

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
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## Vickery, Joyce Winifred

(1908 - 1979)

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<b>Born</b>	15 December, 1908, Sydney New South Wales Australia
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<b>Died</b>	1 May, 1979, New South Wales
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<b>Occupation</b>	Botanist
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### Summary

Joyce Vickery conducted postgraduate research at the University of Sydney into insectivorous plants and seed germination in grass. She was appointed assistant botanist at the National Herbarium of New South Wales in 1936, and completed her PhD in 1959. Dr Vickery helped to solve the Graeme Thorne kidnapping case with forensic work. She was appointed senior botanist at the Herbarium in 1964.

### Published resources

#### Resource Section

Vickery, Joyce Winifred (1918-1979), Hooker, Claire, 2006,  
<http://www.adb.online.anu.edu.au/biogs/A160544b.htm>

#### Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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