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## Biography

Bronwen Neil is Professor of Ancient History at Macquarie, and member of the Macquarie University Centre for Ancient Cultural Heritage and Environment and deputy director of the Creative Documentary Research Centre. She studied Linguistics, Classics and Ancient History at the University of Queensland (1987-1991), before undertaking a Master of Arts in Theological Research at Durham University, UK (1997/1998) and completing her PhD at Australian Catholic University in 1999. Subsequently, she joined the Centre for Early Christian Studies there (2000-2015), serving as Associate Director (2014-2015). From 2001-2005 she held an ARC Postgraduate Research Fellowship, while teaching in the School of Theology at ACU. In 2010 she was appointed the inaugural holder of the Burke Senior Lectureship in Ecclesiastical Latin, and in 2015 was promoted to Associate Professor. She was awarded an ARC Future Fellowship (2014-2018) and joined Macquarie University as Professor of Ancient History in 2017. She is section head for Religious Studies in the Australian Academy of Humanities and a member of the Classics and History sections. In 2020-21 she was ARC Executive Director for Humanities and creative arts.

## Qualifications

Medieval Latin, PhD, Edition and translation of *Documenta ad vitam Maximi Confessoris pertinentia* by Anastasius Bibliothecarius, Australian Catholic University  
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Theological Studies, Masters of Arts, Maximus the Confessor, University of Durham  
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Classics, Bachelor of Arts Honours, Latin Language and Literature, The University of Queensland  
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1 Jan 2018 HDR Supervision Orientation 2018-2020, HDR30

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## Employment

Professor  
Professor  
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1 Jan 2021 → present

### Section Head, Religious Studies

Australian Academy of the Humanities  
Canberra, Australia  
21 Nov 2022 → 20 Nov 2025

### Vice President

Association internationale d'Etudes patristiques  
France  
21 Aug 2019 → 20 Aug 2024

### Editorial board

Journal of Late Antiquity  
United States  
1 Jan 2019 → present

**Council**

Australian Academy of the Humanities  
Canberra, Australia  
1 Jan 2017 → 1 Jan 2020

**Series editor, *Byzantina Australiensia***

E.J. Brill  
Netherlands  
1 Jan 2017 → present

**Research Associate**

University of South Africa  
South Africa  
1 Jan 2017 → 1 Jan 2019

**Editorial board, *Vigiliae Christianae***

E.J. Brill  
Netherlands  
1 Jan 2016 → present

**Editorial board, *Scrinium***

Catholic University of Leuven (KU Leuven)  
Leuven, Belgium  
1 Jan 2015 → present

**Subject editor, *Brill Encyclopedia of Early Christianity***

E.J. Brill  
Netherlands

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**Laying down Papal Law in the Sixth-Century Collectio Avellana**

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**Letters of Emperor Julian (361-363): forms and functions**

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**The letters of Maximus in the *Collectanea of Anastasius Bibliothecarius: Opuscula 10, 12, and 20***

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**Divine Providence and the gnomic will before Maximus**  
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Martin I

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