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## Historicising Significance

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Pathway to understanding *significance* is through rigorous historical research and analysis, a practice that can continue throughout the archiving and collections process

Acquisition

Conservation

Accessioning

Digitisation

Amplifying

Review

Historical research & analysis

Special Collections  
& Archives

Physical  
Collections

Reading Room

GLAMx Lab

Living Histories  
Digital  
Repository

Online  
Collections

Hunter Living  
Histories  
website

HLH  
monthly  
Showcase

**WIL VOLUNTEERS INTERNS COMMUNITY**



"An Aboriginal breastplate at National Museums Scotland"





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We will endeavour to ensure all reasonable access for the wider public, to wherever possible at the time.



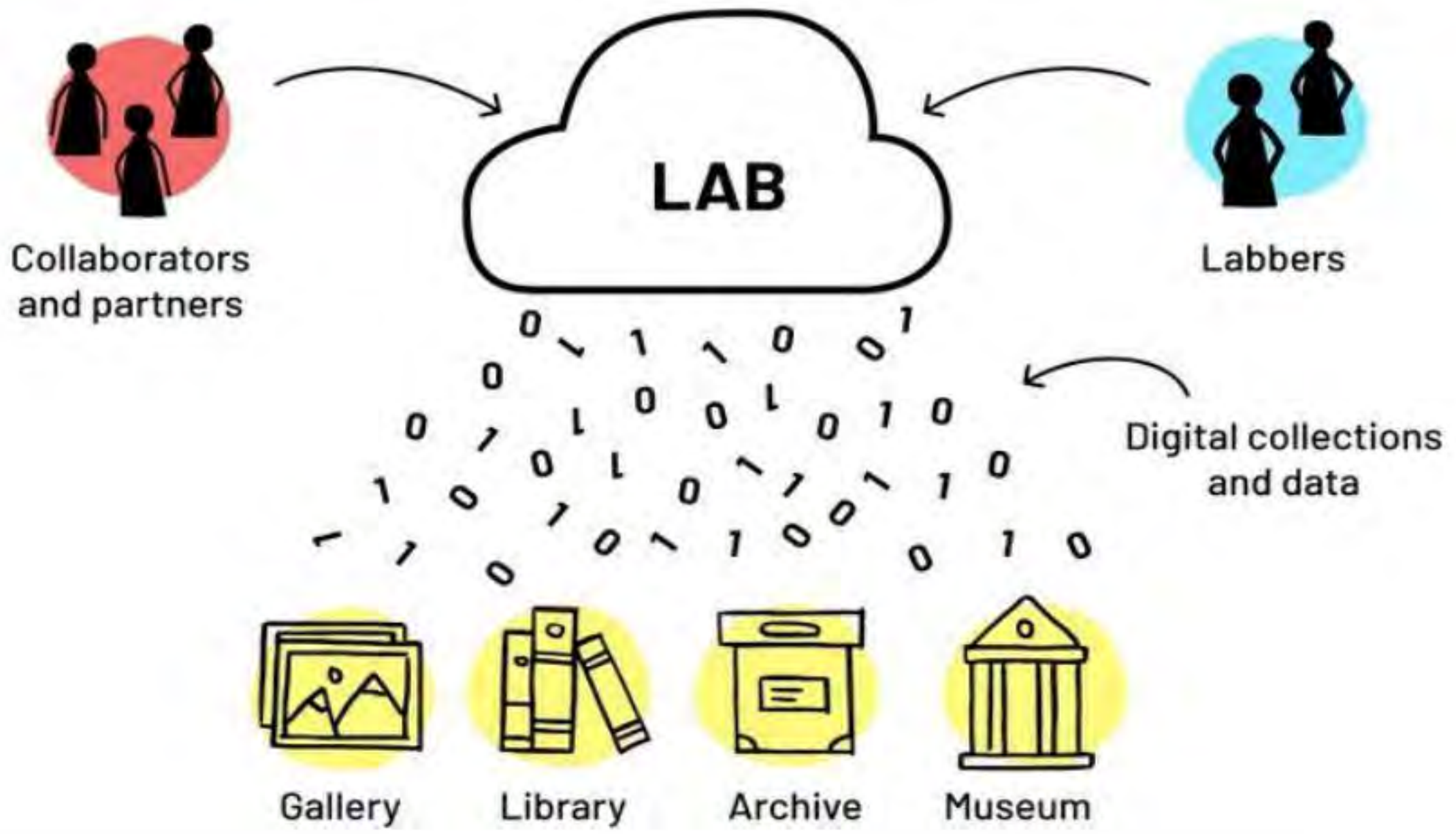


# What is a glam lab?

Galleries, Libraries, Archives  
and Museums (GLAMs)

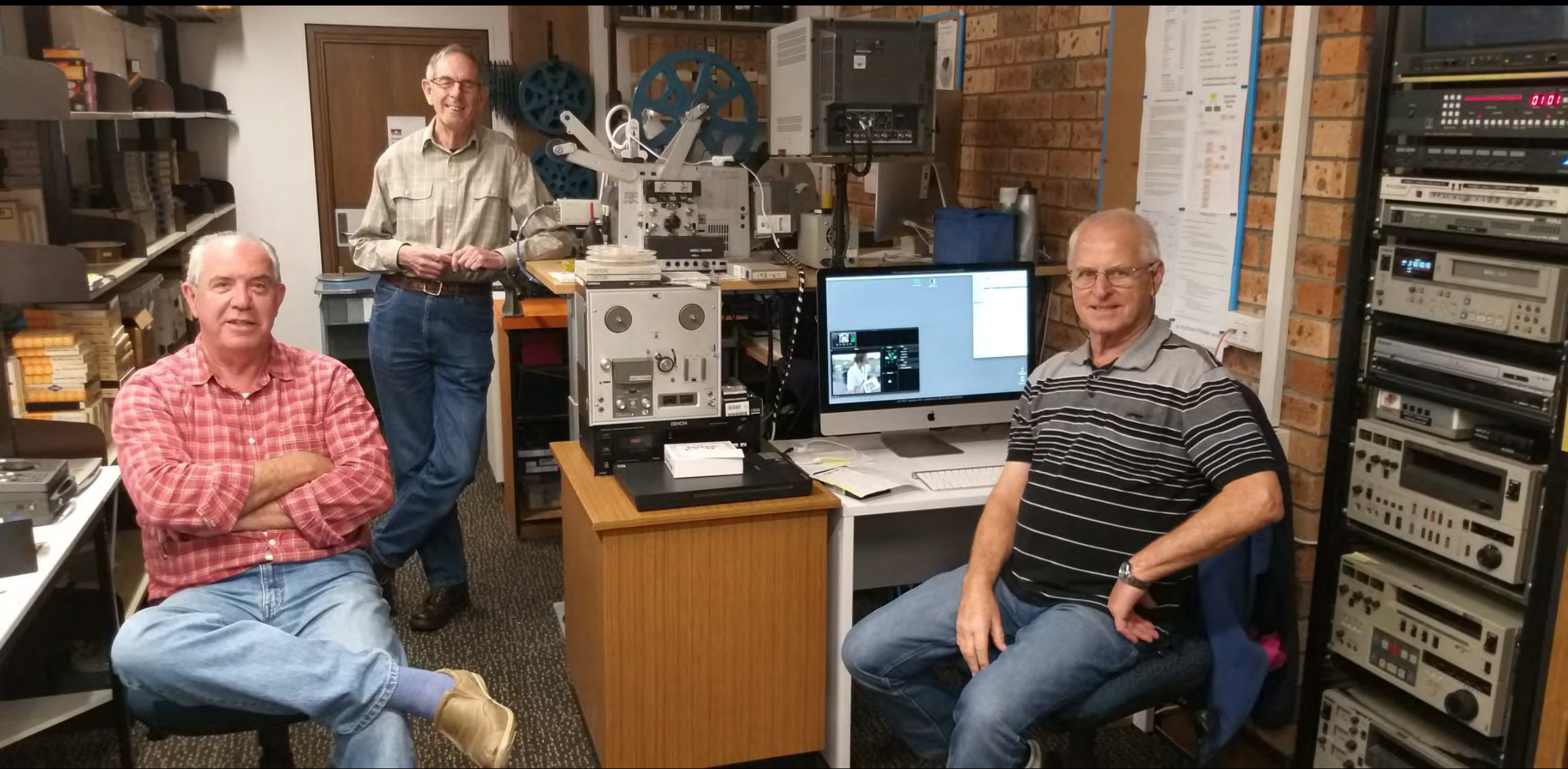
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**Sister Diana Santleben co-founder of Penola House (Zara's House) - Interview 2021**



PRESERVERS OF HISTORY - Super (audio-visual) digitisers. Adjunct Lecturer Phillip Lloyd

Improving Access to  
Children's Homes  
Records for Care  
Leavers in the Hunter  
Region





# Lycett and Wallis

Unlikely Preservers of Aboriginal Knowledge

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Insights

Video clips

Clip 15 Duration 00:14

Transcript (01)

one all draw with the kings, he landed very awkwardly. there's a bit of a tangle with the defender's legs does look in a great deal of **discomfort** and as much as he'd like to help with next week's game against gippsland falcons.

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Transcript (01)

lob nbn news, workplace injuries are expensive, costing the employer higher insurance premiums and lost productivity, not to mention the pain and **discomfort** experienced by the hurt worker, pacific linen and arm of hunter area health is taking a proactive approach in cutting down workplace injuries.



## Themes for 2023:

- February – Women's History
- March – LGBTQ+ History & Society
- April – Migrant History & Society
- May – Medical Histories
- June – Environmental History & Society
- July – Celebrating NAIDOC Week
- August – Disability History
- September – History Week 2023 'Voices from the Past'
- October – Mental Health History
- November – Deep Histories



**THANK**  
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