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SirsiDynix Horizon ASP Selected by Queen's College in Australia

Academic library turns to SirsiDynix-hosted strategic technology solutions

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., June 7, 2006 – SirsiDynix, the global leader in strategic technology solutions for libraries, announced today that Queen's College, University of Melbourne, in Australia, recently selected the ASP (Application Service Provider) version of the SirsiDynix Horizon Library Management System. SirsiDynix-certified system administrators will host the implementation and management of the system.

"There are many reasons why we have chosen Horizon," said Gale Watt, Queen's College librarian. "We feel that SirsiDynix will serve us well and be a strong technology partner for us. We like the functionality and ease of moving through the Horizon system modules and being able to offer increased service to our users through the Web catalog. Horizon will increase productivity of the library staff and help to modernize our library."

Lamar Jackson, SirsiDynix vice president of Asia and Pacific operations, said, "For more than 25 years, libraries around the world have turned to SirsiDynix for the comprehensive integrated technology they need to provide easy and effective access to resources. With SirsiDynix ASP solutions, libraries like Queen's College can realize the benefits of our technologically advanced products without the time- and skill-intensive tasks of managing their software, hardware and databases. This frees library staff members to focus on their primary mission – bringing knowledge to students and researchers to help them meet their needs and achieve their objectives."

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About SirsiDynix

SirsiDynix is the global leader in strategic technology solutions for libraries – vital institutions whose primary mission is to make sense of the vast world of information for people and communities. This is an exciting role as libraries assist people in discovering and using knowledge, resources and other valuable content for their educations, jobs and entertainment. In concert with key industry partners, SirsiDynix supports this strategic role for libraries by offering a comprehensive integrated suite of technology solutions for improving the internal productivity of libraries and enhancing their capabilities for meeting the needs of people and communities. SirsiDynix has approximately 4,000 library and consortia clients, serving more than 300 million people through more than 20,000 library outlets in the Americas, Europe, Africa, the Middle East and Asia-Pacific. For more information, please see www.sirsidynix.com.

About Queen's College

[Queen's College](#), founded in 1887, is a co-educational college of the Uniting Church offering residential accommodation to undergraduate and post graduate students doing courses at the [University of Melbourne](#), RMIT and the Victorian College of Pharmacy. Queen's College Library services are open to both residents and non-residents alike.

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