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<b>Agency number:</b>	679
<b>Agency title:</b>	Broken Hill Division of the University of New South Wales
<b>Start date:</b>	c. 1959
<b>End date:</b>	1984
<b>Creation:</b>	
<b>Abolition:</b>	
<b>Administrative history note:</b>	<p>The power for Council to establish a College at Broken Hill was first named in the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act 1949 (Act No. 11, 1949, 29(1)) that established the university.</p> <p>In 1951 the university assumed the responsibility for certain diploma courses of the Department of Technical Education, including some at Broken Hill Technical College. These courses led to the award of Associate of the Sydney Technical College (ASTC). Initially, however, the university's presence at Broken Hill remained fairly minimal and centred entirely on the teaching and issue of these diplomas.</p> <p>This began to change, however, when on 10 March 1958 Council passed the resolution "that the university division at Broken Hill be 'The Broken Hill School of Mines of the New South Wales University of Technology' and "that a Professor of Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry be appointed as Head of the School of Mines, that an additional lecturer or senior lecturer be appointed in the Mechanical Engineering School, that part-time lecturers in special subjects such as Mining Engineering be given the status of senior lecturers, and that Professor in charge of the parent schools in Sydney be official supervisors of the relevant courses in Broken Hill" (resolution 58/31).</p> <p>This title for the Broken Hill division does not appear to have actually received general use, however, as by Council's 11 May 1959 meeting where it approved the appointment of Mr T. K. Hogan to take on the position of Director, it was also determined "that the name of the Broken Hill centre be 'The Broken Hill Division of the University of New South Wales'" (resolution 59/105). Mr Hogan took up his position on 7 September 1959 and so the Broken Hill Division commenced operations.</p> <p>In 1961 courses commenced leading to degrees of the university and on 30 June 1966 the first University of New South Wales conferring of degrees ceremony was held at Broken Hill.</p> <p>On 9 March 1964 Council resolved that "the proposed new university building at Broken Hill be known as the W. S. &amp; L. B. Robinson College of the University of New South Wales" (resolution 64/4iii).</p> <p>On 9 November 1981 the university Council decided to set in train the closure of the Broken Hill Division. It resolved "to request the Vice-Chancellor to report as soon as possible on a timetable for phasing out these operations, noting that the period required will extend into 1984" (resolution 81/184).</p> <p>1984 was the final year of operations at Broken Hill. The last graduation ceremony for the Broken Hill Division was held on 17 May 1985 at Broken Hill Civic Centre.</p>

*Unregistered preceding agencies:**Unregistered succeeding agencies:**Unregistered superior agencies:**Subordinate agencies:**Period of relationship*

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*Unregistered subordinate agencies:**Record series created by this agency (in chronological order by start date):* *Date range of creation*

540	Annual Reports of the WS & LB Robinson University College Broken Hill Division of the University of New South Wales	-
541	Booklet Leaflet Collection of the WS & LB Robinson University College Broken Hill Division of the University of New South Wales	1959 - 1984
2166	Correspondence on Secondary School Matters and Matriculation Requirements of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2167	Correspondence with the Broken Hill Students Union by the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2155	Daily Letter Files of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2159	Files on the Australian Universities Commission of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1982
2161	Information and Memos to Staff of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1983
2151	Papers on the Academic Courses and Subjects of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2164	Papers on the Buildings and Grounds of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2154	Papers on the Library of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2153	Press Releases and other Publicity of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2156	Prize and Scholarship Files of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2152	Research Papers and Correspondence of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2160	Reviewing and Planning Papers and Reports on the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1985
2165	Staff and Administration Files of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2162	University of New South Wales Staff Association Papers relating to the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2158	Visits, Lectures, Open Days and Excursions Files of the Broken Hill Division	1959 - 1984
2150	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Staff Conferences / Staff Meetings of the Broken Hill Division	1965 - 1981
2169	Fowler's Gap Research Papers and Correspondence of the Broken Hill Division	1966 - 1981
2168	Fowler's Gap Visitors and Events Files of the Broken Hill Division	1966 - 1981
2157	Graduation Files of the Broken Hill Division	1966 - 1985
2145	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Broken Hill Academic Liaison Committee	1967 - 1978
2170	Fowlers Gap Management Committee Managerial Files of the Broken Hill Division	1969 - 1980

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2149	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Executive / Heads of Department / Division Administration Committee of the Broken Hill Division	1970 - 1980
2142	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Broken Hill College/Industry Liaison Committee	1971 - 1975
2147	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Library Committee of the Broken Hill Division	1971 - 1980
2163	The Robinson College Irregular Newsletter of the Broken Hill Division	1975 - 1976
2148	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Building Committee of the Broken Hill Division	1977 - 1977
2146	Minutes, Agendas & Papers of the Planning Committee of the Broken Hill Division	1979 - 1980

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