

From Mines to Minds: Western Australia in the Global Information Economy

Western Australian Technology & Industry Advisory Council

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This report has been completed by Peter Morris of Morris Moorhouse and Associates as a consultancy report for the Western Australian Technology & Industry Advisory Council. The report presents a series of options for the development in Western Australia of a strong, sustainable, globally oriented indigenous information industry.

Science and Technology Budget Statement 1999–2000

Nick Minchin

Canberra, Australia, Department of Industry, Science and Resources, 1999, 6 sections, no price available, ISBN 0 642 72042 8

This document reports the Australian Government's science and technology budget statement for 1999–2000. It is circulated by the Minister for Industry, Science and Resources, the Honourable Nick Minchin. Apart from detailed reporting on budget items and new policy initiatives, the document provides a useful listing of Australian science and information pages on the World Wide Web.

Communication Research Trends, Vol. 18, No. 2, 1998

William E. Biernatzki (Ed)

St Louis, MO, Centre for the Study of Communication and Culture, 1998, 47 pp., US\$35.00 (annual subscription), ISSN 0144-4646

This issue of the journal provides an interesting review of recent work in the area of Writing: Ancient Origins with Modern Implications. A review article by Walter Ong, SJ, links digitization in the beginnings of writing to the modern computer age.

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