

## BOOKSHOP VOLUNTEER GUIDE

The bookshop at KCC is run by [The Wandering Bookseller](#). Volunteers will assist Wandering Bookseller staff in processing sales, managing queues, answering questions, bagging books, arranging stock, cleaning, and whatever else needs doing.

### Requirements

It's great if you're into books and have experience in a busy retail environment, but the main qualification we require for bookshop volunteers is a **willingness to learn**. Even if you know all the books and have worked in bookshops for years, the KYCK bookshop is a unique environment, and it's important for volunteers to take their cues from the Wandering Bookseller staff.

Other requirements for bookshop volunteers include:

- A humble servant attitude
- Strong social awareness and good communication skills
- The ability to work well in a team
- A pleasant attitude

### Arrival

Please come to the bookshop after the safety briefing on Friday afternoon. If the bookshop is locked and there's no one there, don't panic! That probably means we're ahead of schedule with setup. Feel free to text Karl (0405 633 792) and check in with him.

### During KYCK

Wandering Bookseller staff will have conversations with you about specifics of tasks and timing, but in general, you are required to help during the times the bookshop is open:

- 30 minutes before each session begins
- During breaks (morning tea, etc.)
- 30 minutes to an hour after each session.

At the beginning of breaks or the end of a session, please leave the auditorium in time to beat the crowd and be briefed on the plan for the break. This normally means leaving during the last song. You will still be able to attend the sessions and participate in the general KYCK experience!

### Questions

- If you have any questions or just want to touch base before the conference, please contact Karl at [karl@wanderingbookseller.com.au](mailto:karl@wanderingbookseller.com.au) or 0405 633 792.