

# Nomination of Ms Julia Jackson for an RHSV Barbara Nixon Award, 2019

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Despite a full-time senior position in Readings Bookshop, Carlton, Julia Jackson spends half a day each week working with the Royal Historical Society of Victoria.

In this last 12 months she has been cataloguing our small but important objects collection. This work has given this material a better provenance and context, as well as improved archival housing.

Julia is an archivist and her willingness to share her skills and knowledge is much appreciated. Her knowledge of current museum technologies has been of benefit in assisting us to use our cataloguing software, eHive, to its fullest. But it is more than that sharing that makes her a suitable candidate for the Barbara Nixon Award. Julia comes up with new solutions and new ways of doing things; new ways of introducing rigour and richness to our cataloguing and new ways to improve and make more speedy our digitisation program.

Given her work background, Julia has also proved useful with advice regarding our History Victoria Bookshop.