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Dear Colleagues, Warm Greetings from ILA !!!

We are delighted to invite you to actively participate in the upcoming 68th ILA International Conference on "Re-engineering of Libraries in the context of Emerging Technologies: Myth or reality" jointly organised by the Indian Library Association, New Delhi and Government Jawahar Lal Nehru Medical College, Ajmer, Rajasthan., to be held from *19th to 21st, January 2023.*

Please find the brochure on ILA website i.e. <https://ilaindia.co.in/pdf/brochure68Conference.pdf> . We look forward to your participation. Kindly pass on this information in your academic circles too.

With Warm Regards,
Dr O.N.Chaubey, General Secretary, ILA

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APPEAL TO MEMBERS

Dear Professionals

News from different regions/states are solicited from ILA members and other LIS Professionals for inclusion in the newsletter. News from 26th of previous month to 25th of current month (Ex: 26th July to 25th August) with photographs and brief reports may kindly be sent to ilanewslettereditor@gmail.com on or before 26th of current month.

The news includes, success stories, important and significant current affairs, organisation of functions, conferences, seminars, webinars, planned future events, appointments/career advancements, awards, achievements, obituaries, noteworthy readings, forgotten writings, rare pictures, book reviews etc. Seeking cooperation from all professionals.



The High Court Confirms a Librarian's working experience as Teaching Experience in Maharashtra

The decision of the high court confirming a librarian experience is to be considered as a teaching experience came vide writ petition no. 11352 of 2022 in the Bombay judiciary at Aurangabad bench. The verdict not only quashed and set aside the decision taken by Swami Ramanand Tirth Marathwada University, Nanded by which Mr. Vishnu Manohar Pawar, a librarian who had applied for Senate election in the same university and his nomination was rejected on the ground that he does not possess requisite teaching experience. Before that Mr. Vishnu Manohar Pawar appealed to the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor against the decision taken by the Scrutiny Committee of the University. Unfortunately, the decision taken by the Vice Chancellor gone against him on the ground that he has no classroom teaching experience which compelled him to go to the court to prove that he is eligible to contest Senate election. Dr. Deshpande the learned counsel for the petitioner (Mr. Vishnu Pawar) argued on basis of definition given u/s 2 (61) of Maharashtra University Act, 2016 that since a post of college librarian comes under the definition of 'teacher', the experience of the post of a college librarian is required to be treated as teaching experience. The definition included several post such as Director, Principal as teachers while actually they may not be teaching in the classrooms.

It was noteworthy that other universities like Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University Amravati, Punyashlok Ahilyabai Holakar Solapur University and Gondwana University allowed working librarians to contest the election of Senate. It is also matter of the fact that librarians are covered under Career Advancement Scheme like Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor. As such the court rejected the decision of the university and allowed Mr. Vishnu Manohar Pawar for contesting Senate Election. The library associations like SWAMUCTA and MUCLA (Maharashtra University and College Library Association) played a great role during the trial by providing the necessary documents in support of this decision and professional support to Mr. Vishnu Pawar. The decision is well appreciated by the library professionals for they will be able to contribute more significantly in higher education by holding the position of University Authorities. The victory of Mr. Vishnu Manohar Pawar is not seen as the victory of only individual but a victory of library profession.

The UGC Withdraws the Library Posts from Model Cadre Recruitment Rules for Non-Teaching Library Post of Central Universities

University Grants Commission published Model Cadre Recruitment Rules for non-teaching staff of the Central Universities on 26th September, 2022 in which the post of Librarian, Deputy Librarian and Assistant Librarian has been put and treated as non-teaching posts. The Indian Library Association (ILA) which provides justification and appeals for grievances of Indian Library Professionals took a strong objection to the Model Cadre Recruitment Rules for Non-Teaching Library Post of Central Universities. ILA in its letter to UGC mentioned that the 'Librarians' are treated on par with 'Teachers of the University' in respect of recruitment, promotion, pay scales etc. Even their entry level qualification is same to that of teachers and their academic nature of work is to educate their users. As such, they are called as 'Academic Staff'.

ILA even mentioned librarians' vivid existence on the post of Statutory Officer and Academic Counsel. There was no necessity to create separate Model Recruitment Rules for the Librarians since the 'UGC Regulation on Minimum Qualification for Appointment of Teachers and Other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Other Measures for the Maintenance of Standard in Higher Education, 2018' provides all the justification that support librarians' recruitments and promotion are equivalent to teachers in all universities. The act of creation of the Model Recruitment Rules and putting Librarians in the cadre of non-teaching staff is not only contradictory but violates the guidelines issued by the same Commission.

The ILA also provided the evidence of Librarians being treated as teachers by quoting the documents and notification from various states such as Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha and Uttar Pradesh. ILA requested UGC to maintain the Status Quo and issue a new order that will be in conformity with the UGC regulation. On 15th November, 2022 UGC issued a public notice which mentioned that the positions of Librarians shall be regulated in accordance with 'University Grants Commission (Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and other Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education), 2018 irrespective of what is rules for librarians in Model

Cadre Recruitment Rules for non-teaching posts. The letter has been considered as monumental step to affirm the conformity that the librarians are on par with teachers. ILA has shown a great knack and timeliness to object Model Cadre Recruitment Rules for non-teaching posts. Library professionals all over the India appreciated the timely step taken by ILA.

EVENTS ORGANIZED

Faculty Development Programme on How to Publish a Book?



The Library and Information Centre in collaboration with IQAC of Dnyanprassarak Mandal's College and Research Centre organised a Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "How to Pub-

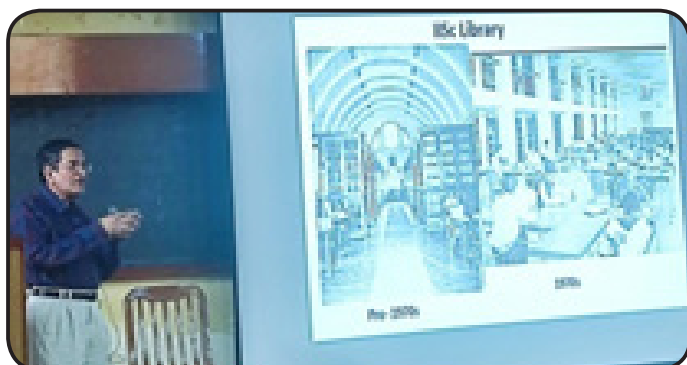
lish a Book?" by renowned publishers on 11th November 2022, with an objective to make awareness among the faculty members about book publication with ISBN and to motivate them to publish their work. Dr. Pramod Khera, CEO of Qurate Books Pvt. Ltd. and Mr. K.R Rajesh Naidu, Relationship Manager of Himalaya Publishing House Pvt. Ltd. were invited as the Resource Persons. Dr. Khera opined that, even though it is a digital era, more than 60% of the publications are in printed version. Mr. Naidu explained how to publish an academic book with ISBN, process of writing a book, publishing it, etc. The speakers enlightened the participants on the importance of publishing books and elaborated on various methods, processes and platforms available for publishing books. Overall 62 teachers from various departments attended this FDP.

55th National Library week celebrations

55th National Library week celebrations (November 14th to 20th) were inaugurated on November 14, 2022 in Methodist College of Engineering and Technology, Abids, Hyderabad. Director of the College Dr. M. Lakshmipathi said that Books create awareness by educating people about various social, economic and political issues. Dr. Prabhu G. Benakop, Principal said that the libraries are a major part of the lives of students. Mr. P. Ramakrishna, Librarian, stated that libraries had played an important role in the society. Later in the day, elocution and Quiz competitions were conducted.



Library and Life: Be a Lifetime Student



JRD Tata Memorial Library, IISc, in collaboration with the IEEE-IISc Student Branch, successfully organised an event on "Library and Life: Be a Lifetime Student" on November 02, 2022, as part of the IEEE University Partnership Program. Prof. P. Balaram, Former Director of IISc, delivered the keynote address on "Hunting for Hidden Gems in Real and Virtual Libraries." Prof. L. Umanand of Electronic Systems Engineering, Prof. Upendra

Nongthomba of Molecular Reproduction, Development, and Genetics, and Prof. T. Srinivas of Electrical Communication Engineering from IISc participated in the panel discussion and shared their perspectives and experiences in libraries, as well as how libraries shaped their careers as students and

faculty. Dr. Suresh Balutagi, Deputy Librarian and Organizing Secretary, as well as Mr. Kundan Kumar, Mr. Aditya Hegde, and volunteers from the IEEE-IISc Student Branch, organised the event. There was a quiz competition, and many students took part and won prizes.

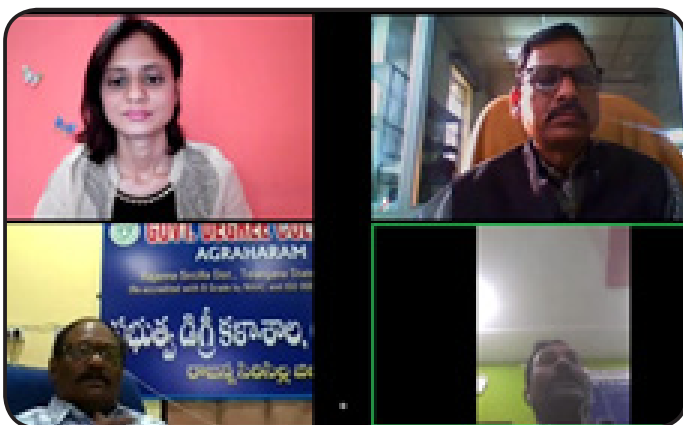
55th national Library Week at IISc

JRD Tata Memorial Library, IISc, in collaboration with the Karnataka State Library Association (KALA), successfully organised a National Library Week 2022 event at IISc on November 18, 2022. Prof. Pradipta Biswas of IISc's Centre for Product Design and Manufacturing (CPDM) gave the keynote address titled "AR, VR, MR: How Does it Matter - A Human Factor Analysis of Metaverse." Capt. Sridhar Warriar, Registrar, IISc Bengaluru, was present and wished all librarians on the celebration of National Library Week. The event was organised by Dr. Suresh Balutagi, Deputy Librarian, organising Secretary, and Mr. Ashish Kumar, Assistant Librarian, Co-organizing Secretary IISc, Bengaluru, as well as Prof. AY Asundi, President KALA, Prof. M.



Krishnamurthy, HOD, DRTC, ISI Bangalore, General Secretary, KALA, and Dr. Subhash Reddy, Librarian PES University, Bengaluru.

55th national Library Week celebrations at Government Degree College, Agraharam



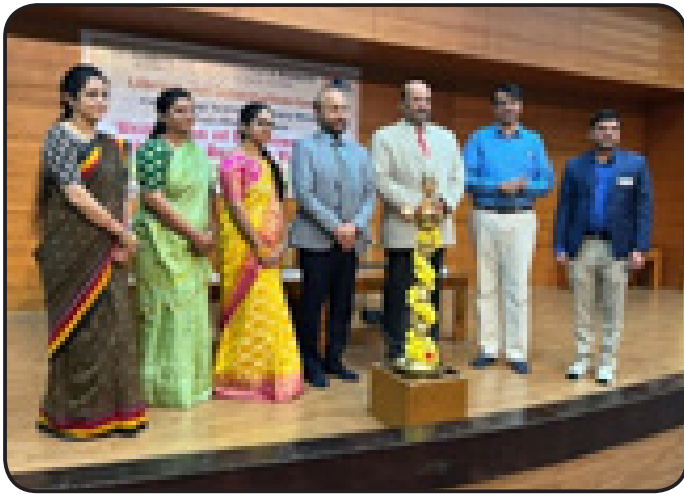
Department of Library and IQAC, Government Degree College, Agraharam in collaboration with BALANI Infor Tech Pvt. Limited, New Delhi have conducted a National Level Webinar on 'E-Resources - gateway to Research' on the eve of 55th National library week celebrations on 18th Novem-

ber 2022. The webinar was organized to help faculty, budding researchers and students in their research as well as their academic research pursuits. Dr.S.Yadagiri in his keynote speech gave a brief account on open education resources and stressed upon research skills, importance of libraries some tips for best academic writings and publications, etc. Dr. V.Srinivas, Principal, Govt. Degree College, In his inaugural address said that libraries are very useful for the society students must make use of this facilities for their academic and research pursuits. Dr. Nikhita Vajari as a resource person gave a detailed overview of e-resources academic writing research skills plagiarism and citations, etc. More than 300 participants from across India from various academic and research institutions which include faculty members research scholars and students were participated.

Workshop on "Utilization of E-resources and Enhancing Research Visibility"

Library and Information Centre, JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research, Mysore successfully hosted 3-day workshop on "Utilization

of E-resources and Enhancing Research Visibility" from 15 to 17th November 2022. The Hon'ble Chief Guest Prof T.D. Kemparaju, former Vice Chancel-



lor, of Bangaluru North University inaugurated the Conference. Dr Surinder Singh, Vice Chancellor, JSSAHER addressed the gathering and elaborated

the importance of gadgets in accessing information resources and stressed on the need of library content access to the smart phone. The Luminaries from the world of academics and business that graced the event included Dr B.T, Sampathkumar, Professor, Dept. of Library and Information Science, Tumkur University, Dr. R Rama Raju Urs, Former University Librarian, Professor and head, HSLIS, Bangaluru, Dr P G Tadasad, Professor Dept. of Library and Information Science, Karnataka State Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapura, Dr Sunil M.V, Librarian, SDM Institute for Management Development, Mysuru, and Dr Rupesh Kumar A, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Library and Information Science, Tumkur University.

National Library Week celebration at ESIC Medical College

On the occasion of National Library Week, ESIC Medical College-PGIMSAR, Rajajinagar Bangalore had conducted a Guest Lecture on Plagiarism Software on 22nd November and orientation program for M B B S students on 23rd November 2022.

Faculty development programme on e-Content development

The Library and Information Centre of St Agnes College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, Karnataka, organized a faculty development programme on e-Content development for creating educational videos related to different software from 27 September to 1 October 2022.

N.V. Paulus, Chairman, of Global TV after inaugurating the Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on e-Content development said that there is a need to digitalize textual teaching and learning materials. 30 participants – Teachers and Faculty, Librarians and Technical Assistance represented by various colleges and schools from Dharmapuri, Tamil Nadu, and various parts of the state – Dhar-



wad, Sirsi, Raichur, Bengaluru, Mysore, Virajpet, Udupi, and Dakshina Kannada were the beneficiaries of the programme.

Book Donation Program to 20 Rural Libraries of Telangana



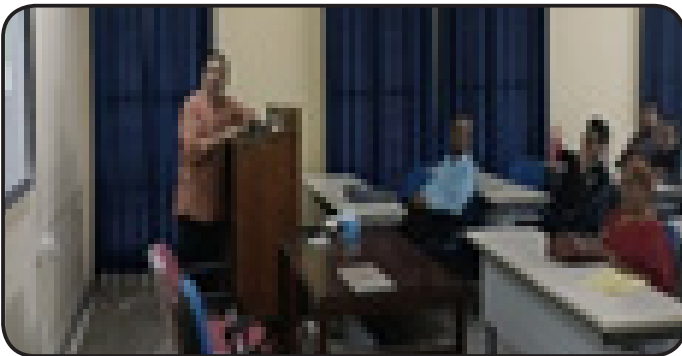
Telangana Library Association (TSLA) organized book donation / distribution to 20 rural libraries in Telangana managed by youth at SP Hall, Keshava Memorial Society, Narayanaguda. On 22 May 2022 Sri G Kishan Reddy, Hon'ble Minister of Tourism & Culture, GOI was chief guest, and Sri Guntha Laxman, National Joint Organising Secretary, Akhila Bharatiya Rashtriya Shaikshik MahaSangh (ABRSM) and Dr Goutham Rao, N, President, BJP, Hyderabad Central District were guest of honor. Sri Kishan Reddy spoke about the various schemes and programs related to libraries. Sri G Laxman spoke about importance of libraries especially for rural people.

National Library Week Celebrations by Karnataka State Library Association

Karnataka State Library Association (R) (KALA) in Association with Sarada Ranganathan Endowment for Library Science (SRELS) and Dept. of Public Libraries, Govt. of Karnataka celebrated National Library Week during 14-20 November 2022. Prof. T. D .Kemparaju; Former Vice Chancellor, Bangalore North University inaugurated the function. Dr. Rajani Jayaram, Dean, Student Welfare, Jain University, Bengaluru spoke on Reading is an essential ingredient in knowledge-gaining. On Day 2 Dr Saroj Mehar, SSIU, Indian Statistical Institute delivered a lecture on A Journey Towards Smarter Library. Prof. Srikantswami; Director, Dept. of Research and Development, JAIN University delivered a special lecture on “Quality Research: Relevance- of Research Methodology” on day 3. Dr. Abhishek Appaji, Head of R&D at B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bangalore; Sri. Aditya Hegde, Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore spoke on: How Libraries Shaped Me - and My Future on day 4. On day 5, Prof. Pradipta Biswas, Centre for Product Design and Manufacturing (CPDM), IISc presented a lecture on AR, VR, MR: How Does it Matter - A Human Factor Analysis of Metaverse. Prof. Naveen Kumar on Day 6, discussed on literature review. Shri M . Krishnappa, Honourable M L A. Vijayanagar, Bengaluru delivered valedictory address on the last day. Dr. Sathish Kumar Hosmani Director, Department of Public Librariesm GOK spoke on Digital library.



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FORTH COMING EVENTS**ILA Seminar – Pragati Maidan****INDIAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**

Cordially invites you to

One Day National Seminar

on

Implementation of NEP 2020: Imperatives for the Libraries

at

Hall No. 03, IECC Complex, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi

(Entry through Gate No.4, Bahiron Road & Gate No. 10, Mathura Road Metro Station)

on

Sunday, the 25th December, 2022, at 10.30 A.M.

Prof. (Dr.) R. A. Yadav
(Former Chairman, AICTE)

has kindly consented to inaugurate the Seminar

Welcome & Presidential Address	:	Dr. Mohan R. Kherde (President, ILA)
Keynote Address	:	Prof. Shailendra Kumar (<i>Guest of Honour</i>) Head, DLIS, University of Delhi
Inaugural Address	:	Prof. (Dr.) R. A. Yadav (Chief Guest)
Vote of Thanks	:	Dr. O.N. Chaubey (General Secretary, ILA)

RSVP

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Registration is free
Programme Overleaf
Entry from Gate No: 4 & 10

Library Technology Conclave – LTC2023

Ashoka University (NCR- Delhi / Sonapat- Haryana) is hosting the 7th edition of Library Technology Conclave – LTC2023 during Feb 15-17, 2023. LTC2023 has picked a highly topical theme, EVOLVING LIBRARY ECOSYSTEM IN THE AI and MACHINE LEARNING LANDSCAPE. For further details please visit the conclave portal, <ltc2023.org>

National Workshop on Open Source Solutions for Library Management in Digital Era

National Workshop on Open Source Solutions for Library Management in Digital Era from 4th – 8th January 2023 will be organized by School of Studies in Library and Information Science, Jiwaji University, Gwalior Sponsored by Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation (Autonomous organisation, Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India).

LINK OF GOOGLE FORM <https://forms.gle/mZ16tz9cwTsgAvZx5>

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5th NACML 2023

5th NACML 2023 – National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries: User Centric Library Systems and Services: Trends and Challenges will be organized from February 3-4, 2023 at MAHE, Manipal. Authors can submit their full papers through an e-mail attachment to lisconference@manipal.edu For Further information contact: Dr. Mahabaleshwara Rao Conference Co-ordinator - 5th NACML - 2023 KMC Health Sciences Library Manipal Academy of Higher Education Manipal-576 104, Karnataka Ph: 0820 2922609; M: 9964498288 e-Mail: lisconference@manipal.edu

National Conference on Smart Libraries

The National Conference on Smart Libraries from 10th -11th March 2023 hosted by CMS Business School, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University), Bangalore. Please click here more details <https://www.jainuniversity.ac.in/pdf/national-conference-on-smart-libraries.pdf>

International Conference on Academic Libraries (ICAL-2023)

Delhi University Library System will be holding the International Conference on Academic Libraries (ICAL-2023) from 5-8 April, 2023. Further details on this mega academic event is available on the conference brochure and website at <https://crl.du.ac.in/ical2023> Proposals are invited for research

papers and reviewers for the ICAL2023. There will be special provisions for the budding researchers. Proposals be sent to icalsecretariat@admin.du.ac.in Contact: Dr. Rajesh Singh Organising Secretary ICAL-2023

ISKO UK Conference 2023

ISKO UK Conference 2023 on Knowledge Organization and Information Discovery: Improving User Experience, Quality and Trust will be organized at Glasgow, 24-25 July 2023. Contact: conference@iskouk.org

Please visit Conference website: <https://www.iskouk.org/conf2023>;
Call for Papers: <https://www.iskouk.org/conf2023/cfp>

INDIAN LIBRARY CONGRESS

The Indian Library Congress is scheduled to be held at Kannur from 1-3 January 2023. The Congress aims at a scholarly assessment of the local and global experience in the functioning of libraries. The focus is on formulating an active strategy to assess the prospects and address the present and future challenges. <http://peoplesmission.in/call-for-papers/>. For details please contact: Dr. P. Mohandas: Convenor, Academic Committee,

Mobile No.: 9447755381 Home page: <http://peoplesmission.in>

To register click <http://pmsd.in/ILC/backend/web/library-registration/new-registration>

TECHNOLOGY

Shodh-Chakra

Shodh-Chakra is an initiative of Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) Centre under the guidance of University Grants Commission (UGC) to help the academic community during their research life cycle. Shodh-Chakra provides a unique space to the researcher, guide/supervisor and university to manage the research lifecycle of a research scholar. This will work as a digital workspace wherein researchers can collect, store, organize and cite their research work. The Shodh-Chakra would help researchers to create their profile and manage their preferences. The process of using the portal starts with signing an MoU between University and INFLIBNET Centre. The university/institute has to provide valid information of the researcher and supervisor. Further, researcher can login into system and avail the features of Shodh-Chakra. The system will generate login credentials to researchers, supervisors and universities.

Objectives

- To provide consistent support to the researchers;
- To provide single point access to all the research needs of higher education institutions in India;
- To provide dedicated platform for search, store, organize and manage literature;
- To supply bibliographic information of millions of scholarly communications through the single platform;
- To provide research support to the academic community by amplifying the latest tools for conducting research;
- To empower and educate research scholars in conducting research work;
- To provide interactive platform between guide and researcher;
- To provide single point access to view research activity of all research scholars;
- To understand the research trend across the universities;
- To provide a single portal for managing researcher, guide, and university's research activity;

Features and Functions:

- The Shodh-Chakra creates and maintains research profile of scholar(s) & guide(s);
- It provides access to more than 3.5 lakhs full-text theses;
- It helps researcher(s) to find out relevant literature from millions of scholarly articles from Shodhganga, Google Scholar, IRINS, Crossref and other databases;
- Store, collect, organize and manage scholarly resources in a personalized resource space known as My Library;

PHD AWARDED

Dr. C. Kasimani, ILA Life Member and Library and Information Assistant, Anna Centenary Library, Kotturpuram, Chennai-600085 was awarded Ph D for the thesis on “User satisfaction of public libraries: A study with special reference to Chennai from Periyar University Salem. Dr N Rajendran was the guide.

Mr. V.Venkateshwarlu who is working as a Librarian in the Government Degree College Agraharam, RajannaSircilla District, Telangana has been award-

ed with Ph.D. Doctorate in Library and Information Science from the prestigious Osmania University, Hyderabad. He has submitted his Ph.D. Thesis entitled “Library Resources and Services of Government Degree Colleges in Telangana State: A Study” under the supervision of Dr.S. Yadagiri, Associate Professor of Library & Information Science, Osmania University. He is a life member of Indian Library Association (ILA) (SL-11637)

OBITUARY

Prof Girja Kumar (1925 – 2022)

A very senior and distinguished librarian Prof. Girja Kumar has left us. His career started with the Library of Congress. He was founder of Sapru House Library which was a constituent unit of Indian School of International Relations. It later became JNU. Prof. Girja Kumar was the librarian of JNU (1969-1985) during its fledgling years. The university and the library gradually became an epitome of high quality liberal arts education. He was President of Indian Library Association and Delhi Library Association.

Prof. Girja Kumar was a link between tradition and modernity so far as librarianship in India was concerned. He was a great lover of books; and also during his advanced age he started using WhatsApp to communicate with others. He was



highly temperamental and straightforward. He would start a telephonic conversation with the words “Baat Suno”. He was one of the most active user of Central Secretariat Library’s rare book section and IGNCAL library. He devoted his energy in writing a large number of books. His oeuvre include a controversial book on Mahatma Gandhi titled ‘Bramhacharya, Gandhi and his Female Associates’. It has been translated into Hindi.

He will be known for his intellectual stamina and academic rigour. The diversity of subjects he took up for writing books is remarkable. He is better known as the author of the book ‘Theory of Cataloguing’, jointly written with his younger brother Prof. Krishan Kumar. Prof. Girja Kumar has left us at the age of 97 years.

Mr. Vajendra Joshi from NISTAD, Delhi has expired on 18th November at his residence, chandra layout, Bangalore at 6.30pm

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Dutch universities take another big step towards 100% Open Access 25 October 2022

Dutch universities published 82% of their peer-reviewed scientific publications Open Access in 2021. This is an increase of nine percentage points compared to 2020. For UU, the percentage is 80.7%. According to InCites (from Clarivate) less than 29% of papers published from India in the three years 2019-2021 are OA. For a list, please

see <https://doapr.coar-repositories.org/>. Or they can place their postprints (immediately on acceptance by a journal) in an interoperable institutional repository (e.g. the one at ICRISAT, Hyderabad; and Eprints@CMFRI).

A History of Scientific Journals Publishing at the Royal Society, 1665-2015

Aileen Fyfe, Noah Moxham, Julie McDougall-Waters, and Camilla Mørk Røstvik is available for Free download: <https://bit.ly/3Rws1Ne>

Siddu Huded interviews Srinivasan for 'Open Interview'

<https://openinterview.org/> *on the occasion of National Library Week. Srinivasan talks on his inspiring journey into the field of archives. He also speaks on how an archival system may be initiated using minimal resources. Citing the awareness issues about archives as a perennial challenge, he is of the view that there is a possibility to achieve this if

all-round efforts are made and also necessary efforts are made in research landscape of archival sciences in India. He also advices on how one can venture into the archival field.

<https://openinterview.org/2022/11/23/venkat-srinivasan-we-need-to-push-ahead-for-efforts-in-nurturing-archives/>

OA Advocay

Here is something relevant to anyone interested in adopting and promoting Green open access. From Stevan Harnad, the arch-evangelist of OA, who, a few years ago, decided to move away from OA advocacy to caring for sentient beings.

<https://blogs.ch.cam.ac.uk/pmr/2007/06/12/stevan-harnad-on-open-access/>.

Book on history of the Institute of Information Scientists

Here is a book on the history of the Institute of Information Scientists, UK, which about 20 years ago merged with the Library Association to become the Chartered Institution of Library and Information Professionals. It is free to download and share. Evolution and impact: a history of the Institute of Information Scientists 1958-2002 by Sandra Ward and Martin White. <https://sheffield.pressbooks.pub/historyofinstituteofinformationscientists/>

The National Library has been providing Remote Access to its subscribed E-Resources through Access Control Software <https://app.myloft.xyz/user/login?institute=c1263uwrupvor0a60u8gqaene>. Interested Bona fide Members of the National Library (the user may get the membership id/registration from National Library website) after getting the registration id <http://nationallibrary.gov.in/account/register>, who fulfill the criteria, may send the filled in form (PDF) along with supporting documents to the email id readingroom.nl@gmail.com for using the e-resource collections. E-Resources Registration Form http://nationallibrary.gov.in/files/contents/eresource_applicant_registration_form.pdf

The following collections are freely available inside the National Library campus as well as outside bona fide registered members of e-resource collections.

Online Collections <http://nationallibrary.gov.in/files/contents/eresource2.pdf>

Online Journals http://nationallibrary.gov.in/files/contents/online_journals_2022.pdf

Foreign Journals http://nationallibrary.gov.in/files/contents/list_of_foreign_print_journals_2018.pdf

For more details: https://www.nationallibrary.gov.in/home/E_Resources

Open science principles

Please visit for the book on Open Science Principles

<https://www.cni.org/topics/publishing/lessons-for-librarians-in-open-science-principles-and-methods?s=03>

Publications of Indian Library Association

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1	67th ILA Conference Proceedings International Conference on Open Access and Information Services during Post Covid Times : Challenges and Opportunities Chief Editor Prof B Ramesh Babu, Editors Dr M Doraswamy, Dr O N Chaubey, Dr Raavi Sardada during 24-26 March 2022
2	66th ILA Conference Proceedings International Conference on 'Visualizing Libarianship in the 21st Century : Connecting Minds and Creating the Future, Chief Editor Prof AshuShokeen, Prof B Ramesh Babu, Editors Dr O N Chaybey, Dr Dharam Kumar, Dr Pardeep Rai, Dr Suresh Jange at Gulberga University Library, Kalaburagi, Karnataka during 27-28 September 2021 Rs 3500, US\$ 175
3	65th ILA International Conference Proceedings, International Conference on 'Digital Landscape: Re-invention and reengineering of Libraries: Issues and Challenges', Chief Editor Dr.O.N.Chaubey, edited by Dr.Dharam Kumar, Dr. Pradeep Rai, Dr. Mohan R, Kherde, Dr. Rishi K Tiwari and Dr.Gururaj S Hadagali, at SantGadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati (Maharashtra) during 26th – 28th February. 2021. Rs. 3500, US\$ 175
4	64th ILA Conference on 'Transforming Libraries and Information Centres in Digital Era', Chief Editors Dr. Pradeep Rai and Dr.Dharam Kumar, Editors Dr. N. S. Shokeen, Dr.O.N.Chaubey, Dr. Rishi K Tiwari,Dr. Pravin K. Choudhary and Dr.G.H.S.Naidu at Shri Vaishnav Vidyapeeth Vishwavidyalaya, Indore(MP) during 14-16 March 2019. Rs.3500, US\$ 175
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