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Research Areas

Application of Social Networking in teaching and learning, Information Behaviour

Educational Qualifications

- Ph.D - from Dept. of Library and Information Science, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi in 2014.
- Master of Library and Information Science (M.L.I.Sc.) - from Dept. of Library and Information Science, University of Calicut, Kerala in 2007.
- UGC-NET- 2007, UGC-NET-JRF- 2012 - in Library and Information Science.

Experience

- Assistant Professor, Dept. of LIS, Central University of Tamil Nadu, October 2017 onwards.
- College Librarian, Govt. College of Education for Women, Coimbatore, April 2014- October 2017
- Research and Teaching Assistant (RTA), Dept. of LIS, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Maidan Garhi, New Delhi, May 2008- March 2014.

Publications

- Bhanu, M., & **Dhanyasree, V. K.** (2023). Are Public Libraries the Solution for an Egalitarian Society? Impact of EIFL-PLIP Programmes in Developing and Transition Economies. *Knowledge Organisation in Academic Libraries*, January 20-21, (pp. 78-87). Aargon Press, New Delhi.
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- Bhanu, M., & **Dhanyasree, V. K.** (2020). Role of Public Libraries in Building a Digitally Inclusive Community: How India Cope up with Digital Inclusion? *NCDS 2020 Digital Scholarship*, March 12-13, 2020. Department of Library and Information Science, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvavur. ISBN:978-5406-205-6
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Internet by the university students in Kerala. In Dineshan Koovakkai and T. M.Vasudevan (Eds.). *Library 2.0 and information management: essays in honour of Dr. Jalaja V.* New Delhi: Atlantic, p. 182-188

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Other Academic Activities

- Member BoS, DLIS, CUTN
- MOOC coordinator, DLIS, CUTN.
- Coordinator, ANVESHAN Online Lecture Series in LIS for Research Scholars, DLIS, CUTN.