National Conference on
Innovative Librarianship
A Foresight on Technology, Practice & Services

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Central University of Tamil Nadu

The Central University of Tamil Nadu is set in Tiruvarur, a region of cultural and historical significance. The University functions with quality infrastructure facilities in two campuses set in a serene atmosphere in the Neelakudi and Nagakudi villages in the Cauvery delta region. In spite of the recent origin and a humble beginning with a single course and few students, the University has established itself in different streams of education within the last two few years, attracting students from far and wide. The University offers Postgraduate, Integrated MSc and Doctoral Programmes in various subjects through the Schools of Social Sciences & Humanities, Basic & Applied Sciences, Mathematics & Computer Sciences, Communication, Education & Training, Behavioral Sciences, Commerce and Business Management, Technology, Performing Arts & Fine Arts, Earth Sciences, and Life Sciences. The University atmosphere offers a creative and multicultural learning atmosphere for the students with dynamic curricular and extracurricular activities. The University also opens up space for expert learning through collaboration with State and National level institutions of academic excellence. The University which functions in a rural setting also caters to the development of the rural locales by providing quality education and training to those from the marginalized communities.

Central Library

The University Library was established in the year 2009 and it serves the students, faculty members and staff of the university. The library has a collection of about 38,000 books. Of these, more than 4,500 books are reference books (Handbooks, Dictionaries, Encyclopaedias, and coloured atlases, etc.) and the rest are Textbooks and General books. Besides these, the library also has CDs/DVDs and subscribes to 130 print journals. The library has been actively interacting with teaching departments and faculty and a pro-active approach to building an essential collection of resources for new programmes being introduced by the various departments have been adopted.

It facilitates the access to more than 10,000 online electronic journals through UGC - e-ShodhSindhu, J-Gate, SciFinder, EBSCO, SCOPUS, IOP Publishing, ScienceDirect, IEEE-CSDL, Royal Society of Chemistry and others. The IndiaStat.com database also subscribed for the benefit of faculty, researchers and students in social sciences. The library is fully automated having an online catalogue that can be easily accessed by the users. The library implemented Koha – an open source software package which is an integrated library management system that supports all housekeeping operations of the library. Recently RFID and CCTV security systems are implemented. There is a separate digital library center having 30 computers running on high speed internet. Urkund & iThenticate Anti-Plagiarism Software access are added by Central Library to check the theses and other publications for the benefit of faculty and students. The library is providing comfortable, user friendly environment for learning and dissemination of knowledge and information.
About Conference

The leading theme of this year’s conference are innovation in information, information services and their usage in the era of evolving changes, both technological and social ones. These changes are often defined as the digital revolution. Conference themes cover a wide range of theoretical and practical aspects concerning: modern tools and methods of information activities, information and knowledge organization, shaping of information architecture, the analysis and evaluation of new technologies applied in the library and information science and their reception among users. We also want to discuss the context of trends in Information Science as a subfield of Information and Communication Technology (ICT). Rapid advances in information processing, storage & retrieval and communication technologies have brought revolutions in the role of libraries in disseminating information sources and services to their users. The emerging challenges of acquiring and providing access to electronic knowledge resources require librarians to change their role from traditional librarian to information scientist/knowledge officers. Library professionals must ascertain their roles in more proactive ways, both in the context of their academic pursuit and in the competitive markets for information dissemination and retrieval. 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. The discussions will focus on the following themes and sub themes:

Themes & Sub Themes

**Innovation in New Generation Libraries:** The vision of the next generation library professionals is to create a transformation of the library through the integration of innovative technologies, and design a World Class Networked Global Library and Information Centre to provide web based quality information service to the users on time. The theme include Trends and Technologies in Libraries, Web Resources and Technologies, Big Data and Data mining, Development in Open Source Technologies, Cloud computing, Green Libraries, Social Media and Applications in Libraries.

**Innovation on Trends in Library Services:** In this changing landscape, libraries are trying to adjust their services to these new realities to serving the needs of patrons. The theme focus on Digital conservation and preservation, Digital Repositories, Knowledge Management, Outreach Services of Libraries, Marketing of Library, Document Delivery and Resource Sharing, Networking libraries and Information Centres. Institutional Repositories.

**Innovation in Learning Environment:** A learning environment (LE) now widely used to enhance a student’s learning experience by including computers and the Internet in the learning process. This theme explores LIS Education in India, Research trends in LIS, Innovative technologies for Teaching, MOOCs and Role of Libraries, Information Literacy.
Who Should Attend?

This conference is aimed at educators, researchers and practitioners in the areas of sustainable development and growth. This interdisciplinary forum is for scholars, teachers, and practitioners from library professional discipline. The Conference is aimed to target audience like:

- Library and Information Science Professionals
- Knowledge Management Professionals
- Archivists
- Educationists and Policy Makers
- Information Providers and Vendors
- Students of Library and Information Science

The conference will have a balance of lectures and presentations from the academic as well as the practitioners’ perspective and will have renowned speakers.

It is aimed at creating a platform for a healthy exchange, debate and development of ideas and emerging issues in the areas of Sustainable Development.

It also provides an opportunity to present your research work at national level and chance to publish your research paper in an edited book by a reputed publisher.

It seeks to bring academic and practitioners closer for the further development of the subject areas.

CALL FOR PAPER

Research papers, conceptual papers (review of literature) and cases are invited from academicians, library professionals, research scholars, and library and information science students, relevant to the theme of the conference. This conference aims to provide a platform to present and discuss the latest developments and applications related to Sustainable Development in the field of Library & Information Science. Some of the promising areas have been identified to be discuss at the conference. However, the list is indicative and not exhaustive. The papers can be developed by incorporating the themes within also.

Paper Submission Guidelines

- We invite academicians, library professionals, and researchers to participate by sharing their thoughts.
- Only original, unpublished work is sought. Any proposal submitted to present identical or substantially similar work already published, under review for another conference or publication will not be considered.
- Abstract (not exceeding 250 words) should reach us latest by June 30, 2019 in Microsoft Word Format only.
- Submission should include a separate title page, which clearly indicates the name(s) of the author(s), affiliation(s), complete mailing address (es), telephone/fax numbers and e-mail address (es), title of the paper and up to four keywords that describe the paper.
- All submissions will strictly go through a plagiarism check, only those paper which passes through plagiarism are accepted and presented during the conference.
- We suggest that the article contain not more than eight pages.
- An author can contribute a maximum of two paper either as a first author or collaborative author.
- For the preparation of the manuscript, the author(s) are requested to follow the APA Citation Style.
- Acceptance of the abstract would be notified before July 2, 2019.
- The complete paper should reach us latest by July 8, 2019 in Microsoft Word Format only.
- Selected papers would be published as an edited book by a reputed publisher.
- All the authors, in the case of co-authored papers, must pre-register for the conference, and at least one author has to present the paper.
- Kindly send your abstract and full paper to cutnlib@gmail.com

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REGISTRATION DETAILS
Participants can register by filling up the registration form which is available on "conference website". Payment can be made by online transaction. Registrarion fee includes conference kit and working lunch. Guidelines to pay the registration fee is given below. The accomodation will be arranged based on the request in the Guest House on payment basis.

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Awards & Recognition
Best Paper in Student category
Best Research paper in Working Library Professionals
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