

# The Hopkins Centre

Research for Rehabilitation and Resilience



## Welcome to Hopkins Hour

### The Dignity Project: engaging consumers as citizen scientists

Presented by:

Elizabeth Kendall, *Executive Director THC*

Kelsey Chapman, *Dignity Project Researcher and PhD Candidate*

Angel Dixon, *Dignity Project Researcher and Citizen Scientist*

**Bold ideas. Better solutions.**



Metro South Health

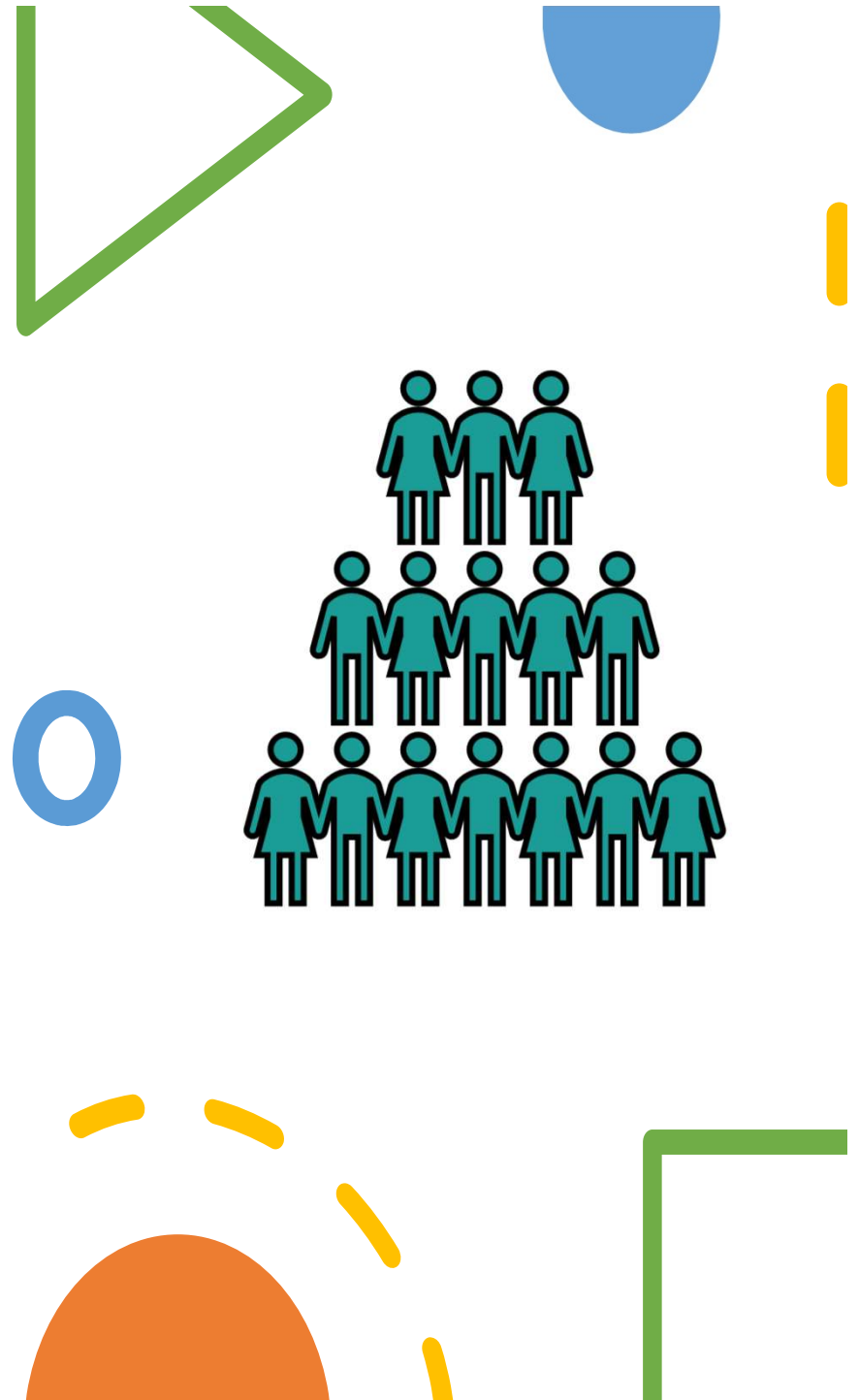


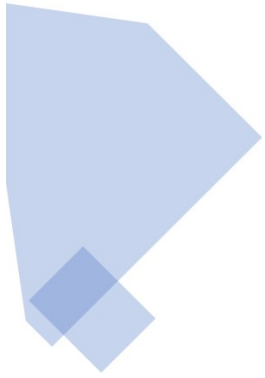
A joint initiative of the  
Division of Rehabilitation, Metro South Health, and  
Menzies Health Institute Queensland, Griffith University.

[www.hopkinscentre.edu.au](http://www.hopkinscentre.edu.au)

# Citizen Science

- Defined as the engagement of the public in the collection and analysis of data
- For the people, by the people, with the people
- Typically conducted in environmental and natural sciences
- Market research- customers informing product and service improvement





## **Citizen Science & Disability**

Important shift towards recognition that people with disabilities are the experts of their own experience

Co-design services and systems

United Nations CRPD-brings together disability and dignity in landmark framework



# Why Dignity?

Included in frameworks and legislation- CRPD, Shut-Out report, National Disability Strategy



Australia Human Rights Commission receives 44% of its lodged complaints under the Disability Discrimination Act



Maintaining dignity- physical, emotional mental health benefits



Loss of dignity- severe consequences

# Dignity and Disability



IMPORTANCE OF  
UNIVERSAL DESIGN



EXCLUSION BECAUSE  
OF CONFUSION



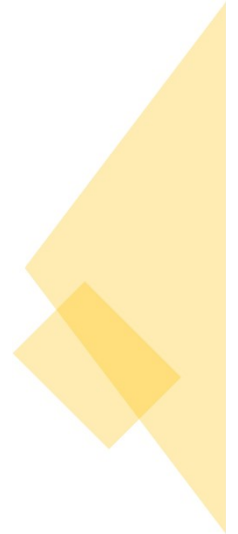
COST OF  
RETROFITTING BOTH  
MONETARILY AND  
SOCIALY



PEOPLE WITH  
DISABILITIES DO NOT  
ALWAYS FEEL  
COMFORTABLE  
SHARING  
EXPERIENCES WITH  
RESEARCHERS



IMPORTANCE OF  
DIVERSE  
PERSPECTIVES IN  
RESEARCH AND  
INNOVATION



# What is the Dignity Project?

Aims: Understand what dignity means for people with disability using Citizen Science methods.



Survey- collected through MSH Consultation Hub that gathers stories and experiences of dignity and indignity



Community Hub- Sharepoint platform

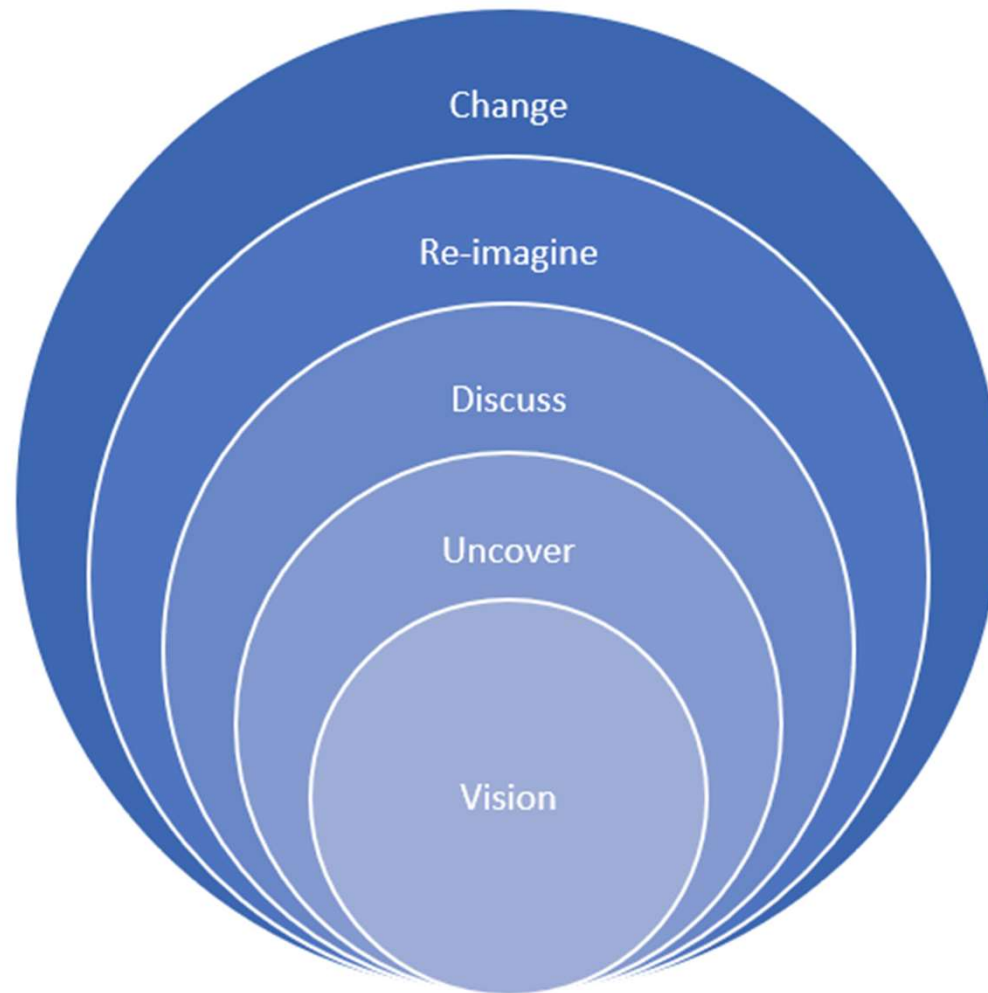



Focus group



Ongoing research phases

# Using Citizen Science





Citizens share experiences

- People with lived experience of disability inform research
- Citizens participate in data collection using technology to share experiences


Sharing knowledge creates new evidence and ideas

- Interested members of the public join the Community Hub
- Exchange of knowledge
- Development and interpretation of citizen data
- Ideas and problem solving to make change

Involvement of stakeholders

- Influencing all stakeholders to create better solutions to upholding and protecting dignity
- Quaterly reports and distribution of resources through Community Hub, social media, and Affiliate partners
- Thematic reports for Dignity Partners currently focussed on citizen experiences related to dignity, health, and mobility
- Reports about citizen science methods and activities

Collaborators and Partners

- Welcome new collaborators to develop forums and further research with members of the Community Hub
  - Welcome and work with partners to design solutions for industry with and for people with disability
- 



# The Dignity Project Community Hub

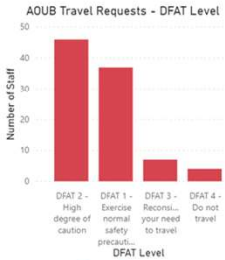
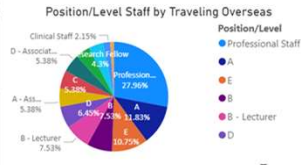
The screenshot shows a SharePoint page for 'The Dignity Project Community Hub'. At the top left, the Griffith University logo and 'SharePoint' are visible. The page title is 'The Dignity Project Community Hub' with a sub-label 'Private group'. On the right, there are navigation icons for notifications, settings, help, and a user profile 'KC'. Below these are 'Following' and 'Next steps' indicators, and a note that there are '8 members'. A search bar is on the left, and a 'New' button and 'Page details' link are in the top navigation. The main content area features a banner for 'The Hopkins Centre Research for Rehabilitation and Resilience' and 'The Dignity Project' logo. Below the banner are four teal buttons: 'Resource Library', 'Have your say', 'Moderators Corner', and 'Contact Us', each with an icon and a corresponding text label below it. A 'Get the mobile app' button is located at the bottom right of the main content area. A left-hand navigation menu lists: Home, Site contents, Resource Library, Have Your Say, Challenge Results, Moderator's Corner, Community Guidelines, About Us, and Recycle bin. The page was published on 11/03/2020 and has an 'Edit' button.

# Partnering with Community Hub Citizen Scientists

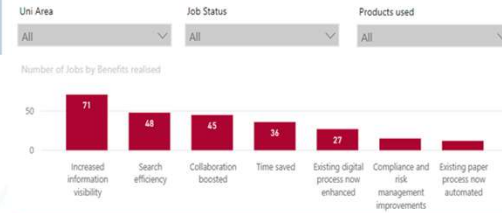
## AEL Absence On Official Business (AOUB) Travel Dashboard



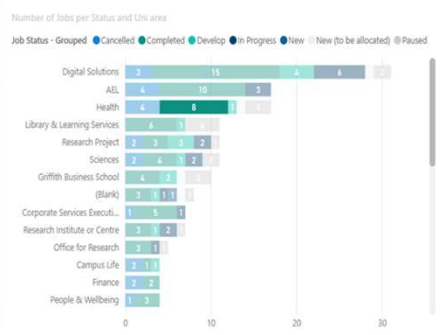
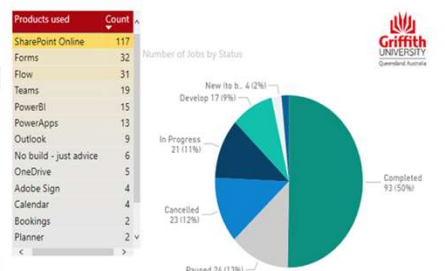
Country	First Name	Last Name	Travel Start Date	Travel End Date
All	Midori	Tomiyama-Hall	2019-11-22	2019-11-22
All	Elisabeth	Findlay	2019-11-21	2019-11-21
All	Andy	Dwyer	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Anne	Perkins	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	April	Ludgate	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Jerry	Gergich	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Jo	Waddell	2019-11-19	2019-11-19
All	Joan	Callamezzo	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Marcus	Lee	2019-11-27	2019-11-27
All	Tammy	Two	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Tommy	Haverford	2019-11-01	2019-11-01
All	Jo	Waddell	2019-11-19	2019-11-19
All	Susan	Forde	2019-11-21	2019-11-21
All	Jqj	Lj	2020-01-22	2020-01-22
All	R	Jones	2020-01-29	2020-01-29
All	blaah	blaah	2020-01-30	2020-01-30
All	blah	blah	2020-01-31	2020-01-31
All	Jo	TEST	2020-01-30	2020-01-30
All	Jo	testing again	2020-01-30	2020-01-30
All	Jo	TEST	2020-01-31	2020-01-31
All	John	King	2020-02-10	2020-02-10
All	Marcus	Lee	2020-02-07	2020-02-07



## Business Enablement Team Jobs



Title	Job Status	Uni Area	Products used
Digital Solutions o365 ia (DS)	Completed	Digital Solutions	No build - just advice
EOI for rolling grants	Completed	AEL	
Essential 8 site	Completed	Digital Solutions	SharePoint Online, Teams
Executive Briefing Site	Completed	OPVC Business	SharePoint Online
Finance Portfolio Commitment Tracker	Completed	Finance	
First Peoples Health Unit O365 use	Completed	Health	Planner, SharePoint Online, Teams
GBS Engagement SPO Site	Completed	Griffith Business School	SharePoint Online
GIFT - 2020 Rebuild	Completed		Flow, Forms, Outlook, SharePoint Online
GI-Managers	Completed	GI	SharePoint Online, Teams
Govt & Industry Briefing Sites	Completed	OPVC Business	SharePoint Online
Griffith Business School o365 brainstrom	Completed	Griffith Business School	OneDrive, SharePoint Online, Teams
Griffith Online SPO	Completed	Griffith Online	Calendar, Planner, SharePoint Online, Team
Griffith Sciences - L&T Resources SPO	Completed	Sciences	SharePoint Online
Griffith Sciences SPO	Completed	Sciences	PowerBI, SharePoint Online
GU - Logan Hospital Student Clinics SPO site	Completed	Health	SharePoint Online
Hackathon Form & Flow	Completed	Digital Solutions	Flow, Forms, SharePoint Online



# The Hopkins Centre

Research for Rehabilitation and Resilience



## Have your Say with The Dignity Project

Complete the Dignity Project Survey:

<https://metrosouthhealth.citizenspace.com/thc/the-dignity-project/>

Join the Community Hub:

[https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=q8h8Wtykm0-\\_YGZxQEmtYij5q8btji1DnkVYRS755bRURFBFVEdVS09YOFJBUVNWTTE4UEhDRTlTN CQlQCN0PWcu](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=q8h8Wtykm0-_YGZxQEmtYij5q8btji1DnkVYRS755bRURFBFVEdVS09YOFJBUVNWTTE4UEhDRTlTN CQlQCN0PWcu)

Contact the research team:

[hopkinscentre@griffith.edu.au](mailto:hopkinscentre@griffith.edu.au) or [dignityproject@griffith.edu.au](mailto:dignityproject@griffith.edu.au)

**Bold ideas. Better solutions.**



Metro South Health



A joint initiative of the  
Division of Rehabilitation, Metro South Health, and  
Menzies Health Institute Queensland, Griffith University.

[www.hopkinscentre.edu.au](http://www.hopkinscentre.edu.au)