workers Compensation - South Australia                              | Gallagher Bassett                        | 82965475       | 30-June-2014      | Per Legislation  |
| Workplace Safety Insurance - Ontario Canada                         | Canadian Government                      | 5963           | Ongoing           | Per Legislation  |

NB [1]: Workers Compensation [South Australia and Queensland] can only be arranged in accordance with the applicable statutes once CSU actually employs staff in these states.

NB [2]: CTP 'Green Slip' insurance is arranged by Transport, Division of Finance.

NB [3]: Medical Insurance in respect of employees recruited overseas and entering Australia under Visa 457 is arranged on an individual basis by Human Resources although accounting for same is attended through Travel Unit.

NB[4] Crop Insurance and Stud Cattle Insurance is arranged on a needs basis, generally through Peter L Brown & Associates, Wagga Wagga

NB[5] Expatriate Policy Numbers not quoted for privacy purposes. Each expatriate has their own policy number. At 31 December 2013 there are two policies.

#### **ITEM 28 COMPLIANCE STATEMENT**

Statement of Compliance with the Voluntary Code of Best Practice for the Governance of Australian Universities

| No. | Item  | Compliance   |
|-----|---|--|
| 1   | A university should have its objectives and/or functions specified in its enabling legislation.   | The objects and functions of the University are set out in section 7 of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989.   |
|     |   | The University complies with this standard.  |
| 2   | A university's governing body should adopt a statement of its primary responsibilities to include:  | The primary responsibilities of the Council are set out in section 19 of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989 and the Charter   |
|     | (a) appointing the Vice-Chancellor as the Chief Executive   | of University Governance.  |
|     | Officer of the university and monitoring his/her performance;   | The Charter of University Governance was first adopted in 2012 and   |
|     | (b) appointing other senior officers of the university  | is regularly reviewed to ensure it reflects best practice in governance.   |
|     | as considered appropriate;  | The Council appoints the Vice-Chancellor as Principal Executive  |
|     | <ul> <li>(c) approving the mission and strategic direction of the university,<br/>as well as the annual budget and business plan;</li> </ul>  | Officer in accordance with section 12 of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989.  |
|     | (d) overseeing and reviewing the management of the university and its performance;  | The Council appoints key senior officeholders in accordance with<br>the delegations conferred under section 20 of the Charles Sturt<br>University Act 1989 and as described in the Policy of Delegations |
|     | (e) establishing policy and procedural principles, consistent   | and Authorisations approved by the Council.  |
|     | with legal requirements and community expectations;   | The University complies with this standard.  |
|     | <ul> <li>(f) approving and monitoring systems of control and accountability,<br/>including general overview of any controlled entities<br/>(as defined in s.50AA of the Corporations Act);</li> </ul> |  |
|     | (g) overseeing and monitoring the assessment and management of risk across the university, including commercial undertakings;   |  |
|     | (h) overseeing and monitoring the academic activities of the university; and  |  |
|     | (i) approving significant commercial activities of the university.  |  |

3 A university should have the duties of the members of its governing body and sanctions for the breach of these duties specified in its enabling legislation. Other than the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor and Presiding Member of the Academic Board, each member should be appointed or elected ad personam. All members of the governing body should be responsible and accountable to the governing body. When exercising the functions of a member of the governing body, a member of the governing body should always act in the best interests of the University.

Duties of members should include the requirements to:

- (a) act always in the best interests of the university as a whole, with this obligation to be observed in priority to any duty a member may owe to those electing or appointing him or her;
- (b) act in good faith, honestly and for a proper purpose;
- (c) exercise appropriate care and diligence;
- (d) not improperly use their position to gain an advantage for themselves or someone else; and
- (e) disclose and avoid conflicts of interest (with appropriate procedures for that purpose similar to those for public companies).

There should be safeguards, exemptions and protections from members of a university's governing body for matters or things done or omitted in good faith in pursuance of the relevant legislation. Without limitation, this should include safeguards, exemptions and protections as are the equivalent of those that would be available were the member a director under the Corporations Act. A university (with the exception of those subject to the Corporations Act) should have a requirement included in its enabling legislation that its governing body has the power (by a two-thirds majority) to remove any member of the governing body from office if the member breaches the duties specified above. A member should be required, automatically, to vacate the office if he or she is, or becomes disqualified from acting as a Director of a company or managing corporations under Part 2D.6 of the Corporations Act.

The duties of members are specified in section 24F and Schedule 3 of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989. Members are appointed ad personam and this duty is dealt with during induction of all new members.

Sanctions for breach of a member's duties are set out in section 24G of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989.

The Council may remove a member by a two third majority under clause 24G of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989.

Clause 5 of Schedule 1 of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989 provides that a member will not be personally liable for any act or omission done in good faith.

A member is required to vacate his or her position if he or she is disqualified from acting as a Director of a company or managing a corporation.

The University complies with this standard.

| No. | Item  | Compliance  |  |  |
|-----|---|---|--|--|
| 4   | If permitted by its enabling legislation, a university should develop procedures;   | Section 11 A of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989 provides for the removal of the Chancellor and/or Deputy Chancellor if they have lost the confidence of the Council.  |  |  |
|     | <ul> <li>(a) to provide that the Chancellor and Deputy Chancellor hold office<br/>subject to retaining the confidence of the governing body; and</li> </ul>   | The University complies with this standard.   |  |  |
|     | (b) to deal with removal from office if the governing body determines such confidence is no longer held.  |   |  |  |
| 5   | Each governing body should make available a program of induction and professional development for members to build the expertise of the governing body and to ensure that all members are aware of the nature of their duties and responsibilities.   | A comprehensive induction process is undertaken for new members of Council. A number of resources, including an Induction Manual, are provided to members at the induction sessions for their records and future reference. Opportunities for professional development are identified annually and offered to members via an 'expression of interest' format.                                       |  |  |
|     |   | The University complies with this standard.   |  |  |
| 6   | On a regular basis, at least once each two years, the governing body should assess its performance, the performance of its  | The Council conducts a self-assessment of its performance every two years. The next self-assessment will be conducted in 2014.  |  |  |
|     | members and the performance of its committees. The Chancellor should have responsibility for organising the assessment process,   | The University reviews its compliance with the Code of Best Practice.   |  |  |
|     | drawing on external resources if required. On an annual basis,<br>the governing body should also review its conformance with this<br>Code of Best Practice and identify needed skills and expertise   | The University has a defined process for identifying needed skills and expertise for the future.  |  |  |
|     | for the future.   | The University complies with this standard.   |  |  |
|     |   |   |  |  |
| 7   | The size of the governing body should not exceed 22 members. There should be at least two members having financial expertise (as demonstrated by relevant qualifications and financial management experience at a senior level in the public or private sector) and at least one member with commercial expertise (as demonstrated by relevant experience at a senior level in the public or private sector).   | Section 8C and 8D of the Charles Sturt University Act 1989 require that the Council not exceed 22 members; must have a majority of external members; and that two members must possess financial qualifications and expertise and one member must possess commercial expertise in conformance with the Code of Practice. The Council complies with this requirement with respect to its membership. |  |  |
|     | Where the size of the governing body is limited to less than  | The University complies with this standard.   |  |  |
|     | 10 members, one member with financial expertise and one with commercial expertise would be considered as meeting the requirements.  | The Oniversity Complies with this standard.   |  |  |
|     | There should be a majority of external members who are neither enrolled as a student nor employed by the university. There should not be current members of any State or Commonwealth parliament or legislative assembly other than where specifically selected by the governing body itself.   |   |  |  |
| 8   | A university should adopt systematic procedures for the nomination of prospective members of the governing body for those categories  | The Council has systematic procedures for the nomination of prospective members to the Council.   |  |  |
|     | of members that are not elected. The responsibility for proposing such nominations for the governing body may be delegated to a nominations committee of the governing body that the Chancellor would ordinarily chair.  Members so appointed should be selected on the basis of their ability to contribute to the effective working of the governing body by having needed skills, knowledge and experience, an appreciation of the values of a university and its core activities of teaching and research, its independence and academic freedom and the capacity to appreciate what a university's external community needs from it. | The Council has adopted selection criteria that require that members should be selected on the basis of their ability to contribute to the effective working of the governing body by having needed skills, knowledge and experience, an appreciation of the values   |  |  |
|     |   | of a university and its core activities of teaching and research, its independence and academic freedom and the capacity to appreciate what a university's external community needs from it.  |  |  |
|     |   | The Act requires that there must be a balance of new and experienced members, and that a member's term must not exceed 12 years unless otherwise specifically agreed by a majority of the Council.  |  |  |
|     | maintaining continuity and experience, members' terms should generally overlap and governing bodies should establish a maximum  | The Council complies with this requirement with respect to its membership.  |  |  |
|     | continuous period to be served. This should not generally exceed 12 years unless otherwise specifically agreed by the majority of the governing body.   | The University complies with this standard  |  |  |
| 9   | A university should codify its internal grievance procedures and publish them with information about the procedure for submitting complaints to the relevant ombudsman or the   | The University's Complaints Policy sets out the policy for the management of concerns, complaints and grievances and is supported by codified procedures for dealing with such grievances.  |  |  |
|     | equivalent relevant agency.   | The Complaints Policy and related procedures are published in the University's online Administration Manual at: www.csu.edu.au/adminman/stu/student.htm   |  |  |
|     |   |   |  |  |
|     |   | The University complies with this standard.   |  |  |
| 10  | The annual report of a university should be used for reporting on high level outcomes.  | The University complies with this standard.  The Annual Report details high level outcomes and objectives achieved by the University during the reporting period.   |  |  |

| No. | Item   | Compliance   |
|-----|--|--|
| 11  | The annual report of a university should include a report on risk management within the organisation.  | The Annual Report includes a report on risk management within the University.  |
|     |  | The University complies with this standard   |
| 12  | The governing body should oversee controlled entities by:  (a) ensuring that the entity's board possesses the skills,  | Section 19A of the Act requires that the Council oversight controlled entities consistent with the standards.  |
|     | knowledge and experience necessary to provide proper stewardship and control of the entity;  | Reports from controlled entities are a standing item on the Council agenda, and the financial operations of the entities   |
|     | (b) appointing some directors to the board of the entity who are not members of the governing body or officers or students   | are incorporated into monthly reports to the Council's Finance and Infrastructure Committee.   |
|     | of the university;   | The University complies with this standard.  |
|     | (c) ensuring that the board of the entity adopts and regularly evaluates a written statement of its own governance principles;   |  |
|     | (d) ensuring that the board documents a clear corporate and business strategy which reports on and updates annually the entity's long-term objectives and includes an annual business plan containing achievable and measurable performance targets and milestones; and                          |  |
|     | <ul> <li>(e) establishing and documenting clear expectations of reporting<br/>to the governing body, such as a draft business plan for<br/>consideration and approval before the commencement<br/>of the financial year and at least quarterly reports against<br/>the business plan.</li> </ul> |  |
| 13  | A university should assess the risk arising from its involvement in the ownership of any entity (including an associated company as defined in the Accounting Standards issued by the Australian   | Refer to Statutory Guidelines for Commercial Activities at: www.csu.edu.au/adminman/leg/guid-stat-Comm-Activities-070809.pdf   |
|     | Accounting Standards Board), partnership and joint venture.  The governing body of a university should, where appropriate in light of the risk assessment, use its best endeavours to obtain an auditor's report (including audit certification and management                                   | Assessment of risk and the value of the controlled entities of Charles Sturt University is monitored through the Finance and Infrastructure and the Audit and Risk Committees (of Council).  |
|     | letter) of the entity by a State, Territory or Commonwealth Auditor-General or by an external auditor.   | The Audit Office of NSW is the appointed external auditor of Charles Sturt University and its controlled entities. It provides an audit opinion and certifies the annual financial statements of the University (and its controlled entities). A management report is submitted annually to the University and is reviewed by the Audit and Risk Committee (of the Council). |
|     |  | The University complies with this standard.  |
| 14  | A university should disclose in its Annual Report its compliance with this Code of Best Practice and provide reasons for any   | Refer to Appendices Item 28  - Charles Sturt University Annual Report 2012.  |
|     | areas of non-compliance.   | The University complies with this standard.  |

#### Facilities

#### ITEM 29 MAJOR WORKS

Table 29: Campus Projects

| Campus         | Project  | Stage              | Value \$millions |
|----------------|--|--------------------|------------------|
| Albury-Wodonga | Disposal City Campus   | Completed 2013     | 0.818            |
|                | Community Engagement and Wellness Centre   | Completed 2013     | 4.931            |
|                | Recreation Facilities (half court basketball, beach volleyball etc)  | Under Construction | 0.810            |
|                | CD Blake Auditorium / Cooling Intervention (Passive Buildings)   | Under Design       | 0.750            |
|                | Lift Upgrade in Gordon Bevan   | Under Design       | 0.250            |
|                | Thurgoona Land Purchase  | Completed 2013     | 0.917            |
|                | SSAF Project Storage Shed  | Under Construction | 0.190            |
|                | Car Park Extension   | Under Construction | 0.200            |
|                | Landscaping Albury-Wodonga   | Completed 2013     | 0.185            |
| Bathurst       | Community Engagement and Wellness Centre [Health Workforce Australia (HWA) and Health & Hospital Fund (HHF)] | Near Completion    | 12.627           |
|                | Co generation  | Under Design       | 1.500            |
|                | C7 Media Centre Project  | Under Design       | 0.600            |
|                | The McDonoghs – PC07   | Near Completion    | 0.420            |
|                | The McDonoghs – PC08   | Near Completion    | 0.488            |
|                | Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Gymnasium   | Completed 2013     | 0.450            |
|                | Boiler House   | Completed 2013     | 0.256            |
|                | C4 Renovations   | Completed 2013     | 2.072            |
|                | Music Block  | Completed 2013     | 0.141            |
|                | Truskett Library PC03  | Completed 2013     | 0.557            |
| Canberra       | Brisbane Ave Leasehold Fit Out   | Completed 2013     | 0.840            |
|                | Brisbane Ave Stage 2 Leasehold Fit Out   | Under Design       | 0.500            |
|                | CAPPE/Canberra   | Completed 2013     | 0.835            |
|                | Pavilion Development   | Under Design       | 1.250            |
| Dubbo          | Indigenous Student Support Facility  | Under Design       | 0.790            |
|                | Campus Entrance – Ceremonial Wall  | Completed 2013     | 0.227            |
| Manly          | Manly Building Renovation  | Completed 2013     | 0.211            |
| Orange         | Machinery Complex  | Completed 2013     | 0.278            |
| -              | Learning Commons Bird Proofing and Re Branding   | Completed 2013     | 0.125            |
|                | Dentistry - Change rooms and Anatomy Uploading Area  | Under Design       | 0.672            |
| Port Macquarie | Grant Street Leasehold Fit Out   | Completed 2013     | 0.700            |
|                | Clarence Street Leasehold Fit Out  | Completed 2013     | 0.355            |
|                | SSAF Port Macquarie Campus Establishment Stage 1   | Under Design       | 12.570           |
|                | Munster Street Leasehold Fit Out   | Under Construction | 1.100            |

| Campus                | Project   | Stage              | Value \$millions |
|-----------------------|---|--------------------|------------------|
| Wagga Wagga           | National Wine and Grape Industry Centre         | Near Completion    | 9.832            |
|                       | Campus Entrance                                 | Completed 2013     | 0.825            |
|                       | Lab Space Refurbishment                         | Feasibility        | 3.000            |
|                       | Ag Campus Social Space                          | Design             | 0.750            |
|                       | Hydraulics and Gas Augmentation                 | Completed 2013     | 1.165            |
|                       | Hydrant Booster (NWIGC)                         | Near Completion    | 0.525            |
|                       | Campus Master Planning Enhancement (CME)        | Under Construction | 13.750           |
|                       | Animal House                                    | Completed 2013     | 1.494            |
|                       | High Voltage Underground Cable Upgrade          | Near Completion    | 0.300            |
|                       | Building 22 Refurbishment                       | Near Completion    | 0.142            |
|                       | Agriculture Avenue                              | Under Design       | 0.630            |
|                       | SSAF Netball Shelter                            | Under Design       | 0.120            |
|                       | Dentistry Change Rooms                          | Under Design       | 0.310            |
|                       | Graham Centre                                   | Completed 2013     | 0.782            |
|                       | Riverina Playhouse                              | Feasibility        | 0.500            |
| Wangaratta            | SSAF Wangaratta Campus Establishment            | Under Construction | 7.000            |
| Uni Wide              | Energy Performance Contract                     | Under Design       | 7.000            |
|                       | Solar Photovoltaic (PV)                         | Under Design       | 1.500            |
| Student<br>Residences |   |                    |                  |
| Wagga Wagga           | Wagga Wagga Stage 3 (additional 200 beds)       | Near Completion    | 16.800           |
|                       | HWA - Student Accommodation - Orange            | Near Completion    | 11.000           |
|                       | HWA - Student Accommodation - Albury-Wodonga    | Near Completion    | 2.707            |
|                       | Vet - Student Accommodation                     | Near Completion    | 0.250            |
| Other                 | Residences – renovations to existing facilities | Near Completion    | 6.500            |
| Childcare             |   |                    |                  |
| Wagga Wagga           | 70 place childcare and pre-school               | Near Completion    | 4.000            |

Note: Values given in Item 29 refer to the TOTAL funding allocated to the project. Where the project was completed in 2013, the final cost of the project has been quoted. A number of completed projects are still in defects liability period (DLP) and may still incur further costs related to the project prior to Final Completion.

#### **ITEM 29 ITEM WASTE**

CSU continued to make progress in 2013 against its target to achieve a 70% recovery of solid waste from landfill. Initiatives that were implemented included the replacement of all office bins with colour coded landfill, paper and recycling bins, which has resulted in significant improvement in recycling rates, particularly paper. Similar improvements are being made to public place recycling. Approximately 40 purpose-built stainless steel recycling stations have been installed in food retail and other high-traffic areas across all major campuses. These enclosures allow separation of waste through clear signage and colour coding and can be modified based on the location or when events are being held. In the area of construction, the responsible management of waste and maximisation of resource recovery forms a standard inclusion within CSU construction contracts.

CSU Green is continuing to work on improvements to waste management. Trials are currently in place for organic waste involving both on-site processing of separated organic waste at the Wagga Wagga Campus and a dedicated organics collection for the commercial kitchen at Bathurst Campus. In 2014 CSU Green aims to submit an application for funding under the NSW Environmental Protection Authority's Waste Less, Recycle More grant scheme to support enhanced collection and processing of organic waste at the Wagga Wagga Campus. There will also be a focus on expanding the existing toner and battery recycling schemes.

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# Charles Sturt University

ABN 83 878 708 551

# Budgeted Financial Statements for the year ending 31 December 2014

The budgeted financial statements for 2014 do not form part of the audited financial statements.

# Charles Sturt University Budgeted Income Statement For the year ending 31 December 2014

|  | Conso                 | lidated               | Parent                | Entity                |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|  | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 |
| Income from continuing operations                            | ·                     |                       |                       |                       |
| Australian Government Financial Assistance                   |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Australian Government grants                                 | 191,000               | 212,369               | 191,000               | 212,369               |
| HECS-HELP Australian Government payments                     | 88,000                | 88,625                | 88,000                | 88,625                |
| FEE-HELP   | 16,000                | 21,392                | 16,000                | 21,392                |
| SA-HELP  | 1,440                 | 1,633                 | 1,440                 | 1,633                 |
| State and local government financial assistance              | -                     | 183                   | -                     | 183                   |
| HECS-HELP student payments                                   | 22,690                | 13,551                | 22,690                | 13,551                |
| Fees and charges   | 77,955                | 93,354                | 77,955                | 93,354                |
| Investment revenue   | 8,400                 | 10,231                | 7,900                 | 9,711                 |
| Royalties, trademarks and licences                           | -                     | 109                   | -                     | 109                   |
| Consultancies and contracts                                  | 5,040                 | 8,416                 | 5,040                 | 8,416                 |
| Other revenue  | 31,855                | 33,727                | 32,355                | 34,221                |
| Total revenue from continuing operations                     | 442,380               | 483,590               | 442,380               | 483,564               |
| Gain on disposal of available-for-sale financial investments | -                     | 6,399                 | -                     | 6,093                 |
| Other investment income                                      | -                     | 1,735                 | -                     | 1,735                 |
| Total income from continuing operations                      | 442,380               | 491,724               | 442,380               | 491,392               |
| Expenses from continuing operations                          |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Employee related expenses                                    | 252,471               | 263,106               | 247,471               | 258,043               |
| Depreciation and amortisation                                | 33,477                | 33,303                | 33,477                | 33,303                |
| Repairs and maintenance                                      | 14,300                | 14,699                | 14,300                | 14,221                |
| Borrowing costs  | 2,020                 | 1,188                 | 2,020                 | 1,188                 |
| Impairment of assets   | -                     | 5,262                 | -                     | 5,190                 |
| Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment            | -                     | 60                    | -                     | 60                    |
| Deferred superannuation expense                              | 500                   | 379                   | 500                   | 379                   |
| Other expenses   | 126,332               | 116,752               | 131,332               | 122,260               |
| Total expenses from continuing operations                    | 429,100               | 434,749               | 429,100               | 434,644               |
| Operating result for the year                                | 13,280                | 56,975                | 13,280                | 56,748                |

# Charles Sturt University Budgeted Statement of Financial Position For the year ending 31 December 2014

|                               | Consolidated          |                       | Parent Entity         |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                               | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 |
| Assets                        |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| CURRENT ASSETS                |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Cash and cash equivalents     | 43,800                | 31,572                | 42,300                | 29,992                |
| Receivables                   | 12,000                | 15,190                | 12,000                | 15,035                |
| Inventories                   | 4,650                 | 4,101                 | 4,650                 | 4,101                 |
| Other financial assets        | 51,940                | 37,083                | 51,940                | 36,827                |
| Total current assets          | 112,390               | 87,946                | 110,890               | 85,955                |
| NON-CURRENT ASSETS            |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Receivables                   | 300,000               | 242,127               | 300,000               | 242,127               |
| Other financial assets        | 102,500               | 104,983               | 95,000                | 97,203                |
| Property, plant and equipment | 706,960               | 725,235               | 706,960               | 725,235               |
| Intangible assets             | 650                   | 877                   | 650                   | 877                   |
| Total non-current assets      | 1,110,110             | 1,073,222             | 1,102,610             | 1,065,442             |
| Total assets                  | 1,222,500             | 1,161,168             | 1,213,500             | 1,151,397             |
| Liabilities                   |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES           |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Trade and other payables      | 16,500                | 17,434                | 16,500                | 17,974                |
| Borrowings                    | -                     | 46                    |                       | 46                    |
| Provisions                    | 18,000                | 45,538                | 18,000                | 44,976                |
| Other liabilities             | 10,000                | 10,804                | 10,000                | 10,804                |
| Total current liabilities     | 44,500                | 73,822                | 44,500                | 73,800                |
| NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES       |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Borrowings                    | 28,000                | 28,239                | 28,000                | 28,239                |
| Provisions                    | 356,000               | 251,261               | 356,000               | 251,261               |
| Total non-current assets      | 384,000               | 279,500               | 384,000               | 279,500               |
| Total liabilities             | 428,500               | 353,322               | 428,500               | 353,300               |
| Net assets                    | 794,000               | 807,846               | 785,000               | 798,097               |
| Equity                        |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Reserves                      | 297,500               | 284,677               | 295,000               | 282,099               |
| Retained earnings             | 496,500               | 523,169               | 490,000               | 515,998               |
| Total Equity                  | 794,000               | 807,846               | 785,000               | 798,097               |

# Charles Sturt University Budgeted Cash Flows Statement For the year ending 31 December 2014

|  | Consol                | idated                | Parent l              | Entity                |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|  | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 | 2014 Budget<br>\$'000 | 2013 Actual<br>\$'000 |
| Cash flows from operating activities                             |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Australian Government Grants                                     | 296,440               | 323,138               | 296,440               | 323,138               |
| OS-HELP (net)  | -                     | 212                   | -                     | 212                   |
| State Government Grants  | -                     | 183                   | -                     | 183                   |
| HECS-HELP student payments                                       | 22,690                | 13,551                | 22,690                | 13,551                |
| Receipts from student fees and other customers                   | 128,024               | 165,328               | 121,025               | 158,442               |
| Distributions received   | 4,244                 | 4,941                 | 3,744                 | 4,534                 |
| Interest received  | 4,156                 | 5,080                 | 4,156                 | 5,032                 |
| Payments to suppliers (inclusive of GST)                         | (146,737)             | (157,008)             | (144,158)             | (154,555)             |
| Payments to employees  | (236,869)             | (267,239)             | (231,869)             | (262,141)             |
| Interest paid  | (2,020)               | (1,586)               | (2,020)               | (1,586)               |
| Net cash provided by operating activities                        | 69,928                | 86,600                | 70,008                | 86,810                |
| Cash flows from investing activities                             |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment              | 4,000                 | 3,165                 | 4,000                 | 3,165                 |
| Payments for property, plant and equipment                       | (61,700)              | (68,551)              | (61,700)              | (68,551)              |
| Proceeds from sale of financial assets                           | 26,000                | 55,659                | 25,000                | 54,257                |
| Payments for financial assets                                    | (26,000)              | (98,133)              | (25,000)              | (96,792)              |
| Net cash used in investing activities                            | (57,700)              | (107,860)             | (57,700)              | (107,921)             |
| Cash flows from financing activities                             |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| Repayment of borrowing   | -                     | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| Increase in finance lease commitments                            |                       | 285                   |                       | 285                   |
| Net cash used in financing activities                            | -                     | 285                   | -                     | 285                   |
| Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents           | 12,228                | (20,975)              | 12,308                | (20,826)              |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year | 31,572                | 52,547                | 29,992                | 50,818                |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year       | 43,800                | 31,572                | 42,300                | 29,992                |

# **Audited Statements 2013**

# Charles Sturt University

ABN 83 878 708 551

# Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2013



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### Charles Sturt University

To Members of the New South Wales Parliament

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Charles Sturt University (the University), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2013, the income statement, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information of the University and the consolidated entity. The consolidated entity comprises the University and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

#### Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the financial position of the University and the consolidated entity, as at 31 December 2013, and of the financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards
- are in accordance with section 41B of the Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 (the PF&A Act) and the Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010
- comply with the 'Financial Statement Guidelines for Australian Higher Education Providers for the 2013 Reporting Period' (the Guidelines), issued by the Australian Government Department of Education, pursuant to the Higher Education Support Act 2003, the Higher Education Funding Act 1988 and the Australian Research Council Act 2001.

My opinion should be read in conjunction with the rest of this report.

#### University Council's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Council of the University is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the PF&A Act and the Guidelines, and for such internal control as the Council determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Council as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

My opinion does not provide assurance:

- about the future viability of the University or the consolidated entity
- that they have carried out their activities effectively, efficiently and economically
- about the effectiveness of their internal control
- about the security and controls over the electronic publication of the audited financial statements on any website where they may be presented
- about any other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial statements.

#### Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian Auditing Standards and other relevant ethical pronouncements. The PF&A Act further promotes independence by:

- providing that only Parliament, and not the executive government, can remove an Auditor-General
- mandating the Auditor-General as auditor of public sector agencies, but precluding the provision
  of non-audit services, thus ensuring the Auditor-General and the Audit Office of
  New South Wales are not compromised in their roles by the possibility of losing clients or
  income.

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Director, Financial Audit Services

17 April 2014 SYDNEY

# Report by the Members of the Council 31 December 2013

The members of the Council present their report on the consolidated entity consisting of Charles Sturt University and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the year ended 31 December 2013.

#### **Members**

The following persons were members of Charles Sturt University during the whole of the year and up to the date of this report:

Names Position Appointed/Resigned

Mr Lawrence Willett AO Chancellor
Professor Andrew Vann Vice-Chancellor

Professor Ben Bradley Presiding Officer, Academic Senate

Ms Kathryn Pitkin Ministerial appointee

Mr Antonio (Tony) Catanzariti Ministerial appointee Term ended 30 June 2013

Mr Richard Hattersley Ministerial appointee

Mr Gerard Martin Ministerial appointee Term ended 31 March 2013
Ms Patricia (Trish) Murphy Ministerial appointee Term ended 31 March 2013

Ms Saranne Cooke Ministerial appointee Term commenced 14 September 2013

 Mr Angelos Frangopoulos
 Council appointee

 Mr Neville Page
 Council appointee

 Mr Peter Hayes
 Council appointee

 Mr Robert Fitzpatrick
 Council appointee

Mr Robert FitzpatrickCouncil appointeeTerm commenced 1 July 2013Mrs Jennifer HayesCouncil appointeeTerm commenced 1 July 2013Mr Jamie NewmanCouncil appointeeTerm commenced 1 July 2013

Ms Carmen Frost Elected general staff member
Dr Susan Wood Elected academic staff member
Ms Saba Nabi Elected student member

#### **Meetings of Members**

The numbers of meetings of the members of Charles Sturt University's Council and of each committee held during the year ended 31 December 2013, and the number of meetings attended by each member were:

|                            |   |                | Meetings of Committees of Council |        |   |                  |    |                 |       |       |       |         |
|----------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---|------------------|----|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
|                            |   | uncil<br>tings | Audit                             | & Risk |   | nce &<br>ructure |    | ession<br>ining | Inves | tment | Chanc | ellor's |
| Member                     | Α | В              | Α                                 | В      | Α | В                | Α  | В               | Α     | В     | Α     | В       |
| Mr Lawrence Willett AO     | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | 5  | 5               | 4     | 4     | 19    | 19      |
| Ms Kathryn Pitkin          | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | 5 | 5                | 5  | 5               | -     | -     | 19    | 19      |
| Professor Andrew Vann      | 5 | 6              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | 5  | 5               | -     | -     | 19†   | 19      |
| Professor Ben Bradley      | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | 5  | 5*              | -     | -     | 19*   | 19      |
| Mr Tony Catanzariti        | 2 | 3              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mr Richard Hattersley      | 5 | 6              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | 4  | 5               | 4     | 4     | -     | -       |
| Mr Gerard Martin           | 1 | 1              | -                                 | -      | 1 | 1                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Ms Trish Murphy            | 1 | 1              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | -  | -               | 4     | 4     | -     | -       |
| Ms Saranne Cooke           | 1 | 2              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mr Neville Page            | 6 | 6              | 4                                 | 4      | - | -                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mr Rob Fitzpatrick         | 3 | 3              | -                                 | -      | 3 | 3                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mr Angelos<br>Frangopoulos | 5 | 6              | 3                                 | 4      | - | -                | 2# | 5               | -     |       | -     | -       |
| Mr Peter Hayes             | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | 5 | 5                | 4  | 5               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mrs Jennifer Hayes         | 3 | 3              | -                                 | -      | 3 | 3                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Mr Jamie Newman            | 3 | 3              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |
| Ms Carmen Frost            | 5 | 6              | -                                 | -      | - | -                | -  | -               | 4     | 4     | -     | -       |
| Dr Susan Wood              | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | 1 | 1                | -  | -               | 2     | 2     | -     | -       |
| Ms Saba Nabi               | 6 | 6              | -                                 | -      | 2 | 4                | -  | -               | -     | -     | -     | -       |

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### Report by the Members of the Council

#### **31 December 2013**

#### **Meetings of Members continued**

A = Number of meetings attended

B = Number of meetings held during the time the member held office or was a member of the committee during the year

- \* One of these meetings was attended by the Acting Presiding Officer, Academic Senate †Five of these meetings were attended by the Acting Vice-Chancellor
- # Two of these meetings were not attended by the member due to a declared conflict of interest

#### **Principal Activities**

Charles Sturt University is committed to achieving excellence in education for the professions and to maintain national leadership in flexible and distance education. Industry relevant courses and workplace learning support the University's learning and teaching

During the year, the principal continuing activities of the Group consisted of:

- Provision of distinctive education programs for the professions and prepare students for work and citizenship
- Strategic and applied research
- Enhancement of communities of inland Australia, Indigenous Australia and national and international institutions to whom our staff and students are linked.

There were no significant changes in the nature of the Group's principal activities during the year.

#### **Review of Operations**

The University recorded a net operating result of \$56.9 million for the year ended 31 December 2013, compared to \$22.9 million in 2012. After discounting for capital grants and investment revaluation the underlying operating surplus is \$30.1 million (2012: \$11.6 million). Total assets as at 31 December 2013 was \$1,161 million compared to \$1,132 million in December 2012.

#### Significant Changes in the State of Affairs

No significant changes in the Group's state of affairs occurred during the year.

#### Matter Subsequent to the End of the Financial Year

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or could significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

#### Likely Developments and Expected Results of Operations

Likely developments in the operations of the Group and the expected results of those operations in future financial years have not been included in this report as the inclusion of such information is likely to result in unreasonable prejudice to the Group.

#### **Environmental Regulation**

Charles Sturt University has an obligation to report its scope 1 and 2 greenhouse gas emission and energy consumption to the Clean Energy Regulator under the National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting Act 2007. These obligations have been met for 2013.

CSU is working towards the implementation of a series of voluntary environmental sustainability targets as part of its University Strategy 2013-15. These targets include the achievement of carbon neutrality by 2015 as well as reductions in energy and water use and waste production. CSU is also working on the integration of sustainability content into all courses and proactively seeking opportunities to partner with its local, regional communities to build a more sustainable future.

#### **Insurance of Officers**

Members of Council are covered by the following insurance policies: Management Liability Policy

# Report by the Members of the Council 31 December 2013

#### **Insurance of Officers continued**

W R Berkley - Policy number: DKN131D7H430 Expiry date 31 October 2014

Group Personal Accident Policy Chubb Insurance Company of Australia Limited - Policy number: 4558415 Expiry date 31 October 2014

#### **Proceedings on Behalf of Charles Sturt University**

The University is not aware of any proceedings.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the members of the Council.

Mr Lawrence Willett AO Chancellor

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Professor Andrew Vann Vice-Chancellor

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Bathurst, New South Wales, Australia

16 April 2014

## Statement by the Council

#### **31 December 2013**

In accordance with a resolution of the Council of Charles Sturt University and pursuant to Section 41C (1B) and (1C) of the Public Finance and Audit Act 1983, we state that:

- The financial reports present a true and fair view of the financial position of the University at 31 December 2013 and the results of its operations and transactions of the University for the year then ended;
- 2. The financial reports have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the New South Wales Public Finance and Audit Act 1983, the Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010 and the Financial Statement Guidelines for Australian Higher Education Providers for the 2013 Reporting Period:
- 3. The financial reports have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations;
- We are not aware of any circumstances which would render any particulars included in the financial reports to be 4. misleading or inaccurate;
- 5. There are reasonable grounds to believe that the University will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due;
- The University charged Student Services and Amenities Fees strictly in accordance with the Higher Education 6. Support Act 2003 and the Administration Guidelines made under the Act. Revenue from the fee was spent strictly in accordance with the Act and only on services and amenities specified in subsection 19-38(4) of the Act;
- 7. The amount of Commonwealth financial assistance expended during the reporting period was for the purposes for which it was granted; and
- 8. The University has complied in full with applicable legislation, contracts, agreements and program guidelines in making expenditure.

Mr Lawrence Willett AO Chancellor

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Professor Andrew Vann Vice-Chancellor and President

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Dated 16 April 2014

## **Income Statement** For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|   |       | Consolid        | ated            | Pare            | ent             |
|---|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Notes | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Income from continuing operations               |       |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Australian Government financial assistance      |       |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Australian Government grants                    | 3     | 212,369         | 196,869         | 212,369         | 196,869         |
| HELP - Australian Government Payment            | 3     | 111,650         | 91,981          | 111,650         | 91,981          |
| State and local Government financial assistance | 4     | 183             | 31              | 183             | 31              |
| Fees and charges                                | 5     | 93,354          | 88,253          | 93,354          | 88,253          |
| HECS-HELP - Student Payments                    |       | 13,551          | 14,469          | 13,551          | 14,469          |
| Consultancy and contracts                       | 8     | 8,416           | 10,136          | 8,416           | 10,136          |
| Investment revenue                              | 6     | 10,231          | 7,710           | 9,711           | 7,334           |
| Royalties, Trademarks and Licences              | 7     | 109             | 38              | 109             | 38              |
| Other revenue                                   | 9     | 33,727          | 31,625          | 34,221          | 30,554          |
| Total revenue from continuing operations        |       | 483,590         | 441,112         | 483,564         | 439,665         |
| Gains on disposal of assets                     |       | 6,399           | 2,477           | 6,093           | 2,477           |
| Other investment income                         | 6     | 1,735           | 2,522           | 1,735           | 2,522           |
| Total income from continuing operations         |       | 491,724         | 446,111         | 491,392         | 444,664         |
| Expenses from continuing operations             |       |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Employee Related Expenses                       | 10    | 263,106         | 252,370         | 258,043         | 247,023         |
| Depreciation and amortisation                   | 11    | 33,303          | 35,919          | 33,303          | 35,919          |
| Repairs and maintenance                         | 12    | 14,699          | 14,465          | 14,221          | 13,942          |
| Borrowing costs                                 | 13    | 1,188           | 1,753           | 1,188           | 1,753           |
| Impairment of assets                            | 14    | 5,262           | 509             | 5,190           | 239             |
| Loss on disposal of assets                      |       | 60              | (7)             | 60              | (7)             |
| Deferred Super expense                          | 10    | 379             | 416             | 379             | 416             |
| Other expenses                                  | 15    | 116,752         | 117,756         | 122,260         | 122,498         |
| Total expenses from continuing operations       |       | 434,749         | 423,181         | 434,644         | 421,783         |
| Operating result from continuing operations     |       | 56,975          | 22,930          | 56,748          | 22,881          |

# **Statement of Comprehensive Income**

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|   |      | Consoli         | dated           | Par             | ent             |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Operating result after income tax for the period Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss |      | 56,975          | 22,930          | 56,748          | 22,881          |
| Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations   | 26   | 161             | 21              | 161             | 21              |
| Gain (loss) on value of available for sale financial assets, net of tax                           |      | 736             | 9,740           | (240)           | 8,446           |
| Total   |      | 897             | 9,761           | (79)            | 8,467           |
| Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss   |      |                 |                 | ` '             |                 |
| Gain(loss) on revaluation of property, plant and equipment, net of tax                            | 20   | 5,569           | 13,642          | 5,569           | 13,642          |
| Net Actuarial gains (losses) recognised in respect of Defined Benefits Plans                      |      | 625             | 31              | 623             | 31              |
| Total   |      | 6,194           | 13,673          | 6,192           | 13,673          |
| Total comprehensive income  |      | 64,066          | 46,364          | 62,861          | 45,021          |

# **Statement of Changes in Equity**

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|  |      | Parent              |                                 |                  |  |  |  |
|--|------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
|  | Note | Reserves<br>\$'000s | Retained<br>Earnings<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |  |  |  |
| Balance at 1 January 2013  |      | 276,609             | 458,627                         | 735,236          |  |  |  |
| Operating Result   |      | -                   | 56,748                          | 56,748           |  |  |  |
| Gain on revaluation of land and buildings                          |      | 5,569               | -                               | 5,569            |  |  |  |
| Gain on Foreign exchange   |      | 161                 | -                               | 161              |  |  |  |
| Gain/ (loss) on value of available for sale financial assets       |      | (240)               | -                               | (240)            |  |  |  |
| Actuarial gains/ (losses) recognised directly in retained earnings |      | -                   | 623                             | 623              |  |  |  |
| Total comprehensive income   |      | 5,490               | 57,371                          | 62,861           |  |  |  |
| Balance at 31 December 2013  |      | 282,099             | 515,998                         | 798,097          |  |  |  |

|  |      | Parent              |                                 |                  |  |  |  |
|--|------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
|  | Note | Reserves<br>\$'000s | Retained<br>Earnings<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |  |  |  |
| Balance at 1 January 2012  |      | 254,500             | 435,715                         | 690,215          |  |  |  |
| Operating Result   |      | -                   | 22,881                          | 22,881           |  |  |  |
| Gain on revaluation of land and buildings                          |      | 13,642              | -                               | 13,642           |  |  |  |
| Gain on Foreign exchange   |      | 21                  | -                               | 21               |  |  |  |
| Gain/ (loss) on value of available for sale financial assets       |      | 8,446               | -                               | 8,446            |  |  |  |
| Actuarial gains/ (losses) recognised directly in retained earnings |      |                     | 31                              | 31               |  |  |  |
| Total comprehensive income   |      | 22,109              | 22,912                          | 45,021           |  |  |  |
| Balance at 31 December 2012  |      | 276,609             | 458,627                         | 735,236          |  |  |  |

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# **Statement of Changes in Equity**

### For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|  |                     | Consolidated                    |                  |  |  |
|--|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Note   | Reserves<br>\$'000s | Retained<br>Earnings<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |  |  |
| Balance at 1 January 2013  | 278,211             | 465,569                         | 743,780          |  |  |
| Operating Result   | -                   | 56,975                          | 56,975           |  |  |
| Gain on revaluation of land and buildings                          | 5,569               | -                               | 5,569            |  |  |
| Gain on Foreign exchange   | 161                 | -                               | 161              |  |  |
| Gain/ (loss) on value of available for sale financial assets       | 736                 | -                               | 736              |  |  |
| Actuarial gains/ (losses) recognised directly in retained earnings | -                   | 625                             | 625              |  |  |
| Total comprehensive income   | 6,466               | 57,600                          | 64,066           |  |  |
| Balance at 31 December 2013  | 284,677             | 523,169                         | 807,846          |  |  |

|  |      |                     | Consolidated                    |                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
|  | Note | Reserves<br>\$'000s | Retained<br>Earnings<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |  |  |  |  |  |
| Balance at 1 January 2012  |      | 254,808             | 442,608                         | 697,416          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Result   |      | -                   | 22,930                          | 22,930           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gain on revaluation of land and buildings                          |      | 13,642              | -                               | 13,642           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grain on Foreign exchange  |      | 21                  | -                               | 21               |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gain/ (loss on value of available for sale financial assets        |      | 9,740               | -                               | 9,740            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Actuarial gains/ (losses) recognised directly in retained earnings |      |                     | 31                              | 31               |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Comprehensive Income   |      | 23,403              | 22,961                          | 46,364           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Balance at 31 December 2012  |      | 278,211             | 465,569                         | 743,780          |  |  |  |  |  |

## **Statement of Financial Position**

### **31 December 2013**

|  |          | Consolid           | dated              | Par                | Parent             |  |  |
|--|----------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|--|
|  | N        | 2013               | 2012               | 2013               | 2012               |  |  |
|  | Note     | \$'000s            | \$'000s            | \$'000s            | \$'000s            |  |  |
| ASSETS   |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| CURRENT ASSETS                                 |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents                      | 16       | 31,572             | 52,547             | 29,992             | 50,818             |  |  |
| Trade and other receivables Inventories        | 17<br>18 | 15,190<br>4,101    | 19,472<br>4,639    | 15,035<br>4,101    | 19,472<br>4,640    |  |  |
| Other financial assets                         | 19       | 37,083             | 19,241             | 36,827             | 19,028             |  |  |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS                           | 15       | 87,946             |                    | 85,955             |                    |  |  |
|  |          | 07,940             | 95,899             | 65,955             | 93,958             |  |  |
| NON-CURRENT ASSETS Trade and other receivables | 17       | 242,127            | 280,468            | 242,127            | 280,468            |  |  |
| Other financial assets                         | 19       | 104,983            | 76,420             | 97,203             | 69,787             |  |  |
| Property, plant and equipment                  | 20       | 725,235            | 687,333            | 725,235            | 687,333            |  |  |
| Intangible assets                              | 21       | 877                | 1,171              | 877                | 1,171              |  |  |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS                       |          | 1,073,222          | 1,045,392          | 1,065,442          | 1,038,759          |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS                                   |          | 1,161,168          | 1,141,291          | 1,151,397          | 1,132,717          |  |  |
| LIABILITIES                                    |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES                            |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| Trade and other payables                       | 22       | 17,434             | 20,484             | 17,974             | 21,050             |  |  |
| Borrowings                                     | 23       | 46                 | -                  | 46                 | -                  |  |  |
| Provisions                                     | 24       | 45,538             | 44,235             | 44,976             | 43,889             |  |  |
| Other liabilities                              | 25       | 10,804             | 13,457             | 10,804             | 13,457             |  |  |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES                      |          | 73,822             | 78,176             | 73,800             | 78,396             |  |  |
| NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES                        |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| Borrowings                                     | 23       | 28,239             | 28,000             | 28,239             | 28,000             |  |  |
| Provisions                                     | 24       | 251,261            | 291,335            | 251,261            | 291,085            |  |  |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES                  |          | 279,500            | 319,335            | 279,500            | 319,085            |  |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                              |          | 353,322            | 397,511            | 353,300            | 397,481            |  |  |
| NET ASSETS                                     |          | 807,846            | 743,780            | 798,097            | 735,236            |  |  |
|  |          |                    |                    |                    |                    |  |  |
| EQUITY   | 26       | 294 677            | 270 244            | 202.000            | 276 600            |  |  |
| Reserves Retained Earnings                     | 26<br>26 | 284,677<br>523,169 | 278,211<br>465,569 | 282,099<br>515,998 | 276,609<br>458,627 |  |  |
| Parent entity interest                         | 20       | 807,846            | 743,780            | 798,097            | 735,236            |  |  |
| TOTAL EQUITY                                   |          |                    |                    | ·                  |                    |  |  |
| TOTAL EQUIT                                    |          | 807,846            | 743,780            | 798,097            | 735,236            |  |  |

## **Statement of Cash Flows**

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|   |      | Consoli   | dated     | Parent          |                      |  |
|---|------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------|--|
|   |      | 2013      | 2012      | 2013            | 2012                 |  |
|   | Note | \$'000s   | \$'000s   | \$'000s         | \$'000s              |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:                                       |      |           |           |                 |                      |  |
| Australian Government Grants  | 3(i) | 323,138   | 288,850   | 323,138         | 288,850              |  |
| OS-HELP (net)   | 3(i) | 212       | 124       | 212             | 124                  |  |
| State Government Grants   |      | 183       | 31        | 183             | 31                   |  |
| HECS-HELP - Student payments  |      | 13,551    | 14,469    | 13,551          | 14,469               |  |
| Receipts from student fees and other customers                              |      | 165,328   | 171,777   | 158,443         | 164,707              |  |
| Distributions received  |      | 4,941     | 2,562     | 4,534           | 2,195                |  |
| Payments to suppliers   |      | (157,008) | (155,434) | (154,555)       | (153,512)            |  |
| Interest received   |      | 5,080     | 5,066     | 5,032           | 5,012                |  |
| Interest paid   |      | (1,586)   | (1,793)   | (1,586)         | (1,793)              |  |
| Payments to employees   |      | (267,239) | (249,716) | (262,141)       | (244,420)            |  |
| Net cash provided by / (used in) operating activities                       | 37   | 86,600    | 75,936    | 86,811          | 75,663               |  |
|   |      | ,         | •         | ·               | ,                    |  |
|   |      |           |           |                 |                      |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:                                       |      | 3,165     | 10,477    | 2.465           | 10,477               |  |
| Proceeds from sale of plant and equipment  Proceeds from sale of investment |      | 55,659    | 17,819    | 3,165<br>54,257 | 17,584               |  |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment                                   |      | (68,551)  | (49,592)  | (68,551)        | (49,592)             |  |
| Payments for financial assets   |      | (98,133)  | (14,810)  | (96,792)        | (49,592)<br>(14,511) |  |
| •   |      | (90,133)  | (14,010)  | (90,792)        | (14,511)             |  |
| Net cash provided by / (used in) investing activities                       |      | (107,860) | (36,106)  | (107,921)       | (36,042)             |  |
|   |      |           |           |                 |                      |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:                                       |      |           |           |                 |                      |  |
| Payment of borrowings   |      | -         | (2,000)   | -               | (2,000)              |  |
| Increase in finance lease commitments                                       |      | 285       | -         | 285             | -                    |  |
| Net cash provided by / (used in) financing activities                       |      | 285       | (2,000)   | 285             | (2,000)              |  |
|   |      | 200       | (2,000)   | 200             | (2,000)              |  |
| Not in any or of decrees a linear transfer and and                          |      |           |           |                 |                      |  |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held                   |      | (20,975)  | 37,830    | (20,825)        | 37,621               |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year                              |      | 52,547    | 14,717    | 50,818          | 13,197               |  |
|   |      | , , , , , | ,         | , , , ,         | ,                    |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial                               |      | 04 570    | 50 547    | 20,000          | 50.040               |  |
| year  |      | 31,572    | 52,547    | 29,993          | 50,818               |  |

#### Notes to the Financial Statements

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 1 **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements is set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years reported, unless otherwise stated. The financial statements include separate statements for Charles Sturt University as the parent and the consolidated entity consisting of Charles Sturt University and its subsidiaries.

The principal address of Charles Sturt University is Panaroma Avenue, Bathurst, New South Wales, Australia.

#### (a) **Basis of Preparation**

The annual financial statements represent the audited general purpose financial statements of Charles Sturt University. They have been prepared on an accrual basis and comply with Australian Accounting Standards.

Additionally the statements have been prepared in accordance with following statutory requirements:

- Higher Education Support Act 2003 (Financial Statement Guidelines)
- The Public Finance and Audit Act 1983
- The Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010

Charles Sturt University is a not-for-profit entity and these statements have been prepared on that basis. Some of the Australian Accounting Standards requirements for not-for-profit entities are inconsistent with the IFRS requirements.

Date of authorisation for issue

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the members of Charles Sturt University Council on 10 April 2014.

Historical cost convention

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of available-for-sale financial assets, financial assets and liabilities (including derivative instruments) at fair value through profit or loss, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and investment property.

Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying Charles Sturt University's accounting policies. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed where applicable in the relevant note to the financial statements, specifically:

Note 19: Other financial assets

Note 20: Property, Plant and Equipment

Note 24: Provisions

Note 35: Defined Benefit Plans

#### (b) **Principles of Consolidation**

(i) Subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all subsidiaries of Charles Sturt University ("parent entity") as at 31 December 2013 and the results of all subsidiaries for the year then ended. Charles Sturt University and its subsidiaries together are referred to in this financial report as the Group or the Consolidated Entity.

#### **Notes to the Financial Statements**

#### **31 December 2013**

#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued**

#### (b) **Principles of Consolidation continued**

Subsidiaries are all those entities (including special purpose entities) over which the Group has the power to govern the financial and operating policies, generally accompanying a shareholding of more than one-half of the voting rights. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether the Group controls another entity.

Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Group. They are de-consolidated from the date control ceases

The acquisition method of accounting is used to account for the acquisition of subsidiaries by the Group.

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between Group entities are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of the impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.

#### (c) Foreign currency translation

#### (i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of each of the Group's entities are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ('the functional currency'). The consolidated financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Charles Sturt University's functional and presentation currency.

#### (ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the income statement. Qualifying cash flow hedges and qualifying net investment hedges in a foreign operation shall be accounted for by recognising the portion of the gain or loss determined to be an effective hedge in other comprehensive income and the ineffective portion in profit or loss.

Translation differences on non-monetary financial assets and liabilities are reported as part of the fair value gain or loss. Translation differences on non-monetary financial assets and liabilities, such as equities held at fair value through profit and loss, are recognised in profit or loss as part of the fair values gain or loss. Translation differences on non-monetary financial assets are included in the fair value reserve in equity

#### (iii) Group companies

The results and financial position of all the Group entities (none of which has the currency of a hyperinflationary economy) that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- assets and liabilities for each statement of financial position presented are translated at the closing rate at the date of that statement of financial position;
- income and expenses for each income statement are translated at average exchange rates (unless this is not a reasonable approximation of the cumulative effect of the rates prevailing on the transaction dates, in which case income and expenses are translated at the dates of the transactions); and
- all resulting exchange differences are recognised as a separate component of equity.

On consolidation, exchange differences arising from the translation of any net investment in foreign entities, and of borrowings and other financial instruments designated as hedges of such investments, are accounted for by recognising the effective portion in other comprehensive income and the ineffective portion in the income statement. When a foreign operation is sold or any borrowings forming part of the net investment are repaid, the gain or loss relating to the effective portion of the hedge that has been recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to the income

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

#### (c) Foreign currency translation continued

statement as a reclassification adjustment.

Goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on the acquisition of a foreign entity are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign entity and translated at the closing rate.

#### (d) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances rebates and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

The Group recognises revenue when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Group and specific criteria have been met for each of the Group's activities as described below. The amount of revenue is not considered to be reliably measurable until all contingencies relating to the sale have been resolved. The Group bases its estimates on historical results, taking into consideration the type of customer, the type of transaction and the specifics of each arrangement.

Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

#### (i) Government Grants

Grants from the government are recognised at their fair value where the Group obtains control of the right to receive a grant, it is probable that economic benefits will flow to the Group and it can be reliably measured.

#### (ii) Student fees and charges

Fees and charges are recognised as income in the year of receipt, except to the extent that fees and charges relate to courses to be held in future periods. Such income is treated as income in advance. Conversely, fees and charges relating to debtors are recognised as revenue in the year to which the prescribed course relates.

#### (iii) Human resources

Contract revenue is recognised in accordance with the percentage of completion method. The stage of completion is measured by reference to labour hours incurred to date as a percentage of estimated total labour hours for each contract.

Other human resources revenue is recognised when the service is provided.

#### (iv) Lease income

Lease income from operating leases is recognised in income on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### (e) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the University is exempt from income tax under Div 50 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*.

#### (f) Leases

Leases of property, plant and equipment where the Group, as lessee, has substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are classified as finance leases. Finance leases are capitalised at the lease's inception at the lower of the fair value of the leased property and the present value of the minimum lease payments. The corresponding rental obligations, net of finance charges, are included in other short-term and long-term payables. Each lease payment is allocated between the liability and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to the income statement over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period. The property, plant and equipment acquired under finance leases are depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term.

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#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued**

#### (f) Leases continued

Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessor are classified as operating leases (note 32). Payments made under operating leases (net of any incentives received from the lessor) are charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease.

#### (g) Impairment of assets

Goodwill and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that suffered an impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting date.

#### (h) Cash and cash equivalents

For statement of cash flows presentation purposes, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

#### **Trade receivables** (i)

Trade receivables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. Trade receivables are due for settlement no more than 120 days from the date of recognition for land development and resale debtors, and no more than 30 days for other debtors.

Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off. A provision for impairment of receivables is established when there is objective evidence that the Group will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of receivables. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 30 days overdue) are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired. The amount of the provision is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. Cash flows relating to short-term receivable are not discounted if the effect of discounting is immaterial. The amount of the provision is recognised in the income statement.

#### (i) **Inventories**

(i) Raw materials and stores, work in progress and finished goods

Raw materials and stores, work in progress and finished goods are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overhead expenditure, the latter being allocated on the basis of normal operating capacity. Costs are assigned to individual items of inventory on the basis of weighted average costs. Costs of purchased inventory are determined after deducting rebates and discounts. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### (k) Non-current assets (or disposal groups) held for sale and discontinued operations

Non-current assets (or disposal groups) are classified as held for sale and stated at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell, if their carrying amount will be recovered principally through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use.

An impairment loss is recognised for any initial or subsequent write down of the asset (or disposal group) to fair value less costs to sell. A gain is recognised for any subsequent increases in fair value less costs to sell of an asset (or disposal group), but not in excess of any cumulative impairment loss previously recognised. A gain or loss not previously recognised by the

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

#### (k) Non-current assets (or disposal groups) held for sale and discontinued operations continued

date of the sale of the non-current asset (or disposal group) is recognised at the date of derecognition.

Non-current assets (including those that are part of a disposal group) are not depreciated or amortised while they are classified as held for sale. Interest and other expenses attributable to the liabilities of a disposal group classified as held for sale continue to be recognised.

Non-current assets classified as held for sale and the assets of a disposal group classified as held for sale are presented separately from the other assets in the statement of financial position. The liabilities of a disposal group classified as held for sale are presented separately from other liabilities in the statement of financial position.

#### (I) Investments and other financial assets

#### Classification

The Group classifies its investments in the following categories: financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments, and available-for-sale financial assets. The classification depends on the purpose for which the investments were acquired. Management determines the classification of its investments at initial recognition and, in the case of assets classified as held-to-maturity, re-evaluates this designation at each reporting date.

#### (i) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading. A financial asset is classified in this category if acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the short term. Derivatives are classified as held for trading unless they are designated as hedges. Assets in this category are classified as current assets.

#### (ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are included in current assets, except for those with maturities greater than 12 months after the reporting date which are classified as non-current assets. Loans and receivables are included in receivables in the statement of financial position.

#### (iii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturities that the Group's management has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity.

#### (iv) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets, comprising principally marketable equity securities, are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. They are included in non-current assets unless management intends to dispose of the investment within 12 months of the reporting date.

Regular purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on trade date - the date on which the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Investments are initially recognised at fair value plus transactions costs for all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value and transaction costs are expensed in the income statement. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

When securities classified as available-for-sale are sold, the accumulated fair value adjustments recognised in other comprehensive income are included in the income statement as gains and losses from investment securities.

#### **31 December 2013**

#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued**

#### Investments and other financial assets continued

#### Subsequent measurement

Available-for-sale financial assets and financial assets at fair value though profit and loss are subsequently carried at fair value. Loans and receivables and held-to-maturity investments are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains or losses arising from changes in the fair value of the 'financial assets at fair value through profit or loss' category are included in the income statement within other income or other expenses in the period in which they arise.

Changes in the fair value of monetary security denominated in a foreign currency and classified as available-for-sale are analysed between translation differences resulting from changes in amortised cost of the security and other changes in the carrying amount of the security (other than interest). The translation differences related to changes in the amortised cost are recognised in profit or loss, and other changes in carrying amount are recognised in equity. Changes in the fair value of other monetary and non-monetary securities classified as available-for-sale are recognised in equity.

#### Fair value

The fair values of investments and other financial assets are based on quoted prices in an active market. If the market for a financial asset is not active (and for unlisted securities), the Group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques that maximise the use of relevant data. These include reference to the estimated price in an orderly transaction that would take place between market participants at the measurement date. Other valuation techniques used are the cost approach and the income approach based on characteristics of the asset and the assumptions made by market participants.

#### Impairment

The Group assesses at each balance date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of equity securities classified as available-for-sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of a security below its cost is considered in determining whether the security is impaired. If any such evidence exists for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss - measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit and loss - is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised in the income statement on equity instruments are not reversed through the income statement.

#### (m) Fair value estimation

The fair value of assets and liabilities must be measured for recognition and disclosure purposes.

The Group classifies fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements.

The fair value of assets or liabilities traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives, and trading and available-for-sale securities) is based on quoted market prices for identical assets or liabilities at the reporting date (Level 1). The quoted market price used for assets held by the Group is the most representative of fair value in the circumstances within the bid-ask spread.

The fair value of assets or liabilities that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter-derivatives) is determined using valuation techniques. The Group uses a variety of methods and makes assumptions that are based on market conditions existing at each balance date. Quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments (Level 2) are used for long-term debt instruments held. Other techniques that are not based on observable market data (Level 3) such as estimated discounted cash flows, are used to determine fair value for the remaining assets and liabilities. The fair value of interest-rate swaps is calculated as the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The fair value of forward exchange contracts is determined using forward exchange market rates at the reporting date. The level in the fair value hierarchy shall be determined on the basis of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

Fair value measurement of non-financial assets is based on the highest and best use of the asset. The Group considers market participants use of, or purchase price of the asset, to use it in a manner that would be highest and best use.

The carrying value less impairment provision of trade receivables and payables are assumed to approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature. The fair value of financial liabilities for disclosure purposes is estimated by discounting the

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#### 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

#### (m) Fair value estimation continued

future contractual cash flows at the current market interest rate that is available to the Group for similar financial instruments.

#### (n) Property, Plant and Equipment

Land and buildings are shown at fair value, based on periodic, but at least quinquennial, valuations by external independent valuers, less subsequent depreciation for buildings. Any accumulated depreciation at the date of revaluation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount is restated to the revalued amount of the asset. All other property, plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. Cost may also include gains or losses that were recognised in other comprehensive income on qualifying cash flow hedges of foreign currency purchases of property, plant and equipment.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Increases in the carrying amounts arising on revaluation of land and buildings are recognised, net of tax, in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity under the heading of revaluation surplus. To the extent that the increase reverses a decrease previously recognised in profit or loss, the increase is first recognised in profit and loss. Decreases that reverse previous increases of the same asset class are also firstly recognised in other comprehensive income before reducing the balance of revaluation surpluses in equity, to the extent of the remaining reserve attributable to the asset class. All other decreases are charged to the income statement.

Land and artwork are not depreciated. Depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight line method to allocate their cost or revalued amounts, net of their residual values, over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

| Buildings   | 20-40 years |
|---|-------------|
| Computer software and equipment, commercial vehicles and small buses  | 4 years     |
| Telephone installations, furniture and fittings, catering equipment and appliance, passenger vehicles, farm equipment and large buses | 10 years    |
| All assets not included in the above categories   | 5 years     |

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

The depreciation rates categories used for library collection are shown below: in calculating the depreciation charge half of the rate is used in the first year of acquisition.

Fixed asset class

Periodicals (serials)

Monographs and audio visual materials

Depreciation rate
5 years
5 years

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

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#### 1 **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued**

#### **Intangible Assets** (o)

#### (i) Research and development

Expenditure on research activities is recognised in the income statement as an expense when it is incurred.

#### (ii) Computer Software

Internal-use software is capitalised only when the amounts are greater than the Group's capitalisation threshold and they satisfy the conditions for capitalisation. Internal-use software is recognised at cost and amortised over the useful life of 4 years.

#### (p) **Unfunded Superannuation**

In accordance with the 1998 instructions issued by the Department of Education, Training and Youth Affairs (DETYA) now known as the Department of Education (Education), the effects of the unfunded superannuation liabilities of Charles Sturt University and its controlled entities were recorded in the income statement and the statement of financial position for the first time in 1998. The prior years' practice had been to disclose liabilities by way of a note to the financial statements.

The unfunded liabilities recorded in the statement of financial position under Provisions have been determined by Pillar and relate to State Authorities Superannuation Scheme (SASS), State Superannuation Scheme (SSS) and State Authorities Non Contributory Superannuation Scheme (SANCS). Note 35 discloses specific treatment.

An arrangement exists between the Australian Government and the State Government to meet the unfunded liability for the University's beneficiaries of the State Superannuation Scheme (SSS) and State Authorities Superannuation Scheme (SASS) on an emerging cost basis. This arrangement is evidenced by the State Grants (General Revenue) Amendment Act 1987, the Higher Education Funding Act 1988 and subsequent amending legislation. Accordingly, the unfunded liabilities have been recognised in the statement of financial position under Provisions with a corresponding asset recognised under Receivables. The recognition of both the asset and liability consequently does not affect the year end net asset position of the University and its controlled entities.

#### Trade and other payables (q)

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year, which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

#### (r) **Borrowings**

Borrowings are initially recognised at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the redemption amount is recognised in the income statement over the period of the borrowings using the effective interest method. Fees paid on the establishment of loan facilities, which are not an incremental cost relating to the actual draw-down of the facility, are recognised as prepayments and amortised on a straight-line basis over the term of the facility.

Borrowings are removed from the statement of financial position when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of a financial liability that has been extinguished or transferred to another party and the consideration paid, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in other income or other expenses.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Group has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date and does not expect to settle the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date.

#### **Borrowing costs** (s)

Borrowing costs incurred for the construction of any qualifying asset are capitalised during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the asset for its intended use or sale. Other borrowing costs are expensed.

# Notes to the Financial Statements 31 December 2013

#### 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

#### (t) Employee benefits

#### (i) Short-term obligations

Liabilities for short-term employee benefits including wages and salaries, non-monetary benefits and profit-sharing bonuses are measured at the amount expected to be paid when the liability is settled, if it is expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period, and is recognised in other payables. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised when the leave is taken and measured at the rates payable.

#### (ii) Other long-term obligations

The liability for other long-term employee benefits such as annual leave, accumulating sick leave and long service leave is recognised in current provisions for employee benefits if it is expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period. It is measured at the present value expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Regardless of the expected timing of settlements, provisions made in respect of employee benefits are classified as a current liability, unless there is an unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date, in which case it would be classified as a non-current liability.

#### (iii) Retirement benefit obligations

All employees of the Group are entitled to benefits on retirement, disability or death from the Group's superannuation plan. The Group has a defined benefit section and defined contribution section within its plan. The defined benefit section provides defined lump sum benefits based on years of service and final average salary. The defined contribution section receives fixed contributions from the Group and the Group's legal or constructive obligation is limited to these contributions. The employees of the parent entity are all members of the defined contribution section of the Group's plan.

A liability or asset in respect of defined benefit superannuation plans is recognised in the statement of financial position, and is measured as the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the reporting date less the fair value of the superannuation fund's assets at that date and any unrecognised past service cost. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is based on expected future payments which arise from membership of the fund to the reporting date, calculated annually by independent actuaries using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service.

Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Remeasurement gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in the period in which they occur, directly in other comprehensive income. They are included in the retained earnings in the statement of changes in equity and in the statement of financial position.

Past service costs are recognised in income immediately.

Contributions to the defined contributions section of Charles Sturt University's superannuation fund and other independent defined contribution superannuation funds are recognised as an expense as they become payable.

#### (iv) Termination Benefits

Termination benefits are payable when employment is terminated before the normal retirement date, or when an employee accepts an offer of benefits in exchange for the termination of employment. The Group recognises termination benefits either when it can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits or when it has recognised costs for restructuring within the scope of AASB 137 that involves the payment of termination benefits. When it is demonstrably committed to either terminating the employment of current employees according to a detailed formal plan without possibility of withdrawal or providing termination benefits as a result of an offer made to encourage voluntary redundancy. Benefits not expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the reporting period are discounted to present value.

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#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued** 1

#### (u) Rounding of amounts

The Group is of a kind referred to in Class order 98/100 as amended by Class order 04/667, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the financial report. Amounts in the financial report have been rounded off in accordance with that Class Order to the nearest thousand dollars, or in certain cases, the nearest dollar.

#### (v) **Comparative Amounts**

Where necessary, comparative information has been reclassified to enhance comparability in respect of changes in presentation adopted in the current year.

#### (w) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case, it is recognised as part of the cost acquisition of the asset or as part of the

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

#### (x) **New Accounting Standards and Interpretations**

Certain new Accounting Standards and Interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 31 December 2013 reporting periods. Charles Sturt University's assessment of the impact of these new Standards and Interpretations is set out below:

| Standard   | Application date |
|--|------------------|
| AASB 1053: Application of Tiers of Australian Accounting Standards   | 1 July 2013      |
| AASB 2011-4: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure Requirements AASB 124  | 1 July 2013      |
| AASB 2012-3: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities   | 1 January 2014   |
| Interpretation 21: Levies  | 1 January 2014   |
| AASB 1055: Budgetary Reporting   | 1 July 2014      |
| AASB 9: Financial Instruments  | 1 January 2017   |
| AASB 2013-3: Amendments to AASB 136 - Recoverable Amount Disclosures for Non-Financial Assets  | 1 January 2014   |
| AASB 2013-4: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Novation of Derivatives and Continuation of Hedge Accounting AASB 139   | 1 January 2014   |
| AASB 2013-5: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Investment Entities AASB 1, AASB 3, AASB 7, AASB 10, AASB 12, AASB 107, AASB 112, AASB 124, AASB 127, AASB 132, AASB 134 & AASB 139 | 1 January 2014   |
| AASB 2013-7: Amendments to AASB 1038 arising from AASB 10 in relation to Consolidation and Interests of Policyholders AASB 1038  | 1 January 2014   |

The University has assessed the impact of these new Standards and Interpretations and considered the impact to be insignificant.

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(b)

(c)

# 2 Disaggregated information (dual sector institutions only)

(a) Geographical - Consolidated entity

|           | Revenue         |                 | Res             | ults            | Assets          |                 |  |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|           | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Australia | 493,027         | 469,893         | 59,332          | 22,205          | 1,163,309       | 1,140,060       |  |
| Canada    | 3,626           | 3,982           | (435)           | 755             | 2,306           | 1,231           |  |
| Total     | 496,653         | 473,875         | 58,897          | 22,960          | 1,165,615       | 1,141,291       |  |

# 3 Australian Government financial assistance including Australian Government loan programs (HELP)

# (a) Commonwealth Grants Scheme and Other Grants

|  |       | Consolid        | Consolidated    |                 | ent             |
|--|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | Note  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Commonwealth Grants Scheme #1                        |       | 173,827         | 167,854         | 173,827         | 167,854         |
| Indigenous Support Program                           |       | 1,857           | 1,492           | 1,857           | 1,492           |
| Disability Support Program                           |       | 882             | 856             | 882             | 856             |
| Diversity and Structural Adjustment Fund #3          |       | 400             | 2,200           | 400             | 2,200           |
| Transitional Cost Program                            |       | -               | 283             | -               | 283             |
| Partnership & Participation Program #2               |       | 6,446           | 3,892           | 6,446           | 3,892           |
| Total Commonwealth Grants<br>Scheme and Other Grants | 39(a) | 183,412         | 176,577         | 183,412         | 176,577         |
| Higher Education Loan Programs                       | i     |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| HECS - HELP  |       | 88,625          | 74,880          | 88,625          | 74,880          |
| FEE - HELP #4  |       | 21,392          | 16,429          | 21,392          | 16,429          |
| SA-HELP payments                                     |       | 1,633           | 672             | 1,633           | 672             |
| Total Higher Education Loan<br>Programmes            | 39(b) | 111,650         | 91,981          | 111,650         | 91,981          |
| Scholarships   |       |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Australian Postgraduate Awards                       |       | 1,588           | 1,449           | 1,588           | 1,449           |
| International Postgraduate Research Scholarships     |       | 133             | 128             | 133             | 128             |
| Commonwealth Education Costs<br>Scholarship #5       |       | (154)           | 881             | (154)           | 881             |
| Commonwealth Accommodation Scholarships #5           |       | (24)            | 147             | (24)            | 147             |
| Indigenous Access scholarships                       |       | (72)            | 234             | (72)            | 234             |
| Indigenous Staff Scholarships                        |       | (15)            | 38              | (15)            | 38              |
| Total Scholarships                                   | 39(c) | 1,456           | 2,877           | 1,456           | 2,877           |

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#### Australian Government financial assistance including Australian Government loan programs (HELP) 3 continued

#### **EDUCATION Research** (d)

|     |   |          | Consolid        | dated           | Par             | ent             |
|-----|---|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|     |   | Note     | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
|     | Joint Research Engagement Program #6            |          | 1,658           | 1,795           | 1,658           | 1,795           |
|     | Research Training Scheme                        |          | 3,841           | 3,654           | 3,841           | 3,654           |
|     | Research Infrastructure Block Grants            |          | 1,081           | 1,424           | 1,081           | 1,424           |
|     | Sustainable Research Excellence in Universities |          | 977             | 1,068           | 977             | 1,068           |
|     | Total DIISR Research                            | 39(d)    | 7,557           | 7,941           | 7,557           | 7,941           |
| (e) | Other Capital Funding Education Investment Fund |          | 3,396           | 2,000           | 3,396           | 2,000           |
|     | Other   |          | 11,273          | 3,969           | 11,273          | 3,969           |
|     | Total Other Capital Funding                     | 39(e)    | 14,669          | 5,969           | 14,669          | 5,969           |
| (f) | Australian Research Council                     |          |                 |                 |                 |                 |
|     | (i) Discovery                                   |          |                 |                 |                 |                 |
|     | Project   |          | 656             | 410             | 656             | 410             |
|     | Fellowships                                     |          | 370             | 456             | 370             | 456             |
|     | Indigenous Researchers Development              |          | -               | 5               | -               | 5               |
|     | Total Discovery                                 | 39(f)(i) | 1,026           | 871             | 1,026           | 871             |
|     | (ii) Linkages<br>Project                        |          | 387             | 403             | 387             | 403             |
|     | Total ARC                                       | 39(f)    | 1,413           | 1,274           | 1,413           | 1,274           |

<sup>#1</sup> Includes the basic CGS grant amount, CGS - Regional Loading, CGS - Enabling Loading, Maths and Science Transition Loading and Full Fee Places Transition Loading.

#4 Program is in respect of FEE-HELP for Higher Education only and excludes funds received in respect of VET FEE-HELP

#5 Includes Grandfathered Scholarships, National Priority and National Accommodation Priority Scholarships respectively

#### **Other Australian Government Financial Assistance** (g)

| Non-capital  |   |
|--------------|---|
| ATAC AFD C-1 | _ |

| Total Other Australian Government Financial Assistance |
|--|
| Total  |
| Other assistance                                       |
| ATAS and AFB Schemes                                   |

| 3,371 | 1,875 | 3,371 | 1,875 |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 491   | 356   | 491   | 356   |
| 3,862 | 2,231 | 3,862 | 2,231 |
|       |       |       |       |
| 3,862 | 2,231 | 3,862 | 2,231 |

<sup>#2</sup> Includes Equity Support Program

<sup>#3</sup> Includes Collaboration & Structural Adjustment Program

<sup>#6</sup> Includes Institutional Grants Scheme

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#### Australian Government financial assistance including Australian Government loan programs (HELP) 3 continued

#### (h) **Total Australian Government Financial Assistance**

|  |      | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |  |
|--|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|  | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Total Australian Government Financial Assistance |      | 324,019         | 288,850         | 324,019         | 288,850         |  |
| Reconciliation                                   |      |                 |                 |                 | _               |  |
| Australian Government Grants (a + c +            |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| d + e + f + g                                    |      | 212,369         | 196,869         | 212,369         | 196,869         |  |
| HECS - HELP                                      |      | 88,625          | 74,880          | 88,625          | 74,880          |  |
| FEE - HELP                                       |      | 21,392          | 16,429          | 21,392          | 16,429          |  |
| SA-HELP payments                                 |      | 1,633           | 672             | 1,633           | 672             |  |
| Total Australian Government                      |      |                 |                 |                 | _               |  |
| Financial Assistance                             |      | 324,019         | 288,850         | 324,019         | 288,850         |  |

#### (i) Australian Government Grants received - cash basis

| CGS and Other Education Grants                   |       | 183,412 | 176,576 | 183,412 | 176,576 |
|--|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Higher Education Loan Programs                   |       | 111,650 | 91,981  | 111,650 | 91,981  |
| Scholarships                                     |       | 1,456   | 2,878   | 1,456   | 2,878   |
| Education research                               |       | 7,557   | 7,941   | 7,557   | 7,941   |
| Other Capital Funding                            |       | 14,669  | 5,969   | 14,669  | 5,969   |
| ARC grants - Discovery                           |       | 1,026   | 870     | 1,026   | 870     |
| ARC grants - Linkages                            |       | 387     | 403     | 387     | 403     |
| Other Australian Government financial assistance |       | 3,862   | 2,232   | 3,862   | 2,232   |
| Total Australian Government Grants               |       |         |         |         |         |
| received - cash basis                            |       | 324,019 | 288,850 | 324,019 | 288,850 |
| OS-Help (Net)                                    | 39(g) | 212     | 124     | 212     | 124     |
| Total Australian Government                      |       |         |         |         |         |
| funding received - cash basis                    |       | 324,231 | 288,974 | 324,231 | 288,974 |

# State and local government financial assistance

Government grants were received during the reporting period for the following purposes:

|   | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |  |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| Note  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Non-capital NSW Department of Community Services (child care) | 183             | 31              | 183             | 31              |  |
| Total State and Local Government Financial Assistance         | 183             | 31              | 183             | 31              |  |

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# Fees and charges

|  | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |  |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| Note                                       | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Course Fees and Charges                    |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Fee-paying overseas students               | 44,164          | 38,984          | 44,164          | 38,984          |  |
| Continuing education                       | 1,262           | 1,102           | 1,262           | 1,102           |  |
| Fee-paying domestic postgraduate students  | 8,870           | 8,473           | 8,870           | 8,473           |  |
| Fee-paying domestic undergraduate students | 1,612           | 2,520           | 1,612           | 2,520           |  |
| Total Course Fees and Charges              | 55,908          | 51,079          | 55,908          | 51,079          |  |
| Other Non-Course Fees and Charges          |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Student accommodation                      | 21,792          | 21,592          | 21,792          | 21,592          |  |
| Conferences / function charges             | 1,631           | 1,928           | 1,631           | 1,928           |  |
| Other student fees                         | 4,514           | 4,927           | 4,514           | 4,927           |  |
| Fees for services rendered                 | 7,281           | 6,820           | 7,281           | 6,820           |  |
| Parking fees                               | 17              | 15              | 17              | 15              |  |
| Memberships                                | 375             | 262             | 375             | 262             |  |
| Other fees                                 | 1,836           | 1,630           | 1,836           | 1,630           |  |
| Total Other Fees and Charges               | 37,446          | 37,174          | 37,446          | 37,174          |  |
| Total Fees and Charges                     | 93,354          | 88,253          | 93,354          | 88,253          |  |

#### Investment revenue and income

#### **Investment revenue**

|   | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Interest income   | 5,697           | 5,515           | 5,177           | 5,139           |
| Dividend income   | 4,534           | 2,195           | 4,534           | 2,195           |
| Total investment revenue  | 10,231          | 7,710           | 9,711           | 7,334           |
| Other investment revenue  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Reversal of impairment losses on available for sale investments in debt instruments | 1,735           | 2,522           | 1,735           | 2,522           |
| Total other investment income   | 1,735           | 2,522           | 1,735           | 2,522           |

#### 7 Royalties, trademarks and licences

|  | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |  |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| Note                                     | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Royalties, trademarks and licences       | 109             | 38              | 109             | 38              |  |
| Total royalties, trademarks and licences | 109             | 38              | 109             | 38              |  |

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#### 8 **Consultancy and contracts**

|                                 | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                            | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Consultancy                     | 566             | 568             | 566             | 568             |
| Contract research               | 4               | 34              | 4               | 34              |
| Other contract revenue          | 4,845           | 2,974           | 4,845           | 2,974           |
| NSW Police contract scholarship | 3,001           | 6,560           | 3,001           | 6,560           |
| Total consultancy and contracts | 8,416           | 10,136          | 8,416           | 10,136          |

#### Other revenue and income

|                                | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                           | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Donations and bequests         | 656             | 706             | 656             | 706             |
| Scholarships and prizes        | 847             | 1,969           | 1,986           | 1,969           |
| Non-government grants          | 10,805          | 11,385          | 10,805          | 11,385          |
| Other revenue                  | 809             | 1,153           | 164             | 82              |
| Sale of trading stock          | 5,140           | 5,310           | 5,140           | 5,310           |
| Capital contributions          | 10,398          | 5,890           | 10,398          | 5,890           |
| Commissions                    | 261             | 258             | 261             | 258             |
| Rental                         | 972             | 880             | 972             | 880             |
| Reimbursements                 | 1,798           | 2,011           | 1,798           | 2,011           |
| Miscellaneous sales            | 1,849           | 1,874           | 1,849           | 1,874           |
| Subscriptions                  | 192             | 189             | 192             | 189             |
| Total other revenue and income | 33,727          | 31,625          | 34,221          | 30,554          |

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# 10 Employee related expenses

|   | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Academic  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Salaries  | 98,324          | 93,912          | 98,324          | 93,912          |
| Contributions to superannuation and pension schemes   | 14,747          | 13,984          | 14,747          | 13,984          |
| Payroll tax   | 6,119           | 5,346           | 6,119           | 5,346           |
| Worker's compensation   | 937             | 962             | 937             | 962             |
| Long service leave expense  | 1,177           | 2,054           | 1,177           | 2,054           |
| Annual leave  | 665             | 94              | 665             | 94              |
| Total academic  | 121,969         | 116,352         | 121,969         | 116,352         |
| Non-academic  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Salaries  | 113,623         | 109,793         | 109,262         | 105,097         |
| Contributions to superannuation and pension schemes   | 17,008          | 15,896          | 16,639          | 15,537          |
| Payroll tax   | 7,083           | 6,983           | 6,806           | 6,730           |
| Worker's compensation   | 1,102           | 1,097           | 1,047           | 1,059           |
| Long service leave expense  | 1,616           | 2,726           | 1,616           | 2,726           |
| Annual leave  | 705             | (478)           | 705             | (478)           |
| Total non-academic  | 141,137         | 136,017         | 136,075         | 130,671         |
| Total employee related expenses   | 263,106         | 252,369         | 258,044         | 247,023         |
| Deferred government employee superannuation expense 35  | 379             | 416             | 379             | 416             |
| Total employee related expenses, including deferred Government Employee Benefits for Superannuation | 263,485         | 252,785         | 258,423         | 247,439         |

# Depreciation and amortisation

|                                     | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                                | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Depreciation                        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Buildings                           | 22,062          | 24,978          | 22,062          | 24,978          |
| Library collection                  | 1,972           | 3,716           | 1,972           | 3,716           |
| Plant and equipment                 | 6,202           | 5,378           | 6,202           | 5,378           |
| Infrastructure                      | 1,385           | -               | 1,385           | -               |
| Motor vehicles                      | 1,006           | 1,152           | 1,006           | 1,152           |
| Total depreciation                  | 32,627          | 35,224          | 32,627          | 35,224          |
| Amortisation                        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Computer software, other            | 676             | 695             | 676             | 695             |
| Total amortisation                  | 676             | 695             | 676             | 695             |
| Total depreciation and amortisation | 33,303          | 35,919          | 33,303          | 35,919          |

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12 Repairs and maintenance

|   | Consoli | dated   | Parent  |         |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Note  | 2013    | 2012    | 2013    | 2012    |
|   | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s |
| Cleaning expenses Other repairs and maintenance | 6,087   | 5,863   | 5,694   | 5,340   |
|   | 8,612   | 8.602   | 8,527   | 8,602   |
| Total repairs and maintenance                   | 14,699  | 14,465  | 14,221  | 13,942  |

# 13 Borrowing costs

|                                | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                           | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Residence Building Loan        | 1,563           | 1,793           | 1,563           | 1,793           |
| Less: Amount Capitalised       | -               | -               | -               | -               |
| Interest Rate Swap             | (397)           | (40)            | (397)           | (40)            |
| Other borrowing costs          | 22              | -               | 22              | -               |
| Total Borrowing costs expensed | 1,188           | 1,753           | 1,188           | 1,753           |

14 Impairment of assets

|                            | Consolidated    |                 |                 | Parent          |  |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| Note                       | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Impairment of investments  | 72              | 270             | -               | -               |  |
| Impairment of receivables  | 5,190           | 239             | 5,190           | 239             |  |
| Total impairment of assets | 5,262           | 509             | 5,190           | 239             |  |

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#### Other expenses

|  | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note   | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Advertising, marketing and promotional expenses            | 2,041           | 1,367           | 2,041           | 1,367           |
| Audit fees, bank charges, legal costs, insurance and taxes | 3,114           | 3,460           | 3,114           | 3,460           |
| Conferences and seminars                                   | 842             | 1,024           | 842             | 1,024           |
| Electronic information resources                           | 2,773           | 648             | 2,773           | 648             |
| Consultants  | 3,453           | 3,597           | 3,453           | 3,597           |
| Consumables and administration                             | 2,684           | 2,825           | 2,684           | 2,825           |
| Cost of goods sold   | 8,068           | 8,722           | 8,068           | 8,722           |
| Contract tuition services                                  | 24,842          | 21,943          | 24,842          | 21,943          |
| Equipment services   | 2,524           | 3,521           | 2,524           | 3,521           |
| Membership fees  | 762             | 651             | 762             | 651             |
| Contracts  | 2,655           | 4,104           | 2,655           | 4,104           |
| Non-capitalised equipment                                  | 4,765           | 5,348           | 4,765           | 5,348           |
| Printing and stationery                                    | 664             | 805             | 664             | 805             |
| Operating lease and rental expenses                        | 2,701           | 2,521           | 2,701           | 2,521           |
| Services rendered  | 5,480           | 10,627          | 11,686          | 10,627          |
| Scholarships, grants and prizes                            | 20,152          | 21,622          | 20,152          | 21,622          |
| Telecommunications   | 3,743           | 3,748           | 3,743           | 3,748           |
| Publications and general resources                         | 375             | 595             | 375             | 595             |
| Travel, staff development and entertainment                | 9,078           | 9,416           | 9,078           | 9,416           |
| Utilities  | 8,126           | 7,449           | 8,126           | 7,449           |
| Other expenses   | 7,912           | 3,762           | 7,215           | 8,503           |
| Total other expenses                                       | 116,752         | 117,756         | 122,260         | 122,498         |

#### 16 Cash and cash equivalents

|                                | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                           | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Cash at bank                   | 7,418           | 6,390           | 5,838           | 4,661           |
| Cash on hand                   | 129             | 23              | 129             | 23              |
| Deposits at call               | 24,025          | 46,134          | 24,025          | 46,134          |
| Total cash and cash equivalent | 31,572          | 52,547          | 29,992          | 50,818          |

#### (a) Cash at bank and on hand

Cash in operating accounts earns interest at the rate of 0.00% to 2.10% (2012:0.50% to 2.85%). Cash at bank includes \$1,412,421 (2012: \$1,373,986) held under trust, which can only be used for the specific purpose of the organisations that provide these funds.

#### (b) Deposits at call

The deposits are at floating interest rates between 3.80% and 4.35% (2012: 1.40% and 4.50%), These deposits have an average maturity of 175 days (2012: 95 days).

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#### 17 Trade and other receivables

|  |      | Consolid        | ated            | Pare            | Parent          |  |
|--|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|  | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| CURRENT  |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Non-Student debtors                                  |      | 7,822           | 11,035          | 7,822           | 11,035          |  |
| Student debtors                                      |      | 1,374           | 1,545           | 1,374           | 1,545           |  |
| Provision for impairment                             |      | (4,932)         | (335)           | (4,932)         | (335)           |  |
|  |      | 4,264           | 12,245          | 4,264           | 12,245          |  |
| Accrued interest                                     |      | 650             | 506             | 650             | 506             |  |
| Other accrued income                                 |      | 1,811           | 420             | 1,811           | 420             |  |
| Prepaid salaries                                     |      | 1,066           | 4               | 1,066           | 4               |  |
| Prepayments  |      | 4,745           | 4,723           | 4,745           | 4,723           |  |
| Other debtors  |      | 2,654           | 1,574           | 2,499           | 1,574           |  |
| Total current receivables                            |      | 15,190          | 19,472          | 15,035          | 19,472          |  |
| NON-CURRENT  |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Deferred Government Contributions for Superannuation | 35   | 242,127         | 285,389         | 242,127         | 285,389         |  |
| Less: Allowance for impairment                       |      | -               | (4,197)         | -               | (4,197)         |  |
| Nursing Superannuation received in advance           |      | -               | (724)           | -               | (724)           |  |
| Total non-current receivables                        |      | 242,127         | 280,468         | 242,127         | 280,468         |  |
| Total receivables                                    |      | 257,317         | 299,940         | 257,162         | 299,940         |  |

#### (a) Impaired receivables

As at 31 December 2013 current receivables of the Group with a value of \$4,932,372 (2012: \$434,100) were impaired. The amount of the provision was \$4,932,372 (2012: \$334,619). The individually impaired receivables mainly relate to a dispute with one of the University's major international agents. It was assessed that a portion of the receivables is expected to be recovered. The ageing of these receivables is as follows:

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|                     | 2013     | 2012    |
|                     | \$'000s  | \$'000s |
| Current Receivables |          |         |
| 0-3 months          | 52       | 38      |
| 3 to 6 months       | 1,631    | 49      |
| Over 6 months       | 3,250    | 347     |
|                     |          | 434     |
|                     | 4,933    |         |

As at 31 December 2013 trade receivables of \$4,265,000 million (2012: \$12,146,243 million) were past due but not impaired. These relate to a number of independent customers for whom there is no recent history of default. The ageing analysis of these receivables is as follows:

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|                       | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Trade Receivables     |                 |                 |
| Between 0 to 3 months | 3,463           | 10,133          |
| Between 3 to 6 months | 410             | 1,611           |
| Over 6 months         | 392             | 402             |
|                       | 4,265           | 12,146          |

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#### 17 Trade and other receivables continued

#### (a) Impaired receivables continued

|   | Consolid        | ated            |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Movements in the provision for impaired receivables are as follows: |                 |                 |
| At 1 January 2012   | 4,532           | 4,887           |
| Provision for impairment recognised during the year                 | 5,194           | 349             |
| Receivables written off during the year as uncollectible            | (4,794)         | (704)           |
|   | 4,932           | 4,532           |

Amounts charged to the provision account are generally written off when there is no expectation of recovering additional cash. The other amounts within receivables do not contain impaired assets and are not past due. Based on credit history, it is expected that these amounts will be received when due.

#### 18 Inventories

|   | Consoli         | dated           | Par             | ent             |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                                      | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| CURRENT                                   |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Winery stock held for sale                | 2,211           | 2,092           | 2,211           | 2,093           |
| Mixed farm stock held for distribution    | 1,027           | 1,338           | 1,027           | 1,338           |
| Other stock on hand held for distribution | 863             | 1,209           | 863             | 1,209           |
|   | 4,101           | 4,639           | 4,101           | 4,640           |

#### 19 Other financial assets

|  | Consolid        | lated           | Par             | ent             |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note   | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Current  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Designated as at fair value through income (fair value through income) | 256             | 213             | -               | -               |
| Available for sale financial assets                                    | 4,897           | 4,028           | 4,897           | 4,028           |
| Held to maturity   | 31,930          | 15,000          | 31,930          | 15,000          |
| Total current other financial assets                                   | 37,083          | 19,241          | 36,827          | 19,028          |
| Non-Current  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Tcorp Holdings - designated as available for sale                      | 8,724           | 42,087          | 8,724           | 42,087          |
| Available-for-sale financial assets at fair value                      | 96,259          | 34,333          | 88,479          | 27,700          |
| Total non-current other financial assets                               | 104,983         | 76,420          | 97,203          | 69,787          |
| Total other financial assets   | 142,066         | 95,661          | 134,030         | 88,815          |

Changes in fair values of other financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recorded in other income in the income statement (note 6 – Investment Income).

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20 Property, plant and equipment

| Parent                      | Capital Works in Progress | Land     | Buildings | Property, Plant and<br>Equipment* | Other Property, Plant and Equipment** | Library Collections | Infrastructure | Total    |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|----------|
|                             | \$,000                    | \$,000\$ | \$,000\$  | \$,000                            | \$,000\$                              | \$,000              | \$,000         | \$,000\$ |
| At 1 January 2012           |                           |          |           |                                   |                                       |                     |                |          |
| At cost/ valuation          | 72,262                    | 40,167   | 515,827   | 50,511                            | 14,689                                | 25,384              |                | 718,840  |
| Accumulated depreciation    | •                         |          |           | (32,330)                          | (3,581)                               | (18,408)            |                | (54,319) |
| Net book amount             | 72,262                    | 40,167   | 515,827   | 18,181                            | 11,108                                | 926'9               |                | 664,521  |
| Year ended 31 December 2012 |                           |          |           |                                   |                                       |                     |                |          |
| Opening net book amount     | 72,262                    | 40,167   | 515,827   | 18,181                            | 11,108                                | 926'9               |                | 664,521  |
| Additions                   | 34,154                    | 2,375    |           | 5,345                             | 5,159                                 | 2,073               |                | 49,106   |
| Disposals                   | ,                         | (48)     | (16)      | (34)                              | (4,658)                               | •                   |                | (4,756)  |
| Transfers                   | (88,094)                  |          | 84,997    | 3,140                             |                                       | •                   |                | 43       |
| Depreciation expense        | ,                         |          | (24,978)  | (5,378)                           | (1,152)                               | (3,716)             |                | (35,224) |
| Revaluation surplus         | ,                         | (11)     | 13,384    |                                   | 270                                   |                     |                | 13,643   |
| Closing net book amount     | 18,322                    | 42,483   | 589,214   | 21,254                            | 10,727                                | 5,333               | ı              | 687,333  |
| At 31 December 2012         |                           |          |           |                                   |                                       |                     |                |          |
| - Cost                      | 18,322                    |          |           | 56,451                            | 10,602                                | 27,457              | ,              | 112,832  |
| - Valuation                 | 1                         | 42,483   | 589,214   | •                                 | 3,781                                 |                     | ,              | 635,478  |
| Accumulated depreciation    | 1                         | ,        |           | (35,197)                          | (3,656)                               | (22,124)            |                | (60,977) |
| Net book amount             | 18,322                    | 42,483   | 589,214   | 21,254                            | 10,727                                | 5,333               | ī              | 687,333  |
| Year ended 31 December 2013 |                           |          | i         |                                   |                                       |                     |                |          |
| Opening het book amount     | 778,375                   | 42,483   | 589,214   | 21,254                            | 10,727                                | 5,333               |                | 687,333  |
| Additions                   | 52,320                    | 5,130    | 09        | 5,565                             | 3,425                                 | 1,743               |                | 68,243   |
| Disposals                   |                           |          | (2,429)   | (75)                              | (3,208)                               |                     |                | (5,712)  |
| Transfers                   | (7,814)                   |          | (20,580)  | •                                 |                                       |                     | 28,394         |          |
| Depreciation expense        |                           | •        | (22,056)  | (6,202)                           | (1,012)                               | (1,972)             | (1,385)        | (32,627) |
| Revaluation surplus         |                           | 430      | 7,237     |                                   | •                                     |                     | 331            | 7,998    |
| Closing net book amount     | 62,828                    | 48,043   | 551,446   | 20,542                            | 9,932                                 | 5,104               | 27,340         | 725,235  |
| At 31 December 2013         |                           |          |           |                                   |                                       |                     |                |          |
| - Cost                      | 62,828                    |          |           | 414                               | 9,285                                 | 29,200              | 27,340         | 189,067  |
| - Valuation                 |                           | 48,043   | 551,446   |                                   | 3,803                                 |                     |                | 603,292  |
| Accumulated depreciation    |                           |          |           | (39,872)                          | (3,156)                               | (24,096)            |                | (67,124) |
| Net book amount             | 62,828                    | 48,043   | 551,446   | 20,542                            | 9,932                                 | 5,104               | 27,340         | 725,235  |

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| Consolidated  | Capital Works in Progress<br>\$'000s | Land<br>\$'000s | Buildings<br>\$'000s | Property, Plant and<br>Equipment*<br>\$'000s | Other Property, Plant and Equipment**<br>\$'000s | Library Collections<br>\$'000s | Infrastructure<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s    |
| At 1 January 2012<br>At cost valuation<br>Accumulated depredation | 72,262                               | 40,167          | 515,827              | 50,511 (32,330)                              | 14,689<br>(3,581)                                | 25,384<br>(18,408)             |                           | 718,840<br>(54,319) |
| Net book amount   | 72,262                               | 40,167          | 515,827              | 18,181                                       | 11,108   | 9/6,9                          |                           | 664,521             |
| Year ended 31 December 2012<br>Opening net book amount            | 72.262                               | 40,167          | 515.827              | 18.181                                       | 11,108   | 926.9                          |                           | 664,521             |
| Additions   | 34,154                               | 2,375           |                      | 5,345  | 5,159  | 2,073                          |                           | 49,106              |
| Disposals   |                                      | (48)            | (16)                 | (34)   | (4,658)  |                                |                           | (4,756)             |
| Transfers   | (88,094)                             |                 | 84,997               | 3,140  | ,  |                                | •                         | 43                  |
| Depreciation expense  | 1                                    |                 | (24,978)             | (5,378)                                      | (1,152)  | (3,716)                        |                           | (35,224)            |
| Revaluation surplus   |                                      | (11)            | 13,384               |  | 270  |                                |                           | 13,643              |
| Closing net book amount   | 18,322                               | 42,483          | 589,214              | 21,254                                       | 10,727   | 5,333                          | 1                         | 687,333             |
| At 31 December 2012   |                                      |                 |                      |  |  |                                |                           |                     |
| - Cost  | 18,322                               |                 |                      | 56,451                                       | 10,602   | 27,457                         |                           | 112,832             |
| - Valuation   |                                      | 42,483          | 589,214              |  | 3,781  |                                |                           | 635,478             |
| Accumulated depreciation  |                                      |                 |                      | (35,197)                                     | (3,656)  | (22,124)                       |                           | (60,977)            |
| Net book amount   | 18,322                               | 42,483          | 589,214              | 21,254                                       | 10,727   | 5,333                          | ,                         | 687,333             |
| Year ended 31 December 2013                                       |                                      |                 |                      |  |  |                                |                           |                     |
| Opening net book amount   | 18,322                               | 42,483          | 589,214              | 21,254                                       | 10,727   | 5,333                          | •                         | 687,333             |
| Additions   | 52,320                               | 5,130           | 09                   | 5,565  | 3,425  | 1,743                          |                           | 68,243              |
| Disposals   | •                                    |                 | (2,429)              | (75)   | (3,208)  |                                |                           | (5,712)             |
| Transfers   | (7,814)                              |                 | (20,580)             |  |  |                                | 28,394                    |                     |
| Depreciation expense  |                                      |                 | (22,056)             | (6,202)                                      | (1,012)  | (1,972)                        | (1,385)                   | (32,627)            |
| Revaluation surplus   |                                      | 430             | 7,237                |  |  |                                | 331                       | 7,998               |
| Closing net book amount   | 62,828                               | 48,043          | 551,446              | 20,542                                       | 9,932  | 5,104                          | 27,340                    | 725,235             |
| At 31 December 2013   |                                      |                 |                      |  |  |                                |                           |                     |
| - Cost  | 62,828                               |                 |                      | 60,414                                       | 9,285  | 29,200                         | 27,340                    | 189,067             |
| - Valuation   |                                      | 48,043          | 551,446              |  | 3,803  |                                |                           | 603,292             |
| Accumulated depreciation  |                                      |                 |                      | (39,872)                                     | (3,156)  | (24,096)                       |                           | (67,124)            |
| Net book amount   | 62,828                               | 48,043          | 551,446              | 20,542                                       | 9,932  | 5,104                          | 27,340                    | 725,235             |

<sup>\*</sup> Property, plant and equipment includes all operations assets. \*\*Other Property, plant and equipment includes non-operational assets such as artworks and motor vehicles.

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Valuations of land and buildings

Freehold land, buildings and Works of Art are revalued every five years. Details of these valuations are as follows: Freehold land and buildings and Works of Art are revalued as at 31 December 2012 by independent valuation of Egan Valuers, followed by a desk top valuation as at 31 December 2013; and Works of Art revalued as at 31 December 2010 by independent valuation of Digby Hayles Fine Art Service, who is approved to value objects for the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts and Bequest Programs.

Useful life of periodical library assets were decreased from 10 to 5 years effective for the year ended 31 December 2012.

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# 21 Intangible Assets

|   |      | Consoli         | dated           | Par             | ent             |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Computer software                       |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Cost                                    |      | 5,400           | 5,171           | 5,400           | 5,171           |
| Accumulated amortisation and impairment |      | (4,523)         | (4,000)         | (4,523)         | (4,000)         |
| Net carrying value                      |      | 877             | 1,171           | 877             | 1,171           |

#### **Reconciliation Detailed Table** (a)

| Parent                            | Computer<br>software<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Year ended 31 December 2013       |                                 |                  |
| Opening net book amount           | 1,171                           | 1,171            |
| Additions                         | 382                             | 382              |
| Amortisation                      | (676)                           | (676)            |
| Closing value at 31 December 2013 | 877                             | 877              |

| Parent                            | Computer<br>software<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Year ended 31 December 2012       |                                 |                  |
| Opening net book amount           | 1,589                           | 1,589            |
| Additions                         | 334                             | 334              |
| Disposals                         | (14)                            | (14)             |
| Transfers                         | (43)                            | (43)             |
| Amortisation                      | (695)                           | (695)            |
| Closing value at 31 December 2012 | 1.171                           | 1.171            |

| Consolidated                      | Computer<br>software<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Year ended 31 December 2013       |                                 |                  |
| Opening net book amount           | 1,17                            | 1,171            |
| Addition                          | 382                             | 382              |
| Amortisation                      | (676                            | ) (676)          |
| Closing value at 31 December 2013 | 877                             | 877              |

| Consolidated                      | Computer<br>software<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Year ended 31 December 2012       |                                 |                  |
| Opening net book amount           | 1,589                           | 1,589            |
| Additions                         | 334                             | 334              |
| Disposals                         | (43)                            | (43)             |
| Transfers                         | (14)                            | (14)             |
| Amortisation                      | (695)                           | (695)            |
| Closing value at 31 December 2012 | 1,171                           | 1,171            |

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22 Trade and other payables

|  | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                                       | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| CURRENT                                    |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Trade creditors                            | 9,915           | 8,564           | 10,455          | 9,130           |
| Other accrued expenses                     | 3,581           | 4,389           | 3,581           | 4,389           |
| Accrued salaries                           | 3,833           | 7,443           | 3,833           | 7,443           |
| OS-HELP liability to Australian Government | 103             | 88              | 103             | 88              |
| Total current trade and other payables     | 17,432          | 20,484          | 17,972          | 21,050          |
| Total trade and other payables             | 17,432          | 20,484          | 17,972          | 21,050          |

#### 23 Borrowings

|                                    | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                               | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Secured                            |                 |                 | ,               |                 |
| Finance lease obligation - secured | 46              | -               | 46              |                 |
| Total current borrowings           | 46              | -               | 46              | -               |

|      | Consolidated |                                  | Parent  |   |
|------|--------------|----------------------------------|---|---|
|      | 2013         | 2012                             | 2013  | 2012  |
| Note | \$'000s      | \$'000s                          | \$'000s   | \$'000s   |
|      |              |                                  |   |   |
|      | 239          | -                                | 239   | -   |
|      |              |                                  |   |   |
|      | 28,000       | 28,000                           | 28,000  | 28,000  |
|      | 28,239       | 28,000                           | 28,239  | 28,000  |
|      | 28,285       | 28,000                           | 28,285  | 28,000  |
|      | Note         | 2013<br>\$'000s<br>239<br>28,000 | 2013 2012<br>\$'000s \$'000s  239 -  28,000 28,000  28,239 28,000 | 2013 2012 2013 \$'000s \$ |

#### (a) Assets pledged as security

The carrying amounts of assets pledged as security for current and non-current borrowings are:

|                                   | Consolidated |                 |                 | Parent          |                 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                                   | Note         | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Finance lease Plant and equipment | 20           | 270             | -               | 270             | -               |
| Total assets pledged as security  | <u>.</u>     | 270             | -               | 270             | -               |

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#### 23 Borrowings continued

#### (b) Financing arrangements

Unrestricted access was available at reporting date to the following lines of credit:

|  | Consolidated |                  |                  | Parent           |                  |
|--|--------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|  | Note         | 2013<br>\$'000s  | 2012<br>\$'000s  | 2013<br>\$'000s  | 2012<br>\$'000s  |
| Bank loan facilities Total facilities Used at balance date |              | 28,000<br>28,000 | 30,000<br>28,000 | 28,000<br>28,000 | 30,000<br>28,000 |
| Unused at balance date                                     |              |                  | 2,000            |                  | 2,000            |

The University has a \$5 million business card limit facility, with a balance used of \$0.8 million at 31 December 2013.

#### (c) Class of borrowings

The unsecured loan outstanding with interest payable at 90 day BBSW plus a margin is repayable in full in February 2017. An option was taken to fix the interest for \$20 million of this loan which expires in February 2017.

Student residences are run as an enterprise and it is proposed that the future income stream of the enterprise will meet the liability and interest expense.

#### (d) Fair value

The carrying amounts and fair values of borrowings at reporting date are:

| Consolidated   | 2013                          |                       | 2012                          |                       |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
|  | Carrying<br>amount<br>\$'000s | Fair value<br>\$'000s | Carrying<br>amount<br>\$'000s | Fair value<br>\$'000s |
| On-balance sheet<br>Non-traded financial liabilities | 28,285                        | 28,285                | 28,000                        | 28,000                |
|  | 28,285                        | 28,285                | 28,000                        | 28,000                |

Other than those classes of borrowings denoted as "traded", none of the classes are readily traded on organised markets in standardised form.

#### (i) On-balance sheet

The fair value of current borrowings equals their carrying amount, as the impact of discounting is not significant.

#### (e) Risk exposures

The exposure of the Group's and parent entity's borrowings to interest rate changes and the contractual repricing dates at the reporting dates are as follows:

|                   | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note              | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| 12 months or less | 46              | -               | 46              | -               |
| 1 - 5 years       | 28,239          | 28,000          | 28,239          | 28,000          |
|                   | 28,285          | 28,000          | 28,285          | 28,000          |

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#### 23 Borrowings continued

#### (e) Risk exposures continued

The carrying amounts of the Group's borrowings are denominated in the following currencies:

|                   | ·    | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|-------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                   | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Australian dollar |      | 28,285          | 28,000          | 28,285          | 28,000          |
|                   |      | 28,285          | 28,000          | 28,285          | 28,000          |

For an analysis of the sensitivity of borrowings to interest rate risk and foreign exchange risk refer to note 35.

#### 24 Provisions

|   | Consolidated |                 |                 | Parent          |                 |
|---|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Note         | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Current provisions expected to be settled wholly within 12 months Employee benefits |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Long service leave  |              | 4,792           | 4,088           | 4,545           | 4,076           |
| Employee entitlement oncost   |              | 2,994           | 2,763           | 2,994           | 2,763           |
| Annual Leave  |              | 10,713          | 10,477          | 10,398          | 10,141          |
| Short-term provisions   |              | 10,713          | 10,411          | 10,550          | 10,141          |
|   |              | 18,499          | 17,328          | 17,937          | 16,980          |
| Current provisions expected to be settled wholly after more than 12 months          |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Employee benefits   |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Annual leave  |              | 3,663           | 3,585           | 3,663           | 3,585           |
| Long service leave  |              | 18,249          | 19,132          | 18,249          | 19,132          |
| Employee entitlement oncost   |              | 5,126           | 4,191           | 5,126           | 4,191           |
|   |              | 27,038          | 26,908          | 27,038          | 26,908          |
| Total current provisions  |              | 45,537          | 44,236          | 44,975          | 43,888          |
| Non-current provisions<br>Employee benefits   |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Long service leave  |              | 4,588           | 5,070           | 4,588           | 4,820           |
| Defined benefit obligation  | 35           | 245,839         | 285,389         | 245,839         | 285,389         |
| Employee entitlement oncost   |              | 834             | 876             | 834             | 876             |
| Long-term provisions  |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Total non-current provisions  |              | 251,261         | 291,335         | 251,261         | 291,085         |
| Total provisions  |              | 296,798         | 335,571         | 296,236         | 334,973         |

The estimate of the deferred superannuation liability is calculated on the basis of information provided by Pillar Administration in respect of the State Superannuation Scheme (SSS), the State Authorities Superannuation Scheme (SASS) and the State Authorities Non Contributory Superannuation Scheme (SANCS). The provision for deferred superannuation of \$245,838,759 (2012: \$285,389,319) is net unfunded liability of all schemes i.e. the gross liability less the funded liability and balances held in reserve accounts (refer note 26). Details of the deferred liability (where applicable), and the increase /(decrease) in unfunded liability are set in Note 35 for each superannuation scheme. The total of all schemes, \$245,838,759 (2012: \$285,389,319) less \$3,711,798 (2012: \$4,196,714) of SANCS which is not recoverable from the Government is shown as \$242,126,961 (2012: \$280,468,605) due from the Australian Government in noncurrent receivables (refer note 17).

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#### 25 Other liabilities

|  | Consolidated |         |         |         |
|--|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Note   | 2013         | 2012    | 2013    | 2012    |
|  | \$'000s      | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s |
| Current Student fees - in advance Interest rate swap | 10,731       | 12,986  | 10,731  | 12,986  |
|  | 73           | 471     | 73      | 471     |
| Total current other liabilities                      | 10,804       | 13,457  | 10,804  | 13,457  |

# 26 Reserves and retained surplus

#### Reserves (a)

|   | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Reserves and retained earnings                          |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Foreign currency translation reserve                    | (420)           | (581)           | (420)           | (581)           |
| Available-for-sale financial assets revaluation reserve | 11,754          | 11,018          | 9,176           | 9,416           |
| Property, plant and equipment revaluation reserve       | 273,343         | 267,774         | 273,343         | 267,774         |
| Total Reserves  | 284,677         | 278,211         | 282,099         | 276,609         |

#### (b) **Movements**

|  | Consolidated    |                 | Pai             | rent            |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note   | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Foreign currency translation reserve                     |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Balance 1 January  | (581)           | (602)           | (581)           | (602)           |
| Currency translation differences arising during the year | 161             | 21              | 161             | 21              |
| Balance 31 December                                      | (420)           | (581)           | (420)           | (581)           |
| Available-for-sale financial assets revaluation reserve  |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Balance 1 January  | 11,018          | 1,278           | 9,416           | 970             |
| Revaluation - increment/ (decrement)                     | 736             | 9,740           | (240)           | 8,446           |
| Balance 31 December                                      | 11,754          | 11,018          | 9,176           | 9,416           |
| Property, plant and equipment revaluation reserve        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Balance 1 January  | 267,774         | 254,132         | 267,774         | 254,132         |
| Revaluation - increment/ (decrement)                     | 5,569           | 13,642          | 5,569           | 13,642          |
|  | 273,343         | 267,774         | 273,343         | 267,774         |
| Total reserves   | 284,677         | 278,211         | 282,099         | 276,609         |

#### **Movements in retained earnings**

|                                  | Note |  |
|----------------------------------|------|--|
| Retained earnings 1 January      |      |  |
| Operating result for the period  |      |  |
| Other movements                  |      |  |
| Retained earnings at 31 December |      |  |

| Coi             | solidated       | Pa              | rent            |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| 465,5           | 442,609         | 458,627         | 435,716         |
| 56,9            | 76 22,929       | 56,747          | 22,880          |
| 6               | 24 31           | 624             | 31              |
| 523,1           | 465,569         | 515,998         | 458,627         |

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#### 26 Reserves and retained surplus continued

#### (c) Nature and purpose of reserves

- (i) Foreign currency translation reserve exchange differences arising on translation of the foreign controlled entities are taken to the foreign currency translation surplus, as described in note 1(c). Amounts are recognised in the income statement when the net investment is disposed or impaired.
- (ii) Available-for-sale financial assets revaluation reserve changes in fair value arising on revaluation of investments classified as available-for-sale financial assets are taken to the available-for-sale financial assets revaluation reserve, as described in note 1(I). Amounts are recognised in the income statement when the associated asset are sold or impaired.
- (iii) Property, plant and equipment revaluation reserve the property, plant and equipment revaluation reserve is used to record increment/(decrement) on the revaluation of non-current assets, as described in note 1(n).

#### 27 Financial Risk Management

The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including currency risk, fair value interest rate risk, cash flow interest rate risk and price risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Group. The Group uses derivative financial instruments such as foreign exchange contracts and interest rate swaps to hedge certain risk exposures. The Group uses different methods to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods include sensitivity analysis in the case of interest rate, foreign exchange and other price risks, ageing analysis for credit risk and beta analysis in respect of investment portfolios to determine market risk.

Risk management is carried out by a central treasury department (Group Treasury) under policies approved by the Council. Group Treasury identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks in close co-operation with the Group's operating units. The Board provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as policies covering specific areas, such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, use of derivative financial instruments and non-derivative financial instruments, and investment of excess liquidity.

#### Market risk (a)

#### (i) Foreign exchange risk

Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial transactions and recognised assets and liabilities that are denominated in a currency that is not the entity's functional currency.

The Group has a potential foreign exchange risk exposure due to its operations in Canada. The operations in Canada have been implemented to be self sustaining; there is no intention to supplement the Canadian operation in future years. The impact of the weakening/strengthening of the Australian Dollar by 10% all other variables held constant, profit and equity would not have been materially affected.

#### (ii) Price risk

The Group has is exposed to equity securities price risk from investments in the Treasury Corporation and other direct equity holdings, held for trading purposes and designated as available for sale financial assets.

To manage it's price risk arising from investments in equity securities, the Group has delegated the risk management to Treasury Corporation and other external fund managers and has also diversified its portfolio. Diversification of the portfolio is done in accordance with the limits set by the University Investment Policy

The impact of the increase/decrease of the ASX 300 index on the Group's equity is disclosed at 29(a)(iv). The analysis is based on the assumption that the ASX 300 index increased / decreased by 10%, with all other variables held in constant, and the Group's equity portfolio moves according to the historical correlation with the index.

#### (iii) Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk

Interest rate risk refers to the risk that the value of a financial instrument or cash flows associated with the instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates.

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#### 27 Financial Risk Management continued

#### (a) Market risk continued

The Group's interest rate risk arises primarily from investments in long term interest bearing financial instruments, due to the potential fluctuations in interest rates. In order to minimise exposure to this risk, the Group invests in a diverse range of instruments with varying degrees of potential returns. The purpose of this is to ensure that any potential interest rate losses are counteracted by guaranteed interest payments.

As at 31 December 2013 if interest rates decreased/ increased by 1% with all other variables held constant, equity would have been \$283,000 higher/ \$283,000 lower (2012: \$280,000/ \$280,000) as a result of an increase/ decrease in the fair value of the debt security. In regards to the movement of the investment interest rate of 1%, equity would have been \$1,152,000 higher/ \$1,152,000 lower (2012: \$957,000/ \$957,000) as a result of an increase/ decrease in the fair value of the investment security.

#### (iv) Summarised sensitivity analysis

The following table summarises the sensitivity of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities to interest rate risk, foreign exchange risk and other price risk.

#### 31 December 2013

#### Financial assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents - at bank

Accounts Receivable

Available for sale investments

Held to maturity

#### Financial liabilities

Trade and other payables

Borrowings

Total increase/(decrease)

|                               |                   | Interest          | rate risk         |                   |                   | Other pri         | ce risk           |                   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                               | -1%               |                   | +1%               |                   | -10%              |                   | +10%              |                   |
| Carrying<br>amount<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s |
|                               |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| 31,572                        | (316)             | (316)             | 316               | 316               | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
| 650                           | (7)               | (7)               | 7                 | 7                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
|                               |                   |                   |                   |                   | (11,014)          | (11,014)          |                   |                   |
| 110,136                       | (1,101)           | (1,101)           | 1,101             | 1,101             |                   |                   | 11,014            | 11,014            |
| 31,930                        | (319)             | (319)             | 319               | 319               | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
|                               |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| 17,433                        | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
| 28,285                        | 283               | 283               | (283)             | (283)             | 2,829             | 2,829             | (2,829)           | (2,829)           |
|                               | (1,460)           | (1,460)           | 1,460             | 1,460             | (8,185)           | (8,185)           | 8,185             | 8,185             |

#### 31 December 2012

#### Financial assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents - at bank

Accounts Receivable

Financial assets - Available for sale

Financial assets - Held to maturity

#### Financial liabilities

Trade and other payables

Borrowings

Total increase/(decrease)

|                         |                   | Interest          | rate risk         |                   |                   | Other p           | rice risk         |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                         | -1                | %                 | +1                | %                 | -10               | )%                | +10%              |                   |
| Carrying amount \$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s | Result<br>\$'000s | Equity<br>\$'000s |
|                         |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| 52,547                  | (525)             | (525)             | 525               | 525               | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
| 506                     | (5)               | (5)               | 5                 | 5                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
| 80,661                  | (807)             | (807)             | 807               | 807               | (8,066)           | (8,066)           | 8,066             | 8,066             |
| 15,000                  | (150)             | (150)             | 150               | 150               | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
|                         |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| 20,484                  | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
| 28,000                  | 280               | 280               | (280)             | (280)             | -                 | -                 | -                 | -                 |
|                         | (1,207)           | (1,207)           | 1,207             | 1,207             | (8,066)           | (8,066)           | 8,066             | 8,066             |

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#### **Financial Risk Management continued** 27

#### (b) **Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk that a contracting party will not complete its obligations under a financial instrument, leading to financial loss for the Group. Credit risk arises largely from outstanding receivables and to a lesser degree from cash and cash equivalents. To assist in managing risk, the Group assesses the credit quality of a potential non-student debtor, based on information obtained during the credit application process. Despite not being material in nature, a credit assessment is performed on the guarantor for a student loan prior to the loan being granted by the University. The carrying amount of financial assets (as contained in the table in subnote below) represents the Groups maximum exposure to credit risk.

#### (c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk refers to the risk that as a result of operational liquidity requirements, the Group:

- will not have sufficient funds to settle a transaction on the due date;
- will be forced to sell financial assets at a value which is less than their worth;
- may be unable to settle or recover a financial asset at all.

To mitigate these risks, the Group has in its investment policy targets for minimum and average levels of cash and cash equivalents to be maintained, and a business card facility limited of \$5 million. The University generally uses instruments that are tradeable in highly liquid markets and have readily accessible standby facilities in place. The following tables summarise the maturity of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities:

|  | Ave: |      |                 | interest<br>ite | Within          | 1 year          | 1 - 5           | years           | 5+ y            | ears            | Non Ir          | nterest         | То              | tal             |
|--|------|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | 2013 | 2012 | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Financial Assets:                              |      |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Cash and cash equivalents                      | 3.58 | 5.70 | 30,417          | 52,524          | 437             | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | 718             | 23              | 31,572          | 52,547          |
| Bank Term Deposits with financial institutions | 3.90 | 4.80 | -               | -               | 5,000           | 15,000          | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | 5,000           | 15,000          |
| Receivables                                    | -    | -    | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | 14,601          | 14,745          | 14,601          | 14,745          |
| Other financial assets                         | -    | -    | -               | -               | 30,303          | -               | 16,638          | 18,973          | 82,527          | 54,841          | 8,035           | 6,846           | 137,503         | 80,660          |
| Total Financial Assets                         |      |      | 30,417          | 52,524          | 35,740          | 15,000          | 16,638          | 18,973          | 82,527          | 54,841          | 23,354          | 21,614          | 188,676         | 162,952         |
| Financial Liabilities:                         |      |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Bank loans and overdrafts                      | 5.61 | 7.65 | _               | -               | -               | -               | 28,285          | 28,000          | _               | -               | _               | -               | 28,285          | 28,000          |
| Payables                                       | -    | -    | -               | -               | 18,577          | 20,484          | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | 18,577          | 20,484          |
| Total Financial Liabilities                    |      |      | _               | -               | 18,577          | 20,484          | 28,285          | 28,000          | _               | -               | _               | -               | 46,862          | 48,484          |

#### 28 Fair Value Measurement

#### (a) Fair value measurements

The fair value financial assets and financial liabilities must be estimated for recognition and measurement or for disclosure purposes.

Due to the short-term nature of the current receivable their carrying value is assumed to approximate their fair value and based on credit history it is expected that the receivable that are neither past due nor impaired will be received when due.

The carrying amounts and aggregate net fair values of financial assets and liabilities at balance date are:

Financial assets Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other receivables Financial assets Total financial assets

| Carrying        | Amount          | Fair Value      |                 |  |  |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|--|
| 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |  |
|                 |                 |                 |                 |  |  |
| 31,572          | 52,547          | 31,572          | 52,547          |  |  |
| 15,190          | 19,472          | 15,190          | 19,472          |  |  |
| 142,066         | 95,661          | 142,066         | 95,661          |  |  |
| 188,828         | 167,680         | 188,828         | 167,680         |  |  |

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#### 28 **Fair Value Measurement continued**

#### (a) Fair value measurements continued

**Financial Liabilities** Payables Borrowings Other liabilities Total financial liabilities

| Carrying        | J Amount        | Fair Value      |                 |  |  |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|--|
| 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |  |
|                 |                 |                 |                 |  |  |
| 17,432          | 20,484          | 17,432          | 20,484          |  |  |
| 28,285          | 28,000          | 28,285          | 28,000          |  |  |
| 73              | 471             | 73              | 471             |  |  |
| 45,790          | 48,955          | 45,790          | 48,955          |  |  |

The Group measure and recognises the following assets and liabilities at fair value on a recurring basis:

- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss
- Derivative financial instruments
- Available-for-sale financial assets
- Land and buildings

#### (b) Fair value hierarchy

Charles Sturt University categorises assets and liabilities measured at fair value into a hierarchy based on the level of inputs used in measurements.

Level 1 quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, Level 2

either directly or indirectly.

Level 3 inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs)

#### (i) Recognised fair value measurements

Fair value measurements recognised in the statement of financial position are categorised into the following levels at 31 December 2013.

#### Fair value measurements at 31 December 2013

|                                     | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | Level 1<br>\$'000s | Level 2<br>\$'000s | Level 3<br>\$'000s |
|-------------------------------------|------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Recurring fair value measurements   |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Financial assets                    |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Available-for-sale financial assets | 19   |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Equity securities                   |      | 78,636          | 28,492             | 46,135             | 4,009              |
| Debt securities                     |      | 23,465          | 3,874              | 3,664              | 15,927             |
| Total financial assets              |      | 102,101         | 32,366             | 49,799             | 19,936             |
| Non-financial assets                |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Land and buildings                  | 20   |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Land                                |      | 48,043          | -                  | 48,043             | -                  |
| Buildings                           |      | 553,875         | -                  | 553,875            | -                  |
| Other Property, plant & equipment   |      | 3,803           | -                  | 3,803              | -                  |
| Infrastructure                      |      | 27,340          | -                  | 27,340             | -                  |
| Total non-financial assets          | :    | 633,061         | _                  | 633,061            | -                  |

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#### 28 Fair Value Measurement continued

#### (b) Fair value hierarchy continued

#### Fair value measurements at 31 December 2012

|                                     | Note | 2012<br>\$'000s | Level 1<br>\$'000s | Level 2<br>\$'000s | Level 3<br>\$'000s |
|-------------------------------------|------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Recurring fair value measurements   |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Financial assets                    |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Available-for-sale financial assets | 19   |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Equity securities                   |      | \$ 42,087       | \$ -               | \$ 42,087          | \$ -               |
| Debt securities                     |      | 31,728          | 3,881              | 7,143              | 20,704             |
| Total financial assets              |      | 73,815          | 3,881              | 49,230             | 20,704             |
| Non-financial assets                |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Investment properties               |      |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Land and buildings                  | 20   |                 |                    |                    |                    |
| Land                                |      | 42,483          | -                  | 42,483             | -                  |
| Buildings                           |      | 589,214         | -                  | 589,214            | -                  |
| Other property, plant & equipment   |      | 4,726           | -                  | 4,726              | -                  |
| Total non-financial assets          |      | \$ 636,423      | \$ -               | \$ 636,423         | \$ -               |

There were no transfers between levels 1 and 2 for recurring fair value measurements during the year. For transfers in and out of level 3 measurements, see below.

Charles Sturt University's policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period.

#### (ii) Disclosed fair values

The fair value of assets or liabilities traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives, and trading and available-for-sale securities) is based on quoted market prices for identical assets or liabilities at the reporting date (level 1). This is the most representative of fair value in the circumstances.

The carrying value less impairment provision of trade receivables and payables is a reasonable approximation of their fair values due to the short-term nature of trade receivables. The fair value of financial liabilities for disclosure purposes is estimated by discounting the future contractual cash flows at the current market interest rate that is available to the Group for similar financial instruments (level 3).

The fair value of non-current borrowings disclosed in note 23 is estimated by discounting the future contractual cash flows at the current market interest rates that are available to the group for similar financial instruments. For the period ending 31 December 2013, the borrowing rates were determined to be between 3% and 6%, depending on the type of borrowing. The fair value of current borrowings approximates the carrying amount, as the impact of discounting is not significant (level 2).

#### (c) Valuation techniques used to derive level 2 and level 3 fair values

#### (i) Recurring fair value measurements

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter derivatives) is determined using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where it is available and rely as little as possible on entity specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3. This is the case for unlisted equity securities.

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#### 28 Fair Value Measurement continued

#### (c) Valuation techniques used to derive level 2 and level 3 fair values continued

The Group uses a variety of methods and makes assumptions that are based on market conditions existing at each balance date. Specific valuation techniques used to value financial instruments include:

- The use of quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments; and
- Other techniques, such as discounted cash flow analysis, are used to determine fair value for the remaining financial instruments.

All of the resulting fair value estimates are included in level 2 except for unlisted equity securities are explained in (d) below.

Freehold land and buildings (classified as property, plant and equipment) are independently valued by an independent valuer at least every five years. At the end of each reporting period, the Group updates their assessment of the fair value of each property, taking into account the most recent independent valuations. The Group determines the property's value within a range of reasonable fair value estimates.

The best evidence of fair values is current prices in an active market for similar properties. Where such information is not available, the Group considers information from a variety of sources, including:

 current prices in an active market for properties of different nature or recent prices of similar properties in less active markets, adjusted to reflect those differences.

All resulting fair value estimates for properties are included in level 2. Sale prices of comparable land in close proximity are adjusted for difference in key attributes such as property size. The most significant input into this valuation approach is price per square metre.

#### (d) Fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs (level 3)

The following table is a reconciliation of level 3 items for the periods ended 31 December 2013 and 2012.

| Level 3 Fair Value<br>Measurement 2013   | Unlisted equity securities \$'000s | Other financial assets \$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Opening balance                          | -                                  | 24,476                         | 24,476           |
| Acquisitions                             | -                                  | 2,033                          | 2,033            |
| Transfers from level 2                   | 3,372                              | (3,372)                        | -                |
| Disposals                                | -                                  | (8,616)                        | (8,616)          |
| Recognised in profit or loss*            | -                                  | 1,924                          | 1,924            |
| Recognised in other comprehensive income | 637                                | (518)                          | 119              |
| Closing balance                          | 4,009                              | 15,927                         | 19,936           |

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#### 28 Fair Value Measurement continued

#### (d) Fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs (level 3) continued

| Level 3 Fair Value<br>Measurement 2012   | Unlisted equity securities \$'000s | Other financial<br>assets<br>\$'000s | Total<br>\$'000s |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Opening balance                          | -                                  | 18,170                               | 18,170           |
| Acquisitions                             | -                                  | 7,998                                | 7,998            |
| Disposals                                | -                                  | (8,404)                              | (8,404)          |
| Recognised in profit or loss             | -                                  | 2,522                                | 2,522            |
| Recognised in other comprehensive income | -                                  | 4,190                                | 4,190            |
| Closing balance                          |                                    | 24,476                               | 24,476           |

#### 29 Key Management Personnel Disclosures

#### (a) Names of responsible persons and executive officers

The following persons were responsible persons and executive officers of Charles Sturt University during the financial year:

(i) Names of Responsible Persons

Mr Lawrence Willett AO

Professor Andrew Vann

Professor Ben Bradley

Ms Kathryn Pitkin

Mr Antonio (Tony) Catanzariti

Mr Richard Hattersley

Mr Gerard Martin

Ms Patricia (Trish) Murphy

Ms Saranne Cooke

Mr Angelos Frangopoulos

Mr Neville Page

Mr Peter Hayes

Mr Robert Fitzpatrick

Mrs Jennifer Hayes

Mr Jamie Newman Ms Carmen Frost

Dr Susan Wood

Ms Saba Nabi

#### (ii) Names of Executive Officers

Professor Andrew Vann

Professor Garry Marchant

Professor Sue Thomas

Professor Ken Dillon

Mr Paul Dowler

Mr Michael Knight

All of the above persons were also key management persons during the year ended 31 December 2013.

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#### 29 Key Management Personnel Disclosures continued

#### (b) Remuneration of board members and executives

|   | Consolidated |   |                                      | Parent                                    |                |  |
|---|--------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|----------------|--|
|   | Note         | 2013<br>Number                            | 2012<br>Number                       | 2013<br>Number                            | 2012<br>Number |  |
| Remuneration of Board Members   |              |   |                                      |   |                |  |
| Nil to \$14,999   |              | 12  | 12                                   | 12  | 12             |  |
| \$15,000 to \$29,999  |              | 1   | -                                    | 1   | -              |  |
| \$30,000 to \$44,999  |              | 1   | -                                    | 1   | -              |  |
| \$45,000 to \$59,999  |              | -   | 3                                    | -   | ;              |  |
| \$90,000 to \$104,999   |              | 2   | 1                                    | 2   | •              |  |
| \$180,000 to 194,999  |              | 1   | 1                                    | 1   |                |  |
| \$300,000 and above   |              | 1   | 1                                    | 1   |                |  |
| Remuneration of executive officers  |              |   |                                      |   |                |  |
|   |              |   |                                      |   |                |  |
| Remuneration of executive officers<br>\$75,000 to \$89,999  |              |   | 1                                    |   | ,              |  |
|   |              |   | 1  <br>1                             | i   |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999  |              | -<br>-<br>-                               | 1  <br>1<br>1                        | ÷   |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999   |              |   | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1                     | :   |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999   |              |   | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1                     | :   |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999   |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-                     | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1                | :<br>:<br>:<br>:                          |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999<br>\$135,000 to \$149,999   |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-                     | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1           | :<br>:<br>:<br>:                          |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999<br>\$135,000 to \$149,999<br>\$150,000 to \$164,999   |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-           | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1           | :<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:                     |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999<br>\$135,000 to \$149,999<br>\$150,000 to \$164,999<br>\$195,000 to \$209,999   |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1 | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1      | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1 |                |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999<br>\$135,000 to \$149,999<br>\$150,000 to \$164,999<br>\$195,000 to \$209,999<br>\$210,000 to \$224,999                           |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1 | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>- | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1 | -              |  |
| \$75,000 to \$89,999<br>\$90,000 to \$104,999<br>\$105,000 to \$119,999<br>\$120,000 to \$134,999<br>\$135,000 to \$149,999<br>\$150,000 to \$164,999<br>\$195,000 to \$209,999<br>\$210,000 to \$224,999<br>\$225,000 to \$239,999 |              | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1 | 1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1<br>1           | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>1<br>1      | -              |  |

#### (c) Key management personnel compensation

|                              |      | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|------------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                              | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Short-term employee benefits |      | 2,802           | 2,728           | 2,802           | 2,728           |
| Other long-term benefits     |      | 434             | 446             | 434             | 446             |
| Termination benefits         |      | -               | 798             |                 | 798             |
|                              |      | 3,236           | 3,972           | 3,236           | 3,972           |

#### 30 Remuneration of Auditors

During the year, the following fees were paid for services provided by the auditor of the parent entity, its related practices and non-related audit firms:

#### (a) Assurance Service

|   |      | Consoli         | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|   | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Audit and review of the Financial Statements<br>Fees paid to NSW Audit Office |      | 323             | 322             | 293             | 290             |
| Total   | :    | 323             | 322             | 293             | 290             |

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#### 30 Remuneration of Auditors continued

#### (a) Assurance Service continued

|  |      | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|--|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Other audit and assurance services<br>Fees paid to other firms |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Consulting and assurance services                              |      | 26              | 43              | 26              | 43              |
| Total  |      | 26              | 43              | 26              | 43              |

It is the consolidated entity's policy to employ NSW Audit Office on assignments additional to their statutory audit duties where NSW Audit Office's expertise and experience with the consolidated entity are important. It is the consolidated entity's policy to seek competitive tenders for all major consulting projects. Fees paid to other firms represent consulting and assurance services.

#### 31 Contingencies

#### (a) Contingent assets

There are no known contingent assets at balance date (2012: Nil).

#### (b) Contingent liabilities

The University has an international joint co-operative agreement to teach and confer degrees to off-shore students. At year end, the University is in dispute with its management agent which may impact on the revenue due under the agreement. This has been fully provided for through the impairment of receivables. However, a contingent liability exists for the future costs involved in teaching out the students subject to the joint co-operative agreement. The University is taking action to resolve the matter. It is unclear when the matter will be settled and the value of the liability cannot be reliably measured at 31 December 2013

#### 32 Commitments

#### (a) Capital commitments

Capital expenditure contracted for at the reporting date but not recognised as liabilities are:

|                               | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                          | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Property, plant and equipment |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Within one year               | 50,153          | 79,915          | 50,153          | 79,915          |
| Total                         | 50,153          | 79,915          | 50,153          | 79,915          |

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#### 32 Commitments continued

#### (b) Lease commitments

#### (i) Operating Leases

Commitments for minimum lease payments in relation to non-cancellable operating leases are payable as follows:

|                                     | Consolid        | dated           | Parent          |                 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Note                                | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Within one year                     | 1,967           | 1,803           | 1,967           | 1,803           |
| Between one year and five years     | 3,573           | 4,332           | 3,573           | 4,332           |
| Total future minimum lease payments | 5,540           | 6,135           | 5,540           | 6,135           |

#### (ii) Finance Leases

The consolidated entity leases plant and equipment under non-cancellable finance leases expiring in five years.

Commitments in relation to finance leases are payable as follows:

|                                     | Consolidated |                 | Parent          |                 |                 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                                     | Note         | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Within one year                     |              | 67              | -               | 67              | -               |
| Between one year and five years     |              | 278             | -               | 278             | -               |
| Total future minimum lease payments |              | 345             | -               | 345             | -               |
| Future finance charges              |              | (61)            | -               | (61)            | -               |
| Recognised as a liability           |              | 284             | -               | 284             | -               |
|                                     |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Representing lease liabilities      |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Current                             |              | 46              | -               | 46              | -               |
| Non-current                         |              | 238             | -               | 238             | -               |
|                                     |              | 284             | -               | 284             | -               |

The weighted average interest rate implicit in the leases is 7.91% (2012: 0.00%)

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#### 33 Related Parties

#### (a) Parent entities

The ultimate parent entity within the Group is Charles Sturt University, an entity incorporated in Australia.

#### (b) Subsidiaries

Interests in subsidiaries are set out in note 40.

#### (c) Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to directors and specified executives are set out in note 29

#### (d) Transactions with related parties

The following material transactions occurred with related parties:

|  | Consolidated    |                 | Par             | ent             |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Sale of goods and services               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Cleaning and maintenance services (CSCS) | 6,173           | 5,867           | -               | -               |
| Scholarships (CSF)                       | -               | -               | 1,139           | -               |
| Purchase of goods                        |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Cleaning and maintenance services (CSCS) | -               | -               | 6,173           | 5,867           |
| Scholarships (CSF)                       | 1,139           | -               | -               | -               |

#### (e) Outstanding balances

The following balances are outstanding at the reporting date in relation to transactions with related parties:

|  | Consolidated    |                 | Parent          |                 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Current receivables (sale of goods and services) |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Subsidiaries                                     | 635             | 677             | -               | -               |
| Current payables (purchase of goods)             |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Commonly controlled entities                     | -               | -               | 635             | 677             |

No provisions for doubtful debts have been raised in relation to any outstanding balances, and no expense has been recognised in respect of bad or doubtful debts due from related parties.

#### 34 Change in Accounting Policy

The Group changed its accounting policy relating to the recognition of defined benefit superannuation actuarial gains and losses. Superannuation actuarial gains or losses are now recognised, outside of the income statement, in other comprehensive income as permitted by AASB 119 Employee Benefits. Previously, these gains and losses were recognised in the income statement. The comparative figures for 2012 have been restated accordingly to reflect the change in policy.

This change in accounting policy is consistent with the preference expressed by the Department in the Financial Statement Guidelines for Australian Higher Education Providers. This change in policy has been adopted on the basis that the recognition outside the income statement provides more reliable and more relevant information as it better reflects the nature of superannuation actuarial gains and losses. This is because actuarial gains and losses are re-measurements, based on assumptions that do not necessarily reflect the ultimate cost of providing superannuation.

For the Group, the change in accounting policy decreases the 2013 operating profit of \$59,521k to \$58,897k (2012: decreased operating profit from \$22,960k to \$22,930k. by excluding from profit superannuation actuarial gains/losses (2013: gains of \$624k, 2012: gains of \$31k).

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#### 34 Change in Accounting Policy continued

For the parent entity, the change in accounting policy decreases the 2013 operating profit of \$59,292k to \$58,668k (2012: decreased operating profit from \$22,911k to \$22,881k), by excluding from profit superannuation actuarial gains/losses (2013: gains of \$624k, 2012: gains of \$31k).

The note in the financial statements affected by the change are employee related expenses (Note 10), reserve and retained surplus (Note 26), and defined benefit plan (Note 35).

#### 35 Defined Benefits Plans

#### (a) Fund specific disclosure

The University contributes to the following superannuation schemes:

- State Superannuation Scheme (SSS)
- State Authorities Superannuation Scheme (SASS)
- State Authorities Non-Contributory Superannuation Scheme (SANCS)

The University incurs an obligation for deferred contributions which become payable on and after retirement of staff. The deferred liability at 31 December 2013 was determined by Pillar Administration for the State schemes. An arrangement exists between the Australian Government and the State Government to meet the unfunded liability for the University's beneficiaries of the State Superannuation Scheme on an emerging cost basis. This arrangement is evidenced by the Higher Education Funding Act 1988 and subsequent amending legislation.

Accordingly the unfunded liabilities have been recognised in the Statement of Financial Position under Provisions with a corresponding asset recognised under Receivables. The recognition of both the assets and liability consequently does not affect the year end net position of the University and its controlled entity. The difference between the provision in Note 24 and the Receivable in Note 17 was previously funded by the State Government under an arrangement relating to nursing education, and also the unfunded component of SANCS. Information relating to the SSS, SASS and SANCS funds based on the latest actuarial assessment and the financial statements for the Funds for the year ended 31 December 2013 is set out below.

#### Assets invested

All Fund assets are invested by STC at arm's length through independent fund managers.

The University expects to make a contribution of \$1,936,470.00 (2012: \$2,148,562.00) to the defined benefit plan during the next financial year.

The weighted average duration of the defined benefit obligation is 11.8 years. The expected maturity analysis of undiscounted benefit obligations is as follows:

|  | Less than 1 | Between 1 and E | Between 2 and |              |             |
|--|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|
|  | year        | 2 years         | 5 years       | Over 5 years | Total       |
|  | \$'000s     | \$'000s         | \$'000s       | \$'000s      | \$'000s     |
| Defined benefit obligations - 31 December 2013 | 20,335,734  | 20,999,879      | 66,113,008    | 514,596,820  | 622,045,441 |

There was no data provided for the year ended 31 December 2012 by the Actuaries to enable the presentation of the expected maturity analysis above.

#### (b) Categories of plan assets

The analysis of the plan assets and the expected rate of return at the reporting date is as follows:

|                           | Active Market | No Active<br>Market |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| Cash and Cash Equivalents | 16            | 8                   |
| Equity instruments        | 62            | -                   |
| Debt instruments          | 6             | -                   |
| Property                  | 4             | 4                   |
| Total                     | 88            | 12                  |

2013 (%)

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#### 35 Defined Benefits Plans continued

#### (b) Categories of plan assets continued

The principal assumptions used for the purposes of the actuarial valuations were as follows (expressed as weighted averages):

|  | %    | %    |
|--|------|------|
| Discount rate                                  | 4.27 | 3.30 |
| Expected return on plan assets                 | -    | 8.60 |
| Expected rate of salary increase - SASS        | 2.25 | 2.50 |
| Expected rate of salary increase - SSS & SANCS | 2.25 | 3.50 |
| Rate of CPI increase                           | 2.50 | 2.50 |

#### (c) Actuarial assumptions and sensitivity

The sensitivity of the defined benefit obligation to change in the significant assumptions is:

|                      | Change in assumption | Impact on defined obligation |                        |  |  |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
|                      |                      | Increase in assumption       | Decrease in assumption |  |  |
| Discount rate        | 1.00%                | (34,082,568)                 | 41,142,164             |  |  |
| Salary growth rate   | 0.50%                | 17,773,259                   | (16,351,613)           |  |  |
| Rate of CPI increase | 0.50%                | 1,606,620                    | (1,549,099)            |  |  |
| Pensioner mortality  | 5.00%                | (3,278,153)                  | 3,463,593              |  |  |

Comparative information has not been provided for the sensitivity analysis permitted by the transitional provisions of the revised standard

The above sensitivity analyses are based on a change in an assumption while holding all the other assumptions constant. In practice this is unlikely to occur, and changes in some of the assumptions may be correlated. When calculating the sensitivity of the defined benefit obligation to significant actuarial assumptions the same method has been applied as when calculating the defined benefit liability recognised in the statement of financial position. The methods and types of assumptions used in the preparation of the sensitivity analysis did not change compared to the prior period.

#### (d) Balance sheet amounts

|  |      | SSS      | SASS    | SANCS   | Total    |
|--|------|----------|---------|---------|----------|
| Present value obligations - 2013                                       | Note | \$'000s  | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s  |
| Opening defined benefit obligation                                     |      | 339,071  | 36,325  | 6,782   | 382,178  |
| Current service cost   |      | 964      | 1,214   | 272     | 2,450    |
| Interest expense/(income)  |      | 10,937   | 1,151   | 216     | 12,304   |
| Taxes, premiums and expenses   |      | 1,950    | (106)   | 82      | 1,926    |
|  |      | 352,922  | 38,584  | 7,352   | 398,858  |
| Remeasurements   |      |          |         |         |          |
| Actuarial losses/(gains) arising from changes in financial assumptions |      | (37,325) | (1,432) | (334)   | (39,091) |
| Experience (gains)/losses  |      | 1,919    | 1,468   | 90      | 3,477    |
|  |      | (35,406) | 36      | (244)   | (35,614) |
| Contributions  |      |          |         |         |          |
| Plan participants  |      | 470      | 563     | -       | 1,033    |
| Payments from plan   |      |          |         |         |          |
| Benefits paid  |      | (16,457) | (4,343) | (773)   | (21,573) |
| Closing defined benefit obligation                                     | _    | 301,529  | 34,840  | 6,335   | 342,704  |

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#### 35 Defined Benefits Plans continued

#### (d) Balance sheet amounts continued

| Present value of plan assets - 2013   | Note | SSS  | SASS   | SANCS                              | Total  |
|---|------|--|--|------------------------------------|--|
| Opening fair value of plan assets   |      | 64,455   | 29,748   | 2,586                              | 96,789   |
| Interest expense/(income)   |      | 1,874  | 934  | 109                                | 2,917  |
| Taxes, premiums & expenses  |      | 1,950  | (106)  | 81                                 | 1,925  |
|   |      | 68,279   | 30,576   | 2,776                              | 101,631  |
| Remeasurements  |      |  |  |                                    |  |
| Return on plan assets, excluding amounts included in interest expense   |      | 9,815  | 3,690  | 380                                | 13,885   |
| Contributions   |      |  |  |                                    |  |
| Employers   |      | 555  | 1,093  | 240                                | 1,888  |
| Plan participants   |      | 470  | 563  | -                                  | 1,033  |
|   |      | 1,025  | 1,656  | 240                                | 2,921  |
| Payments from plan  |      |  |  |                                    |  |
| Benefits paid   |      | (16,457)   | (4,343)  | (773)                              | (21,573)   |
| Closing fair value of plans assets  |      | 62,662   | 31,579   | 2,623                              | 96,864   |
|   |      |  |  |                                    |  |
|   |      |  |  |                                    |  |
| Reimbursement rights - 2013   | Note | SSS  | SASS   | SANCS                              | Total  |
| Reimbursement rights - 2013 Opening value of reimbursement right  | Note | SSS<br>273,892   | SASS<br>6,577  | SANCS                              | Total 280,469  |
| _   | Note |  |  | SANCS                              |  |
| Opening value of reimbursement right  | Note | 273,892  | 6,577  | SANCS                              | 280,469  |
| Opening value of reimbursement right  Expected return on reimbursement rights   | Note | 273,892<br>381   | 6,577<br>(3,280)   | SANCS<br>-<br>-<br>-               | 280,469<br>(2,899)   |
| Opening value of reimbursement right  Expected return on reimbursement rights  Remeasurements   |      | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)   | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)   | SANCS                              | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)   |
| Opening value of reimbursement right  Expected return on reimbursement rights  Remeasurements   |      | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)   | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)<br>3,261  | SANCS                              | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)   |
| Opening value of reimbursement right Expected return on reimbursement rights Remeasurements Closing value of reimbursement right  | 17   | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)<br>238,867  | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)   | :<br>:<br>:                        | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)<br>242,128  |
| Opening value of reimbursement right Expected return on reimbursement rights Remeasurements Closing value of reimbursement right  Net liability - 2013  | 17   | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)<br>238,867  | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)<br>3,261  | SANCS                              | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)<br>242,128  |
| Opening value of reimbursement right Expected return on reimbursement rights Remeasurements Closing value of reimbursement right  Net liability - 2013 Defined benefit obligation Fair value of plan assets               | 17   | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)<br>238,867<br>SSS<br>301,529<br>(62,662)            | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)<br>3,261<br>SASS<br>34,840<br>(31,579)          | SANCS<br>6,335<br>(2,623)          | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)<br>242,128<br>Total<br>342,704<br>(96,864)            |
| Opening value of reimbursement right Expected return on reimbursement rights Remeasurements Closing value of reimbursement right  Net liability - 2013 Defined benefit obligation Fair value of plan assets Net liability | 17   | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)<br>238,867<br>SSS<br>301,529<br>(62,662)<br>238,867 | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)<br>3,261<br>SASS<br>34,840<br>(31,579)<br>3,261 | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>SANCS<br>6,335 | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)<br>242,128<br>Total<br>342,704<br>(96,864)<br>245,840 |
| Opening value of reimbursement right Expected return on reimbursement rights Remeasurements Closing value of reimbursement right  Net liability - 2013 Defined benefit obligation Fair value of plan assets               | 17   | 273,892<br>381<br>(35,406)<br>238,867<br>SSS<br>301,529<br>(62,662)            | 6,577<br>(3,280)<br>(36)<br>3,261<br>SASS<br>34,840<br>(31,579)          | SANCS<br>6,335<br>(2,623)          | 280,469<br>(2,899)<br>(35,442)<br>242,128<br>Total<br>342,704<br>(96,864)            |

## Notes to the Financial Statements 31 December 2013

#### 35 Defined Benefits Plans continued

#### (d) Balance sheet amounts continued

|   |      | SSS       | SASS     | SANCS   | Total     |
|---|------|-----------|----------|---------|-----------|
| Present value obligations - 2012                                      | Note | \$'000s   | \$'000s  | \$'000s | \$'000s   |
| Opening defined benefit obligation                                    |      | 316,867   | 34,666   | 7,317   | 358,850   |
| Current service cost  |      | 571       | 1,216    | 304     | 2,091     |
| Interest expense/(income)   | _    | 11,452    | 1,230    | 254     | 12,936    |
|   |      | 328,890   | 37,112   | 7,875   | 373,877   |
| Remeasurements  |      |           |          |         |           |
| Experience (gains)/losses   | _    | 22,280    | 2,525    | 187     | 24,992    |
| Contributions   |      |           |          |         |           |
| Plan participants   | _    | 674       | 579      | -       | 1,253     |
| Payments from plan  |      |           |          |         |           |
| Benefits paid   | _    | (12,773)  | (3,891)  | (1,280) | (17,944)  |
| Closing defined benefit obligation                                    | _    | 339,071   | 36,325   | 6,782   | 382,178   |
|   |      |           |          |         |           |
| Present value of plan assets - 2012                                   | Note | SSS       | SASS     | SANCS   | Total     |
| Opening fair value of plan assets                                     |      | 69,456    | 28,538   | 3,230   | 101,224   |
| Remeasurements  |      |           |          |         |           |
| Return on plan assets, excluding amounts included in interest expense |      | 2,298     | 1,003    | 143     | 3,444     |
| Experience (gains)/losses   | _    | 4,179     | 2,269    | 218     | 6,666     |
|   |      | 6,477     | 3,272    | 361     | 10,110    |
| Contributions   |      |           |          |         |           |
| Employers   |      | 621       | 1,250    | 275     | 2,146     |
| Plan participants   | _    | 674       | 579      | -       | 1,253     |
|   |      | 1,295     | 1,829    | 275     | 3,399     |
| Payments from plan  |      |           |          |         |           |
| Benefits paid   | _    | (12,773)  | (3,891)  | (1,280) | (17,944)  |
| Closing fair value of plans assets                                    |      | 64,455    | 29,748   | 2,586   | 96,789    |
|   | _    |           |          |         |           |
| Reimbursement rights - 2012   | Note | SSS       | SASS     | SANCS   | Total     |
| Opening value of reimbursement right                                  |      | 246,688   | 6,127    | -       | 252,815   |
| Expected return on reimbursement rights                               |      | 6,059     | (1,135)  | -       | 4,924     |
| Remeasurements  | _    | 21,145    | 1,585    | -       | 22,730    |
| Closing value of reimbursement right                                  | 17   | 273,892   | 6,577    | =       | 280,469   |
|   | _    |           |          |         |           |
| Net liability - 2012  | Note | SSS       | SASS     | SANCS   | Total     |
| Defined benefit obligation  | 24   | 339,071   | 36,325   | 6,782   | 382,178   |
| Fair value of plan assets   |      | (64,455)  | (29,748) | (2,586) | (96,789)  |
| Net liability   | _    | 274,616   | 6,577    | 4,196   | 285,389   |
| Reimbursement right   | 17   | (273,892) | (6,577)  | -       | (280,469) |
| Total net liability/(asset) in statement of financial position        | _    | 724       | -        | 4,196   | 4,920     |
|   | _    |           |          | .,      | .,020     |

## Notes to the Financial Statements 31 December 2013

#### 36 Events Occurring After the Reporting Date

The University has not identified any events after reporting date that would require adjustment to the amounts recognised or disclosures in the financial statements.

37 Reconciliation of operating result after income tax to net cash flows from operating activities

| resourcement of operating result and income tax  |     | Consolid |         |         | Parent  |  |  |  |
|--|-----|----------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|
|  |     | 2013     | 2012    | 2013    | 2012    |  |  |  |
| No   | ote | \$'000s  | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s |  |  |  |
| Operating result for the period  |     | 56,976   | 22,929  | 56,747  | 22,880  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation and amortisation  |     | 33,303   | 35,919  | 33,303  | 35,919  |  |  |  |
| Gain on disposal of available-for-sale financial investments                                   |     | (6,161)  | (2,487) | (6,093) | (2,477) |  |  |  |
| (Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment                                       |     | 60       | (7)     | 60      | (7)     |  |  |  |
| Gains transferred from available-for-sale investments through income statement                 |     | (238)    | (10)    | -       | -       |  |  |  |
| Gain on financial assets through income statement  |     | (1,778)  | (2,559) | (1,735) | (2,522) |  |  |  |
| Loss on interest rate swap   |     | (397)    | (40)    | (397)   | (40)    |  |  |  |
| Impairment of financial assets   |     | 5,262    | 619     | 5,190   | 349     |  |  |  |
| Non-cash retirement benefits expense   |     | 139      | 31      | 139     | 31      |  |  |  |
| Other non-cash movements   |     | (724)    | -       | (724)   | -       |  |  |  |
| Change in operating assets and liabilities, net of effects from purchase of controlled entity: |     |          |         |         |         |  |  |  |
| (Increase) / decrease in trade debtors   |     | 5,553    | 13,697  | 5,665   | 13,721  |  |  |  |
| (Increase) / decrease in accrued interest  |     | (144)    | (127)   | (144)   | (127)   |  |  |  |
| (Increase) / decrease in prepaid salaries  |     | (1,062)  | 9       | (1,062) | 9       |  |  |  |
| (Increase) / decrease in other prepayments   |     | (22)     | (1,883) | (22)    | (1,883) |  |  |  |
| (Increase) / decrease in inventories   |     | 539      | 92      | 539     | 92      |  |  |  |
| Increase / (decrease) in student fees received in advance                                      |     | (2,255)  | 8,771   | (2,255) | 8,771   |  |  |  |
| Increase / (decrease) in accrued salaries  |     | (3,610)  | -       | (3,610) | -       |  |  |  |
| Increase/ (decrease) in trade payables   |     | 1,217    | -       | 1,217   | -       |  |  |  |
| Increase / (decrease) in accrued expenses  |     | (838)    | 351     | (824)   | 367     |  |  |  |
| Increase / (decrease) in provision for leave and other employee entitlements                   |     | 780      | 631     | 815     | 580     |  |  |  |
| Net cash provided by / (used in) operating activities  |     | 86,600   | 75,936  | 86,809  | 75,663  |  |  |  |

38 Assets and liabilities of trusts for which the Charles Sturt University is Trustee

|                           |      | Consolida       | ated            | Parent          |                 |  |
|---------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|                           | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| Current assets            |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Receivables               |      | 2,403           | 2,495           | 2,403           | 2,495           |  |
| Investments               |      | 5               | 5               | 5               | 5               |  |
| Total current assets      |      | 2,408           | 2,500           | 2,408           | 2,500           |  |
| Current liabilities       |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Provisions                |      | 315             | 347             | 315             | 347             |  |
| Trade and other payables  |      | 86              | 137             | 86              | 137             |  |
| Total current liabilities |      | 401             | 484             | 401             | 484             |  |
| Non-current liabilities   |      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Provisions                |      | 247             | 249             | 247             | 249             |  |
| Total liabilities         |      | 648             | 733             | 648             | 733             |  |

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 39 Acquittal of Australian Government Financial Assistance

(a) Education - CGS and other Education grants

|  |      | Commonwealth<br>Grants Scheme#1 |                 | Indigenous Support I<br>Program |                 | Participation Program<br>#2 |                 | Disability Support<br>Program |                 |
|--|------|---------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Parent Entity (University) Only  | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s                 | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s                 | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s             | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s               | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program) |      | 173,827                         | 167,854         | 1,857                           | 1,492           | 6,446                       | 3,892           | 882                           | 856             |
| Revenue for the period   | 3(a) | 173,827                         | 167,854         | 1,857                           | 1,492           | 6,446                       | 3,892           | 882                           | 856             |
| Total revenue including accrued revenue  |      | 173,827                         | 167,854         | 1,857                           | 1,492           | 6,446                       | 3,892           | 882                           | 856             |
| Less expenses including accrued expenses   |      | 173,827                         | 167,854         | 1,857                           | 1,492           | 6,446                       | 3,892           | 882                           | 856             |

|  |      | Struc<br>Adjustmen | tural           | Transitio<br>Prog | nal Cost<br>gram | Tot             | al              |
|--|------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Parent Entity (University) Only  | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s    | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s   | 2012<br>\$'000s  | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program) |      | 400                | 2,200           | -                 | 283              | 183,412         | 176,577         |
| Revenue for the period   | 3(a) | 400                | 2,200           | -                 | 283              | 183,412         | 176,577         |
| Total revenue including accrued revenue  |      | 400                | 2,200           | -                 | 283              | 183,412         | 176,577         |
| Less expenses including accrued expenses   |      | 400                | 2,200           | -                 | 283              | 183,412         | 176,577         |

#1 basic CGS grant amount, CGS – Regional Loading, CGS – Enabling Loading, Maths and Science Transition Loading and Full Fee Places Transition Loading.

#2 Includes Equity Support Program.

#3 Includes Collaboration and Structural Adjustments Program

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 39 Acquittal of Australian Government Financial Assistance continued

(b) Higher education loan programmes (excl OS-HELP)

|   |      | HECS-HELP (Aust.<br>Government<br>payments only) |                 | FEE-HELP #4     |                 | SA-HELP         |                 | Total           |                 |
|---|------|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Parent Entity (University) Only                                   | Note | 2013<br>\$'000s                                  | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Cash Payable/(Receivable) at the beginning of the year            |      | -  | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               |
| Financial assistance received in cash during the reporting period |      | 88,625   | 74,880          | 21,392          | 16,429          | 1,633           | 672             | 111,650         | 91,981          |
| Cash available for the period                                     |      | 88,625   | 74,880          | 21,392          | 16,429          | 1,633           | 672             | 111,650         | 91,981          |
| Revenue earned  | 3(b) | 88,625   | 74,880          | 21,392          | 16,429          | 1,633           | 672             | 111,650         | 91,981          |
| Cash Payable/(Receivable) at the end of the year                  |      | -  | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               | -               |

#4 Program is in respect of FEE-HELP for Higher Education only and excludes funds received in respect of VET FEE-HELP

#### (c) Scholarships

| Parent Entity (University) Only  |
|--|
| Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program) |
| Revenue for the period   |
| Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year   |
| Total revenue including accrued revenue  |
| Less expenses including accrued expenses   |
| Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period   |

|      | Australian<br>Postgraduate Awards |         |         |         | Educati | nwealth<br>on Cost<br>ships #5 | Commonwealth<br>Accommodation<br>Scholarships #5 |         |
|------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------------------|--|---------|
|      | 2013                              | 2012    | 2013    | 2012    | 2013    | 2012                           | 2013   | 2012    |
|      | \$'000s                           | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s | \$'000s                        | \$'000s  | \$'000s |
|      |                                   |         |         |         |         |                                |  |         |
|      | 1,588                             | 1,449   | 133     | 128     | (154)   | 881                            | (24)   | 147     |
| 3(c) | 1,588                             | 1,449   | 133     | 128     | (154)   | 881                            | (24)   | 147     |
|      | 737                               | 662     | 5       | (28)    | -       | -                              | -  | -       |
|      | 2,325                             | 2,111   | 138     | 100     | (154)   | 881                            | (24)   | 147     |
|      | 1,570                             | 1,374   | 109     | 95      | (154)   | 881                            | (24)   | 147     |
|      | 755                               | 737     | 29      | 5       | -       | -                              | -  | -       |

| Parent Entity (University) Only  |
|--|
| Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program) |
| Revenue for the period   |
| Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year   |
| Total revenue including accrued revenue  |
| Less expenses including accrued expenses   |
| Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period   |

|      | Indigenous Access<br>Scholarship |                 | Indigend<br>Schola | ous Staff<br>irships | Total           |                 |  |
|------|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|      | 2013<br>\$'000s                  | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s    | 2012<br>\$'000s      | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
|      | (72)                             | 234             | (15)               | 38                   | 1,456           | 2,877           |  |
| 3(c) | (72)                             | 234             | (15)               | 38                   | 1,456           | 2,877           |  |
|      | -                                | -               | 21                 | -                    | 763             | 634             |  |
|      | (72)                             | 234             | 6                  | 38                   | 2,219           | 3,511           |  |
|      | (72)                             | 234             | 6                  | 17                   | 1,435           | 2,748           |  |
|      | -                                | -               | -                  | 21                   | 784             | 763             |  |

#5 Includes Grandfathered Scholarships, National Priority and National Accommodation Priority Scholarships respectively.

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#### 39 Acquittal of Australian Government Financial Assistance continued

#### (d) Education Research

#### Parent Entity (University) Only

Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program)

Revenue for the period

Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year

Total revenue including accrued revenue

Less expenses including accrued expenses

Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period

| Joint Research<br>Engagement <sup>#6</sup> |                 |                 | n Training<br>eme | Research<br>Infrastructure Block<br>Grants |                 |  |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|--|-----------------|--|
| 2013<br>\$'000s                            | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s   | 2013<br>\$'000s                            | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
| 1,658                                      | 1,795           | 3,841           | 3,654             | 1,081                                      | 1,424           |  |
| 1,658                                      | 1,795           | 3,841           | 3,654             | 1,081                                      | 1,424           |  |
| -  | -               | -               | -                 | -  | -               |  |
| 1,658                                      | 1,795           | 3,841           | 3,654             | 1,081                                      | 1,424           |  |
| 1,658                                      | 1,795           | 3,841           | 3,654             | 1,081                                      | 1,424           |  |
| -  | -               | -               | -                 | -  | -               |  |

#### Parent Entity (University) Only

Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program)

Revenue for the period

Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year

Total revenue including accrued revenue

Less expenses including accrued expenses

Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period

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Commercialisation Training Scheme

3(d)

| 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| -               | -               | 977             | 1,068           | 7,557           | 7,941           |
| -               | -               | 977             | 1,068           | 7,557           | 7,941           |
| 44              | 44              | -               | -               | 44              | 44              |
| 44              | 44              | 977             | 1,068           | 7,601           | 7,985           |
| 44              | -               | 977             | 1,068           | 7,601           | 7,941           |
|                 | 11              |                 |                 |                 | 11              |

**Education Investment** 

Sustainable Research Excellence in Universities

Total

#6 Includes Institutional Grants Scheme

#### (e) Other Capital Funding

#### Parent Entity (University) Only

Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program)

Revenue for the period

Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year

Total revenue including accrued revenue

Less expenses including accrued expenses

Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period

|      | F               | und             | Total           |                 |  |
|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|      | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
|      | 14,669          | 5,969           | 14,669          | 5,969           |  |
| 3(e) | 14,669          | 5,969           | 14,669          | 5,969           |  |
|      | 3,521           | 4,529           | 3,521           | 4,529           |  |
|      | 18,190          | 10,498          | 18,190          | 10,498          |  |
|      | 18,190          | 6,977           | 18,190          | 6,977           |  |
|      | -               | 3,521           | -               | 3,521           |  |
|      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |

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#### 39 **Acquittal of Australian Government Financial Assistance continued**

#### (f) **Australian Research Council Grants**

|  |         | Projects        |                 | Fellowships     |                 | Indigenous<br>Researchers<br>Development |                 | Total           |                 |
|--|---------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| (i) Discovery<br>Parent Entity (University) Only   |         | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s                          | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |
| Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program) |         | 656             | 410             | 370             | 456             |  | 5               | 1,026           | 871             |
| Revenue for the period   | 3(f)(i) | 656             | 410             | 370             | 456             | -  | 5               | 1,026           | 871             |
| Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year   |         | 263             | 204             | 311             | 200             | 5  | -               | 579             | 404             |
| Total revenue including accrued revenue  |         | 919             | 614             | 681             | 656             | 5  | 5               | 1,605           | 1,275           |
| Less expenses including accrued expenses   |         | 539             | 351             | 429             | 345             | -  | -               | 968             | 696             |
| Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period   |         | 380             | 263             | 252             | 311             | 5  | 5               | 637             | 579             |

| (ii) Linkages |                   |
|---------------|-------------------|
| Parent Entity | (University) Only |

Financial assistance received in CASH during the reporting period (total cash received from Australian Government for the program)

Revenue for the period

Surplus/(deficit) from the previous year

Total revenue including accrued revenue

Less expenses including accrued expenses

Surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period

|          | Proj            | ects            | То              | tal             |  |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
|          | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s | 2013<br>\$'000s | 2012<br>\$'000s |  |
|          | 387             | 403             | 387             | 403             |  |
| 3(f)(ii) | 387             | 403             | 387             | 403             |  |
|          | 128             | 134             | 128             | 134             |  |
|          | 515             | 537             | 515             | 537             |  |
|          | 200             | 409             | 200             | 409             |  |
|          | 315             | 128             | 315             | 128             |  |
|          |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |

#### **OS-HELP** (g)

| Parent Entity | (University) | Only |
|---------------|--------------|------|
|---------------|--------------|------|

Cash received during the reporting period Cash spent during the reporting period

Net cash received

Cash surplus/(deficit) from the previous period

Cash surplus/(deficit) for the reporting period

|    | OS - HELP |         |  |
|----|-----------|---------|--|
|    | 2013      | 2012    |  |
|    | \$'000s   | \$'000s |  |
|    | 212       | 124     |  |
|    | (197)     | (590)   |  |
|    | 15        | (466)   |  |
|    | 88        | 554     |  |
| 22 | 103       | 88      |  |

#### **Student Services and Amenities Fee** (h)

#### Parent Entity (University) Only

Unspent/(overspent) revenue from previous period

SA - HELP Revenue Earned

Student Services Fees direct from Students

Total revenue expendable in period

Student services expenses during period

Unspent/(overspent) student services revenue

|      | SA -    | HELP    |
|------|---------|---------|
|      | 2013    | 2012    |
|      | \$'000s | \$'000s |
|      | 3,278   | -       |
| 3(b) | 1,633   | 672     |
| 5    | 4,514   | 3,336   |
|      | 9,425   | 4,008   |
|      | 2,282   | 730     |
|      | 7,143   | 3,278   |
|      |         |         |

#### **31 December 2013**

#### 40 Subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the following subsidiaries in accordance with the accounting policy described in note 1(b):

|   |                          |                      | Equity | noluling |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|--------|----------|
|   |                          |                      | 2013   | 2012     |
| Name of Entity                                | Country of Incorporation | Class of Shares      | %      | %        |
| Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited (CSCS)  | Australia                | Limited by Guarantee | 100.00 | 100.00   |
| The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust | Australia                | Fixed Trust          | 100.00 | 100.00   |
| Charles Sturt Services Limited                | Australia                | Limited by Guarantee | 100.00 | 100.00   |

# Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

ABN 31 158 135 157

# Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2013



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

To Members of the New South Wales Parliament

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust (the Trust), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2013, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the Trustee's statement.

#### Basis for Qualified Opinion

Donations are significant source of funding revenue for the Trust. The Trust has determined that it is impracticable to establish control over the collection of donations prior to their entry into its financial records. Accordingly, as the evidence available to me regarding fundraising revenue from this source was limited, my audit procedures with respect to donations were restricted to the amounts recorded in the financial records. I am therefore unable to express an opinion on whether donations to the Trust as recorded are complete.

#### Qualified Opinion

In my qualified opinion, except for the effects of such adjustments, if any, as might have been determined to be necessary had I been able to satisfy myself as to the completeness of donated and fundraising revenue, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Trust as at 31 December 2013, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards
- are in accordance with section 41B of the Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 (the PF&A Act) and the Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010.

My opinion should be read in conjunction with the rest of this report.

#### The Trustees' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Trustee is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the PF&A Act, and for such internal control as the Trustee determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view and that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Trust's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Trustee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

My opinion does not provide assurance:

- about the future viability of the Trust
- that it has carried out its activities effectively, efficiently and economically
- about the effectiveness of its internal control

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- about the security and controls over the electronic publication of the audited financial statements on any website where they may be presented
- about other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial statements.

#### Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian Auditing Standards and other relevant ethical pronouncements. The PF&A Act further promotes independence by:

- providing that only Parliament, and not the executive government, can remove an Auditor-General
- mandating the Auditor-General as auditor of public sector agencies, but precluding the provision
  of non-audit services, thus ensuring the Auditor-General and the Audit Office of
  New South Wales are not compromised in their roles by the possibility of losing clients or
  income.

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17 April 2014 SYDNEY

## The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

ABN 31 158 135 157

## Trustee's Report

for the year ended 31 December 2013

#### **Trustee**

The Trust was established by deed dated 17<sup>th</sup> March 1994. Under that deed the Charles Sturt Foundation Limited was appointed as Trustee until 2010 when Charles Sturt University became Trustee.

#### **Review Of Operations**

The surplus for the Trust for the year was \$228,821 (2011 \$134,338).

#### **Significant Changes In The State Of Affairs**

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Trust.

#### **Principal Activities**

The principal activities of the Trust during the year were as follows:

- (a) to attract and encourage donations, gifts, bequests, endowments, trusts and other forms of financial assistance to or for the benefit of the University through fundraising activities;
- (b) to invest and deal with the money of the Trust;
- (c) to make contributions for tertiary scholarships, academic staff positions and infrastructure to the University

#### **Significant Post Balance Date Events**

The Trustee is not aware of any matter or circumstance other than that reported in Note 18 that has arisen since the end of the financial year and that has significantly affected or may significantly affect:

- The operation of the trust;
- The results of those operations; and
- The state of affairs of the trust in subsequent years.

By resolution of the Charles Sturt University, as Trustee of the Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

| Name   | Lawrence Willett            | Name   | Andrew Vann                 |
|--------|-----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|
|        |                             |        |                             |
|        | QQ. William                 |        | Andrew Vaum                 |
| Signed |                             | Signed |                             |
| Date   | 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2014 | Date   | 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2014 |

## The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

ABN 31 158 135 157

## Statement by Trustee

for the year ended 31 December 2013

Name

In the opinion of the Trustees of the Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust:

- 1. The financial statements and notes present a true and fair view of the financial position of the Trust at 31 December 2013 and the results of its operations for the year then ended;
- 2. The financial statements and notes have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Finance and Audit Act 1983* and Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010;
- 3. The financial statements and notes have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations;
- 4. We are not aware of any circumstances which would render any particulars included in the financial statements to be misleading or inaccurate; and
- 5. There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Trust will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This statement is in accordance with a resolution of the Trustee made on .

Lawrence Willett

By resolution of Charles Sturt University, as Trustee of the Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

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|-----------|-----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|
|           |                             |        |                             |
|           | an arend                    |        | Andrew Vaum                 |
| Signed    | C.C. Colo                   | Signed |                             |
| Date      | 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2014 | Date   | 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2014 |

Name

Andrew Vann

#### CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION TRUST

#### STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

#### For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

| Revenue  | Note | 2013<br>\$           | 2012<br>\$           |
|--|------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Fundraising  | 2(a) | 534,064              | 965,610              |
| Investment Income  | 2(b) | 454,006              | 375,952              |
| Other  |      | 110,515              | 105,874              |
| Fair value gain on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss   | 7    | 66,280               | 36,673               |
| Gain/ (Loss) on disposal of investment   | 5    | 306,374              | 20,250               |
| Total Revenue  | -    | 1,471,239            | 1,504,359            |
| Expenses   |      |                      |                      |
| Administrative expenses  |      | 79,724               | 92,029               |
| Contributions  | 3    | 1,090,523            | 1,093,658            |
| Fair value loss on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss   | 7    | -                    | -                    |
| Impairment of Available-for-sale financial assets  | 4    | 72,171               | 184,334              |
| Total Expenses Surplus for the Year  | :    | 1,242,417<br>228,822 | 1,370,021<br>134,338 |
| Other Comprehensive Income<br>Net fair value gains / (losses) on available-for-sale financial<br>asset   |      | 1,213,404            | 1,244,913            |
| Items that may be classified to profit and loss<br>Gains / (losses) in fair value of available-for-sale<br>financial asset transferred to profit or loss |      | (238,398)            | (10,700)             |
| Other Comprehensive income for the year  | •    | 975,006              | 1,234,213            |
| Total comprehensive income for the year  |      | 1,203,828            | 1,368,551            |

The statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION TRUST

#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

#### As at 31st December 2013

|   | Note   | 2013<br>\$ | 2012<br>\$ |
|---|--------|------------|------------|
| Current Assets  |        |            |            |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents                                 | 6      | 1,143,592  | 1,728,955  |
| Receivables   |        | 155,575    | -          |
| Financial Assets at fair value through the profit or loss | 7      | 256,177    | 213,066    |
| Held-to-maturity financial assets                         | 8(b) _ | 436,522    |            |
| <b>Total Current Assets</b>                               |        | 1,991,866  | 1,942,021  |
| Non-current Assets  |        |            |            |
| Available -for-sale financial assets                      | 8(a) _ | 7,804,688  | 6,658,326  |
| <b>Total Non-current Assets</b>                           |        | 7,804,688  | 6,658,326  |
| Total Assets  |        | 9,796,555  | 8,600,347  |
| Current Liabilities                                       |        |            |            |
| Payables  | 9      | 21,963     | 29,583     |
| Total Current Liabilities                                 |        | 21,963     | 29,583     |
| Total Non-current Liabilities                             | _      |            |            |
| Total Liabilities   | _      | 21,963     | 29,583     |
| Net Assets  | _      | 9,774,592  | 8,570,764  |
|   |        |            |            |
| Equity  |        |            |            |
| Accumulated Funds   |        | 7,347,900  | 7,119,078  |
| Available-for -sale financial assets reserve              | 10     | 2,426,692  | 1,451,686  |
| Total Equity  | =      | 9,774,592  | 8,570,764  |

The Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION TRUST STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN EQUITY

#### For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|  | Accumulated Note Funds | Available - for -<br>sale financial<br>assets Reserve | Total     |
|--|------------------------|---|-----------|
|  | \$                     | \$  | \$        |
| As at 1 January 2012   | 6,984,740              | 217,473   | 7,202,213 |
| Surplus / (Deficit) for the year   | 134,338                |   | 134,338   |
| Other comprehensive income   |                        |   |           |
| Net fair value gains/(losses) on available-for-sale financial assets                           |                        | 1,244,913   | 1,244,913 |
| Gain /(Loss) in fair value of available-for-sale financial asset transferred to profit or loss |                        | (10,700)  | (10,700)  |
| Total Comprehensive income for the period  | 134,338                | 1,234,213   | 1,368,551 |
| Transactions with Owners   | -                      | -   | -         |
| As at 31 December 2012   | 7,119,078              | 1,451,686   | 8,570,764 |
|  |                        |   |           |
| As at 1 January 2013   | 7,119,078              | 1,451,686   | 8,570,764 |
| Surplus / (Deficit) for the year   | 228,822                |   | 228,822   |
| Other comprehensive income   |                        |   |           |
| Net fair value gains/(losses) on available-for-sale financial assets                           |                        | 1,213,404   | 1,213,404 |
| Gain /(Loss) in fair value of available-for-sale financial asset transferred to profit or loss |                        | (238,398)   | (238,398) |
| Total Comprehensive income for the period  | 228,822                | 975,006   | 1,203,828 |
| Transactions with Owners   | -                      | -   | -         |
| As at 31 December 2013   | 7,347,900              | 2,426,692   | 9,774,592 |

The Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION TRUST STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW For the Year Ended 31 December 2013

| Cash flows from operating activities                 | Note         | 2013<br>\$  | 2012<br>\$  |
|--|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Fundraising  |              | 579,001     | 1,002,009   |
| Interest   |              | 47,470      | 54,432      |
| Dividends and distributions                          |              | 406,882     | 366,927     |
| Other  | _            |             | 105,874     |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>                                |              | 1,033,353   | 1,529,242   |
| Payments   |              |             |             |
| Contributions  |              | (1,090,523) | (1,093,658) |
| Suppliers  |              | (133,954)   | (145,787)   |
| Australian Tax Office                                |              | (19,402)    | (16,700)    |
| <b>Total Payments</b>                                | =            | (1,243,878) | (1,256,145) |
| Net Cash flow from operating activities              | 14           | (210,525)   | 273,097     |
| Cash flows from investing Activities                 |              |             |             |
| Disposal of available-for-sale financial asset       |              | 1,402,730   | 235,697     |
| Purchase of financial assets                         | 8            | (1,777,567) | (299,501)   |
| Net Cash flow from Investing Activities              | _            | (374,837)   | (63,804)    |
| Net (Increase)/ decrease in cash & cash equivalents  |              | (585,363)   | 209,293     |
| Cash & cash equivalents at the beginning of the year | <del>-</del> | 1,728,955   | 1,519,662   |
| Cash & cash equivalents at the end of the year       | 6 =          | 1,143,592   | 1,728,955   |

The statement of cash flow should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

### The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trus ABN: 31 158 135 157

## Notes to and Forming Part of the Financial Statements for the year Ended 31 December 2013

#### Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### 1 (a) Reporting Entity

The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust is a reporting entity and was established by deed of settlement on 17th March 1994 and is recognised as a not for profit organisation. Charles Sturt University acts as trustee to the Trust. The Trust is for the benefit of the Charles Sturt University.

The financial statements have been authorised for release by the Trustee on the 16th April 2014.

#### 1 (b) Basis of Preparation

The financial statements is a general purpose financial statement having been prepared in accordance with:

- (i) Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations
- (ii) Public Finance and Audit Act 1983, and Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010

Judgements, key assumption and estimations management has made are disclosed in the relevant notes to the financial statement The Financial report has been prepared on the basis of accrual accounting and in accordance with historical cost convention except for Financial Assets at fair value through profit and loss and Available-for-sale financial assets which have been measured at fair value. All amounts are expressed in Australian dollars.

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous year unless otherwise specified.

#### 1 (c) Statement of Compliance

The financial statements and notes comply with Australian Accounting Standards, including Australian Accounting Interpretations.

#### 1 (d) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations

The following lists applicable new and amended Australian Accounting Standards issued but are not yet operative. The Trust has not adopted any of these standards.

It is considered that adoption of these Standards and Interpretations in future periods will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Trust.

- \* AASB 9 Financial Instruments
- \* AASB 1053 Application of Tiers of Accounting Standards
- \* AASB 2011-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure Requirements AASB 124
- AASB 2012-3 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities
- \* Interpretation 21 Levies
- \* AASB 1055 Budgetary Reporting
- \* AASB 2013-3 Amendments to AASB 136 Recoverable Amount Disclosures for Non-Financial Assets
- AASB 2013-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Novation of Derivatives and Continuation of Hedge Accounting
- \* AASB 2013-5 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Investment Entities AASB 1, AASB 3, AASB 7, AASB 10, AASB 12, AASB 107, AASB 112, AASB 124, AASB 127, AASB 132, AASB 134 & AASB 139.
- \* AASB 2013-7 Amendments to AASB 1038 arising from AASB 10 in relation to Consolidation and Interests of Policyholdres AASB 1038

#### 1 (e) Revenue Recognition

- (i) The Trust receives a principal part of its income from donations by way of cheques, direct deposits and electronic funds transfers. Amounts donated are recognised as revenue when the Trust gains control, economic benefits are probable and the amounts can be measured reliably.
- (ii) Interest revenue is recognised on an accrual basis.

### The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trus ABN: 31 158 135 157

#### Notes to and Forming Part of the Financial Statement: for the year Ended 31 December 2013

#### Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

#### 1 (e) Revenue Recognition (cont)

- (iii) Dividends and distributions are recognised as revenue when the Trust's right to receive payment is established. Refunds of imputation credits arising from investment income received, are recognised as revenue when the application for refund is lodged with the Australian Taxation Office.
- (iv) Gains and losses on realisation of investments are taken to surplus/deficit on the Statement of Comprehensive Income when the investment is disposed of. The gain or loss is the difference between the net proceeds of disposal and the carrying value of the investment.

#### 1 (f) Financial Instruments

Financial instruments give rise to positions that are a financial asset the Trust or its counterparty and a financial liability (or equity instrument) of the other party. For the Trust these include cash and cash equivalents, investments, receivables and payables.

In accordance with AASB 132 "Financial Instruments: Presentation" and AASB 7 "Financial Instruments: Disclosure" information is disclosed in Note 13 in respect of the risks associated with and financial instruments. All such amounts are carried in the accounts at fair value unless otherwise stated. The specific accounting policy in respect of each class of such financial instruments is stated hereunder:

#### (i) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of four months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, and bank overdrafts.

#### (ii) Investments

The Trust designates its investments in the following categories: Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held to maturity investments, and available-for-sale financial assets. The designation depends on the nature and purpose of the investments and is determined at the time of initial recognition.

Financial assets classified as held for trading are included in the category "financial assets acquired at fair value through profit or loss". Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling in the near term with the intention of making a profit. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are stated at fair value, with any resultant gain or loss recognised in profit or loss. Gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss and the related assets are classified as current in the statement of financial position.

Available-for-sale financial assets, comprising principally marketable equity securities, are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. They are included in non-current assets unless management intends to dispose of the investment in 12 months of the balance date.

Purchases and sales of investments are recognised on trade date - the date on which the Trust commits to purchase or sell the asset. Investments are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs for all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Trust has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

Available-for-sale financial assets are subsequently carried at fair value. Unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of non monetary securities are recognised in equity as investments revaluation reserve. When securities classified as available-for-sale are sold or impaired, the accumulated fair value adjustments are included in the statement of comprehensive income as gains or losses from investment securities.

### The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust ARN: 31 158 135 157

#### Notes to and Forming Part of the Financial Statements

for the year Ended 31 December 2013

#### Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

#### (ii) Investments (cont)

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active (and for unlisted securities), the Trust establishes fair value by using valuation techniques. These include reference to the fair value of recent arm's length transactions, involving the same instruments or other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, and option pricing models refined to reflect the issuer's specific circumstances. The fair values of unlisted managed investments are based on the exit prices advised by the investment fund managers.

#### (iii) Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets

The Trust assesses at each balance date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of equity securities classified as available-for-sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of a security below its cost is considered in determining whether the security is impaired. If any such evidence exists for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss - measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value; less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit and loss - is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on equity instruments are not reversed through the statement of comprehensive income.

The Trust has determined that the decline in value for certain Available-for-sale investments was considered significant or prolonged. The Trust had incurred an impairment loss of \$72,171 (2012: \$184,334) being the transfer of the accumulated fair value adjustments recognised in equity on the impaired available-for-sale financial assets to the statement of comprehensive income. In making this judgement the Trust assessed the duration and extent to which the fair value is less than cost. During the period various previously impaired financial assets recovered in valuation \$110,934 (2012: \$299,441) and was recognised as Other Comprehensive Income.

#### (iv) Financial Instruments at amortised cost

Receivables and payable are non derivative financial instruments with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. These instruments are recorded at amortised cost. All revenue and expenses arising from financial instruments are recognised on an accrual basis.

#### 1 (g) <u>Payables</u>

Payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Trust prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition. Payables are carried at amortised cost and due to their short term nature are not discounted.

#### 1 (h) Receivables

Receivables are recognised on an accrual basis initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using effective interest method, less allowance for impairment.

#### 1 (i) Non-current assets held for sale

The Trust holds no non-current assets classified as held for sale.

#### 1 (j) Income Tax

The Trust is exempt from income tax, being designated as a registered charity.

#### 1 (k) Comparative amounts

Where necessary, comparative information has been reclassified to enhance comparability in respect to changes in presentation adopted in the current year.

#### 1 (I) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case, it is recognised as part of the cost acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense. Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

Cashflows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

#### The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust

ABN: 31 158 135 157

## Notes to and Forming Part of the Financial Statements for the year Ended 31 December 2013

| N-4- 2  | The same of the sa | 2013                 | 2012              |
|---------|--|----------------------|-------------------|
| Note 2. | Income   | \$                   | \$                |
|         | (a) Fundraising  |                      |                   |
|         | Donations  | 346,724              | 574,026           |
|         | Annually funded Scholarships   | 187,340              | 366,584           |
|         | Other Programs   | 534,064              | 25,000<br>965,610 |
|         |  | 334,004              | 903,010           |
|         | (b) Investment Income  |                      |                   |
|         | Interest   | 47,470               | 54,432            |
|         | Dividends Distributions  | 319,132              | 269,700<br>51,820 |
|         | Distributions  | 87,403<br>454,006    | 51,820<br>375,952 |
|         |  | 13 1,000             | 373,332           |
| Note 3. | Contributions  |                      |                   |
|         | Scholarships - annually funded   | 538,059              | 525,391           |
|         | Scholarships - other   | 436,864              | 407,414           |
|         | Grants   | 115,600<br>1,090,523 | 1,093,658         |
|         |  | 1,030,323            | 1,055,058         |
| Note 4. | Impairment of Available-for-sale financial assets  |                      |                   |
|         | Net Impairment of Available for Sale assets  | 72,171               | 184,334           |
|         |  | <del></del>          | <u> </u>          |
| Note 5. | Other Gains / Losses   |                      |                   |
|         | Gain / (Loss) on sale of financial assets at fair value through  |                      |                   |
|         | profit or loss   | -                    | -                 |
|         | (Loss)/Gain on sale of Available-for-sale investments  | 67,976               | 9,550             |
|         | Gain / (loss) realised from Available-for-sale financial   |                      |                   |
|         | assets reserve   | 238,399              | 10,700            |
|         | Gain on Sale of Asset  | 306,374              | 20,250            |
|         |  | 300,374              | 20,230            |
| Note 6. | Cash and Cash Equivalents  |                      |                   |
|         | Cash at Bank   | 1,143,592            | 1,310,102         |
|         | Term Deposit   | -                    | 418,853           |
|         | ·  | 1,143,592            | 1,728,955         |
| Note 7. | Financial Assets at fair value through Profit or loss  |                      |                   |
|         | Australian listed Equity securities  | 256,177              | 213,066           |
|         |  |                      |                   |
|         | Reconciliation   | 242.000              | 476.000           |
|         | At beginning of year   | 213,066              | 176,393           |
|         | Disposals Fair value Gain /(loss) on financial assets at fair value  | - 23,170             | -                 |
|         | through profit or loss   | 66,280               | 36,673            |
|         | At end of Year   | 256,177              | 213,066           |
|         |  | <del></del>          | <u> </u>          |
|         | Classified as:   | 250 477              | 212.000           |
|         | Current  | <u>256,177</u>       | 213,066           |

#### The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trus ABN: 31 158 135 157

## Notes to and Forming Part of the Financial Statement: for the year Ended 31 December 2013

| Note 8 (a) | Available-for-sale Financial Assets                               | 2013<br>\$             | 2012<br>\$             |
|------------|---|------------------------|------------------------|
|            | At fair value:  | ş                      | ş                      |
|            | Australian listed Equity securities                               | 7,070,494              | 6,324,320              |
|            | Australian listed income and hybrid securities                    | 46,200                 | 44,280                 |
|            | Unlisted managed investments                                      | 687,994                | 289,726                |
|            | Omisted managed investments                                       | 7,804,688              | 6,658,326              |
|            | Reconciliation  | 7,004,000              | 0,038,320              |
|            | At beginning of year  | 6,658,326              | 5,524,386              |
|            | Purchases   | 1,341,045              | 299,501                |
|            | Disposals   | (1,334,754)            | (226,143)              |
|            | Gain /(loss) in fair value of available-for-sale financial        | (1,334,734)            | (220,143)              |
|            | assets transferred to profit or loss                              | 1 140 072              | 1 060 592              |
|            | At end of Year  | 1,140,072<br>7,804,688 | 1,060,582<br>6,658,326 |
|            | At end of Teal  | 7,804,088              | 0,038,320              |
|            | Classified as:  |                        |                        |
|            | Current   | -                      | -                      |
|            | Non-current   | 7,804,688              | 6,658,326              |
|            |   | 7,804,688              | 6,658,326              |
|            |   |                        |                        |
| Note 8 (b) | Held-to-maturity Financial Assets                                 |                        |                        |
|            | Term deposit investments  | 436,522                |                        |
|            | Reconciliation  |                        |                        |
|            | At beginning of year  | -                      | _                      |
|            | Purchases   | 436,522                | _                      |
|            | At end of Year  | 436,522                |                        |
|            |   |                        |                        |
|            | Classified as:  |                        |                        |
|            | Current   | 436,522                |                        |
|            |   |                        |                        |
| Note 9.    | Payables  |                        |                        |
|            | Creditors and accrued expenses                                    | 21,169                 | 20,602                 |
|            | GST Payable   | 794                    | 8,981                  |
|            | Total current payables  | 21,963                 | 29,583                 |
|            |   |                        |                        |
| Note 10.   | Reserves  |                        |                        |
|            | Available-for-sale Investment Revaluation Reserve Reconciliation: |                        |                        |
|            | Balance at start of financial year                                | 1,451,686              | 217,473                |
|            | Revaluation (Decrement) / Increment                               | 1,141,234              | 1,060,579              |
|            | Impairment Available-for -sale financial assets                   | 72,171                 | 184,334                |
|            | Transfer to Income statement on disposal                          | (238,398)              | (10,700)               |
|            | Balance at end of financial year                                  | 2,426,692              | 1,451,686              |
|            | •   |                        |                        |

#### Note 11. Auditor Remuneration

Fees payable in respect of the audit of the financial statements for the Trust to the Audit Office of NSW for the financial year ended 31 December 2013 was \$23,650 (2012: \$23,100). The auditors did not receive any other benefits.

#### Note 12. Related Parties

(a) Charles Sturt University is the Trustee.

Council members who held office at the University during the year were:

| Mr Laurence Willet, AO  | Professor Andrew Vann   | Professor Ben Bradley | Ms Kathryn Pitkin     |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Mr Tony Catanzariti MLC | Mr Richard Hattersley   | Ms Saranne Cooke      | Mr Gerard Martin      |
| Ms Patricia Murphy      | Mr Angelos Frangopoulos | Mr Neville Page       | Mr Robert Fiztpatrick |
| Mr Peter Hayes          | Mrs Jennifer Hayes      | Mr Jamie Newman       | Dr Susan Wood         |
| Ms Carmen Frost         | Ms Saba Nabi            |                       |                       |

Council has delegated responsibility to the Vice Chancellor to act as Trustee on behalf of the University.

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#### Note 12. Related Parties (cont)

#### (b) Related Party - Controlling entity

Charles Sturt University is the Trustee of the Trust.

#### Related Party Transactions

Charles Sturt University provided the Trust with a range of administrative support services. These services have been provided at no charge to the Trust and comprised the provision of:

- office accommodation facilities
- accounting and administrative services
- electricity and other utility services
- Personnel Services

The value of these services has not been quantified or reported in the financial statements.

In addition the Trust paid Charles Sturt University \$1,138,726 (2012: Nil) related to scholarships granted to Charles Sturt University students.

#### Note 13. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

The Trust's principal financial instruments and the main risks arising from are outlined below. These financial instruments arise directly from the Trust's operations.

Charles Sturt University foundation Trust's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks; market risk (including price risk, currency risk, cash flow and fair value interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The Foundation's overall risk management strategy focus is on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the Trust.

Risk management is carried out by the University's Investment Committee following the dissolution of the previous Foundation Investment Committee on 18 February 2013. The Trust's Investment Policy provides written principles for overall risk management. Specific areas such as foreign exchange risk and the use of derivative and non-derivative financial instruments are not covered as the nature of the Trust's investment activities does not expose the Trust to such risks.

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices.

The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust is exposed to equity securities price risk for the majority of its investments classified as available for sale financial assets, and financial assets at fair value though profit and loss.

To manage its price risk arising from investments in equity securities, the Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust actively engages with its investment advisor. Diversification of the equity securities is done in accordance with the limits set by the Trust's Investment Policy.

#### (ii) Foreign Exchange Risk

Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial activities that use denominated in a currency that is not the entity's function currency. The Charles Sturt University Foundation Trust recognises all transactions, assets and liabilities in Australian dollars only. Less than 5% of the value of all investments has exposure to international financial markets and therefore there is minimal exposure to foreign exchange risk.

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#### Note 13. Financial Instruments and Risk Management (cont)

#### (iii) Summarised sensitivity analysis

The following table summaries the sensitivity of the available for sale financial investments to price and other risks.

| 2013                           | Carrying  | Foreign Exchange Risk |         |        | Price Risk |          |           | Interest Rate Risk |         |            |            |        |        |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------|--------|------------|----------|-----------|--------------------|---------|------------|------------|--------|--------|
|                                | Amount    | -1                    | %       | +      | 1%         | -10      | %         | + 10               | %       | -1%        |            |        | + 1%   |
|                                |           | Result                | Equity  | Result | Equity     | Result   | Equity    | Result             | Equity  | Result     | Equity     | Result | Equity |
| Financial Assets               |           |                       |         |        |            |          |           |                    |         |            |            |        |        |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents        | 1,143,592 | -                     | -       | -      | -          | -        |           | -                  | -       | ( 11,436 ) | ( 11,436 ) | 11,436 | 11,436 |
| Financial assets at fair value |           |                       |         |        |            |          |           |                    |         |            |            |        |        |
| through profit or loss         | 256,177   | -                     | -       | -      | -          | (25,618  | (25,618 ) | 25,618             | 25,618  | -          | -          | -      | -      |
| Available for sale investments | 7,804,688 | (2,883)               | (2,883) | 2,883  | 2,883      | (780,469 | (780,469) | 780,469            | 780,469 | ( 78,047 ) | (78,047)   | 78,047 | 78,047 |
| Held-to-maturity               | 436,522   | (4,365)               | (4,365) | 4,365  | (4,365)    | (43,652  | (43,652 ) | 43,652             | 43,652  | ( 4,365)   | (4,365)    | 4,365  | 4,365  |
| Total increase / (decrease)    |           |                       |         |        |            |          |           |                    |         |            |            |        |        |
|                                | 9,640,979 | (7,248)               | (7,248) | 7,248  | (1,482 )   | (849,739 | (849,739) | 849,739            | 849,739 | (93,848 )  | (93,848)   | 93,848 | 93,848 |

| 2012                           | Carrying  | Foreign Exchange Risk |         |        | Price Risk |            |            | Interest Rate Risk |         |         |               |        |        |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------|--------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------------|--------|--------|
|                                | Amount    | -19                   | 6       | +      | 1%         | -109       | i          | + 10               | %       |         | -1%           |        | + 1%   |
|                                |           | Result                | Equity  | Result | Equity     | Result     | Equity     | Result             | Equity  | Result  | Equity        | Result | Equity |
| Financial Assets               |           |                       |         |        |            |            |            |                    |         |         |               |        |        |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents        | 1,728,955 | -                     | -       | -      | -          | -          | -          | -                  | -       | ( 17,29 | 0) ( 17,290)  | 17,290 | 17,290 |
| Financial assets at fair value |           |                       |         |        |            |            |            |                    |         |         |               |        |        |
| through profit or loss         | 213,066   | -                     | -       | -      | -          | (21,307 )  | (21,307)   | 21,307             | 21,307  | -       | -             | -      |        |
| Available for sale investments | 6,658,326 | (1,997)               | (1,997) | 1,997  | 1,997      | (665,833 ) | (665,833 ) | 665,833            | 665,833 | (1,34   | 3 ) (1,343 )  | 1,343  | 1,343  |
| Held-to-maturity               |           | -                     |         | -      | -          | -          | -          | -                  | -       | -       |               |        |        |
| Total increase / (decrease)    |           |                       |         |        |            |            |            |                    |         |         |               |        |        |
|                                | 8,600,347 | (1,997)               | (1,997) | 1,997  | 1,997      | (687,140 ) | (687,140)  | 687,140            | 687,140 | (18,63  | 3 ) (18,633 ) | 18,633 | 18,633 |

#### (iv) Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of the financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates. The Trust's interest rate risk arises primarily from investments in long term interest bearing financial instruments. In order to minimise exposure to this risk, the Trust invests in a diverse range of financial instruments with varying degrees of potential return. The purpose of this is to ensure that any potential interest losses are counteracted by guaranteed interest rate payments.

The Trust's exposure to interest rate risks and the effective interest rates of financial assets and liabilities both recognised and unrecognised at the balance sheet date are as follows:

| 2013                                   | Weighted Av. Interest rate (pa) | Fixed interest rate | Floating interest rate | Non-interest<br>Bearing | Total     |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Financial assets                       |                                 | \$                  | \$                     | \$                      | \$        |
| Cash                                   | 2.24%                           | -                   | 1,143,592              | -                       | 1,143,592 |
| Receivables                            |                                 | -                   | -                      | 155,575                 | 155,575   |
| Financial assets at fair value through |                                 |                     |                        |                         |           |
| profit or loss                         |                                 | -                   | -                      | 256,177                 | 256,177   |
| Held-to-maturity financial assets      | 3.65%                           | 436,522             | -                      | -                       | 436,522   |
| Available-for-sale financial assets    | 4.91% _                         | -                   | 46,200                 | 7,758,488               | 7,804,688 |
|  | _                               | 436,522             | 1,189,792              | 8,170,240               | 9,796,555 |
| Financial liabilities                  | _                               |                     |                        |                         |           |
| Payables                               | <u>_</u>                        | -                   | -                      | 21,963                  | 21,963    |

| 2012                                   | Weighted Av. Interest rate (pa) | Fixed interest rate | Floating interest rate | Non-interest<br>Bearing | Total     |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Financial assets                       |                                 | \$                  | \$                     | \$                      | \$        |
| Cash                                   | 3.18%                           | 418,853             | 1,310,102              | -                       | 1,728,955 |
| Receivables                            |                                 | -                   | -                      | -                       | -         |
| Financial assets at fair value through |                                 |                     |                        |                         |           |
| profit or loss                         |                                 | -                   | -                      | 213,066                 | 213,066   |
| Held-to-maturity financial assets      | 0.00%                           | -                   | -                      | -                       | -         |
| Available-for-sale financial assets    | 4.91% _                         | -                   | 44,280                 | 6,614,046               | 6,658,326 |
|  | _                               | 418,853             | 1,354,382              | 6,827,112               | 8,600,347 |
| Financial liabilities                  | _                               |                     |                        |                         |           |
| Payables                               | _                               | -                   | -                      | 29,583                  | 29,583    |

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#### Note 13. Financial Instruments and Risk Management (cont)

#### (b) Credit Risk

Credit Risk is the risk of financial loss arising from another party to a contract or financial position failing to discharge a financial obligation there under. The Trust's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amount of the financial assets and liabilities included in the balance sheet.

#### (c) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Trust will be unable to meet its payment obligations when they fall due. It refers to the risk of having insufficient funds to settle a transaction on it due date and as a consequence, may be forced to dispose of financial assets at a value less than fair value. The Trust continuously manages risk through monitoring future cash flows and maintaining sufficient cash and cash equivalents to meet the annually projected cash outgoings. The Trust's exposure to liquidity risk is deemed insignificant based on prior periods' data and current assessment of risk.

#### (d) Fair Value

The Trust uses various methods in estimating the fair value of a financial instrument. The methods comprise:

Level 1 the fair value is calculated using quoted prices in active markets

Level 2 the fair value is estimated using inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices).

Level 3 the fair value is estimated using inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

The fair value of the financial instruments as well as the methods used to estimate the fair value are summarised in the table below.

|                                     | Year Ended 31 December 2013 |             |             |             | Year ended 31 December 2012 |             |             |             |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                     |                             | Valuation   | Valuation   |             |                             | Valuation   | Valuation   |             |
|                                     |                             | technique - | technique - |             |                             | technique - | technique - |             |
|                                     |                             | market      | non market  |             |                             | market      | non market  |             |
|                                     | Quoted                      | observable  | observable  |             | Quoted                      | observable  | observable  |             |
|                                     | market Price                | inputs      | inputs      | Total       | market Price                | inputs      | inputs      | Total       |
|                                     | Level 1                     | Level 2     | Level 3     |             | Level 1                     | Level 2     | Level 3     |             |
| Financial assets at fair value      |                             |             |             |             |                             |             |             |             |
| through profit or loss              | 256,177                     | -           |             | - 256,177   | 213,066                     |             | -           | - 213,066   |
|                                     |                             |             |             |             |                             |             |             |             |
| Available-for-sale financial assets |                             |             |             |             |                             |             |             |             |
| Listed investments                  | 7,116,694                   | -           |             | - 7,116,694 | 6,368,600                   |             | -           | - 6,368,600 |
| Unlisted managed funds              | 487,994                     | 200,000     |             | - 687,994   | 289,726                     |             | -           | - 289,726   |
|                                     | 7,860,865                   | 200,000     |             | - 8,060,865 | 6,871,392                   |             | -           | - 6,871,392 |

Quoted market price represents the fair value determined based on active markets as at the reporting date without any deductions for transaction costs. The fair value of the listed equity investments and unlisted managed funds are based on quoted market prices.

#### Note 14. Reconciliation of Cash flows provided by operating Activities to Surplus for the Year

|   | 2013<br>\$ | 2012<br>\$ |
|---|------------|------------|
| Surplus for the Year  | 228,822    | 134,338    |
| (Gain) / Loss on sale of available-for-sale investments Gain/(loss) in fair value of available for sale financial asset | (67,976)   | (9,550)    |
| transferred to profit or loss Fair Value Gain /(loss) on financial assets at fair value through                         | (238,398)  | (10,700)   |
| profit or loss  | (43,111)   | (36,673)   |
| Impairment of assets  | 72,171     | 184,334    |
| Decrease / (increase) in receivables  | (155,575 ) | 45,407     |
| Increase / (Decrease) in payables   | (6,457)    | (34,058)   |
| Net cash provided by / (used in) operating activities   | ( 210,525) | 273,097    |

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#### Note 15. Charitable Fundraising Appeals

Donations and sponsorship are sought for various purposes and for the general benefit of the Charles Sturt University and its campuses.

| Results of Fundraising Appeals                | 2013<br>\$ | 2012<br>\$ |
|---|------------|------------|
| Donation                                      | 346,724    | 574,026    |
| Sponsorship revenue                           | 187,340    | 391,584    |
| Gross Proceeds from Fundraising Appeals       | 534,064    | 965,610    |
| Cost of Fundraising Appeals                   | 79,724     | 92,029     |
| Net Surplus obtained from Fundraising Appeals | 454,340    | 873,581    |

Comparisons of certain monetary figures and percentages in accordance with the requirements of the Charitable Fundraising Act, 1991 are set out below with clarifications.

Total cost of services represents the total contribution to the University and complies with the Charitable Fundraising Regulation 2008.

|      |  | 2013      |         | 2012      |     |
|------|--|-----------|---------|-----------|-----|
|      |  | \$        |         | \$        |     |
| Rati | OS .   | 79,724    | _       | 92,029    |     |
| (a)  | Total cost of fundraising / gross proceeds from fundraising    | 534,064   | 14%     | 965,610   | 10% |
|      |  | 454,340   |         | 873,581   |     |
| (b)  | Net surplus from fundraising / gross proceeds from fundraising | 534,064   | 85%     | 965,610   | 90% |
|      |  | 1,090,523 |         | 1,093,658 |     |
| (c)  | Total cost of services / total expenditure                     | 1,170,247 | 93%     | 1,185,687 | 92% |
|      |  | 1,090,523 | <u></u> | 1,093,658 |     |
| (d)  | Total cost of services / total income received                 | 1,471,239 | 74%     | 1,504,359 | 73% |

#### Note 16. Commitments

The Trust is not aware of any outstanding commitments as at 31 December 2013 (2012: \$Nil).

#### Note 17. Contingent Assets and Liabilities

The Trust is not aware of any contingent Assets of Liabilities (2012: No contingent Assets of Liabilities)

#### Note 18. Events after the reporting date

The Foundation has not identified any events after the reporting date that would require adjustment to the amounts recognised or disclosures in the financial statements.

#### END OF TRUST FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited

ABN 37 063 446 864 (a company limited by guarantee)

# Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2013



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### **Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited**

To Members of the New South Wales Parliament and Members of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2013, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors' declaration.

#### **Opinion**

In my opinion the financial statements:

- are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
  - giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and its performance for the year ended on that date
  - complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001
- are in accordance with section [insert relevant section] of the Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 (the PF&A Act) and the Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010.

My opinion should be read in conjunction with the rest of this report.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the PF&A Act and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

My opinion does not provide assurance:

- about the future viability of the Company
- that it has carried out its activities effectively, efficiently and economically
- about the effectiveness of its internal control
- about the security and controls over the electronic publication of the audited financial statements on any website where they may be presented
- about other information that may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial statements.

#### Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian Auditing Standards, the *Corporations Act 2001* and relevant ethical pronouncements. The PF&A Act further promotes independence by:

- providing that only Parliament, and not the executive government, can remove an Auditor-General
- mandating the Auditor-General as auditor of public sector agencies, but precluding the provision
  of non-audit services, thus ensuring the Auditor-General and the Audit Office of
  New South Wales are not compromised in their roles by the possibility of losing clients or
  income.

I confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, provided to the directors of the Company on 9 April 2014, would be in the same terms if provided to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

M T Spriggins

Director, Financial Audit Services

16 April 2014 SYDNEY

#### CHARLES STURT CAMPUS SERVICES LIMITED

#### (a company limited by guarantee)

Directors' Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

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The Directors of the Company present their report on the Company for the year ended 31 December 2013:

1. The directors in office during or since the end of the financial year are:

#### **Directors:**

Mr P W Dowler BBus Mitchell CAE, CPA, MBA Charles Sturt, Executive

Director, Finance, Aged 49, appointed 18th May 2011

Mr S Butt GradDipEng Monash, MEngMgt TechnolSyd, Executive

Director, Aged 52, joined the Board in 2010, appointed 20th

April 2010

Mr B Cameron Trainer & Consultant, aged 60, joined the Board in 2007

Mr J Kelly Manager, aged 41, joined the Board in 2008

Mr AK Lindner BBus Accounting RCAE, BHA UNSW, Grad Cert Uni

Leadership & Management CSU, Director, Commercial Services, Aged 55, appointed 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2012. Resigned from

board July 2013

Mr D P Griffin BBus(Acc) Charles Sturt, MBA Charles Sturt, Grad Cert

University Leadership & Management Charles Sturt, Director,

Student Life, age 45, appointed 18th May 2011

Mr James Hamilton BBus Accountancy Charles Sturt, CPA

Accountant, aged 63, appointed to the board 12<sup>th</sup> March 2013

The directors have been in office since the start of the financial year unless otherwise indicated.

#### **Company Secretary:**

Miss C M von Brockhusen, B Bus (Acc), Grad Dip BA, CPA, Accountant, appointed on 20 October 2011. Resigned from position 2 July 2013.

Mr K T Bettens, B Bus (Acc/Eco), Gard Dip BA, CA, Accountant, appointed on 2 July 2013.

2. The principal activities of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited in the course of the financial period were cleaning and courier services to Charles Sturt University. There was no change in the nature of these activities during the financial year.

The long term and short term objectives of the company are to provide cleaning and courier services to Charles Sturt University in a cost effective manner. In order to achieve this objective, the company has implemented controls to monitor its services provided to the University by effective monthly reporting to the board of directors of its financial and operational performances. The financial performances are measured in relation to the approved budget. The operational performances are measured in relation to the timely performances of its services, quality and complaints received from the University. The University has the full control of the Board.

- 3. The operating result for the year was \$nil.
- 4. Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited did not pay any dividends during the year.
- 5. No significant change in the state of affairs of the Company has occurred during the financial year.
- 6. There have not been any significant matters affecting the Company which have arisen subsequent to the end of the financial year and to the date of this report.
- 7. There are no significant developments or changes in the Company's operations which have been proposed for the immediate future.
- 8. There are no known environmental issues affecting the Company.
- 9. During and since the end of the financial year, no Director of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited has received or has become entitled to receive, a benefit because of a contract made by Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited, or a related company, with the Director, or with a firm of which the Director is a member, or an entity in which the Director has a substantial financial interest. The Directors and officers are covered by the following insurance policy:

Management Liability Policy WR Berkley

Policy No: DK010D7H430 Expiry Date: 31 October 2014

10. During the year ended 31 December 2013 six (6) Directors' meetings were held. The number of meetings at which Directors were in attendance is as follows:

| Name of Director | No. of meetings held while in Office | Meetings<br>Attended |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Mr P W Dowler    | 4                                    | 4                    |
| Mr S Butt        | 2                                    | 1                    |
| Mr B Cameron     | 4                                    | 0                    |
| Mr J Kelly       | 4                                    | 3                    |
| Mr AK Lindner    | 2                                    | 2                    |
| Mr DP Griffin    | 4                                    | 3                    |
| Mr J Hamilton    | 2                                    | 2                    |

- 11. The Company has not, during or since the financial year, in respect of any person who is or has been an officer or auditor of the company or related corporate:
  - (a) Indemnified or made any relevant agreement for indemnifying against a liability incurred as an officer, including costs and expenses in successfully defending legal proceedings; or
  - (b) Paid or agreed to pay a premium in respect of a contract insuring against a liability incurred as an officer for the costs or expenses to defend legal proceedings.
- 12. No person has applied for leave of the court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or part of any proceedings. The Company was not a party to any such proceedings during the year.
- 13. The Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is attached.
- 14. Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited, a not for profit entity, incorporated in Australia as a company limited by guarantee on 11 February 1994 (ABN number 37 063 446 864). In accordance with the Constitution, the liability of each member, in the event of the company winding up, is limited to \$20.00.
- 15. In accordance with the constitution, the total liability of the members, in the event of the company winding up, is \$100.00

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> April 2014

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

| Name   | Paul W Dowler | Name   | David P Griffin |
|--------|---------------|--------|-----------------|
|        | Director      |        | Director        |
| Signed | Dewl.         | Signed |                 |

#### CHARLES STURT CAMPUS SERVICES LIMITED

(a company limited by guarantee)

Directors' Declaration for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

In the Directors' opinion:

- (a) The financial statements and notes of Charles Sturt Services Ltd are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and Section 41 C (1b) and (1c) of *the Public Finance and Audit Act, 1983* including:
  - i. Complying with Australian Accounting Standards, the Public Finance and Audit Regulations, 2010, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements.
  - ii. Giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date, and
- (b) There are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable, and

Further, we are not aware of any circumstance which would render any particulars included in the financial statements to be misleading or inaccurate.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

Name Paul W Dowler Name David P Griffin
Director Director
Signed Signed

Wagga Wagga 14<sup>th</sup> April 2014



To the Directors Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited

#### Auditor's Independence Declaration

As auditor for the audit of the financial statements of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited for the year ended 31 December 2013, I declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit
- any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

M T Spriggins

Director, Financial Audit Services

9 April 2014 SYDNEY

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|   |            | 2012              | 2012              |
|---|------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|   | Note       | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |
| Revenue   | <b>2</b> a | 6,245,044         | 5,969,604         |
| Expense   | 2b         | 6,245,044         | 5,969,604         |
| Operating Result for the period                     | -<br>-     | -                 | -                 |
| Other comprehensive Income                          | -          |                   |                   |
| Total comprehensive income for the year, net of tax | =          | ·                 |                   |

The above statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2013

|                                      | Note     | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| CURRENT ASSETS                       |          | •                 |                   |
| Receivables                          | 5e       | 634,518           | 677,554           |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS                 | -        | 634,518           | 677,554           |
| NON CURRENT ASSETS                   | -        |                   | _                 |
| TOTAL ASSETS                         |          | 634,518           | 677,554           |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES                  |          |                   |                   |
| Payables<br>Provisions               | 7<br>· 8 | 72,914<br>493,237 | 81,317<br>463,625 |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITITES           | -        | 566,151           | 544,942           |
| NON CURRENT LIABILITITES  Provisions | 8        | 68,367            | 132,612           |
| TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES        | -        | 68,367            | 132,612           |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                    |          | 634,518           | 677,554           |
| NET ASSETS                           |          | <del>-</del>      | -<br>-            |
| <b>EQUITY</b> Accumulated Funds      |          | -                 |                   |
| TOTAL EQUITY                         |          |                   |                   |

The above statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

| Cash Flows from Operating Activities           | Note     | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |
|--|----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Reciepts from Customers                        |          | 6,406,294         | 5,962,653         |
| Payments to Employees                          |          | (5,097,541)       | (5,296,258)       |
| Payments to Suppliers                          | · _      | (1,308,753)       | (666,396)         |
| Net Cash flows from Operating Activities       | 9 _      | _                 |                   |
| Net Cash flows from Investing Activities       |          | -                 | -                 |
| Net Cash flows from Financing Activities       | -        | -                 |                   |
| Net Increase / (Decrease) in cash and cash equ | ivalents | -                 | <del>-</del> .    |
| Net foreign exchange differences               |          | -                 | -                 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January         |          | -                 | -                 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December       |          | -                 | ~                 |

The above statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|  | Nata | 2013     | 2012         |
|--|------|----------|--------------|
|  | Note | \$       | \$           |
|  |      |          |              |
| Equity at 1 January 2013                                 |      | -        | -            |
| Total Comprehensive income for the year                  |      | <u> </u> |              |
| Towns at a south the source to the towns the             |      |          |              |
| Transactions with the owners in their capacity as owners |      | -        | <del>-</del> |
| Equity at 31 December 2013                               |      |          | -            |
|  |      |          |              |

The above statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

# 1 Summary of significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Reporting Entity

Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited, a not for profit entity, incorporated in Australia as a company limited by guarantee on 11 February 1994 (ABN number 37 063 446 864). In accordance with the Constitution, the liability of each member, in the event of the company winding up, is limited to \$20.00.

The registered office for Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited is Phillips Building, Charles Sturt University, Panorama Avenue, Bathurst. The principal activities of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited in the course of the financial period were cleaning and courier services to Charles Sturt University at the Bathurst Campus, Albury-Wodonga Campus, Orange Campus and Wagga Wagga Campus.

In 2013 Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited, had 7 members (2012 - 8 Members). If upon the winding up or dissolution of the Company there remains after satisfaction of all it's debts and liabilities any property whatsoever the same shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Company but shall be given or transferred to some other institution or institutions having similar to the objects of the Company and which shall prohibit the distribution of its or their income and property amongst its or their members to an extent at least as great as is imposed on the Company, or failing that to some charitable objects.

# (b) Basis of Preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with:

- (i) Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board
- (ii) the Corporations Act 2001
- (iii) Public Finance and Audit Act, 1983
- (iv) Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010

Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited is a not-for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

Date of authorisation for issue

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the members of Charles Sturt Campus Services on 14th April 2014.

Historical cost convention

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of available-for-sale financial assets, financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and investment property. All amounts are expressed in Australian dollars and rounded to the nearest dollar.

# (c) Statement of Compliance

The financial statements and notes comply with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian Accounting Interpretations.

#### Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying Charles Sturt Campus Services accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed where applicable in the relevant note to the financial statements, specifically:

Note 8: Provisions for Long Service Leave

# (d) Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

#### (e) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised on cost recovery basis. All expenditure incurred by the Company is passed onto Charles Sturt University. There is no value added or profit margin within the revenue calculation. The revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is made.

# Rendering of Services

Revenue from employment services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion. Stage of completion is measured by reference to labour hours incurred to date as a percentage of total estimated labour hours for each contract. When the contract outcome cannot be measured reliably, revenue is recognised only to the extent that the expenses incurred are eligible to be recovered.

# (f) Employee Benefits and Other Provisions

# (i) Short-term obligations

Liabilities for short-term employee benefits including wages and salaries, non-monetary benefits and profit-sharing bonuses are measured at the amount expected to be paid when the liability is settled, if it is expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period, and is recognised in other payables. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised when the leave is taken and measured at the rates payable.

# (ii) Other long-term obligations

The liability for other long-term employee benefits such as annual leave, accumulating sick leave and long service leave is recognised in current provisions for employee benefits if it is not expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period. It is measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Regardless of the expected timing of settlements, provisions made in respect of employee benefits are classified as a current liability, unless there is an unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date, in which case it would be classified as a non-current liability.

#### (iii) Termination Benefits

Termination benefits are payable when employment is terminated before the normal retirement date, or when an employee accepts an offer of benefits in exchange for the termination of employment. The Group recognises termination benefits either when it can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits or when it has recognised costs for restructuring within the scope of AASB137 that involves the payment of termination benefits when it is demonstrably committed to either terminating the employment of current employees according to a detailed formal plan without possibility of withdrawal or providing termination benefits as a result of an offer made to encourage voluntary redundancy. Benefits not expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the reporting period are discounted to present value.

Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

# (g) Cash and Cash equivalents

The company did not have any cash or cash equivalents.

# (h) Income Tax

The company is exempt from income tax under *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997* s11.5 and accordingly no provision for income tax liability has been include in the Company's financial statements.

# (i) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case, it is recognised as part of the cost acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

# (j) Financial instruments

Financial instruments give rise to a financial asset of either the Company or its counterparty and a financial liability (or equity instrument) of the other party. The Company's financial assets comprise of receivables and financial liabilities comprising of payables. Information is disclosed in Note 6 in respect of the risks associated with financial instruments.

# (k) Equity

Charles Sturt Campus Services Ltd members contributed no equity, as it is a company limited by guarantee. The company's financial assets comprise of receivables and its financial liabilities comprise of payables.

# (I) Receivables

Receivables represent the amount owing from the University. Receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are recognised on an accrual basis. After initial measurement at fair value, they are subsequently measured at amortised cost using effective interest rate (EIR) method, less impairment. The Company will assess whether objective evidence of impairment exists on an ongoing basis.

# (m) Payables

Payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. These amounts are unsecured and are usually paid on creditor payment terms. After initial measurement at fair value, they are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Due to their short term nature they are not discounted.

# (n) Comparative amounts

Except when Australian Accounting Standards permits or requires otherwise, comparative information is disclosed in respect of the previous period for all amounts reported in the financial statements.

# (o) Changes in accounting policy

The Company adopted the revised AASB119. This revised standard changed the accounting for employee benefit obligations, namely annual leave. As the entity does not expect the annual leave obligation to be settled whooly within 12 months from the end of the reporting period, it is classified as long-term benefits in its entirety. This has changed measurement of the obligation as it is now measured on a discounted basis and no longer split into short and long term portions. This has not had a material impact on the value of the obligation as the majority of the leave is still expected to be taken within a short timeframe after the end of the reporting period.

# (p) New Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations

The following standards, amendments to standards and interpretations have been identified as those which may impact the company in the period of initial application:

- AASB CF 2013-1 Amendments to the Australian Conceptual Framework
- · AASB 1053 Application of Tiers of Australian Accounting Standards
- AASB 2011-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure [Requirements AASB 1024]
- AASB 9 Financial Instruments
- AASB 1031 Materiality
- AASB 2013-9 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Conceptual Framework,
   Materiality and Financial Instruments

The identified standards, amendments to standards and interpretations has had no material impact upon the Company and the financial statements.

| 2 (a) | Revenue                        |           |           |
|-------|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|       |                                | 2013      | 2012      |
|       |                                | \$        | \$        |
|       | Fees for services              | 6,173,141 | 5,866,900 |
|       | Reimbursements                 | 71,903    | 102,704   |
|       | Total Revenue                  | 6,245,044 | 5,969,604 |
| (b)   | Expenses                       |           |           |
|       |                                | •         |           |
|       |                                | 2013      | 2012      |
|       |                                | \$        | \$        |
|       | Salaries                       | 4,396,391 | 4,644,984 |
|       | Annual Leave                   | (20,294)  | 29,823    |
|       | Long Service Leave             | (14,340)  | 21,284    |
|       | Superannuation                 | 369,147   | 359,310   |
|       | Payroll Tax                    | 276,678   | 253,679   |
|       | Workers Compensation           | 55,326    | 38,286    |
|       | Buildings Grounds and Services | 74,974    | 87,999    |
|       | Motor Vehicle Expenses         | 8,394     | 13,917    |
|       | Audit Fees                     | 9,100     | 9,790     |
|       | Fees for Services Rendered     | 632,082   | 23,863    |
|       | Stores and Provisions          | 391,002   | 427,291   |
|       | Insurance                      | -         | 180       |
|       | Communication                  | 21,724    | 16,877    |
|       | Maintenance of Equipment       | 11,134    | 7,592     |
|       | . Travel                       | 33,726    | 34,729    |
|       | Total Expenditure              | 6,245,044 | 5,969,604 |

# 3 Remuneration of Auditors

Audit fees payable in respect of the audit of the financial statements to the Audit Office of NSW for the financial Year Ended 31 December 2013 was \$9,100 (\$8,900 in 2012). The auditors did not receive any other benefits.

# 4 Remuneration of Directors

No Directors of the Company had during the financial period received any income from the Company in connection with the management of the affairs of the Company, whether as Executive Officer or otherwise. Detail of Director salary from a related entity, as at the date of this report, is: -

| •            |                | •       | No. Of Directors |   |      |   |
|--------------|----------------|---------|------------------|---|------|---|
| R            | emuneration \$ |         | 2013             |   | 2012 |   |
| 0            | to             | 9,999   |                  | 2 |      | _ |
| 10,000       | to             | 19,999  |                  | - |      | 1 |
| 90,000       | to             | 99,999  |                  | 1 |      | 1 |
| 110,000      | to             | 119,999 |                  | - |      | 1 |
| 120,000      | to             | 129,999 |                  | 1 |      | - |
| 160,000      | to             | 169,999 |                  | 1 |      | 1 |
| 220,000      | to             | 229,999 |                  | - |      | 1 |
| 230,000      | to             | 239,999 |                  | - |      | 1 |
| 240,000      | to             | 249,999 |                  | - |      | 1 |
| 260,000      | to             | 269,000 |                  | 1 |      | - |
| Over 300,000 |                |         |                  | 1 | ,    | - |

# 5 Related Parties

# (a) Names of Directors

The names of Directors who have held office during the financial period are:

| Name           | Appointments and Cessations |
|----------------|-----------------------------|
| Mr P W Dowler  |                             |
| Mr A K Lindner | Ceased 31st July 2013       |
| Mr B Cameron   |                             |
| Mr D P Griffin |                             |
| Mr J Kelly     |                             |
| Mr J Hamilton  | Appointed 12th March 2013   |
| Mr S Butt      | Ceased 22nd May 2013        |

# (b) Remuneration

Information on remuneration of Directors is disclosed at Note 4.

# (c) Controlling Entity

Charles Sturt University is the controlling and ultimate parent entity of Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited.

# (d) Transactions with Charles Sturt University and its related entities

The University meets the expenses of the Company principally in return for cleaning services provided to the University. The Company does not have a separate bank account. Its transactions are processed through inter entity accounts with the University in a manner similar to a bank account. These are treated as payments and receipts for the purpose of the statement of cash flows.

The following table provides the total amount of transactions that have been entered into with related parties for the year Ended 31 December 2013:

|               | Sales to  | Purchases | Amounts  | Amounts  |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
|               | related   | from      | owed by  | owned to |
|               | parties   | related   | related  | related  |
|               |           | parties   | parties* | parties  |
|               | \$        | \$        | \$       | \$       |
| Charles Sturt |           | ,         |          |          |
| University    | 6,173,141 | -         | 634,518  |          |

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts are classified as receivables or payables, respectively.

# (e) Aggregate amounts receivable from related parties at balance date are as follows:

|                    | 2013    | 2012    |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| Receivables        | \$      | \$      |
| Controlling Entity | 634,518 | 677,554 |

# Related Parties (continued)

# (f) Related Party Services Not Recognised

Charles Sturt University provided Charles Sturt Campus Services Limited with a range of administrative support services. The value of services has not been recognised in the financial statements:

- provision of advisory services
- office accommodation facilities
- · accounting and administrative services
- · electricity and other utility services

# 6 Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Company's principal financial instruments are outlined below. These are directly from the Company's operation or are required to finance the Company's operations. The Company does not enter into or trade in financial instruments for speculative purposes.

The Company's main risks arising from financial instruments are outlined below together with the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk. The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of risk management and reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks. Compliance with policies is reviewed on a continuous basis.

# (a) Categories of Financial Instruments

|                       | Notes   | Category    | Carrying | Carrying |
|-----------------------|---------|-------------|----------|----------|
| Financial Assets      |         |             | amount   | amount   |
|                       |         |             | 2013     | 2012     |
| Class                 |         |             | \$       | \$       |
| Receivables           | 5(e)    | Loans and   | 634,518  | 677,554  |
|                       |         | receivables |          |          |
|                       | 1       | (at         |          |          |
|                       | ĺ       | amortised   |          |          |
|                       |         | cost)       |          |          |
| Financial Liabilities | · Notes | Category    | Carrying | Carrying |
|                       |         |             | amount   | amount   |
|                       |         |             | 2013     | 2012     |
| Class                 |         |             | \$       | \$       |
| Payables              | 7       | Financial   | 72,914   | 81,317   |
|                       | İ       | liabilities |          |          |
|                       |         | measured    |          |          |
|                       | 1       | at          |          | !        |
|                       |         | amortised   |          |          |
|                       |         | cost        |          |          |

# Notes:

- 1. Excludes statutory receivables and prepayments (i.e. Not within the scope of the AASB 7)
- 2. Excludes statutory payables and unearned revenue (i.e. Not within the scope of AASB 7)

# (b) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss arising from another party to a contract failing to discharge a financial obligation thereunder. The Company's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amounts of the financial assets included in the statement of financial position.

The entire concentration of credit risk arises in respect of receivables due from Charles Sturt University.

# Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (continued)

# (c) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will be able to meet it payment obligations when they fall due. The Company manages risk through its parent entity's cash flows.

# (d) Interest Rate Risk

Maturity analysis and interest rate exposure of financial liabilities

|   | Nominal<br>amount | \$ Interest rate exposure |                              | Ŋ                          | Maturity Dates |           |         |
|---|-------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|
| Weighted Average Effective<br>Interest rate |                   | Fixed<br>Interest<br>rate | Variable<br>Interest<br>rate | Non<br>interest<br>bearing | < 1 year       | 1 - 5 yrs | > 5 yrs |
| 2013<br>Payable: Creditors<br>N/A           | 72,914            | , <del>-</del>            | -                            | 72,914                     |                | -         |         |
| 2012<br>Payable: Creditors<br>N/A           | 81,317            | -                         | <b>-</b>                     | 81,317                     | -              | -         |         |

# (e) Market Risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. The Company's exposure to market risks is minimal as it has no borrowings or other price risks. The Company has no exposure to currency risk.

| 7 Payables  |   | 2013          | 2012    |
|-------------|---|---------------|---------|
|             |   | \$            | \$      |
|             | Accrued salaries, wages and on-costs                    | 63,814        | 71,527  |
|             | Other payable   | 9,100         | 9,790   |
|             | Total Payables  | 72,914        | 81,317  |
|             |   |               |         |
| 8 Provision | s   | 2013          | 2012    |
|             |   | \$            | \$      |
|             | Current .   | •             | ·       |
|             | Current Provisions expected to be settled within next 1 | 2 months      |         |
|             | Recreation Leave  | 226,838       | 223,559 |
|             | Long Service Leave                                      | 38,992        | 11,439  |
|             |   | 265,830       | 234,998 |
|             | Current Provisions expected to be settled after more th | han 12 months |         |
|             | Recreation Leave  | 88,206        | 111,779 |
|             | Long Service Leave                                      | 139,201       | 116,848 |
|             |   | 227,407       | 228,627 |
|             | Total Current Provisions                                | 493,237       | 463,625 |
|             | Non Current   |               |         |
|             | Long Service Leave                                      | 68,367        | 132,612 |
|             | Total Provisions  | 561,604       | 596,237 |
|             |   |               |         |

# 9 Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities

|  | 2013     | 2012     |
|--|----------|----------|
| Result for the year                                    | -        |          |
| (Increase)/Decrease in Receivables                     | 43,037   | (69,173) |
| Increase / (Decrease) in Provision for Annual<br>Leave | (20,294) | 29,823   |
| Increase / (Decrease) in Provision for Long            |          |          |
| Service Leave  | (14,340) | 21,284   |
| Increase/ (Decrease) in Payables                       | (8,403)  | 18,066   |
| Net Cash Provided from Operating Activities            | -        | <u></u>  |

# 10 Commitments

The Company has no commitments at balance date (2012: Nil)

# 11 Contingencies

# (a) Contingent Assets

The Company has no contingent assets at balance date. (2012: Nil)

# (b) Contingent Liabilities

The Company has no contingent liabilities at balance date. (2012: Nil)

# 12 Events after the Reporting Period

There have not been any significant events in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report that may affect the operations, the result of the company, or require disclosure in the financial statements or their accompanying notes.

END OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# Charles Sturt Services Limited

ABN 64 085 727 288 (a company limited by guarantee)

# Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2013



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### **Charles Sturt Services Limited**

To Members of the New South Wales Parliament and Members of Charles Sturt Services Limited

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Charles Sturt Services Limited (the Company), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2013, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors' declaration.

# **Opinion**

In my opinion the financial statements:

- are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
  - giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and its performance for the year ended on that date
  - complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001
- are in accordance with section 41C of the *Public Finance and Audit Act 1983* (the PF&A Act) and the Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010.

My opinion should be read in conjunction with the rest of this report.

# **Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the PF&A Act and the Corporations Act 2001 and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

# Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

My opinion does not provide assurance:

- about the future viability of the Company
- that it has carried out its activities effectively, efficiently and economically
- about the effectiveness of its internal control
- about the security and controls over the electronic publication of the audited financial statements on any website where they may be presented
- about other information that may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial statements.

# Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian Auditing Standards, the *Corporations Act 2001* and relevant ethical pronouncements. The PF&A Act further promotes independence by:

- providing that only Parliament, and not the executive government, can remove an Auditor-General
- mandating the Auditor-General as auditor of public sector agencies, but precluding the provision
  of non-audit services, thus ensuring the Auditor-General and the Audit Office of
  New South Wales are not compromised in their roles by the possibility of losing clients or
  income.

I confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, provided to the directors of Charles Sturt Services Limited on 9 April 2014, would be in the same terms if provided to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

M T Spriggins

Director, Financial Audit Services

16 April 2014 SYDNEY

# CHARLES STURT SERVICES LIMITED

(a company limited by guarantee)

Directors' Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

The Directors of the Company present their report on the Company for the year ended 31 December 2013:

1. The directors in office during or since the end of the financial year are:

#### Directors:

Mr P W Dowler

BBus Mitchell CAE, CPA, MBA Charles Sturt, Executive

Director, Finance, Aged 49, appointed 18th May 2011

Mr AK Lindner

BBus Accounting RCAE, BHA UNSW, Grad Cert Uni Leadership & Management CSU, Director, Commercial Services, Aged 55, appointed 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2012. Resigned from

board July 2013.

M/s B G Waites

BBus Accountancy/Public Administration, CSU, CPA

Administrator, aged 38, joined board in 2009

Mr J N C Hamilton

BBus Accountancy CSU, CPA

Administrator, aged 63, joined Board in 2005

Prof JE Pratley

PhD, *Uni NSW*, BSc (hons) (uni NSW) Academic, aged 67, joined board in 1999

The directors have been in office since the start of the financial year unless otherwise indicated.

# Company Secretary:

Miss C M von Brockhusen, B Bus (Acc), Grad Dip BA, CPA, Accountant, appointed on 20 October 2011. Resigned July 2013.

Mr K T Bettens, BBus (Acc/Eco), Grad Dip BA, CA, Accountant, appointed July 2013.

2. The principal activities of Charles Sturt Services Limited in the course of the financial period was to contine providing registered training organisational status for Charles Sturt University and employment services to enterprise activities of Charles Sturt University predominately at the Wagga Wagga campus. The company ceased employment services on 1 April 2010.

- 3. The operating result for the year was \$nil.
- 4. Charles Sturt Services Limited did not pay any dividends during the year.
- 5. The employment services provided by the company ceased 1 April 2010..
- 6. There have not been any significant matters affecting the Company which have arisen subsequent to the end of the financial year and to the date of this report.
- 7. There will be no operating activities for future reporting periods.
- 8. The company's short term objective in 2014 is to have a smooth transition of the Registered Training Organisation Status from the Company to the Charles Sturt University.
- 9. The company has no active role in transferring the Registered Training Organisation status, it will be notified of the result by Charles Sturt University.
- 10. The company had no activities during the year, other than holding Registered Training Organisation status of CSU Training.
- 11. The company has no Key Performance Indicators to be measured.
- 12. There are no known environmental issues affecting the Company.
- During and since the end of the financial year, no Director of Charles Sturt Services Limited has received or has become entitled to receive, a benefit because of a contract made by Charles Sturt Services Limited, or a related company, with the Director, or with a firm of which the Director is a member, or an entity in which the Director has a substantial financial interest. The Directors and officers are covered by the following insurance policy:

Management Liability Policy

WR Berkley

Policy No: DK010D7H430 Expiry Date: 31 October 2014

14. During the year ended 31 December 2012 six (1) Director meetings was held. The number of meetings at which Directors were in attendance is as follows:

|                   | No. of meetings         |                      |
|-------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Name of Director  | held while<br>in Office | Meetings<br>Attended |
| Mr P W Dowler     | 1                       | 1                    |
| Mr AK Lindner     | 1                       | 1                    |
| Mr J N C Hamilton | 1                       | 1                    |
| Ms B Waites       | 1                       | 1                    |
| Prof J E Pratley  | 1                       | 1                    |
|                   |                         |                      |

- 15. The Company has not, during or since the financial year, in respect of any person who is or has been an officer or auditor of the company or related corporate:
  - (a) Indemnified or made any relevant agreement for indemnifying against a liability incurred as an officer, including costs and expenses in successfully defending legal proceedings; or
  - (b) Paid or agreed to pay a premium in respect of a contract insuring against a liability incurred as an officer for the costs or expenses to defend legal proceedings.
- 16. No person has applied for leave of the court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or part of any proceedings. The Company was not a party to any such proceedings during the year.
- 17. The Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is attached.
- 18. In accordance with the constitution, the total liability of each member, in the event of the company winding up, is limited to \$10.00.
- 19. In accordance with the constitution, the total liability of the members, in the event of the company winding up, is \$50.00

Dated this 14th April 2014

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Name James Hamilton Name B G Waites

Director Director

Signed Signed

# CHARLES STURT SERVICES LIMITED

(a company limited by guarantee)

Directors' Declaration for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

In the Directors' opinion:

- (a) The financial statements and notes of Charles Sturt Services Ltd are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and Section 41 C (1b) and (1c) of *the Public Finance and Audit Act, 1983* including:
  - Complying with Australian Accounting Standards, the Public Finance and Audit Regulations, 2010, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements.
  - Giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2013 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date, and
- (b) There are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable, and

Further, we are not aware of any circumstance which would render any particulars included in the financial statements to be misleading or inaccurate.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

Name

James Hamilton Director Name

B G Waites Director

Signed

Signe

Wagga Wagga

14th April 2014



To the Directors Charles Sturt Services Limited

# Auditor's Independence Declaration

As auditor for the audit of the financial statements of Charles Sturt Services Limited for the year ended 31 December 2013, I declare, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit
- any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

M T Spriggins

Director, Financial Audit Services

9 April 2014 SYDNEY

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|   | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Revenue                                 | -                 | -                 |
| Expense                                 | -                 | -                 |
| Results for the Year                    | -                 | -                 |
| Other comprehensive Income              |                   |                   |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | -                 | -                 |

The above statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2013

|                                     | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b> \$ |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| ASSETS CURRENT ASSETS               |                   |                |
| Trade and other receivables         | -                 | -              |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS                | -                 | -              |
| NON CURRENT ASSETS                  | -                 | -              |
| TOTAL ASSETS                        |                   |                |
| LIABILITIES CURRENT LIABILITIES     |                   |                |
| Payables Provisions                 | -                 | -              |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITITES          |                   | -              |
| NON CURRENT LIABILITITES Provisions |                   |                |
| TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES       | _                 | _              |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                   |                   |                |
| NET ASSETS                          |                   |                |
| EQUITY Retained Surplus             |                   | _              |
| TOTAL EQUITY                        |                   | -              |

The above statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

| Cash Flows from Operating Activities                   | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |  |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| Cash Receipts from Operations                          | -                 |                   |  |
| Payments to Employees                                  | -                 | -                 |  |
| Other Payments   |                   |                   |  |
| Net Cash flows from Operating Activities               | -                 |                   |  |
| Net Cash flows from Financing Activities               | -                 |                   |  |
| Net Cash flows from Investing Activities               | -                 |                   |  |
|  |                   |                   |  |
| Net Increase / (Decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | -                 | -                 |  |
| Net foreign exchange differences                       | -                 | -                 |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January                 | -                 | -                 |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December               | ,                 | -                 |  |

The above statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

|  | <b>2013</b><br>\$ | <b>2012</b><br>\$ |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Equity at 1 January                                      | -                 | -                 |
| Total Comprehensive income for the year                  | _                 | _                 |
| Transactions with the owners in their capacity as owners | -                 | -                 |
| Equity at 31 December                                    |                   | -                 |

The above statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2013

# 1 Summary of significant Accounting Policies

# (a) Reporting Entity

Charles Sturt Services Limited, a not for profit entity, incorporated in Australia as a company limited by guarantee on 4 January 1999 (ABN number 64 085 727 288). The Company for 2013 and its comparative year 2012 had one guarantor, Charles Sturt University. In accordance with the Constitution, the liability of the member, in the event of the company winding up, is limited to \$10.00.

The registered office for Charles Sturt Services Limited is James Hagan Court, Charles Sturt University, Tooma Way, Wagga Wagga. The principal activities of Charles Sturt Services Limited in the course of the financial period were the provision of registered training organisation status for Charles Sturt University primarily at Wagga Wagga.

If upon the winding up or dissolution of the Company there remains after satisfaction of all it's debts and liabilities any property whatsoever the same shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Company but shall be given or transferred to some other institution or institutions having similar to the objects of the Company and which shall prohibit the distribution of its or their income and property amongst its or their members to an extent at least as great as is imposed on the Company, or failing that to some charitable objects.

The financial staements for Charles Sturt Services are prepared on a going concern basis.

# (b) Basis of Preparation

The annual financial statements represent the audited general purpose financial statements of Charles Sturt Campus Services. They have been prepared in accordance with following statutory requirements:

- (i) The Corporations Act, 2001
- (ii) Australian Accounting Standards and Australian Accounting Interpretations
- (iii) NSW Public Finance and Audit Act 1983
- (iv) NSW Public Finance and Audit Regulation 2010

# Date of authorisation for issue

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the members of Charles Sturt Campus Services on 10 April 2014

# Historical cost convention

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of available-for-sale financial assets, financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and investment property. All amounts are expressed in Australian dollars rounded to the nearest dollar.

# Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying Charles Sturt Services accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed where applicable in the relevant note to the financial statements.

# (c) Statement of Compliance

The financial statements and notes comply with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian Accounting interpretations.

# (d) Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

# (e) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is made. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, taking in account contractually defined terms of payment and excluding taxes or duty. The Company assesses its revenue arrangements against specific criteria to determine if it is acting as principal or agent. The group has concluded that it is acting as a principal in all of its revenue arrangements.

# Rendering of Services

Revenue from employment services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion. Stage of completion is measured by reference to labour hours incurred to date as a percentage of total estimated labour hours for each contract. When the contract outcome cannot be measured reliably, revenue is recognised only to the extent that the expenses incurred are eligible to be recovered.

# (f) Employee Benefits and Other Provisions

The Company does not have any employees

# (g) Cash and Cash equivalents

The company did not have any cash or cash equivalents.

# (h) Income Tax

The company is exempt from income tax under *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997* s11.5 and accordingly no provision for income tax liability has been include in the Company's financial statements.

# (i) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case, it is recognised as part of the cost acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

# (j) Financial instruments

Financial instruments give rise to a financial asset of either the Company or its counterparty and a financial liability (or equity instrument) of the other party. Information is disclosed in Note 5 in respect of the risks associated with financial instruments.

# (k) Equity

Charles Sturt Services Ltd members contributed no equity, as it is a company limited by guarantee. Therefore, there is no equity balance at the balance date.

# (I) Receivables

Receivables represent the amount owing from the University. Receivables are non-derivative assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are recognised on an accrual basis. After initial measurement at fair value, they are subsequently measured at amortised cost using effective interest rate (EIR) method, less impairment. The Company will assess whether objective evidence of impairment exists on an ongoing basis.

#### (m) Payables

Payables represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. These amounts are unsecured and are usually paid on creditor payment terms. After initial measurement at fair value, they are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Due to their short term nature they are not discounted.

#### (n) Comparative amounts

Where necessary, comparative information has been reclassified to enhance comparability in respect of changes in presentation adopted in the current year.

# (o) Changes in accounting policy

There were no changes in accounting policy in 2013.

# (p) New Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations

The following standards, amendments to standards and interpretations have been identified as those which may impact the company in the period of initial application:

- AASB CF 2013-1 Amendments to the Australian Conceptual Framework
- AASB 1053 Application of Tiers of Australian Accounting Standards
- AASB 2011-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure [Requirements AASB 1024]
- AASB 9 Financial Instruments
- AASB 1031 Materiality
- AASB 2013-9 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Conceptual Framework, Materiality and Financial Instruments
- AASB 119 Employee Benefits

# 2 Remuneration of Auditors

Audit fees payable in respect of the audit of the financial statements to the Audit office of NSW for the financial year ended 31 December 2013 was \$3,000 (\$3,000 in 2012). The fee for 31 December 2013 and 31 December 2012 is met by Charles Sturt University. The auditors did not receive any other benefits.

# 3 Remuneration of Directors

No Directors of the Company had during the financial period received any income from the Company in connection with the management of the affairs of the Company, whether as Executive Officer or otherwise. Detail of Director salary from a related entity, as at the date of this report, is: -

|              |    |               | N    | No. Of Directors |  |
|--------------|----|---------------|------|------------------|--|
|              | Re | muneration \$ | 2013 | 2012             |  |
| 0            | to | 9,999         | 1    |                  |  |
| 70,000       | to | 79,999        | -    | 1                |  |
| 80,000       | to | 89,999        | 1    | -                |  |
| 90,000       | to | 99,999        | 1    | 1                |  |
| 100,000      | to | 109,999       | -    | -                |  |
| 230,000      | to | 239,999       | , -  | 1                |  |
| 240,000      | to | 249,999       | -    | 1                |  |
| 250,000      | to | 259,999       | 1    | -                |  |
| 260,000      | to | 269,999       | -    | -                |  |
| Over 300,000 |    |               | 1    | -                |  |

# 4 Related Parties

# (a) Names of Directors

The names of Directors who have held office during the financial period are:

Name

Prof J Pratley
Mr JNC Hamilton

Ms BG Vincent

Mr AK Lindner

Mr P Dowler

Ceased 31st July 2013

**Appointments and Cessations** 

# Related Parties (continued)

# (b) Remuneration

Information on remuneration of Directors is disclosed at Note 3.

# (c) Controlling Entity

Charles Sturt University is the controlling and ultimate parent entity of Charles Sturt Services Limited.

# (d) Transactions with Charles Sturt university and it's related entities

There were no transactions for the current or comparative reporting period.

(e)

Charles Sturt University provided Charles Sturt Services Limited with a range of administrative support services. The value of services has not been recognised in the financial statements:

- office accommodation facilities
- accounting and administrative services
- · electricity and other utility services
- Audit Fee
- Registration costs

# 5 Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Company did not trade in the current or comparative period. The Company has no assets, liabilities, or contractual obligations to warrant a risk assessment.

#### 6 Commitments

The Company has no commitments at balance date (2012: Nil)

# 7 Contingencies

(a) Contingent Assets

The Company has no contingent assets at balance date. (2012: Nil)

(b) Contingent Liabilities

The Company has no contingent liabilities at balance date. (2012: Nil)

# 8 Events after the Reporting Period

There have not been any significant events in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report that may affect the operations, the result of the company, or require disclosure in the financial statements or their accompanying notes.

**END OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

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