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On
Innovative Library Technologies and Services
(NCILTS - 2024)
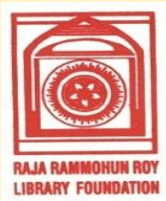### 20 - 21 February, 2024

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UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN, JAIPUR

The University of Rajasthan is a premier institution of higher education in Rajasthan, established as "Rajputana University" on 8th January 1947. Having earned several laurels including University with Potential for Excellence and credited with 'A' grade by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), the University has a rich history of academic brilliance, nurtured over the years by the Professors of international repute. It is committed to weave a bright future for its students and provide them an academic environment. The University has one of the biggest libraries in India. For further details visit http://www.uniraj.ac.in

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

The Department came into existence in 1960 on the recommendations of UGC Library Committee (1959). Credit for establishment of the Department goes to the then Vice Chancellor Dr. Mohan Sinha Mehta. Padma Shri Dr. Syed Bashiruddin was the first teacher in the department. Notable teachers responsible for the growth & development of the department have been Mr. G. L. Shipston, Ms. S. M. Shola, Mr. A. P. Srivastava, Prof. S. N. Srivastava, Dr. C. D. Sharma, and many more. It is one of the oldest Library Schools in the country. The department offers B. Lib. & Inf. Sc. (80 seats), M. Lib. & Inf. Sc. (20 seats) and Ph.D. courses. The department has produced more than 60 Ph.D. students. Notable alumni of the department have worked in different prestigious institutions on various positions. Some of the alumni of the department are Dr. Jagdish Arora (Former Director, INFLIBNET), Dr. R. K. Chadda (Former Addl. Secretary, Parliament Library), Dr. Daulat Jotwani (Former Librarian, IIT Mumbai), and many more. Presently, the Department has 04 faculty members. Two RUSA2.0 projects have been allotted to the department titled 1. Developing Public Libraries system as a social Hub: in the state of Rajasthan and 2. Perception of faculty members towards various publishing outlets: A study of Universities of Rajasthan to work on issues related to Rajasthan state public libraries and publishing research in universities

RAJA RAMMOHUN ROY LIBRARY FOUNDATION (RRRLF), MINISTRY OF CULTURE, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

RRRLF, an autonomous organization, is responsible for growth and development of public libraries in India. It is the nodal agency of the Ministry of Culture, Government of India to develop, support and promote public library system throughout the country.

It also provides financial assistance to the various public libraries and government institutions of India to conduct conferences, seminars and workshops, etc. for promoting public library services.

SOCIETY FOR LIBRARY PROFESSIONALS (SLP)

SLP is unique in bringing together the worlds of reflective practice and thoughtful scholarship in the field of Librarianship. The Society consists of associates representing a kaleidoscope of backgrounds and perspectives from across the globe comprising of librarians, information professionals, academics, business practitioners, and consultants.
The major focus is on the development and dissemination of insights on the strategic librarianship, as well as on fostering contacts and interchange around the world.

AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' is an initiative to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of progressive independent India and the glorious history of its people, culture and achievements. This Mahotsav is dedicated to the people of India who have been instrumental in bringing India thus far in its evolutionary journey and they also have the power and potential to activate India 2.0, fuelled by the spirit of Atmanirbhar Bharat. 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' is an embodiment of all that is progressive about India's sociocultural, political, and economic identity.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The leading theme of the conference is innovative library technologies and services and their usage in the era of evolving changes, both technological and social ones. Conference themes cover a wide range of theoretical and practical aspects concerning: Innovative Library information services, modern tools

and methods of library innovation, Reinvention and Reengineering of Libraries, the analysis and evaluation of new technologies applied in the library and information science and their reception among users. This national conference will be beneficial to the faculty, research scholars and students of library professionals enrich the knowledge about new technologies and current trends.

CONFERENCE THEME

The broad theme of the national conference is **'Innovative Library Technologies and Services'**. Technological Advancements in Library Service Innovation examines the recent activities of successful and groundbreaking research and practices around the world surrounding library service innovation and presents various forward-thinking initiatives. It also provides an overview of libraries' successful experiences, identifies emerging global themes and trends, and offers guidance to library practitioners on how to pursue the recent trends in their own library environment. Various aspects of innovative technologies and services will be discussed in the conference under following themes:

- **Emerging Technologies & Innovations for Libraries**
  - Storage and Analysis of Big Data
  - Emerging role of Blockchain technology
  - The Internet of Things (IOT)
  - User-focused interfaces and application
  - Interaction with augmented reality
  - Innovation and Implementation of 3D Printing in libraries

- **Innovative Library Information Services and Practices in the 21st Century**
  - Designing innovative library practices
  - Smart libraries for smart cities
  - Embrace technology with innovative approaches
  - Free and Open-Source Software (FOSS) in libraries
  - Reinvention and Reengineering of Libraries

- **Social Media and Libraries**
  - Role of social media in the society
  - Social media, community building and applications
  - Socializing library services/ social media applications
  - Social sharing and idea generation

- **LIS Education and Research in Digital Environment**
  - National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and LIS Education
  - E-Learning and Knowledge portals
  - Information Access and Open Educational Resources (OER)
  - Plagiarism and Knowledge management
  - Learning content management and delivery
  - Archiving Research Data
  - Publishing and dissemination: the changing meaning of research communities

- **Emerging Role of Public Libraries**
  - Youth empowerment initiatives in India: public library as community information centers
  - Enhancing user services of public library using social media platform
  - Indian public libraries in future: challenges and opportunities
  - Study on innovation in public library services in digital era
  - Innovations in Public Libraries

- **Perception of Faculty Members Towards Research Publications**
  - Open access tools and services
  - Open access publishing and open access journals initiatives
  - Selection and Evaluation criteria for open access sources
  - Role of institutional repositories in research publication

PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS:
- Library and information science professionals
- Information technology professionals
- Educationists, academicians and policy makers
- LIS Researchers/ students

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The conference programme will include technical sessions, contributed papers and product presentations, etc.

Paper Submission Guidelines

Interested participants are invited to contribute papers and submit an abstract of 300 words (Font type: Times New Roman, font size: 12 in English and Kruti Dev, font size 14 in Hindi) by **5th February, 2024** through e-mail to **ncilts.dlisuniraj@gmail.com** *or* attach the abstract in online registration form. Complete papers should be limited to about 3000 words and reference in APA Style. The contributors will get intimation regarding the acceptance. The paper submitted for presentation should not have already been published/ presented elsewhere. The Committee reserves the right to edit/ reject the papers.

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Category	Registration Fee
Professionals/ Academicians	Rs. 1200/-
Researchers/ Students	Rs. 600/-

- Filled in registration form should be informed to organizing secretary by **10th February, 2024** on ncilts.dlisuniraj@gmail.com.
- Registration will be confirmed after submission of duly completed form and payment received in full.
- On both the conference day's lunch and high tea will be provided to the participants.
- No TA/DA and other allowance will be provided to the participant for attending conference.
- In case of presentation made by joint authors, each of them should get registered separately.
- Certificate will be given to registered paper presenters and participants.
    * **The registration fee is non-refundable.**
    * **Registration fee does not include accommodation.**

Link for Online Registration:

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(Click or Scan QR Code for online Registration)

PAYMENT DETAILS

The payment should be online in the following account:

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Account No: 674701702611

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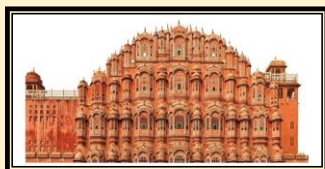
ACCOMMODATION
Limited accommodation can be arranged on prior request with advance payment (only for participants).

ABOUT THE PINK CITY, JAIPUR
Jaipur was founded in the year 1727 and named after its founder Sawai Jai Singh-II. Jaipur, popularly known as Pink City, is a famous tourist destination in India. The places of interest include Hawa Mahal, Jal Mahal, City Palace, Albert Hall, Amber Fort, Jantar Mantar, Nahargarh Fort, Jaigarh Fort, Birla Mandir, Galtaji, Govind Dev Ji Temple, Moti Doongri, Ganesh Temple, etc. Jaipur is famous for its Rajasthani jewellery, gems, arts & crafts, and food.
Jaipur is a paradise for shopaholics who are left spoilt for choice with the Pink City's myriad offerings. Block-printed and tie-and-dye textiles, Jaipuri quilts, meenakari and kundan jewellery and Jaipuri mojaris usually top everyone's list of buys. Shopping in Jaipur is an experience every tourist looks forward to. The climate during the month of February will be pleasant at around 25 degree Celsius.
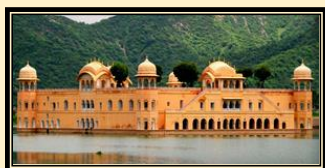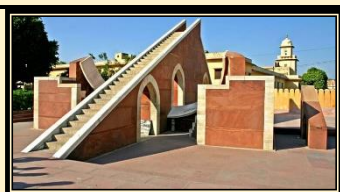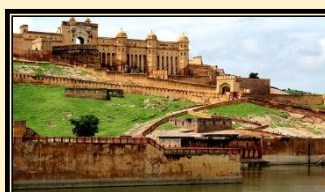
Glimpses of Jaipur City

Hawa Mahal

City Palace

Jal Mahal

Birla Mandir

Jantar Mantar

Amber Fort

IMPORTANT DATES

Last date for submission of Abstract	5th February 2024
Filled in Registration	10th February 2024
Acceptance to be communicated	11th February 2024
Last Date for Submission of full paper	15th February 2024
Last Date for Registration	20th February 2024
Conference Dates	20th – 21st February 2024

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