Research Bibliography of Alcohol and Kava Studies in Oceania

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Originally prepared in connection with the Working Session on Alcohol and Kava Studies in Oceania, held at the 3rd Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania in March 1974, this bibliography has since been expanded to include all known articles, commission reports and papers read at professional meetings dealing specifically with alcohol and kava use and abuse in the Pacific Islands. The bibliography explicitly does not contain references to sections of larger works (e.g., ethnographies) that discuss alcohol and kava in the islands.

Perusal of the citations below reveals a paucity of research into the role of alcohol historically during the contact period in the Pacific, and an even more striking lack of contemporary social science research into the place of alcohol in modern Pacific island cultures. This point has been developed at some length in Marshall (n. d.), where it also is noted that our knowledge of present-day kava use in Oceania is woefully deficient. The papers by Burtness et al., Demory, Fischer, MacKenzie, Marshall, Nason, Severance, and Urbanowicz, read at the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania Annual Meeting, represent a first step in filling this information gap, and publication of these papers as a set is expected shortly.

For purposes of this bibliography, the compass of the term "Oceania" includes all of Micronesia, Melanesia, Polynesia and New Guinea.

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