Report on

Monash University Library Activity at the Korean Wave Conference, 7-8 June 2018

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Several Library staff attended the Korean Wave Conference held at Monash University’s Caulfield campus in June. Jung-Sim Kim, Korean Studies Subject Librarian organised a display of library resources related to Korean Wave and made herself available for research consultations prior to the commencement of morning sessions on both days.

The conference was organised into eight panel sessions and covered a wide range of research areas:
Panel 1: Beauty (Chair: Koichi Iwabuchi)
Panel 2: Social Media (Chair: Gil-Soo Han)
Panel 3: Korean Wave Genres (Chair: Andrew David Jackson)
Panel 4: Creative Industries (Chair: Yunji Park)
Panel 5: Reception (Chair: Josie Sohn)
Panel 6: Transnational Media Circulation (Chair: Jo Elfving-Hwang)
Panel 7: Cultural Politics (Chair: Lucien Brown)
Panel 8: Hallyu and Discourse (Chair: Kai Soh)

Jung-Sim Kim presented a session on how to research effectively in online databases available at Monash University Library. Given the broad range of issues and topics covered over the course of two days, this presentation was particularly useful for those wishing to investigate specific areas further.

Janet McGarry, Subject Librarian for Arts at Caulfield Library, Jenny Casey, Subject Librarian for French, Italian and Film, Communications and Media Studies, and Dina Hoare, Librarian for Monash College, also participated and engaged with conference attendees over both days.

(Photo:L-R Jung-Sim Kim, Jenny Casey, Dina Hoare, Monash University Library)