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**Library Quote:** "A little library, growing larger every year, is an honourable part of a man's history. It is a man's duty to have books. A library is not a luxury, but one of the necessaries of life." — Henry Ward Beecher

Quote sent by Sakilam Rajesh, Librarian, SIBM, Hyderabad, Symbiosis International University.

Readers are welcome to provide the virtuous library quotes which will be properly acknowledged and the best quote will be imprinted in the incoming issue of ILA Newsletter with the name of the sender.

### **Appeal to LIS Professionals**

Dear Colleagues,

It would be highly appreciated if you could provide the news for the forthcoming ILA Newsletter pertaining to:

- Report about Seminar, Conference, Training Programme & Workshop organised by any institute in about 100 words with snapshots if possible;
- 2. Book publications, or highly Impact Factor research outputs or just concluded projects;
- 3. Announcement for various LIS courses/ educational up-gradations;
- 4. Technological Innovations in LIS Research & Development;
- Any other LIS field related news, Please send to: <u>naikoomuzamil@gmail.com</u>

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### **International Conference**

On

## 'Sustainable Development of Library and Information Science Profession'

An International Conference on *Sustainable Development of Library and Information Science Profession'* (ICSDLP-2017) was organised jointly by the Department of Library and Information, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, in collaboration with Indian Library Association and International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA) -Asia and Oceania Section from 23<sup>rd</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 at BBR Ambedkar University, Lucknow. The conference was attended by 446 delegates. A number of senior Library Professionals namely Prof. N. Laxman Rao (Hyderabad), Prof. Md. Nasiruddin (Bangladesh), Prof. T. D. Kemparaju, (Vice Chancellor, Bangalore University), Prof. B. S. Nigam, Prof M. T. M. Khan, Dr. D.V. Singh (Delhi), Prof. Hemant Sharma (Gwalior), Prof. Bhaskar Mukherjee, Prof. A. P. Singh (BHU), Prof. Sudhir Kumar, Dr. Sonal Singh (Ujjain), Prof. V. T. Kamble (Gulbarga), Prof. Banwari Lal, Prof. P.G.Tadasad (Vijayapura), Prof. Bandopadhyaya (Burdwan), etc.

Hon'ble Shri Hriday Narayan Dikshit, Speaker, Uttar Pradesh Legislative Assembly was the Chief Guest of the inaugural session, Prof. T. D. Kemparaju, Vice Chancellor, Bangalore University was the Guest of Honour. Shri Dikshit, who is well known not only in Politics but also as a man of Language, Literature and Journalism, said in his address that he is a great lover of Books. He told the audiences that he comes from a modest family which hardly received any formal education. Yet, he continued his studies and attributed whatever he has achieved in his life so far, to Libraries. Even today, when he enters his house any time, he must go to his personal library. He expressed his concerns about the declining trend of reading habits in our country. Prof. Shabahat Husain spoke about UN's Agenda 2030 regarding Sustainable Development and role of Libraries. Prof. Laxman Rao in his capacity as Conference Director, introduced the Conference theme, while Prof. Md. Nasiruddin, Dean & Head, Dept. of Library & Information Science, National University Bangladesh presented his Keynote address and Prof. M. P. Singh, Organising Secretary presented a vote of thanks.

About 100 research articles were submitted, of which only 91 were included in the Proceedings, released along with a Souvenir and Festschrift Volume in honour of Prof. B. S. Nigam. The souvenir included the Goodwill messages from Shri Narendra Modi, P.M., Vice President of India and Prof Tariq Mansoor, Vice Chancellor, A.M.U. Aligarh. A panel discussion consisting of experts in Library Profession was chaired by Prof. Shabahat Husain, who as President of Indian Library Association was also the patron of the conference.

### ILA Awards - 2017

ILA declared annual awards during "63rd Annual Conference of Indian Library Association-2017", held at B.B.R. Ambedkar University, Lucknow from 23 to 25 November, 2017.

The following are the awards and their recipients:

- 1) ILA Kaula best librarian award 2017 --- Dr. Devendra Kumar Singh
- 2) ILA Gidwani Desh Pandey best Academic Librarian award 2017 --- Dr. Suresh Jange
- 3) ILA Dr. L M Padhya Best University Library Award 2017 --- (DULS) Library of University of Delhi
- 4) ILA C.D Sharma --- Dr. O.N. Chaubey for his paper "Development of Digital Library: Need for Emerging Information Society"
- 5) ILA A G MOTIWALE AWARD --- Ms. Deepthi for her paper " Questioning The LIS Curriculum: Factors That Cannot Be Ignored"
- 6) ILA P V VERGHESE AWARD-2017 --- Prof. Bhaskar Mukherjee for his paper "Ranking Indian Universities through Research and Professional Practices of National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF): A Case Study of Select Central Universities in India"
- 7) ILA Dr S.M. GANGULY BEST SCHOOL LIBRARY AWARD-2017 --- Darshan Academy School Library and received by Librarian, Ms.Mamta Amarpuri.

Dr. K Padma Umapathy and KS Umapathy Fellowship of Library and Information Science - 2017 were given to:

- (i) Mr. Sachin Katagi MLIS-student from Central University of Gujarat
- (ii) Ms. G Anitha --- MLIS-Osmania University Hyderabad
- (iii) Ms. Sugandha Bajaj MLIS-Tata Institute of Social Sciences



### **Professional News**

### • The cultural war being fought over tomorrow's libraries

Today libraries are simultaneously tourist destinations, places to read, places to gather and socialize, places to study, and places to learn. They also remain a mirror of our culture. They reflect not just the way we consume information (and architecture) through our phones today, but also the forces of inequality.

Tomorrow, will libraries exist as the gateway to public enrichment, or will they all be reduced down to naming rights and Instagram hashtags, is really a question we all need answer.

Shared by: Blake on November 20, 2017

Source: LIS News

The details of the news are available at: https://www.fastcodesign.com/90151650/the-culture-war-being-fought-over-tomorrows-libraries

### • Best books of the year @ amazon.com

Amazon.com's editorial team reads with an eye for the Best Books of the Month, plus the best books in popular categories like Cooking, Food & Wine, Literature & Fiction, Children's books, Mystery & Thrillers, Comics & Graphic Novels, Romance, Science Fiction & Fantasy, the best books for teens, and more.

Amazon says that they scour reviews and book news for tips on what the earliest readers have loved, share their own copies and tear through as many books as possible. Then they face off in a monthly Best Books meeting to champion the titles, they think will resonate most with readers. In October, they collect all their favorites, look at upcoming 2017 titles, and cast their ballots for the Best Books of the Year. The titles that made their lists are the keepers, the ones they couldn't forget. Many of their editorial picks for the best books are also customer favorites and best sellers, but they love to spotlight the best books people might not otherwise have heard about, too. The books included in Amazon's Best Books program are entirely editorial selections. Amazon assures that they are committed to helping customers find terrific gifts for booklovers and drawing more attention to exceptional authors. Their passion is for uniting readers of all ages and tastes with their next favorite reads.

Shared by: Blake on November 8, 2017 Source: LIS News: Scandalous Since 1999

The details of the news are available at: https://www.amazon.com/b?node=17276804011

### • Pirated e-books threatens the future of book series

A well known author, Stiefvater revealed that she is now writing three more book sets in the Raven Cycle world, but that the new trilogy "nearly didn't exist because of piracy". "And already I can see in the tags how Tumblr users are talking about how they intend to pirate book one of the new trilogy for any number of reasons, because I am terrible or because they would 'rather die than pay for a book'," she wrote. "As an author, I can't stop that. But pirating book one means that publishing cancels book two. A pirated copy isn't 'good advertising' or 'great word of mouth' or 'not really a lost sale'."

Shared by Blake on November 7, 2017

Source: LIS News

The details of the news are available at: https://www.theguardian.com/books/2017/nov/06/pirated-ebooks-threaten-future-of-serial-novels-warn-authors-maggie-stiefvater

### Personalia

### Attended meeting of Library Board of Khuda Bakhsh Oriental Public Library, Patna

Prof. Shabahat Husain, former Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, former University Librarian and a retired teacher from the Department of Library and Information Science, Aligarh Muslim University attended the meeting of Library Board of Khuda Bakhsh Oriental Public Library, Patna. The meeting, held in Raj Bhawan, Bihar, was chaired by Shri. Satpal Malik, Governor of Bihar.

Prof. Husain, who attended the meeting as a member of the Board, called on the Governor and shared with him memorable moments which Shri Malik had spent while representing Aligarh in the Lok Sabha from 1989 to 1991.

Prof. Husain was also nominated as a member of the Technical Committee, consisting of computer experts from NIC, Libsys, Beltron, constituted by the Governor of Bihar to digitalize the rare manuscripts in the library.

Khuda Bakhsh Oriental Public Library, Patna is known for its 21 thousands strong collection of manuscripts in 9 different languages of the world, which is the biggest in any library in India. Most of the manuscripts, being the only copy available in the world, belong to the rarest category.

Prof. Shabahat Husain is also a member of the governing bodies of National Museum, Allahabad and Raja Ram Mohan Roy Library Foundation, Kolkata.



### Ph.D Awarded

Mr. P. Raja Suresh Kumar, Librarian, Malla Reddy Institute of Technology and Science, Secunderabad, Telangana has been awarded Ph.D degree for his thesis entitled "Information Needs and information Seeking Behaviour of Faculty of Engineering Colleges of Rangareddy District, Telangana A Study" under the supervision of Dr. B.R. Doraswamy Naick, Associate Professor, Department of Library & information Science, JNTUK Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh.



# Past Events

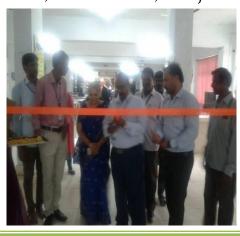
# Book Exhibition in JBREC – 50<sup>th</sup> National Library Week Celebrations at Joginpally B.R. Engineering College

Indian Library Association declared 14 November as National Library Day. Since 1968, 14-21 November has been celebrated as National Library week all over India and various programs are being organized to let the public know about the libraries.

In keeping the tradition and in the honour of the National Library Week, Our JBREC Library celebrated the National Library Week in the form of Book exhibition in association with BOOKIONICS, Koti, Hyderabad.

The celebration began on 14 November, 2017. The program started with the speech by the Librarian, P.Sudhakar on the topic "creating awareness about the library and its importance". Dr. TVS. Arun Murthy, Vice Principal was invited for the inauguration. He gave all the best wishes for the initiative taken by the library team and extended his full support and guidance for the whole event and started the program with lighting the Lamp. He said that these kinds of book exhibitions are very important to enhance book reading habit in students and also among faculty.

Dr. TVS Arun Murthy, said that the college provided ICT tools such as Internet and Wi-Fi facilities not only for the Library but also for the entire campus for accessing e-resources in the form of of e-books, e-journals from the smart phones and tablets of students and faculty and also from college library and also through Web Opac (http://jbrec.bestbookbuddies.com). He advised the students to utilize the opportunity by buying the books and reading regularly. All Library professionals of various institutions of JB Group and All HOD's of JBREC Faculty and students visited for selection of various competitive books and personality development related books at discounted rates and also felt very happy for range of Rs. 5/- and 5000/-, given the opportunity to sit and read the books individually. Most of the students have shown interest by taking selfies with the books of famous personalities like APJ Abdul Kalam, Swamy Vivekananda, etc. P.Sudhakar Librarian and Library Team, P. Shanthi Sree, K. Raja Reddy Yadamma were participated.







# Forthcoming Events

#### December

- Department of Library, Sri Sarada Niketan College of Science for Women and District Central Library, Karur in technical collaboration with Society for the Advancement of Library and Information Science is going to organize a two days national conference on "Connecting Digital Divide through Academic and Public Libraries" from December 1-2, 2017 at Sri Sarada Niketan College of Science for Women. The details of the conference are available at: http://www.srisaradaniketancollege.com/
- Institute of Tai Studies and Research, Assam is going to organize a five days Workshop Cum Training Program on "Preventive Conservation of Manuscripts" from December 4-8, 2017 at Institute of Tai Studies and Research, Assam. The details of the workshop are available at: <a href="http://www.taistudiesmoranhat.org/">http://www.taistudiesmoranhat.org/</a>
- Department of library, ST Thomas' college, Thrissur is going to organize a three days national conference on "Librarianship: Information: Management" from December 7-9, 2017 at Menachery Hall St. Thomas' College, Thrissur. The Details of the conference are available at: <a href="http://stthomas.ac.in">http://stthomas.ac.in</a>
- Chandigarh Librarians' Association (CLA) in collaboration with Dev Samaj College for Women, Chandigarh is going to organize a one day national conference on "Libraries of the Future" on December 8, 2017 at Dev Samaj College, for Women, Chandigarh. The Details of the conference are available at: http://www.dscw45.com/
- Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Library, MSU, Tamil Nadu is going to organize a one day national workshop on "Electronic Resources for Effective Learning, Teaching and Research: Make It Easy" on December 9, 2017 at Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Library MSU, Tamil Nadu. The details of the workshop are available at: <a href="http://msuniv.ac.in/">http://msuniv.ac.in/</a>
- INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar, is going to organize a three days training program on *"Shodhganga"* from December 13-15, 2017 at INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar. The details of the training program are available at: <a href="https://www.inflibnet.ac.in">https://www.inflibnet.ac.in</a>

- Department of Library and Information Science, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata is going to organize a one day national seminar on "Best Practices in Scholarly Communication & Library Services" on December 22, 2017 at Department of Library and Information Science, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata. The details of the seminar are available at: http://rbu.ac.in/
- INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar, is going to organize a three days training program on *"Organizing Research with Reference Management Tools"* from December 27-29, 2017 at INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar. The details of the training program are available at: <a href="https://www.inflibnet.ac.in">https://www.inflibnet.ac.in</a>
- Department Library & Information Science, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam is going to organize a one day national conference on "Library and Information Science (NCLIS 2017)" on December 27, 2017 at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam. The details of the conference are available at: <a href="http://andhrauniversity.edu.in">http://andhrauniversity.edu.in</a>
- All India Shri Shivaji Memorial Society's (AISSMS),
  College of Engineering, Pune is going to organize a
  five days International workshop on "Information
  Management for research and education oriented
  Libraries" from December 18-22, 2017 at AISSMS
  College of Engineering, Pune. The details of the
  workshop are available at: <a href="http://aissmscoe.com/">http://aissmscoe.com/</a>

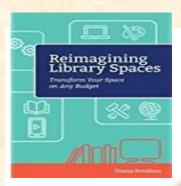
### January, 2018

Department of Library and Information Science,
 Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala, Tripura is
 going to organize a three days national conference on
 "Future and Prospects of Public Library: Role of
 Information Communication and Technology" from
 January 4-6, 2018 at Maharaja Bir Bikram
 University, Agartala, Tripura. The details of the
 conference are available at:
 <a href="http://www.mbbuniversity.ac.in/">http://www.mbbuniversity.ac.in/</a>

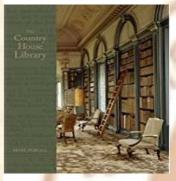
### February, 2018

 Anna Centenary Library, Chennai is going to organize a two days national conference on "Global Trends and Innovations in Libraries and Information Centres" from February 2-3, 2018 at Anna Centenary Library, Chennai. The details of the workshop are available at: http://www.annacentenarylibrary.org/

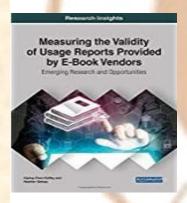
# Book Publications



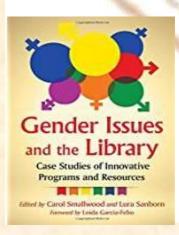
The book entitled "*Reimagining Library Spaces*" authored by Diana Rendina (Media specialist/teacher librarian at Stewart Middle Magnet School in Tampa, Florida) has been published by International Society for Technology in Education (November 9, 2017) with ISBN: 978-1564843913 and 150 pages.



The book entitled "*The Country House Library*" authored by Mark Purcell (Deputy Director of Cambridge University Library and the former libraries curator to the National Trust) has been published by Yale University Press (October 31, 2017) with ISBN: 978-0300227406 and 352 pages.



The book entitled "Measuring the Validity of Usage Reports Provided by E-Book Vendors: Emerging Research and Opportunities" authored by Aiping Chen-Gaffey (Bibliographic Services Librarian at Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania) and Heather Getsay (Resource Acquisitions Librarian at Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania) has been published by IGI Global (October 31, 2017) with ISBN: 978-1522532385 and 130 pages.



The book entitled "Gender Issues and the Library: Case Studies of Innovative Programs and Resources" authored by Carol Smallwood, (Recipient of multiple Pushcart nominations, and author of journal articles as well as editor of numerous books including one in Poets & Writers Magazine List of Best Books for Writers) and Lura Sanborn (Instruction & research librarian at St. Paul's School in Concord, New Hampshire) has been published by McFarland (November 6, 2017) with ISBN: 978-1476664736 and 233 pages.

### List of New ILA Members: October - November, 2017

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CL-12418	Vivek Kumar	Life Member	Central
CL-12419	Alok Kumar	Life Member	Central
SAA-12421	Akella N V S S R Syamala Rao	Associate	Southern
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WL-12424	Umesh Ashokrao Khadse	Life Member	Western
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NL-12426	Navjyoti Dhingra	Life Member	Northern
CA-12427	Mohammad Rasheed	Association	Central
WL-12428	Arulpragasam Padmanabhan	Life Member	Western
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## List of ILA Publications

• 61st ILA International Conference Proceedings on, Sustaining the Excellence: Transforming Libraries through Technology, Innovation and Value added Services in Google Era' edited by Prof. B.Ramesha, Dr. D V Singh, Dr. Pardeep Rai, Sh. Nilesh N Soni, Dr. N.S.Shokeen, Dr. Hemavathi B.N., Dr. O.N.Chaubey, and Dr. Pravin Kr. Choudhary Rs.2500, US\$ 150.

- 60. ILA International Conference Proceedings on ,Embedded Librarianship and Technological Challenges of the Digital Age' edited by Prof. B.Ramesha, Dr. Pardeep Rai, Dr. Raj Kumar, Dr. Hemavathi B.N., Dr. O.N.Chaubey, Dr. Rajesh Kumar Bhardwaj, Dr. Pravin Kr. Choudhary and Dr. N.S.Shokeen, Rs.3500, US\$ 175.
- 59th ILA International Conference Proceedings on ,Managing Libraries in the changing information world....." edited by Dr B. Ramesha, Dr N.S.Shokeen, Dr O.N.Chaubey, Dr.Pravin Kr. Choudhary, Dr.Pradeep Rai, Yogander Singh, Rs3000/,US\$175.
- 58th ILA International Conference Proceedings on ,Next Generation Libraries: New Insights and Universal Access to Knowledge, Edited by Dr B. Ramesha, Dr B.D. Kumbar, Dr N.S. Shokeen , Dr O.N. Chaubey, Dr. Pradeep Rai, Dr. Pravin Kr. Choudhary, Ms. Hemavathi, Dr. Abhijeet Sinha, Rs3000/-, US \$ 175.
- 57th All India Library Conference Proceedings on ,Knowledge Society: Innovations in Librarianship (ILAKSIL 2012), Edited by Dr B. Ramesha, Sh Sanjeev Dutt Sharma, Dr O.N. Chaubey, Dr N.S. Shokeen, Dr B.K. Vishala, Dr Anuradha Gupta, Rs.3000/-, US \$175.
- 56th All India Library Conference Proceedings on ,Public Libraries of Future : Opportunities & Challenges' Sonepat, July 21-23, 2011, Edited by Dr. O.N. Chaubey, Sh Sanjeev Dutt Sharma, Dr N.S. Shokeen, Sh B.P. Chauhan, Sh P.K. Choudhary, Rs1500/-, US \$75.
- 55th All India Library Conference Proceedings on ,Library & Information Science in the Digital Era\* Greater Noida, January 21-24, 2010, Edited by Sh D.V. Singh, Dr (Mrs) R Chandra, Dr O.N. Chaubey, Dr B. Ramesha, Dr N.S. Shokeen, Dr Maliknath Kumbar, Dr Rishi Tiwari, Sh S D Sharma, Rs 2000/-, US \$ 150.
- 54th All India Library Conference TISS 2008 on ,Role of Libraries and Information Centres' Mumbai, November 12-15, 2008, Edited by Dr Muttayya Koganuramath, Dr (Mrs) R Chandra, Dr Sangayya Sirurmath, Dr Mallikarjun Angadi, Dr Satish Kanamadi, Dr N.S. Shokeen, Mr Puttara j C. Rs1600/-, US \$100.
- 53rd All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Developing Library and Information Resources and Services in the Internet Era\* Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh, December 13-16, 2007, Edited By Prof. Jagtar Singh, Shri D. V. Singh, Dr. N. S. Shokeen, Dr. (Mrs) R. Chandra, Dr. Trishanjit Kaur, Dr. O. N. Chaubey, Nirmal K. Swain, Rs.1000/- (Hardbound); US \$100.
- 52nd All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Information Commons: Impact on and Implications for Libraries and Information Centres' Srinagar, Uttaranchal, December 26-29, 2006, Edited By Dr. AL Moorthy, Shri D.V. Singh, Dr. (Mrs) R. Chandra, Shri Manoj Kumar, Dr. S.K. Sharma, Shri V. Srinivasulu, Rs.1000/- (Uttaranchal); US \$100.
- 51st All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Libraries, Information Literacy and Lifelong Learning', Kurukshetra December 16-18, 2005, Edited By Dr. (Mrs) R. Chandra, Shri N.K. Bar, Dr. M. Madhusudhan, Ms. Meera, Shri Krishan Gopal, Shri D.V. Singh Rs.1000/- (Hardbound); US\$100.
- 50th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Knowledge Organization in Digital Environment in Libraries (KODEL): Introspects and Prospects'. Vadodara (Gujarat), December 1-4, 2004. Edited by Dr (Mrs.) Ashu Shokeen, Dr M. Madhusudan and D V Singh. Rs1000/- (Hardbound); US \$100.
- 49th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Responding to Users' Need in Changing Information Landscapes: Sojourn of Libraries from Palm- Leaf to Palm-Top'. Jhansi (UP), December 29, 2003 to January 1, 2004. Edited by Prof (Dr) N Laxman Rao, Dr (Mrs.) Ashu Shokeen, Dr U C Sharma, D V Singh and Dr R K Bhatt. Rs.800/- (Hardbound); US \$100.
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