

CURRICULUM OF M.LIB.I.Sc. 2021-22

**MASTER OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (M.LIB.I.Sc.)
(Autonomous)**

**CURRICULUM
(Revised with effect from 2021-2022 onwards)**



**DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE
BHARATHIDASAN UNIVERSITY
TIRUCHIRAPPALLI 620024, INDIA**

REGULATIONS FOR

M.Lib.I.Sc. (2 YEARS) (UNDER AUTONOMY)

Name of the Course:

M.Lib.I.Sc. (Master of Library and Information Science). This course is designed with Lectures / Tutorials / Computer Laboratory / Internship / Field Work / Seminar / Practical's and Library Automation and Software Training / Assignments / Term Paper or Report Writing etc., to meet effective teaching and learning requirements.

Department offering the Course:

The Department of Library and Information Science has been offering the Post Graduate (PG) integrated (two years) course since 2007.

Eligibility for admission:

A pass in any degree or as approved by AIU / UGC / any recognized University and also eligible for the 10+, 2+, 3+ / 10+2+4.

Duration of the course:

The duration of PG programme is two years. Each year shall consist of two semesters, viz. Odd and Even semesters. Odd semester shall be from June / July to October / November and Even semester shall be from November/December to April / May. There shall be not less than 90 working days which shall comprise 450 teaching clock hours for each semester (exclusive of the days for the conduct of University end-semester examinations). Lateral Entry

Course Fees:

Each student admitted to the Master of Library and Information Science degree course will pay Tuition, Lab, Special, Stationery, and computer and other fees as decided by the University from time to time. The student will have to pay additionally the fees prescribed by the University for recognition, matriculation etc. In addition, the student has to pay a sum of Rs.1,000/- as Laboratory Caution Deposit, which would be refunded depending upon breakages etc., at the end of the course.

Board of Studies:

The Board of Studies for academic programme, syllabi *etc.*, will consist of all the members of the faculty of Department of Library and Information Science and external experts including academicians, industrialists and alumni. The Head of the Department of Library and Information Science will be the Chairman.

Syllabus:

The Syllabi for the various courses are designed keeping in view the usefulness of the course to the students for (1) continuation of academic activity leading to research, (2) employability in Library and Information Science, Data Science, e-Content Resources and Information Systems related vocations and (3) self-employment.

Academic visits to institutions and / or industries related to the courses during the semesters of study will form part of the curriculum. The students depending on their performance and choice would either have to carry out a project or undergo training or submit a report at the end of the final semester in an area of Library and Information Science.

From the academic year (2007-2008) **Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)** is introduced in all departments of the University. According to this system the Master of Library and Information Science Course requires a student to earn 90 credits in four semesters. The basic course structure and the scheme of examinations are given in tables that follow. A student has to take five core courses including practical in the first semester and four core courses including practical and two elective courses in the second and third semesters. The fourth semester would be entirely devoted to the Internship, Semester Exam and project work.

Semesters:

In each semester, this PG course is offered in 15 teaching weeks and the remaining 5 weeks are to be utilized for conduct of examinations and evaluation purposes. Each week shall have 30 working hours spread over 5 days a week.

Credits:

The term “Credit” refers to the Weightage given to a course, usually in relation to the instructional hours assigned to it. For instance, a six hour Course is assigned four to six credits, four/five hour Course is assigned three to five credits. However, in no instance the credits of a Course can be greater than the hours allotted to it. The total minimum credits required for awarding all PG programmes is 90.

Examinations:

The question paper setters for the examinations in theory will be from out of a panel of examiners suggested by the course teachers and the board of studies. There will be a single valuation of the theory papers by the external examiner. There will be two examiners for each practical course examination of whom one will be internal. There will be combined evaluation of the students by the two examiners. Each practical course examination will include a viva-voce component.

- i. There shall be examinations at the end of each semester, for odd semesters in the month of October/November; for even semesters in April/May.
- ii. A candidate who does not pass the examination in any course(s) may be permitted to appear in such failed course(s) in the subsequent examinations to be held in October/November or April/May. However, candidates who have arrears in Practical's shall be permitted to appear for their arrears Practical examination only along with Regular Practical examination in the respective semester.
- iii. A candidate should get registered for the first semester examination. If registration is not possible owing to shortage of attendance beyond condonation limit/regulation prescribed OR belated joining OR on Industries and corporate, the candidates are permitted to move to the next semester. Such candidates shall re-do the missed semester after completion of the course.
- iv. Candidates shall submit the two copies of dissertation to the Department through the Supervisor not earlier than 5 months but within 6 months from the date of start of the fourth semester. If a candidate is not able to submit his/her dissertation within the period stated above, he / she shall be given an extension time of 4 months in the first instance and another 4 months in the second instance with penalty fees. The dissertation shall be valued by both external examiner and concerned Supervisor for a Maximum of 100 marks and the average shall be taken. The valuation of Master of Library and Information Science. Dissertations and *viva voce* examination shall be done on the same day by both the external and internal examiners at the Department. The maximum marks for the *viva* shall be 50 (joint evaluation) and the average mark should be handed over to the chairman of examination on the same day.
- v. The results of all the examinations will be published through the department where the student underwent the Course.

Condonation:

Students must have 75% of attendance in each semester to appear for the examination. Students who have attendance between 65% and 74% shall apply for condonation in the prescribed form with the prescribed fee. Students who have attendance between 50% and 64% shall apply for condonation in prescribed form with the prescribed fee along with the Medical Certificate. Students who have attendance below 50% are not eligible to appear for the examination. They shall re-do the semester(s) after completion of the Programme (i.e. 2 years).

Question Paper Pattern:

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks = 75

Section A: 10 Questions x 2 Mark = 20 Marks
(Two questions from each unit)

Section B: 5 Questions x 5 Marks = 25 Marks
(Internal Choice and one set of questions from each unit)

Section C: 3 Questions x 10 Marks = 30 Marks
(Answer any three out of 5 questions and one question from each unit)
(Question paper has to be set as per the **RUPASCE** model)

Evaluation:

The performance of a student in each Course is evaluated in terms of percentage of marks with a provision for conversion to grade points. Evaluation for each Course shall be done by a Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) by the Course teacher concerned as well as by an end semester examination and will be consolidated at the end of the semester. The components for continuous internal assessment are:

Theory

Best 2 tests out of 3	- 15 Marks
Seminar	- 5 Marks
Assignments	- 5 Marks

Total	- 25 Marks

Practical

Continuous performance	- 15 Marks
Model practical	- 10 Marks
Record	- 10 Marks
Viva	- 5 Marks

Total	- 40 Marks

Passing Minimum:

A candidate shall be declared to have passed in each course if he/she secures not less than 40% marks in the University Examinations and 40% marks in the CIA and not less than 50% in the aggregate, including CIA and University Examinations marks.

Candidates who have secured the pass marks in the end-semester Examination (U.E.) and in the CIA, but failed to secure the aggregate minimum pass mark (U.E. + C.I.A.) are allowed to secure aggregate minimum pass mark only by appearing for University Examination.

Candidates who have failed in the Internal Assessment are permitted to appear for their Internal Assessment marks in the subsequent semesters (two chances will be given) by writing the CIA tests and assignments.

A candidate shall be declared to have passed in the Project work if he/she gets not less than 40% in each of the Project Report and Viva voce but not less than 50% in the aggregate of both the marks for Project Report and Viva voce.

A candidate who gets less than 40% in the Project must resubmit the Project Report. Such candidates need to defend the resubmitted Project at the Viva voce within a month. A maximum of two chances will be given to the candidate.

Grading System:

Once the marks of the CIA and end-semester examinations for each of the courses are available, they will be added. The marks, thus obtained will then be graded as per the scheme provided in Table 1.

From the second semester onwards the total performance within a semester and continuous performance starting from the first semester are indicated by **Semester Grade Point Average (GPA)** and **Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)**, respectively. These two are calculated by the following formulae:

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i G_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i} \qquad \text{WAM (Weighted Average Marks)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i M_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i}$$

where 'C_i' is the Credit earned for the course i; 'G_i' is the Grade Point obtained by the student for the course i. 'M' is the Marks obtained for the course I and 'n' is the number of Courses **passed** in that semester.

CGPA = GPA of all the courses starting from the first semester to the current semester.

GRADING OF THE COURSES – Table 1

Marks	Grade point	Letter Grade
96 and above	10	S+
91-95	9.5	S
86-90	9.0	D++
81-85	8.5	D+
76-80	8.0	D
71-75	7.5	A++
66-70	7.0	A+
61-65	6.5	A
56-60	6.0	B
50-55	5.5	C
Below 50	0	F

FINAL RESULT – Table 2

CGPA	Letter Grade	Classification of Final Result
9.51 and above	S+	First Class – Exemplary
9.01 – 9.50	S	
8.51 - 9.00	D++	First Class - Distinction
8.01 - 8.50	D+	
7.51 - 8.00	D	
7.01 - 7.50	A++	First Class
6.51 - 7.00	A+	
6.01 - 6.50	A	
5.51 - 6.00	B	Second Class
5.00 - 5.50	C	
Below 5.00	F	Fail

Conferment of the Master Degree:

A candidate shall be eligible for the conferment of the Degree only after he/she has earned the minimum required credits for the Programme prescribed thereof (i.e. 90 credits for all P.G. Programmes).

University Ranking:

A candidate shall be eligible for the conferment of the University Ranking Certificate only after he/she scores top in the University Examinations.

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Department of Library & Information Science

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Master of Library and Information Science

Courses of Study and the Scheme of Examinations
2 Years (4 Semesters) Programme, Choice Based Credit System

	Subject code	Paper	Inst. Hours / Week	Exam Hours	Marks			Total
					Credit	Int.	Ext.	
Semester- I	P21MLS1	Core Course: 1.1 – Information, Communication and Knowledge Society	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS2A P21MLS2B	Core Course:1.2 – Information Resources Or Open Educational Resources	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS3	Core Course: 1.3 – Knowledge Organization (Theory) - Classification and Cataloguing	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS4P	Core Course: 1.4 – Knowledge Organization (Practice - I) - DDC/CC	6	3	4	40	60	100
	P21MLS5	Core Course:1.5 –Information Technology in Libraries (Theory)	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21VAC1*	Value Added Course:1.6 Quality Assurance in Libraries	3	3	2	25	75	100
Semester- II	P21MLS6	Core Course: 2.1 – Management of Library and Information Centres	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS7A P21MLS7B	Core Course: 2.2 (A)Information Systems and Services (B) Academic and Research Librarianship	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS8	Core Course –2.3 Information Processing and Retrieval Systems	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS9P	Core Course: 2.4 – Knowledge Organization (Practice – II): – AACR-II and UDC	6	3	4	40	60	100
	P21MLS10A P21MLS10B	2.5 – Elective (any one) A. Soft Skills B. Information Literacy	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21VAC2*	Value Added Course: 2.6 - Research Ethics and Metrics	3	3	2	25	75	100
Semester- III	P21MLS11A P21MLS11B	Core Course: 3.1- Research Methods and Techniques or Scholarly Communications	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS12A P21MLS12B	Core Course: 3.2 – Digital Library and Web Technology Or Swayam course offered during the semester)	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS13P	Core Course: 3.3 Information Technology in Libraries: Practice (Automation, Repositories, CMS)	6	3	4	40	60	100

	P21MLS14A P21MLS14B P21MLS14C	Elective course: 3.4 a. Web based Information Services (or) b. E – Publishing c. EDC Paper offered by Other Departments	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS15A P21MLS15B	Elective course: 3.5 a. Green Library Technology (or) b. Electronic Resource Management System	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21VAC3*	Value Added Course : 3.6: - Heritage Documentation	3	3	2	25	75	100
Semester- IV	P21MLS16	Core Course: 4.1 – Knowledge Management	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS17	Core Course: 4.2 - Internship and Field Work Project (Internship and Field work Report Valuation = 60 Marks]-Viva= 40 Marks)	6	-	8	-	-	100
	P21MLS18P	Core Course: 4.3 Project and Dissertation = 80 Marks Viva= 20 Marks	-	-	10	-	-	100
	P21MLS19A P21MLS19B	Elective course: 4.4 a. Marketing of Information Products and Services (or) b. Intellectual Property Rights	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21MLS20A P21MLS20B	Elective course: 4.5 a. Informetrics and Scientometrics (or) b. Corporate Information System	6	3	4	25	75	100
	P21VAC4*	Value Added Course : 4.6:- MOOC (Massive Open Online Course)	3	3	2	25	75	100
	Total Credits					(90+8)		2400

(Applicable to Candidates admitted from the Academic Year 2021 onwards)

***Value added course (optional are not to be calculated for CGPA)**

Programme Outcomes

- Awarding Professional Post Graduate Degree in Library and Information Science.
- Making the learners to acquire professional Skills, Caliber and Maturity in order to enter the government officers at Higher Education Institutions (HEI) and Research Organizations, NGO organizations and Industry and corporate as entry level academicians or officers both national and global organizations.
- Developing the capabilities of the learners to venture as entrepreneur.
- Getting the learners acquainted with basic knowledge on higher academic and research tools and techniques.
- Enabling the learners to develop professional, personal, communication skills and leadership qualities in order to perform better in a competitive environment globally.
- Motivating the learners to carry out innovative research in LIS field and make users as life-long learners.
- Making the learners to gain social credibility.
- Making the learners responsible to make the citizens well informed through which any common man can utilize information and take better decisions.

Programme Specific Outcomes

- Eligible to become a researcher and to avail the national and international research fellowship in the field of Library and Information Science, Information Technology, Knowledge Management and Higher Education.
- Attain the skills and knowledge on competitive exams, national and state level eligibility tests and other equivalent competitive examinations in the field of Library and Information Science.
- Capability of getting employment as Librarian, Information Officer, Knowledge Manager, Digital Archivist, E-content and E-learning professional, Trainer on ICT, Information Managers and many more positions in Government, Inter Government, Private and Corporate Administration.
- Placement of middle level technical positions in public, national, district libraries, research and the institutions of national importance at state and central level.

- Eligible to become Programmer, Information Systems Manager, Information Analyst at various organizations by acquiring technology based courses such as PGDLKM.
- Attain the capabilities to design and implement Academic, Research and Generic Information Systems for any type of organization to adopt web and mobile enabled technologies.
- Attain the complete professional skills and abilities for organizing information systems and services.
- Prepare to impart training and induction to the stakeholders in order to make use of the knowledge resources optimally.

OBJECTIVES OF LIS IN DOLIS: BHARTHIDASAN UNIVERSITY

Educate and capacitate every Master of Library and Information Science product to demonstrate awareness of the ethics, values, and foundational principles of the information profession, and discuss the importance of information/data literacy and intellectual freedom within the LIS profession and an overall research attitude by helping them.

- To obtain an thorough knowledge about the organizational settings both in hybrid and digital library systems affiliated to Academic, Public, Special organizations in which information professionals practice;
- recognize the diversity (such as cultural and economic) in the information needs of the clientele and employees of an organization and become familiar with matching information/data services;
- to apply the principles to information system and services; design, query, and evaluate information as well as databases and retrieval systems;
- to use the basic concepts and principles related to the selection, evaluation, organization, archiving and preservation of traditional documents and digital information materials;
- demonstrate the understanding of basic principles and standards of planning, organizing, management, marketing, and advocacy involved in organization and management of data/information such as classification and controlled vocabulary systems, cataloging systems, metadata schemas as well as other systems for promoting recall and precision towards promoting user satisfaction; demonstrate proficiency in identifying, using, and evaluating

current and emerging information and communication technologies applicable to Library and Information services;

- use service concepts, principles, and techniques to precisely enunciate and connect individuals or groups with accurate, relevant, and appropriate data/information;
- describe the fundamental concepts of information-seeking behaviors; design instructional programs based on learning principles and theories;
- demonstrate understanding of quantitative and qualitative research methods, the ability to design a research project, and the ability to evaluate and synthesize research literature besides knowledge about plagiarism checker software;
- demonstrate oral and written communication skills necessary for professional work including collaboration and presentations; evaluate programs and services using measurable criteria;
- Identify ways in which information professionals can contribute to the cultural, economic, educational, and social well-being of our global communities;

These competencies are supplemented by statements specific to the school's career pathways.

- The DOLIS/BDU provides structured opportunities and activities for the development of desirable personal attributes and qualities. As articulated by professional associations, the school strives to develop commitment to service, flexibility, leadership, vision, communication, self-motivation, collaboration, mutual respect and trust, independence, respect for diversity, courage, tenacity, critical and creative thinking, professional involvement, networking and personal career planning.
- To have enhanced practical skills in Information Communication Technology (ICT) and also to face the crucial challenges of their application so as to become professionally fit as 'ready-to-work'.

- Capability of getting employment as Librarian, Information Officer, Knowledge Manager, Digital Archivist, Trainer on ICT, Information Managers and such other positions in the Government, Inter Government, Private and Corporate Administration.
- Placement of middle level technical positions in academic, public, research and special libraries at the district, state, national levels as well as institutions of national importance at state and central level.
- Eligible to become Programmer, Information Systems Manager, and Information Analyst at various organizations besides research wings of the IT industry by acquiring technology based courses such as PGDLKM.
- Acquire professional skills and attain the capabilities to design, organize, and implement Academic, Research and Generic Information Systems affiliated to different type of organizations that require the adoption of web and mobile enabled technologies.
- Prepare to impart training and induction to the stakeholders in order to make use of the knowledge resources optimally.

SYLLABUS

SEMESTER – I

Course –1.1: Information, Communication and Knowledge Society

Course Code: P21MLS1

Objectives:

- To enable the students to understand the concept of Information, features of different types of Library systems and Information centres.
- To enable the students to understand the Communication Channels and its Barriers.
- To enable the students to understand the importance of information in the context of social, political, cultural, economical and industrial environments.
- To enable the students to understand the relevance of Library profession.

Unit –I

Information - Definition, Notion and Nature. DIKW model (Data- Information-Knowledge-Wisdom). Information Science and Information Society. Models of Information, Factors influencing growth of Information, Information Transfer Cycle-generation. Impact on socio-economic and cultural Changes and Technology transfer.

Unit –II

Communication - Concepts, Definition, Theories and Models, Information Diffusion, Channels of and Barriers to Communication.

Unit – III

Types of Libraries – academic, public, special and corporate; Functions and Services; Five Laws of Library Science and their implications; Professional Ethics - Qualities of a Librarian; Role of Professional Associations in Library and professional development; Regional Library Associations, National and International Level Associations - ILA, IASLIC, IATLIS, IFLA, ALA, and FID.

Unit -IV

Library Movement and Legislation in India- Model Library Bill, Library Cess; Delivery of Books and Newspapers Act; Copyright Act; Intellectual Property Rights –Right to Information Act; Tamilnadu Public Libraries Act 1948.

Unit – V

Promotional agencies of Library and Information Services – UNESCO, RRRLF; Library Extension Activities and Services; Development of LIS Schools in India. National Knowledge Commission (NKC) and its reports on library's role and development.

Unit-VI

Forms of Mobile communication- Case Study

Selected Readings:

1. Badan (P). Studies on information systems, services and programs in India and abroad. 1993. Ajanta, Delhi.
2. Barua (B P). National policy on library and information systems and services for India: perspectives and projections. 1992. Popular Prakashan, New Delhi.
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22. Stieg, M.F. Change and Challenge in Library and Information Science Education (ALA, 1991).
23. Surendra S. & Sonal Singh. Ed. (2002). Library, Information and Science and society. New Delhi: ESS ESS.
24. Velaga V. & Madhusudhan, M. (2006). Public Library legislation in the new millennium: New Model Public Library Acts for the Union. Bookwell.

Course - 1. 2 (A): INFORMATION RESOURCES

Course Code: P21MLS2A

Objectives:

1. To introduce types of information sources
2. To enable the students to get acquainted with the types of sources of information.
3. To enable the students to evaluate and use the resources
4. To make understand the students on the relevance of scholarly information resources

Unit-I

Types of Information resources – Documentary – Non Documentary – Formal and Informal - Characteristics – Scope. Primary, Secondary and Tertiary sources; Conventional Vs Non-conventional Sources; Human sources of Information – Invisible colleges.

Unit –II

Ready Reference Sources – Types and Values - Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, Annuals, Biographical Sources, Patents and Standards, Handbooks and Manuals, Geographical sources.

Unit-III

Bibliographical sources – Bibliographies: INB and BNB, List of Serials - Union Catalogues: OCLC, INDCAT, NUCSSI, Indexing and Abstracting sources; LISA, LISTA, Indian Science Abstracts, and Engineering Village 2.

Unit –IV

Digital Information Resources: E-Books, E-Journals, Database: Bibliographic, Full Text, Numeric. Electronic Theses and Dissertations; Subject Gateways; Web Portals.

Unit-V

Evaluation of Information Sources – Print and E-Resources

Unit-VI

Recent trends on Databases: India and US, ETD: Shodhganga, NDLI, PubMed.

Selected Readings:

1. Alan Poulter, Gwyneth Tseng and Goff Sargent: The Library and Information Professional's Guide to the World Wide Web. London: Facet Publishing, 1999.
2. G. G. Chowdhury and Sudatta Chowdhury : Searching CD-ROM and Online Information Sources. London: Facet Publishing, 2001.
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Course - 1. 2 (B): OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

Course Code: P21MLS2B

Objectives

1. To orient the students on Open Education Resources
2. To help students familiarize with open access initiatives of scholarly resources
3. To train on the exploration and use of open resources: courseware, full text journals database, ETDs, Patents, standards and multimedia resources

Unit -I

Open Educational Resources: Definition and concept; Types of OER, OER Policies, Licensing, difference between Proprietary and Open source, Open Vs Free resources.

Unit-II

E-Journals: DOAJ, OAJSE, Indian Academy of Science, High wire, NISCAIR Online Periodicals, PLOS journals, Repository E-Books: DOAB, Audio Books, Audible Books, National Digital Library of India (NDL), OER Common, Project Gutenberg, Forgottenbooks.com, Utah Open Textbook, E-Pustakalaya-open access-commercial publishers

Unit – III

Courseware: National and International Initiatives; Sakshat Portal, MIT open Courseware, NPTEL, CEDT, SciGate, Khan Academy, MERLOT, NIOS, e-GyanKosh, e-PGPathshala and Swayam.

Unit- IV

Institutional Repository: Open DOAR, ROAR, OAJSE, National Repository of Open Educational Resources (NROER).

Unit-V

Development of Open educational resources in India- National Digital Library of India, NCERT, IGNOU, NSDL, Tamilnadu Digital Library, TKDL – Traditional Knowledge Digital Library.

Unit-VI

Case Study - National and International Repositories.

Web Links

1. <https://www.oercommons.org/>
2. <https://doaj.org/>
3. <http://www.oajse.com/>
4. <http://www.ias.ac.in/>
5. <http://nopr.niscair.res.in/>
6. <http://www.doabooks.org/>
7. <http://www.olenepal.org/e-pustakalaya/>
8. <http://www.sakshat.ac.in/>
9. <http://nptel.ac.in/>
10. <https://www.merlot.org/merlot/index.html>

Learning outcome

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Acquired knowledge on open access policy and its impact on academic community
2. Gained knowledge and academic participation in scholarly open access information systems
3. Attained the capabilities of exploring international and national scholarly open access databases
4. Acquired knowledge on academic participation with open access initiatives
5. Acquired knowledge about information literacy of scholarly open access information systems at national and international
6. Become members of national and international digital library initiatives
7. Understood the importance of heritage and cultural documentation
8. Learnt the skills on preparation of scholarly content and contribute to the public domain.

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Course - 1.3: KNOWLEDGE ORGANIZATION (THEORY) - CLASSIFICATION AND CATALOGUING

Course Code: P21MLS3

Objectives:

1. To enable the students to understand the concept of knowledge organization.
2. To know the basic concepts of Information Retrieval Systems
3. To understand the importance of various Information Retrieval Systems and techniques
4. To enable students to acquaint with different classification schemes, cataloguing codes and to know various standard bibliographic formats.

Unit - I

Universe of Knowledge: Structure and Attributes-Modes of Formation of Subjects

Unit-II

General theory of Library Classification: Devices of Zone Analysis; Normative Principles and their applications; Canons and Facet Analysis; Fundamental Categories, Systems and Specials

Unit – III

Schemes of Library Classification: Introduction, Features and Application- CC, DDC, UDC and LC; BSO - the Broad System of Ordering.

Unit –IV

Cataloguing: Purpose, structure, types; normative principles, Canons & Laws; Standard Codes of Cataloguing – CCC and AACR 2; Copy Cataloguing.

Unit – V

Subject cataloguing –Subject Heading lists - SLISH, LCSH. Bibliographic Control –ISBD(G) and UBC.

Unit-VI

Trends in classification: Automatic classification, Classification in online system and Web; Knowledge Organization for Digital Libraries; Ontologies; Advancement study for LOC, Online DDC,

Selected Readings;

1. Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules. (1988). 2nd rev. ed. Chicago: American Library Association.
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- ## Course Outcome

1. Gained knowledge about the concepts of knowledge organization.
2. Learnt the basic tools of Knowledge Organization
3. Acquired capabilities of various KO systems and techniques
4. Exposure on classification schemes, cataloguing codes and standard bibliographic formats.
5. Acquired the knowledge on the online classification schemes
6. Acquired the theoretical knowledge on classifying the print and electronic resources
7. Gained the knowledge of SLSH (Sears list of Subject Headings)
8. Gained the knowledge about the theoretical background to cataloguing of different types of documents including print and non print, electronic and micro documents.

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Course - 1.4: KNOWLEDGE ORGANIZATIONS - I (Practice):
CLASSIFICATION – DDC / CC
Course Code: P21MLS4P

Objective:

To help students practice library classification of documents by assigning the call number using CC and DDC schedules.

Exercise

Classification of titles of Books and periodicals according to CC (6th Edition)

Classification of titles of Books and periodicals according to DDC (22nd Edition)

Selected Readings

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Learning Outcome

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Gained practical knowledge to classify the documents using CC and DDC
2. Become thorough with the classification rules and apply relevant principles on document and knowledge classification
3. Attained knowledge how to get online support for classifying the documents
4. Earned skills how to organize the documents in a classified order
5. Earned skills for classifying all documents including non book materials and micro documents

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Course - 1.5: Information Technology in Libraries

Course Code: P21MLS5

Objectives:

1. Help students to learn the basic concepts of Information Technology
2. To train the students in applying Information Technology to library routines and services in Libraries and Information Centers.
3. To understand the concepts of Networking, DBMS and Web Technology.

Unit -I

Information Technology: Concept, Definition and Components, Types of Computers; Components of a computer: CPU, Storage, I/O Devices, Network Architecture, Client-Server and Web-Clients

Unit -II

Introductory level: Cloud computing: Basics - concept and definition; types of cloud services. Data Curation: Basics - concept and definition. Linked Data, Data Harvesting. Big data: Basics – concept and definition.

Unit –III

Computer Software: System Software and Application Software; Programming Concepts: Open source and Propriety, Operating Systems: Windows, LINUX and Mobile based Operating System.

Unit –IV

Data Security: Network Security, Firewalls, Cryptographic Techniques, Anti-virus software, Anti spyware, Intrusion Detection System.

Unit –V

Office Management tools: Word Processing: fixing footnotes and endnotes, Spreadsheet, Presentation Software and Access.

Unit-VI

Recent trends in Database Management in Libraries, Latest development of Mobile Apps in Libraries

Selected Readings:

1. Arvind Kumar. Ed. Information Technology For All (2 Vols.) New Delhi, Anmol, 2006
2. Bansal, S.K. Information Technology and Globalisation, New Delhi: A.P.H. Publishing corporation, 2005.
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4. Deeson, Eric. Managing with Information Technology, Great Britain, Kogan page Ltd. 2000.

Course - 1.6: Quality Assurance in Libraries

Course Code: P21VAC1

Objectives:

The purpose of this study is to generally examine the implementation of quality assurance in libraries and library system. Specifically the objectives are to:

1. Determine the extent to which the information resources and services available in Academic libraries are relevant to the teaching, learning, research and community services functions.
2. Identify the quality assurance mechanisms available and used in the libraries.

UNIT-I

Quality Assurance concept; Need and purpose; challenges

UNIT-II

Quality assurance in libraries; Quality parameters; Quality assurance framework; Enhancement of Quality; Methods to Ensure Quality.

UNIT-III

SERVQUAL; LIBQUAL; ISO Standards; Academic Library Standards; Quality assurance implications for Libraries; Quality Assurance Assessment and its Mechanism.

UNIT-IV

Library National Indicators; NAAC; NBA; NIRF; Quality Assurance and Academic Libraries; Quality Assurance Issues in Libraries; Implementation of Quality Assurance and IT in Academic Libraries.

UNIT-V

Library Standards International - Trainers Higher Education (THE) Ranking, and Quindar Scanning System (QSS) World Ranking.

UNIT-VI

Case studies on best practices in libraries.

Selected Readings:

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SEMESTER –II

Course - 2.1: MANAGEMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTRES - Course Code: P21MLS6

Objectives:

1. To know the Concept of Finance Management and its Evolution
2. To understand the various managerial operations of Library and Information Centers
3. To apply the relevant management techniques in modern Library and Information Centers
4. To impart the techniques of library routines both physical and online environment
5. To teach Financial Management and Human Resource Management practices in libraries.

Unit - I

Management: Concept, Definition, Scope, Principles and Functions of Management; Schools of Management Thought; Systems Analysis and Design

Unit- II

Planning and planning strategies: Library Planning - Concept, Definition, Need, Types and Steps in Planning – MBO.

Unit-III

Human Resource Management: Concept, Need, Purpose and Functions; Job Description and Job Analysis – Selection, Recruitment, Staff Formula, Training and Development, Leadership – Team building – Motivation and Decision Making; Total Quality Management.

Unit-IV

Financial Management: Planning and Control – Resource Generation. Budget: Types and Budgetary Control Techniques – Cost Effective and Cost Benefit Analysis in Libraries.

Unit-V

Resource Management: Collection development: Print and digital – Policy, Issues; Library Routines, Circulation, Maintenance Preservation and Conservation - Evaluation.

Unit-VI

Case Study- Bharathidasan University, National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli, Indian Institute of Management, Tiruchirappalli and St. Joseph College, (Acquisition, Technical Processing, Circulation and Periodicals)

Selected Readings:

- Learning outcome:**

1. Acquired knowledge on the concepts of financial management.
2. Acquired knowledge on historical development of management as a science.
3. Understood the procedures, rules and the practices of library routines
4. Understood the system of charging and discharging methods in library services
5. Acquired knowledge on HRD, Budget, planning and their relationship to the library environment
6. Acquired traits on library collection development of both print and electronic resources

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Course - 2.2
(A) INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND SERVICES
Course Code: P21MLS7A

Objectives:

1. To help the students learn the various information systems and their functioning.
2. To train the students on various Library and Information services in different library environments.
3. To give exposure to Online research information systems in various subjects
4. To make aware on existing National Information Systems

Unit-I

Information System: Concept, purpose, types and levels. Components of Information System: Regional, National and International.

Unit –II

Information Services; References Services: concept and definition; Information Alert, News Clippings, CAS, SDI, Abstracting and Indexing Services. Document Delivery Service, Translation Service, Referral Service.

Unit-III

Digital Information Services; Institutional Repository in India; ROAR, DOAR, SHARPA-ROMIO; Web OPAC, EDDS, Citation and Indexing Services; Digital Reference Services.

Unit –IV

Global Information System: INIS, AGRIS, INSPEC, MEDLARS, BIOSIS, ERIC, Patent Information System (PIS), Biotechnology Information System (BIS).

National Information Systems; NISCAIR, DESIDOC, SENDOC, ENVIS, INFLIBNET, DELNET, NICNET, ERNET, National Knowledge Network (NKN), Biotechnology Information System Network

Unit – V

Library Consortia: National and International- Importance and Objectives; Resource Sharing and Library Networks: National –INFLIBNET: E-Shodhsindhu Shodhganga, DELNET and International - OCLC, RLG, JANET, CALIS, SENDOC.

Unit-VI

Recent Trends and case study activities on Documentation services- J-gate- Indian science Abstract- Dissertation Abstract-Mail forum-Online Information Display- Display through Library Websites.

Selected Readings:

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Learning outcome

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Analyzed the various information systems and their functioning.
2. Attained knowledge how to teach and train on the various Library and Information services in different library
3. Discussed the national and international information systems and services in library
4. Discussed to get idea about consortia in different levels and different areas.
5. Attained the knowledge on various sources and services provided by library
6. Discussed elaborately the Digital Information Services; Institutional Repository, Web OPAC, Online DDS, Citation and
7. Attained the knowledge of Library consortia-India; UGC-INFONET, INDEST, N-LIST;
8. Gained knowledge of Library Networks: INFLIBNET, DELNET, ERNET.

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Course - 2.2 (B)
ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH LIBRARIANSHIP
Course Code: P21MLS7B

Objectives

1. To learn the responsibility of libraries to society, academic and R & D
2. To learn about the Academic library and information system
3. To learn the ways of preservation and conservation
4. To learn the planning and management of managing library.
5. To learn the responsibility of information literacy program

Unit – I

Role and Responsibility of Academic Libraries – Growth of University and College Libraries in India – Role of UGC in Academic library development.

Unit – II

Academic Libraries: School Library- College Library- University Library, Collection Development- Technical Processing – Services – Preservation and Conservation.

Unit – III

Library Authority and Library Committee in university and college libraries – Centralization and Decentralization – Budgeting- Statistics – Files and Records.

Unit – IV

Planning and Management: Resource Sharing – Manpower and Staff Formula – University and College Libraries Authorities.

Unit – V

Information Literacy Programme in Academic Libraries – Public Relations in Academic Libraries.

Unit-VI

Case Study- Library Visit: British Council Library, Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Bharathidasan University, National Institute of Technology, Indian Institute of Management, St Joseph College.

Selected Readings:

1. Baker (D), Ed.:Resource management in academic libraries. London: Library Asso., 1997.
2. Baker David and Hutchins John. Resource management in Academic Libraries. London: LA, 1995
3. Biddiscombe (R.), Ed.: The end-user revolution. London: Library Association, 1996.
4. Biddle S F. Planning the University Library. Westport: Greenwood Press, 1992
5. Brophy (P.): The academic library. 2nd ed. London: Facet, 2005.

- ## Learning outcome

1. Understood the different levels of academic library system and their growth and development phases in India besides the role of the UGC.
2. Acquired knowledge about the academic library governing body, financial management, records and their maintenance.
3. Exposed to the principles of scientific management including Human resource.
4. Attained knowledge about information literacy programs and Public relations management.

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Course –2.3: INFORMATION PROCESSING AND RETRIEVAL

SYSTEMS Course Code: P21MLS8

Objectives:

1. To enable the students to familiarize with various Metadata Standards, Digital Object identifiers and Mark up languages.
2. To familiarize with various indexing systems
3. To develop skills of information search strategies
4. To know the information retrieval models

Unit –I

Information Retrieval System – concepts – Tools and Techniques

Unit – II

Indexing systems – General Theory of Indexing languages. Indexing: Pre coordination and Post coordination, Keyword Indexing, Evaluation of Indexing System, Thesaurus and vocabulary control; Web Indexing

Unit-III

Organization of digital resources – Metadata standards – Dublin Core, MARC21, ISO 2709, UNIMARC, CCF and DOI (Digital Object Identifier)

Unit- IV

Query formulation - search process; Search Techniques and strategies in Web of Science, Scopus, BLAISE, INSPEC, MEDLINE.

Unit -V

Evaluation of Information Retrieval Systems: Purpose – Criteria; Recall and Precision and steps in evaluation – Major Evaluation Studies – MEDLARS and SMART Retrieval.

Unit-VI

Recent Trends on structured Text Retrieval Models; Text Operations: document pre-processing (word stemming, stop words, thesauri), document clustering; Linguistic aspects

Selected Readings:

1. Aitchison, J. (1970). The Thesaurofacet: A Multipurpose Retrieval Language Tool. Journal of Documentation. 26; 187-203
2. Aitchison, J. and Gilchrist, A. (1987). Thesaurus Construction: A Practical Manual. 2nd ed. London : ASLIB. Aldershot: Gower
3. Atchison, Jean & Gilchrist, Alan. Thesaurus construction: a practical manual. London: Aslib. 1972.
4. Austin, D. Precis, A manual of concept analysis and subject indexing. 2nd ed. 1984.
5. B. C. Vickery. Techniques of information retrieval. London: Butterworths, 1970.

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Course - 2.4: KNOWLEDGE ORGANIZATION PRACTICE-II: (AACR - II and UDC) Course Code: P21MLS9P

Objective:

- To enable the students to classify and catalogue the library documents using AACR-II and UDC
- Prepare them to efficiently integrate metadata with library OPAC for e-documents.

Exercise

1. Classification of titles of Books and Periodical articles according to UDC
2. Cataloguing of Documents: Print and Non-Print using AACR - II
3. Help the students familiarize in cataloguing and indexing of various types traditional as well as digital objects by assigning the call number using AACR-II and UDC
4. Help the students observe the principles relevant to the indexing schemes while classifying
5. Help them prepare a record of their understanding and performance in the prescribed classification schemes
6. Help them to identify the online support available on the internet

Selected Readings:

1. McIlwaine, I.C. (2000). The Universal Decimal Classification: a guide to its use. London: BSI Business Information.
2. Raju A.A.N. (1991). UDC (IME, 1985): A Practical and Self Instructional Manual. Madras: T.R. Publications
3. UDC: International Medium Edition - English Text (BS IOO0M: 1985). London: British Standards Institution.
4. Universal Decimal Classification: Abridged Edition. (2003). London: BSI Business Information.
5. Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules. (1988). 2nd rev. ed. Chicago: American Library Association
- Lal, C and Kumar, K. Practical Cataloguing AACR-2. ESS Publications, New Delhi. 2006.

Learning Outcome

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Acquired capabilities in organizing the knowledge in the appropriate sequence sharpening the focus of the contents of the document with book numbers.
2. Learnt the knowledge how to Classification of Books and Periodicals according to UDC (Standard Edition)
3. Attained the elaborate knowledge how to Cataloguing of library Documents, Print and Non-Print sources using through AACR-II
4. Discussed how to do Classification and Cataloguing using AACR II
5. Attained the knowledge of classifying the documents using Colon Classification Schemes
6. Learnt the knowledge of information organization on traditional and digital environment
7. Attain the capabilities for retrieving classification system from web resources
8. Learnt the skills of making different classification schemes.

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ELECTIVE – I:
Course - 2.5: (A) SOFT SKILLS
Course Code: P21MLS10A

Objectives

1. Help the Students comprehend the various facets of soft skills and different types of communication as a means to develop their professional personality.
2. Help the students develop leadership qualities, motivation and professional efficiency.
3. Help the students to develop their reporting and presentation skills
4. Help the students to understand facets related to work culture and time management skill, reading and writing skills.

Unit-I

Soft Skills: Concept and its Significance; Communication Skills: What, Why, How? Why Communication fails? How to be an Effective Communicator? Mastering the Process of Communication, Oral Communication Skills, Body Language, Optimistic Approach, Managing Conflicts, Gaining Confidence, Methods of Communication: One Way and Two Way Communication; Verbal – Modes, Oral and Written, Nonverbal Communication – Categories and Features; Formal and Informal Communication; Visual Communication, Telecommunication and Internet.

Unit-II

Listening and Speaking Skills: What, Why? Why we don't listen? How to develop our Listening Skills? Speaking - What is speaking? Accepting invitation to speak, Setting Objectives; Know your Audience, Research the Material, Planning and Writing, Use of Audiovisual aids, Delivering speech, Style of speech and improvement.

Unit-III

Reading and Writing Skills: What is reading? Purpose of reading, Types of reading, Reading ways, 4R Method and SQ3R Method; Writing – Written Communication, Stages in Effective Writing, Styles of Writing – Choice of Words and Phrases, Sentence Structure and length, Paragraph Structure and Length, Principles of Paragraph, Characteristics of Good Writing and Basic tools of writing.

Unit-IV

Time Management Skills: Understanding Time Management, Time Management Principles – Identifying Time Loss, Urgency and Importance, Effective Decision Making, Setting your Goals, and Defining and Objectives.

Unit -V

Time saving Techniques; Organizing Work Space, and Communicating Effectively; Dealing with Stress – Understanding Overload, and Negotiating Workload; Practical Time Planning – Planning your Day, Using Activity Network, Critical Path Analysis, Effective Resource Sharing and Preparing Planning Diagrams.

Unit-VI

Case Study- TCS Soft Skills Course; MOOC Soft Skills Course

Selected Readings:

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ELECTIVE – I:
Course - 2.5: (B) INFORMATION LITERACY
Course Code: P21MLS10B

Objectives

- To enable the students to understand the concept of information literacy
- To orient on preparation of library promotional materials.
- To teach the methods of digital and online literacy.
- To orient on national and international standard and models of information literacy.

Unit-I

Fundamentals of Information Literacy: Concept, Need and Objectives. Historical perspective of Information literacy. Types of Information Literacy: Technology literacy, media literacy, computer and digital literacy. Levels of Information Literacy: Entry level, Mid level, High level, Advance level.

Unit-II

Lifelong learning and its components. Partners of Information literacy. Information Literacy Products: Library Brochure, Database Brochure, Web-based Access Instructions, Information Bulletin

Unit-III

Models of Information literacy. Information Literacy for users. Information literacy for professionals. Scope of Information Literacy Programme; National Programs in Information Literacy, International Programs in Information Literacy

Unit-IV

Information literacy programmes. Role of Libraries in Information literacy. Information literacy instructions in different types of Library and Information centers. Information Literacy for Users; Information Literacy for Professionals, Information Literacy for users, professionals and Research & Development.

Unit-V

Digital and Web Literacy, Study of Information literacy programs in the world. Information Literacy Competencies. Challenges facing Information literacy. Information Literacy models – SCONUL; ACRL

Unit-VI

Current trends in Information literacy, Case Study - Library Virtual Tours, Awareness on Publishers Tutorials (Springer, Elsevier and Clarivate Analytics)

Selected Readings:

1. American Association of School Librarians and Associations For Educational Communications and Technology. Information Standards for Student Learning. (1998) American Library Association, Chicago.
2. American Library Association. Information Literacy: a position paper on information problem solving (2000). available at: www.ala.org/assl.positions/PS_infolit.html
3. Association of College And Research Libraries. Objectives for Information Literacy Instruction: A Model Statement for Academic Librarians.(2001). ACRL,available at : www.ala.org/acrl/guides/objinfolit.html.

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19. Zorana Ercegovic (2008). Information literacy: search strategies, tools & resources for high school students and college freshmen. California: ABC-CLIO.

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Acquired skills on basic search strategies.
2. Acquired skills on search in library OPAC, Web OPAC and Scholarly databases.
3. Understood the concept of library literacy and information literacy.
4. Learnt use of web and mobile management tools.
5. Become familiar on preparation on library promotional materials.
6. Acquired knowledge on the standards of information literacy and digital information literacy.

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Course - 2.6:
Research Ethics and Metrics
Course Code: P21VAC2

Objectives:

1. To make students to understand the concept and relevance of citation and Citation Analysis
2. To teach the students to calculate the citation metrics for individual, researchers and Institutions
3. To teach the students the application of indicators of citation to study the literature growth in different subjects.

Unit -I

Citation and Citation Analysis: Concept, definition, evolution and applications.

Unit –II

Forms of citations, Bibliographic Coupling, Co-Citation, Citation Life – Citation Counts, Self –citation – Citation Index.

Unit – III

Citation Databases: Scopus, Web of Knowledge, Google Scholar and Cross Reference.

Unit –IV

Impact Factor, Discipline Impact Factor (DIF), h-Index, h-type index G-Index, g-h Index, h-b index, i10 Index, z-index, Exergy indicator and Citation Factor.

Unit – V

Research Tools for Citation Metrics: Histcite and Bibexcel, PAJEK, VOS Viewer

Unit-VI

Recent Trends Metrics: Info graphics-SNIP-SJR-ALEXA - Webometric tools, Altmetrics Tools.

Selected Readings:

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After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

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SEMESTER - III

Course - 3.1 (A) RESEARCH METHODS AND TECHNIQUES

Course Code: P21MLS11A

Objectives

- To help students learn the basic concepts of research, types, planning and Methods;
- Make the students become proficient in research methodology, sampling techniques and data collection tools.
- To help the students learn the statistical tools and techniques of analyzing, interpreting and reporting research.
- To Study the referencing and citation manuals and styles.

Unit-I

Research: Definition, Concepts, Purposes and Types; Literature Review: Process and types; Selection and Formulation of Research Problems; preparation of Research Proposal

Unit-II

Research Design: Definition, Need, Types ; Sampling: Methods and Techniques ; Hypothesis: Definition, Types, Formulation and Testing.

Unit-III

Methods and tools for data collection: Survey, Experimental, Case-study, Questionnaire, Observation, Interview schedules and Delphi Technique.

Unit-IV

Analysis of Data: Measures and Scaling Techniques, Presentation of data, Interpretation, Inferences, Tabular, graphical representation; Infographs- Basics of R, PYTHON, SPSS and SOFA.

Unit –V

Report Writing: Components of Research Report; Style manuals and Plagiarism Tools.

Unit-VI

Case Studies-Survey-Information Needs: E-resources usage; Research profile compilation-Library website evaluation, Trends in LIS research.

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Course - 3.1 (B) SCHOLARLY COMMUNICATIONS

Course Code: P21MLS11B

Objectives

- To enable the students to understand the concept of scholarly writing.
- To orient the pattern of scholarly communication.
- To reveal the various forms of scholarly communication
 - To teach the methods, systems of scholarly writing in digital and online environment.

Unit-I

Republic of Science and Scholarship: Foundations of Science and scholarship. Principles and paradigms of scientific culture/scholarship: Historical perspective of scholarly communication systems. Scholarship and scholarly traditions. Study of journals, their functions, working and processes.

Unit-II

The importance of scientific and professional societies in journal publishing; the peer review process; the migration of peer review journals from print to Web-based; Serials pricing crisis phenomena.

Unit-III

Rise of the Internet as game changer in scholarship, communication, and daily lives. Evolution of Internet/Electronic publishing; Web 2.0 and the emergence of Wikipedia; slideshare; YouTube; blogs and others as mainstream media. E-Science, Open Data and cyber Infrastructure.

Unit-IV

Open Access Movement: understanding Open Access concepts, principles, ideology and philosophy of Open Source, Open Content; Open Educational Materials and Open Access to scientific literature; the Green and Gold route to OA. Familiarity with the people and organisations behind the OA movement. Study of Open source software for IR and DL: DSpace; Eprints; Fedora

Unit-V

Copyrights issues. Understanding copyrights. Creative Commons. Licensing issues. Scientometrics and metrics of scholarly communication. Innovations in measuring Science and scholarship. Mapping Science: tools and parameters: usage and influence factors.

Unit-VI

Case Study-Preparation of Research papers for Journals including online journal and Conferences – To choose right journal for publishing

Selected Readings:

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Course – 3.2: (A) DIGITAL LIBRARY AND WEB TECHNOLOGY

Course Code: P21MLS12A

Objectives:

- To help students in acquiring knowledge about the concept of Digital Libraries
- To enable the students gain knowledge about the facets involved in DL design
- To enable the students gain knowledge about DL softwares
- To enable the students gain knowledge about Online and electronic resources and institutional repositories

Unit-I

Digital Libraries: Definitions, Concept, Characteristics, functions and Advantages

Unit-II

Digital Library Components: Design, Architecture, Protocols, Standards and Interoperability,

Unit-III

Digital Library Software: dspace, GSDL and E-Prints.

Unit- IV

Online Databases: E-Books, E-Journals, ETD and Courseware and online Publishers

Unit-V

Institutional Repository and Digital Achieves - Digital Library Initiatives.

Unit-VI

Creation of Tamil interface using D-Space, MERLOT-NPOR-SWAYAM

Selected Readings:

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Course - 3.2B (SWAYAM)
Course Code: P21MLS12B

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**Core Course: 3.3: INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY IN LIBRARIES:
PRACTICE (AUTOMATION, REPOSITORIES, CMS)
Course Code: P21MLS13P**

Objectives

- Enable the students become proficient in the various ICT applications and practices in Library automation and eGovernance and services delivery.
- Provide Hands-on experience with the following Software's:

1: Library Automation Software's: WINISIS, LIBSYS, KOHA

2: Digital Library Software's: Greenstone and Dspace

3: Web Technologies: Weblog; Website; Mobile Applications

4: Content Management: JOOMLA and DRUPAL

5: Scientometrics Tools: Bibexcel, Histcite, Vos Viewer and Biblioshiny

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Gained knowledge about the functions of library automation software.
2. Acquired knowledge in digital library softwares used by Greenstone and DSpace.
3. Attained knowledge of designing web blog and website for libraries.
4. Learnt the concepts of mapping tools for metric studies.

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Course - 3.4: ELECTIVE-II

(A) WEB BASED INFORMATION SERVICES
Course Code: P21MLS14A

Objectives:

To help the students become familiar with a wide range of online web based services.

Unit-I

Mobile based Library Services and Tools – Mobile OPAC, Mobile Databases, Mobile Library Website, Library Apps, Mobile Library Instructions, Augmented Reality, SMS Alerts, Geo-Location, and Reference Enquiry.

Unit-II

History of www – Open Access to databases; Open educational resources; Web portals and subject gateways; Web Casting; ETD, Bibliographic Databases and online Coursewares

Unit-III

Vidwan, IRINS; Research Information System; Profile Management System; Subject Expert System.

Unit-IV

Reference Management Tools: Mendeley, Endnote, Zotero, Reference work etc.

Unit-V

Discussion Forum; Group mail, and online Feedback: Web Blog, Website, Online Reference Service, Online SDI and Online Document Delivery Service, E-reference services.

Unit-VI

Advance study on Webinars, Web OPAC, RSS Feeds, Group mail - Web – Scale Discovery Services.

Selected readings:-

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2. Das, Suchitra. Information Resources on Internet and Information Services in Library and Information Centers. SRELS Journals of Information Management. 37; 1, 2000. 49p
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Course - 3.4: Elective - II
(B) E- PUBLISHING Course Code: P21MLS14B

Objectives

- To orient on electronic publishing and the formats of content organization.
- Enable the students learn the coding and scripting languages.
- Enable the students learn the ePublishing methods and tools including relevant softwares.
- Enable the students to attain proficiency in DTP and related areas.

Unit-I

Content: Types of content. Electronic Publishing: Origin, History and Development, and Trends: Digital content types, File formats, Encoding systems ASCII, UNICODE and ISCII.

Unit-II

Concept and Evolution of Authoring Tools; Markup Languages, SGML, HTML and XML.

Unit-III

Page Description Languages: Adobe PDF and Photoshop. Legacy documents- Conversion from analog to digital, OCR Software and Adobe Capture.

Unit-IV

Electronic Publishing and scholarly communication, E-journals and e-books. Platforms, Standards and formats. DTP software. Delivery devices. Social, economic, and legal issues in electronic publishing. Use and usability issues.

Unit-V

Economics of e-publishing. IPR and copyright issues. Multimedia Content Creation: Data Compression Techniques, Multimedia Files and Formats – JPEJ, MPEG, GIF, TIFF.

Unit-VI

Recent trends on E-Publishing Models and Publishers.

Selected Readings:

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Course - 3.5: Elective – III:
(A). GREEN LIBRARY TECHNOLOGY
Course Code: P21MLS15A

Objectives

To help the students learn the upkeep and maintenance of the physical environment of the library atmosphere in an aesthetic as well as energy saving manner supported by Green technologies.

Unit – I - Green Library – Elements of choice, maintenance, stuff and structure; Library Building – design and materials, Green building resources.

Unit – II- Energy Consumption in Libraries; Energy saving methods.

Unit – III - Conservation and preservation of Library resources through natural and traditional methods.

Unit – IV- Green Technologies for Libraries. Landscapes, Garden library, Environmental Load Reduction

Unit – V- Library Environment – cleanliness, air and noise pollution free maintenance, water consumption, space management, gardening – interior and external.

Unit-VI

Development activities and maintenance on Garden Library

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After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

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Objectives:

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Unit -II

Unit -III

Unit -IV

Resource Sharing and Networks: Consortia- Importance and objectives. Study of Information networks and Digital Library Consortia - OCLC, RLIN, INFLIBNET, DELNET, FERA, E.Shodhsindhu, and CSIR e-journal Consortia.

Unit -V

Components of Information System: Libraries, Documentation Centres, Information centres, Data, Data Banks, Museums, Memories, Publishing Houses. Virtual Reference Desk.

Unit-VI

Current Trends on E-RAMS, Remote Access Management.

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Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Gained knowledge about various reference sources such as print, digial and online.
2. Gained knowledge in e-Resource management
3. Gained knowledge in resource sharing techniques and procedures

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

- Attained the knowledge and understanding about heritage documentation
- Gained skills for developing heritage documentation
- Gained knowledge to attitudes and values of heritage documentation
- Attained the knowledge of Enjoyment, Inspiration and creativity; Activity, behaviour and progression.

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FOURTH SEMESTER

Course - 4.1: KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT

Course Code: P21MLS16

Objectives:

- Enable the students learn the concepts and types of knowledge management.
- Enable the students to become proficient in the process of knowledge management practices in libraries and documentation centres
- Prepare the students' self confidence level to become efficient knowledge managers both in traditional and digital tracks.

Unit –I

Knowledge Management: Concept and definitions – Need, Types; explicit and tacit Knowledge.

Unit-II

Knowledge Creation and Capturing: Knowledge creation model: Capturing tacit knowledge

Unit –III

Knowledge Codification: Knowledge Mapping, decision trees, decision tables.

Unit – IV

Knowledge Management Tools and techniques: Knowledge Portal, e-learning, Community of Practice, Storytelling.

Course Code: P21MLS17

- Internship [in-house] training for a specified period at s University, IIT, IIM, NIT and selected College and Research Libraries. The student will have to work in different sections of the allotted library as an internee for a period of 30 working days.

- Work in a practical environment and to get hands on experience in handling online databases, handling library management software, practical work related to the library resources and services.
- Procurement of Library Materials-purchase policy (Book and periodicals both print and online)
- Process of subscription of journal and periodical both manual & online.
- Processing of Library Materials
- Shelving and Circulation Policy
- Corresponding Knowledge
- Extra knowledge

- Acquired complete professional skills-set matching the expectations of the employer
- Gained professional confidence with a high level knowledge and skills set in managing a library
- Gained skills to acclimatize in different library working environment
- Attain the knowledge about precise enunciation of user needs, information retrieval with precision both traditional and online documents, involve in participatory research with the library clientele, document delivery, user study reports, user education programming and service delivery and statistical report generation.
- Attain the knowledge of library budget preparation and presentation for both traditional and digital environment
- Attain the knowledge of the library technical works and classifying documents with traditional and digital environment; render effective reference service in both traditional and digital environment
- Become capable of supervising and controlling digital library division management, material management, staff management, and overall safety and security management
- Gained sufficient knowledge about internet resources, information harvesting, compilation of online bibliographies and the maintenance of Public Relations.
- Attained the knowledge of organizing information in academic or industrial libraries including institutional repository.

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Course Code: P21MLS18P

Course Outcome:

1. Obtained a thorough knowledge about overall research methodology, identifying a specific research area and an appropriate choice of topic, research design including sampling techniques, identifying the conceptual framework, data collection techniques and the style of bibliographic format.
2. Obtained a thorough knowledge about the emerging areas of research in LIS as well as the application subject domain beneficial to the academic community or the library professionals.
3. Developed the capability to identify the emerging problem facing library services or automation or digitization
4. Developed the capability to suggest optimum solution using open source software
5. Gained the knowledge for designing the research problem and methods of research types
6. Attained the knowledge of collecting review of literature and the procedures to compile a bibliography.
7. Learnt the research report writing skills and presentation skills, also the expertise to write the research articles in LIS area.

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Course - 4.4: ELECTIVE – III

Course Code: P21MLS19A

1. Enable the students learn the fundamentals of marketing, its principles and models.
2. Enable the students to comprehend the marketing strategies of information products and services

Information as a Resource: Economics of Information; concepts and Strategies

Portfolio Management BCG Matrix Model; Product Market Matrix; Product Life Cycle, Pricing Information

Unit-III

Unit-IV

Marketing Plan & Research: Market Segmentation, User Behavior and Adoption

Unit-V

Marketing of Information products and services: Information Industry and Social Media.

Unit-VI

Case Studies - IIM Library, Tiruchirappalli- NIT Library, Tiruchirappalli, IIT Library Chennai. Virtual library portals.

Selected Readings:

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Learning Outcome:

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Attained exposure to the fundamentals of marketing principles and models, Information as a Resource: Economics of Information; Marketing concepts and Marketing Strategies.
2. Gained knowledge in marketing strategies of information products and services
3. Learnt about the Portfolio Management BCG Matrix Model; Product Market Matrix; Product Life Cycle, Pricing Information
4. Gained the knowledge of Marketing Mix; Kotler's Four C's; McCarthy's Four P's
5. Developed the capability to analyze in depth the Marketing Plan & Research: Market Segmentation, User Behavior and Adoption in the context of Marketing of Library Information products and services.
6. Gained knowledge regarding the Role of Information Industries
7. Developed the skills set in marketing of information products and services matching user needs.
8. Attained the skills of information products and marketing based on user demands

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Course - 4.4: ELECTIVE – III
(B) INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS
Course Code: P21MLS19B

Objectives:

1. To know the basics of IPR, Copyrights and Right to Information ACT.
2. To know the various National and International IPR Organization.

Unit-I: IPR & Copy right, Concepts and Issues, Digital Information Rights.

Unit-II: Copy right act: Press and registration of News Paper, Delivery of Books

Unit-III: Knowledge Commission and Right to Information Act.

Unit-IV: Forms of IPR: Patents, Designs, Trademarks

Unit -V: National and International Organization: IPO, WIPO

Unit-VI: Recent Trends in Patent, Database, IPR and Online use of documents

Selected Readings:

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Learning Outcomes:

At the end of learning this paper the students should have

1. Acquired knowledge about the fundamentals of IPR, Copyrights and Right to Information ACT, National and International IPR Organizations such as IPO and WIPO
2. Gained the knowledge about the Forms of IPR: Patents, Designs, Trademarks.
3. Attained the information of Knowledge Commission and Right to Information Act and features of Copyright Act.
4. Developed an awareness about copyright violations and their legal impact.
5. Earned the characteristic of various National and International IPR Organization.
6. Reveals the complete awareness of the Right to Information Act
7. Learned knowledge how to create different kinds of copyright forms for their own property
8. Learned the IPR and National and International Scenario, IPO and WIPO

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Course - 4.5: ELECTIVE – IV

(A) INFORMETRICS AND SCIENTOMETRICS

Course Code: P21MLS20A

Objectives:

- Enable the students learn the concept, theories, laws and parameters of bibliometrics.
- Enable the students develop a knowledge about the citation analysis and operation research
- Enable the students in the measurement of research performance of literature output in a specific field or subject, institutions or group of scientists in a particular domain or a nation.
- Enable the students to use the bibliometric techniques to rank academic institutions on the basis of their research publications during a period of time.

Unit -I

Librarmetry, Bibliometrics and Scientometrics: Concept, definition, evolution and applications in Libraries.

Unit –II

Theory and Laws - Zipf's law, Lotka's Law, Bradford's Law. Price Theory

Unit – III

Quantitative and Qualitative techniques: Types, Multidimensional scaling, Cluster analysis, Correspondence analysis, Co-word analysis, media and audience analysis.

Unit –IV

Citation Theory and Analysis; Definition, Theory of citing, different forms of citations, Bibliographic Coupling, Age of citation – citation counts , Self –citation – Citation Index _ Impact Factor, SNIP, SJR, Cite Score – H Index

Unit – V

Emerging Trends: Webometrics, Altmetrics, Analysis Tools (Hitscite and Bibexcel, PAJEK, VOS Viewer and Bibloshiny)

Unit- VI

Webometric tools, Info graphics, ALEXA

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Course Outcome:

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Learnt the basic metric studies in Librarmetrics, Informetrics , Concept, Bliometrics, Scientometrics, Webometrics, Altmetrics
2. Attained knowledge the significance and theories of citations analysis, various formulae, impact factor of individual scholars and journals, bibliometric laws, theories and metric indicators.
3. Gained the knowledge of Theory of citing, different forms of citations, Age of citation, citation counts , Self citation, Citation Index, Impact Factor and H Index.
4. Developed the capability of undertaking the citation analysis and operation research
5. Attain the knowledge to identify the comparative research performance of research literature output in a specific field or single subject area, individual nation or the development of research trend in a particular field.
6. Gained the knowledge on Theory and Laws of Bibliometrics; Zipf's law, Lotka's Law, Bradford's Law. Price Theory

7. Gained knowledge to measure applying Quantitative and Qualitative metric techniques such as Multidimensional scaling, Cluster analysis, Correspondence analysis, Co-word analysis, media and audience analysis

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Course - 4.5 (B) : ELECTIVE – IV
CORPORATE INFORMATION SYSTEM
Course Code: P21MLS20B

Objectives:

- Enable the students to learn the corporate information culture and library related facets.
- Enable the students learn about the procurement of information and collection building in business school libraries
- Enable the students learn various social media networks, and communication types and styles
- Enable the students develop online communication skills to handle and promote publishing media both print and digital

Unit-I

Introduction- Definition, Need, Nature and Functions of corporate Libraries and Information centers. Learning resources, Types of corporate Libraries and types of users and their Information need. Business school Libraries case analysis.

Unit -II

Collection Development: Objectives and Purpose. Advantages of collection development planning, Implementation and evaluation. Book selection principles and policies, Procedures and problems. Information searching and access. Use of various search techniques

Unit-III

Web based Information services, Corporate librarian 2.0 and Social networks- Blogs, Twitters, Face book, Google buzz etc. for communication. Information analysis and consolidation. Packaging and delivery.

Unit-IV

Corporate communications systems and tools-news letter. Bulletins, preparing for organizing events, Social talks, Conference, News briefs, Press releases, Editing, Reporting. Knowledge management in corporate Libraries.

Unit -V

Intellectual Property issues; Patents as a source of Industrial Information; Information systems for patents

Unit-VI

Case Study- Philips, Samsung, TCS, Infosys

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Learning Outcomes

After completion of the learning curriculum of this course, students will be able to

1. Attained knowledge to the concepts of Industrial and corporate information system
2. Discussed how to understand industrial and corporate system, corporate user needs and thus to design corporate library services
3. Acquired sufficient knowledge about the national information systems and their functions
4. Acquired knowledge to know the difference kinds of information systems between corporate, government and academics
5. Acquired the knowledge of Intellectual Property issues; Patents as a source of Industrial Information; Information systems for patents

6. Discussed on Corporate Users; Information needs, Types of information services for corporate sector
7. Learnt the way of known the Nature and needs of industrial users; Information needs of industry, Types of information services for industry
8. Acquired the knowledge of national and international information systems supported to LIS services

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**Course -4.6: MOOC
(MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSE)
Course Code: P21VAC4**

Objectives

1. To know the basic concepts of MOOC
2. To train the students in applying online course content in Libraries and information centers.
3. To understand the concepts of various Open access initiatives and open course ware protocols and guidelines.

Unit –I

MOOCs: Introduction, Definition, Characteristics, Types and Categories

Unit-II

Development of MOOC in National Level: NPTEL, , IGNOU, Sakshat Portal, IGNOU, NCERT, NIOS, SWAYAM, NCERT, CIET, Egyankosh, , ePGPathshala, NIOS and Consortium for Educational Communication,

Unit – III

Development of MOOC in International Level: MIT Open Courseware, , CEDT, SciGate, Khan Academy, MERLOT, Open Leam, U-Now Open Courseware, Teacher tube., Coursera, Khan Academy, Open Classrooms, Open Learning and edX

Unit-IV

Open Access Initiatives: DOAJ, OAJSE, Indian Academy of Science, High wire Press, NISCAIR Online Periodicals Repository, E-Books: DOAB, Oapen, Audible Books, Digital Library of India, OER Commons, Project Gutenberg, Utah Open Textbook, E-Pustakalaya, PLOS; TWAS;NDL

UNIT V

Registering Open Courseware: Methods; protocols and guidelines; limitations

