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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.

Editor

Remembering Past President

Padma Shri Prof. S. Bashiruddin (clicked in 1940 as the librarian of Lytton Library, AMU). Bashiruddin, born in 1902 in Orissa, joined the library of Aligarh Muslim University in 1921, studied Library Sciences in London in 1932 & became Librarian of the Library at AMU in 1937. He is the man behind the present Maulana Azad Library building at AMU. In 1961, he joined Jammu & Kashmir as the Director of Libraries only to later join the University at Jaipur as HoD & University Librarian for two years. He was later invited to head the library of Delhi University & awarded with Padma Shri in 1976. He was the one who started B. Lib. Sc Course at Aligarh Muslim University in 1957 by establishing the Library Sciences Department.

Technology
How Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning are Transforming Libraries services

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Library science is an emerging field that is constantly incorporating new technologies to improve its services and operations. This is an explanation of a new library science technique. By enhancing several facets of library services and resource management, artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML) have completely transformed librarianship.

Improve cataloguing: These innovations enable libraries to Boost Cataloguing Accurately classifying and labelling library resources is made easier by the automation of metadata management and cataloguing processes using AI and machine learning.

Improve user experience: Boost user satisfaction Recommendation systems make relevant content suggestions using AI to boost user engagement.

Understanding user behaviour: Recognizing user behaviour by analysing user interactions, machine learning creates collections and services that are customized to the preferences of the user.

Facilitate natural language conversations: Encourage talks in natural language Virtual assistants and AI-powered catboats help users with inquiries and navigation.

Enable text and data analytics: Turn on data and text analytics. Large text databases can be mined for information using these technologies, which aids in resource organizing and study.

Ensuring digital preservation: Preserving digital information by identifying preservation concerns in digital resources, machine learning helps to safeguard priceless content.

Optimize collection growth: Maximize growth in collections. Artificial intelligence informs resources and assists in identifying gaps and trends.

Optimized Search: enhanced Users gain from Search ML's increased search accuracy in library catalogue searches.

Automated text summaries: Autonomous text summarization Summaries produced by AI

assist users in rapidly determining the value of various resources.

Digitization: Digitalization Artificial intelligence-powered OCR digitizes printed materials and opens them up digitally.

Metadata enrichment: Enhancement of metadata Discoverability is increased by resource metadata that is enhanced by AI and machine learning.

Security: While safeguarding library resources, security AI enhances access management and security.

With the use of these technologies, libraries can adjust to the demands of the digital era and offer more effective, user-centred services while making well-informed choices on resource growth and management.

AI and machine learning's place in library science is continually growing, with even more cutting-edge uses to come.

Short Note
The Role of Blockchain technology in library services

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Blockchain technology, created for cryptocurrencies like Bitcoin, block chain technology has developed into a transformative force that is changing several sectors. Fundamentally, blockchain operates as a decentralized consensus mechanism that ensures transaction integrity while operating as a transparent and safe distributed ledger. Its popularity in banking, healthcare, and other industries has been fueled by its salient properties, which include immutability and the capacity to carry out smart contracts. There are several advantages to integrating blockchain with library services, especially when it comes to rights and digital asset management. Libraries may use smart contracts to expedite lending procedures and ensure the validity of items by utilizing blockchain technology for digital collections. The decentralized characteristics of blockchain technology also present opportunities for improving efficiency and transparency in the cataloging, metadata, and interlibrary loan operations. Libraries may enhance operations, guarantee data integrity, and provide better services in the digital age by investigating and using blockchain technologies. Block chain technology offers improved security, transparency, and efficiency, which has the potential to revolutionize many library services. Block chain is being investigated for usage in libraries in the following ways:

Digital Rights Management (DRM): Blockchain technology may be utilized to safeguard digital material access and manage digital rights. Blockchain-based smart contracts can automate the lending and returning of digital content while making sure that consumption complies with copyright regulations.

Digital Collections' Authenticity and Integrity: Blockchain's decentralized and unchangeable structure makes it appropriate for preserving the authenticity and integrity of digital collections. To guard against manipulation, records of digital assets, such historical papers

or rare manuscripts, might be kept in a block chain.

Decentralized Metadata and Cataloguing: A shared and decentralized cataloging system may be established using blockchain technology. By doing this, libraries would be able to communicate cataloging data more effectively, cutting down on duplication and guaranteeing metadata consistency between various systems.

Interlibrary Loans: By offering a transparent and safe method of monitoring the loaning and returning of tangible documents, blockchain technology has the potential to simplify interlibrary loan procedures. This might improve the effectiveness of resource sharing across libraries and cut down on administrative costs.

Transparent Budgeting and Acquisitions: Libraries frequently participate in cooperative resource-sharing or procurement contracts. Blockchain technology can offer transparency in the tracking of expenses, guaranteeing that funds are distributed and used in consortiums or joint ventures per agreed-upon terms.

Block chain technology has the potential to improve user authentication and privacy. By having a private and secure identity on the blockchain, patrons may access library services without risking the security of their personal information. When it comes to safeguarding user privacy when using digital resources, this is very important.

Open Access and academic Publishing: By offering a transparent and decentralized platform for academic publishing, blockchain technology can help advance the open access movement. It can help ensure that attribution and license information are preserved by making it easier to create tamper-proof recordings of publications.

Smart Contracts for Agreements: Smart contracts may automate many library operations. They are self-executing contracts that have the conditions of the agreement directly encoded into code. Smart contracts have the potential to automate licensing agreements, therefore guaranteeing that access to digital resources is only provided or withdrawn under predetermined circumstances.

Blockchain for Donations and Fundraising: Libraries that depend on fundraising can employ blockchain technology to guarantee financial transaction transparency. The blockchain allows contributors to track their donations, increasing transparency and confidence.

In conclusion, it's crucial to remember that although blockchain technology has the potential to revolutionize library services, adoption of this technology is still in its infancy, and actual applications may differ. Libraries that are thinking about implementing blockchain technology should carefully assess how well it fits their goals and take into account variables like cost, user acceptability, and technical know-how.

Events Organized

One Day Conclave on Library collaboration and Networking

Ahmedabad University Library, in collaboration with ADINET, organized a conclave on Library Collaboration and Networking on October 14, 2023. The event featured a session on "Prospects of Library Collaboration" with Prof. Pankaj Chandra and Smt. Rhoda Bharucha as speakers. The second session, a panel discussion titled "Dimensions of Library Collaboration and Networking," included Prof. Parag Patel, Prof. Mehul Raval, Dr. Subhashree Nag, and Dr. Dnyaneshwar Jadhav. Dr. Fenil Shah led a focus group brainstorming session on "Problem Identification through Reverse

Brainstorming and Mind Mapping," engaging representatives from 18 institutes to address key issues in library collaboration.

Reading Challenges

Ahmedabad University Library's 2nd Edition Reading Challenge, held from September 27 to November 2, 2023, aimed to instil reading habits in students through a six-week program. Participants read one book weekly from themes like Classics, Travel writing, Current Research, Inspiration, Business Buzz, and Social/Economical/Political analysis. The program included two expert-led workshops on Travel writing and Storytelling, attracting 39 student participants.

National webinar on "Changing Horizons of Libraries

Library Association and Sarojini Naidu Vanitha Mahavidyalaya jointly organised National webinar on "Changing Horizons of Libraries " 10th December 2023.
Prof B V Sharma, Director, Anthropological Society of India and I/c DG, RRRLF was the Chief Guest. He addressed the gathering and told the services of RRRLF. He sought suggestions to improve public libraries in the country. Guest of honor, Mr Gangadhar Bokkena, addressed the gathering on AI and how AI can be used for various purposes using various prompts. Prof N Laxman Rao, President, TSLA addressed the gathering and explained the theme and purpose of the seminar. Dr Ravikumar Chegoni, Gener-

Orientation Program on Library Automation in Telangana State

On 20th December, 2023, state level orientation programme was conducted at Tribal Welfare Residential Women's Degree College at Siricilla, Telangana state, India. This program was conducted by Dr, G Krishna Reddy, Librarian of Government Degree College, Jagtial. Participant Librarians from across the state participated in the orientation programme to make use of the importance of automation. This program was inaugurated by Principal of the college K. Rajani. Vice Principal Sudha Sindhu, IQAC Coordinator Rehana Iffath and College Librarian Valdlakonda Rajitha were present.

al Secretary, TSLA delivered the lecture on new concepts useful for library professionals. Prof S Sudarshan Rao (Retd Professor, Osmania University), Sri P Diwakar (Retd Scientist, CCMB) and Dr J Vivekvardhan University Librarian, Central University of Kerala also delivered the talks. Nearly 100 Library and Information Science Professionals participated all over the State .

Workshop on' Writing quality technical papers enhance your research visibility

BLDEA's V P Dr. P.G.Halakatti College of Engineering and Technology, Vijayapur, the Library & Information Centre and Research & Development Cell in association with VTU Consortium, organized a workshop on 'Writing Quality Technical Papers and Enhancing Research with IEEE' on 28th December 2023 at 2.30 pm. The workshop was inaugurated by Dr. Pradeep V. Malaji, Vice

One day workshop on 'Ensuring Research Integrity with Turnitin'

Inauguration of E-Resources Centre at IGM Library

The IGM Library commenced its new facility with financial assistance of IoE and installed 30 state of the art desktop computers "Access to E-Resources Facilities" at the library lounge on 17th January, 2024. This marked a milestone for the IGM Library with the inauguration of its E-Resources Centre and 3M Security System by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. B.J. Rao and Dr. Devesh Nigam, the Registrar.

The programme began with the welcome address by Dr. N. Varatha Rajan, University Librarian. Students, research scholars and library staff were present in the event. The Vice Chancellor addressed the gathering and mentioned that the digital technology and e-resources play a vital role in fulfilling the current information and research

Principal (R&D). Dr. Dhanukumar Pattanshetti was the guest speaker.

BLDEA's V P Dr.P.G.Halakatti College of Engineering and Technology, the Central Library and Research and Development Cell, organized one day workshop on 'Ensuring Research Integrity with Turnitin' on 16/08/2023.
Mr.Avinash Kumar, Accounts Manager, Turnitin, delivered a talk on 'Ensuring Research Integrity with Turnitin' on offline mode on 16/10/2023 to train the stakeholders about new features added to the Turnitin tool.

needs of the students and research scholars. He further emphasized the use of e-resources as a necessary and important change for growth, development and sustainability of academic community. The progress of research largely depends upon the availability and accessibility of online databases and peer reviewed scholarly content.
The event concluded with vote of thanks to the dignitaries and other participants by Dr. O. Sivasankar Prasad, Dy. Librarian.

Capacity Building Training Programme for Public Library Personnel at RTMNU, Nagpur

39th Capacity Building Training Program of National Mission on Libraries for Public Library Personnel under the Ministry of Culture, Government of India has been started in the Dr. A. K. Dorle Auditorium, Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Nagpur University (RTMNU), Nagpur. Dr. Subhash R. Chaudhari, Vice Chancellor, RTMNU was the chief guest of the inaugural session and among the other dignitaries Prof. B V Sharma, Additional Mission Director, NML & Director General, Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation (RRRLF), Dr. Mohan R. Kherde, President, Indian Library Association (ILA), Shri Pradip Ganguly, Secretary, Saraswat Sabha Library, Nagpur, Shri Dipanjan Chatterjee, Project Officer, NML, Dr. Prsahant Kadu, Dean, Interdisciplinary Studies, RTMNU, Shri Ashok Gadekar, Director of Libraries, Maharashtra, Dr. Shalini Lihitkar, Associate Professor, Department of Library &Information Science (DLIS)

and other dignitaries were present.

Dr. Shalini Lihitkar welcomed all dignitaries and participants. 75 participants, who are mainly public library professionals from Maharashtra, Gujarat, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Telengana, Dadra Nagar Haveli and Daman Diu, are attending this training. Prof. B V Sharma highlighted the role of National Mission on Libraries.

Dr. Subhash R. Chaudhari emphasized that we must go to library to inculcate reading habits and libraries to be upgraded with modern tools and techniques. In addition to this public libraries should organize various events engaging its readers for optimum outreach and footfall.

Workshop on "Transformation and Empowerment of Libraries, LIS Professionals and Users: Emerging Trends"

DELNET (Developing Library Network) organized one day Regional Workshop on "Transformation and Empowerment of Libraries, LIS Professionals and Users: Emerging Trends" in collaboration with HVPM's College of Engineering and Technology, Amravati and HVPM's Physical Degree College on 11th January, 2024. Pro Vice-Chancellor of Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University Amravati Hon'ble Dr. Prasadji Wadegaonkar was the inaugurator and Dr. Mohan Kherde, President of Indian Library Association was the chief guest. While the Director of DELNET Dr. Sangeeta Kaul as the chief resource person was also present on the dais. In his inaugural speech Dr. Prasad Wadegoakar said that DELNET makes every effort to provide what the reader wants . He also highlighted the journey of DELNET from Delhi Library Network to Developing Library Network.

Dr. Mohan Kherde as the Chief Guest of the program asserted the basic principles of DELNET which have guided the education system at large, as well as individual institutions. Mohan Kherde as the President of MUCLA Maharashtra demanded that DELNET should have its regional centre in Amravati as it is the second largest hub in Maharashtra after Pune.

The workshop Coordinator Dr. Milind Anasane, Librarian, HVPM's College of Engineering, Amravati thanked all the guests and the management committee of the institute and the entire team of DELNET

A total of 104 librarians, teachers and non-teaching staff participated in this workshop. The one-day workshop was divided into five sessions.

Session 01 :-
The first session was on 'DELNET Networked Resources & Services: Major Resource Sharing Library Network'. Dr. Sangeeta Kaul, Director, DELNET and Mr. Rohidas B. Rathore, Network Assistant, DELNET Coordination Unit, Pune were the resource persons. They brought to the notice of the participant that DELNET Discovery Portal Provides access to 3.8 Crore records and more than one crore full –text e-books, e-journals, through Knowledge Gainer Portal. Dr. Sangeeta Kaul revealed the journey of DELNET and future plans.

Session 02:-
The second session was on Academic Integrity. The speaker was Ms. Nikita Wanjari, Balani Infotech Pvt Ltd. She unfolded the concept of academic integrity to stop plagiarism in academic environment and gave practical demo on Drillbit.

Session 03:
In the third session Mr. Khushal Giri Goswami, Network Assistant, DELNET, New Delhi gave practical demonstration on DELPLUS- free library automation software of DELNET.

Session 04:
In the fourth session, Dr. Sangeeta Kaul gave presentation on Ways to Enhance Users' Satisfaction in Libraries.

The last and fifth session was related to open discussion with participants about promoting library services, readership, footfall and utilization of e-resources. Some of the participants also expressed their views in this session.

In the concluding program of this workshop, Dr.Vashali Caukhande Dean, Faculty of Multidiciplinary studies was present as the chief guest. She expressed her thought that DELNET is very useful to present students and librarians for developing library. Dr.Sangeeta Kaul, Director DELNET; Dr. Anjali Raut In-charge-Principal, HVPM College of Engineering and Technology, Amravati and Workshop Coordinator Dr. Milind Anasane were present on the dais. Mr. Nishant Joshi proposed vote of thanks for this program.

Alumni Meet of DLISc Punjab University, Chandigarh on 23rd December, 2023

Department of Library and Information Science organised Alumni Meet on 23rd December 2023 in collaboration with the Panjab University Alumni Association.A number of Alumni attended the meeting. Initially, Alumni of the department gathered in the department library, where Dr. Shiv Kumar, Chairperson of the department welcomed all the alumni and interacted with them. They cherished their memories of the good old days spent in the department. The interaction was followed by the high tea. After that, Alumni proceeded to the Law Auditorium where the centralised event was being organised. The chief guest at the event was Shri Jagdeep Dhankar, the Vice

President of India and Chancellor of Punjab University. This year, The department honoured two alumni, Mr. Prem Chand and Dr. Kishore Satapathy. During the meeting, Mr. Prem Chand was facilitated with a citation and memento by the university authorities. Some of the prominent alumni from the different departments shared their memories and they mentioned that whatever they are today is due to this university.

Forthcoming Conferences

2024 IFLA International News Media Conference

Organized by the IFLA News Media Section, in partnership with the IFLA Preservation and Conservation Section, the IFLA Information Literacy Section, the IFLA Digital Humanities/ Digital Scholarship Special Interest Group, and the Royal Danish Library–Aarhus University. Dates: 29-31 May 2024; Location: Det Kongelige Bibliotek (Royal Danish Library)– Aarhus University Aarhus, Denmark

The conference planning committee invites proposals for individual papers or panels that address one or more of the following themes: Libraries' Roles in Preserving and Building Access to News Media; News Content in Education and Digital Humanities and Newspapers

7 MUCLA National Conference

7 MUCLA National Conference on Challenges and Opportunities in Adapting Digital Technologies in Libraries is being jointly organized from March 6th & 7th 2024 by University of Mumbai Sectional Council & SNDT Women's University Sectional Council of Maharashtra University and College Librarians Association in collaboration with Indian Library Association, New Delhi at Marathi Bhasha Bhavan, University of Mumbai Vidhyanagari, Kalina, Santacruz Mumbai – 400098.

Interested may submit their full research papers on the theme and sub- themes latest by 19/02/2024. Submit Copy of the paper on muclamumbai7@gmail.com. Last Date of Registration is 01/03/2024. Registration Link: https://rb.gy/s1gqec

Registration Fees

Catergory	Fees	With accommodation
LIS Professionals Non MUCLA Member	Rs. 2500/-	Rs. 3000/-
LIS professional MUCLA Member	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 2500/-
Only MLISC Students	Rs. 1500/-	Rs. 2000/-

Registration fees shall be paid through NEFT / RTGS / Fund Transfer as per details given below: Beneficiary Name : Maharashtra University And College librarian Association Name of Bank : Canara Bank Account No : 110162862894 Bank Branch Name : New Marine Line IFS Code : CNRB0001389 MICR Code : 400015053

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Book Released

Joseph Immanuel Thomas and Neethu Mohanan (2024). Librarians Companion to Legal Literacy, Jaipur: Book enclave. Price : ₹1295 ISBN: 978-81-19684-01-4
The book consisting of 14 chapters elaborates upon various laws that librarians need to know. The book also provides a plethora of legal information sources like databases, law reports, law dictionaries, law Universities etc. Reading the book will be a unique experience to all readers as it provides solutions to various challenges that are being faced by Indian information professionals in their professional life.

Appointment

Prof Devika Madalli Professor, Documentation Research Training Center, Indian Statistical Institute, Bengaluru took charge as Director of INFLIBNET from Prof. J. P.Singh Joorel on 16th December 2023. She as also an adjunct faculty, DISI, University of Trento, Italy. Dr. Madalli has extensive experience in teaching, research and capacity building. Prof Madalli has served as a member of the Karnataka Evaluation Authority (KEA) and is a member of the Karnataka State Higher Education Council.

Prof. Devika Madalli

Dr. Madalli has served as a member of the Technical Advisory Board of Research Data Alliance (RDA). She also serves as Co-chair for RDA interest groups on Research Evaluation, Global Research Commons and RDA-SDG group. She is a member of the governance board of DRYAD. Dr.Madalli has served as an expert/consultant to UNESCO, UNFAO, OECD, Commonwealth of Learning and European Commission and has travelled to about 50 countries on professional assignments. She has

been awarded Fulbright and Erasmus Mundus fellowships.

Prof Madalli is on the advisory board of Universal Decimal Classification. She serves as the chair of OpenAccessIndia Working Group. She served on the advisory panel and scientific committees of several international conferences such as SWIB, ICADL, MTSR, SCI-DATACON, LODLAM and ICSD. She serves as a member of editorial panels of prestigious journals such as Knowledge Organization (ISKO), DSJ, Library Hi-Tech among several others and has published widely.

Obituary - Prof Manorama Shrinath

Prof. Manorama Srinath, Former Professor and Head, Department of Library and Information Science, University of Madras, passed away on the evening of 18th January 2024 due to cardiac arrest. She was a life member of Indian Library Association

The ILA deeply mourns her sad demise and prays the Almighty to her soul in peace. For more details of her personalia pls visit her blog Manorama srinath.

Publications of Indian Library Association

Sr. No.	Publications
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.Naiduat Shri VaishnavVidyapeethVishwavidyalaya, Indore(MP) during 14-16 March 2019. Rs.3500, US$ 175
5	63rd ILA International Conference on 'SustainableDevelopmentof Library and Information Science Profession' Chief Editor Dr.D.V.Singh Editors Dr.Pradep Rai, Dr.Dharam Kumar, Dr . N.S. ShokeenDr.O.N.Chaubey and Dr. M.P. Singh at BabasahebBhimraoAmbedkar University, Lucknow during 23rd– 25thNovember, 2017. Rs.3500, US$ 175
6	62nd ILA International Conference on'Gearing up for the future LibraryInitiatives for Digital India' Chief Editors Prof.AshuShokeen and Dr. D.V. Singh; Editors Dr.Pradep Rai, Dr. Tariq Ashraf, Dr.O.N.Chaubey, Dr. Pravin Kr. Choudhary and Prof. P.G. TadsadatKarnataka State Women's University,Vijayapura, Karnataka during 9th-11th February, 2017. Rs. 3500, US$ 175
7	61st ILA International Conference on 'Sustaining the Excellence: Transforming Libraries through Technology,Innovation and Value added Services in Google Era' Chief Editor Prof.B.Ramesha; Editors Dr. D.V. Singh, Dr.Pardeep Rai, Dr.Nilesh N. Soni, Dr. N. S. Shokeen, Dr.Hemavathi B.N., Dr.O.N.Chaubey and Dr. Pravin Kr. Choudhary at Saurashtra University Library, Rajkot (Gujarat)during 12th-15th March, 2016. Rs. 2500, US$ 150

8	60th ILA International Conference Proceedings on ‚Embedded Librarianship and Technological Challenges of the Digital Age' edited by Prof.B.Ramesha, Dr.Pradep 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
9	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
10	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
11	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
12	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
13	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 Sanjeev Dutt Sharma, Rs 2000/-, US $ 150.
14	54th All India Library Conference TISS 2008 on ‚Role of Libraries and Information Centres' Mumbai, November 12-15, 2008 , Edited by Dr MuttayyaKoganuramath, Dr (Mrs) R Chandra, Dr SangayyaSirurmath, Dr MallikarjunAngadi, Dr Satish Kanamadi, Dr N.S. Shokeen, MrPuttara j C. Rs1600/ -, US $100.
15	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.
16	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.

17	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.
18	50th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Knowledge Organization in Digital Enviroment in Libraries (KODEL): Introspects and Prospects'. Vadodara (Gujarat), December 1-4, 2004. Edited by Dr (Mrs.) AshuShokeen, Dr M. Madhusudan and D V Singh. Rs1000/- (Hardbound); US $100.
19	49th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Responding to Users' Need in Changing Information Landscapes: Sojourn of Libraries from PalmLeaf to Palm-Top'. Jhansi (UP), December 29, 2003 to January 1, 2004. Edited by Prof (Dr) N Laxman Rao, Dr (Mrs.) AshuShokeen, Dr U C Sharma, D V Singh and Dr R K Bhatt. Rs.800/- (Hardbound); US $100
20	48th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Electronic Information Environment and Library Services: A Contemporary Paradigm'. Bangalore, January 22-25, 2003. Edited by Dr Pandey S K Sharma, Akhtar Parvez, Dr (Mrs) Ashu Shokeen and D V Singh. Rs.1000/- (Hardbound); US $100.
21	47th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Library Practices for Effective Management'. Warangal, December 20-23, 2001. Edited by Kalpana Das Gupta. Rs.995/- (Paperback); US $99.50.
22	46th All India Library Conference Seminar Papers on ,Quest for Quality: Quality Assurance in Library and Information Services: The Need of the Hour for Survival'. Ahmedabad, Jan 3-6, 2001. Edited by S M Dhawan. Rs. 995/- (Paperback); US $ 99.50.
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