

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
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## Helmrich, Dorothy Jane Adele

(1889 - 1984)

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**Born** 25 July, 1889, Woollahra New South Wales Australia

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**Died** 1 September, 1984, Strathfield New South Wales Australia

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**Occupation** Arts administrator, Founder, Singer

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### Summary

Dorothy Helmrich founded the Australian Council for the Encouragement of Music and the Arts (CEMA) in 1943. CEMA became the Arts Council of Australia, and Helmrich served as president.

### Published resources

#### Edited Book

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

#### Book

On Wings of Song: Dorothy Helmrich and the Arts Council, Carell, Victor and Beth Dean, 1982

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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