



## Museum of Australian Commercial Aviation

Preserving Australia's Airline History

### About Zarik

The Museum of Australian Commercial Aviation is a private collection. Operating in Western Australia.

In 2005 I was going to start an aviation collectables shop on Ebay. I quickly realised that in Australia there was no museum dedicated to all past Australian commercial airlines.

I did not like selling one little bit. But I loved the history and the story behind each item. So with guidance from the Museum of Western Australia and the Powerhouse Museum in Longreach QLD I started to learn what was required to set up and run a proper collection.

I developed a collection policy which guides the collection; I adopted a code of conduct. I developed a disaster plan and other policies which I follow.

The entire collection is displayed online on a web site that I made and run and grow. Everything that you see online is actually owned by the museum and is here at my home stored in acid free material in metal cupboards.

The collection has grown and now encompasses 72 past Australian airlines and I keep discovering more!

I am a househusband and have been for 20 years. I have CFS. My wife is a Local Government Administration Officer. I run the museum on about \$50.00 AU from the household budget a month and I never accept cash donations. I do accept donations of items and have a well-defined donations policy.

I have no staff the entire operation is run by me with help from my youngest son.

I love what I do and I take great pride in been able to bring Australia's airline history to light for all to see online for free.

I hope you enjoy your time viewing and interacting with the collection

Regards  
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