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Valadian, Margaret

(1936 - 2023)

Born	19360903, Darwin Northern Territory Australia
Died	20231223, Wollongong New South Wales Australia
Occupation	Educator

Summary

Margaret Valadian was appointed an Officer of the Order of Australia (AO) on 26 January 1986 and Civil Member of the Order of the British Empire on 12 June 1976 for services to the Aboriginal Community.

Events

1995 - 1995
Awarded the honourary degree of Doctor of Letters from Macquarie University

1936 - 1936
Born: daughter of O. Valadian

1970 - 1970
Chair, Aboriginal Art Advisory Council

1969 - 1969
Completed Master of Education, University of Hawaii

1973 - 1973
Completed Master of Social Welfare, State University of New York

1966 - 1966
Department of Native Affairs, Western Australia

1984 - 1987
Deputy Chair, New South Wales Board of Adult Education

1978 - 1978
Director, Aboriginal Education Centre, University of Wollongong

1976 - 1978
Director, Queensland Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Teacher Aides Development Program

1978 - 1990
Founder and co-director, Aboriginal Training and Cultural Institute (Sydney)

1966 - 1966
Graduated Bachelor Social Studies, University of Queensland (first Aboriginal graduate of this university)

1998 - 2002
Member, Council of the Order of Australia

1964 - 1964
Research Officer, Department of Territories Papua New Guinea

1974 - 1974
Social Planning consultant, Schools Commission Canberra

1984 - 1984
Visiting Professor, Rural Education at the University of Alaska

1961 - 1962
Welfare worker, Welfare Board Northern Territory

1996 - 1996
Winner: Alumnus of the Year Award, The University of Queensland’s Alumni Association

Published resources

Edited Book
Who's Who in Australia 2002, Herd, Margaret, 2002

The Encyclopaedia of Aboriginal Australia : Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander history, society and culture, Horton, David, 1994

Book
Aboriginal education-- development or destruction : the issues and challenges that have to be recognised, Valadian, M., 1992

Never too late [videorecording], Gow, K. (director); Knight, E. (producer), Valadian, M. (consultant), c1985

Report
Report of the first national aboriginal teacher aide three day workshop and one day seminar held at the Bardon Professional Development Centre, Brisbane, June 19-22, 1978 / hosted by Queensland Department of Education ; organised by Alan Randell, Margaret Valadian and Art More., c1978

Book Section
Aboriginal adult education / Paper presented at National Conference on Adult Aboriginal Learning, Perth,. September, 1988, Valadian, Margaret, 1988

Aboriginal identity : instruction and interaction at an experimental training workshop [at A.N.U., Canberra], Valadian, Margaret; Barwick, Diane, 1977

Journal Article
Aboriginal women's health; Report on conference on health; notes role of traditional healers, problems facing Aborigines; recommendations for health care programme Source: -- ; v.25, no.4; 24-25, Valadian, Margaret, 1975

Newspaper Article
They're helping Aborigines to help themselves [Aboriginal Training and Cultural Institute]; M. Valadian and McNamara teaching management skills Balmain, Bell, Glennys, 1979

Resource
Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Site Exhibition
Faith, Hope and Charity Australian Women and Imperial Honours: 1901-1989, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2003,
http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/honours/honours.html

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