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-Benjamin Franklin.

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Professional News

1) State-level consortium for e-journals

To counter UGC move to stop free subscriptions to e-resources

The Higher Education Department is planning to launch a State-level consortium for e-journals involving universities and other higher educational institutions.

The proposal has found place in the Governor's policy address to the Assembly. The move is to counter the decision by the University Grants Commission (UGC) to stop free subscriptions to e-resources under its Information and Library Network Centre (INFLIBNET) initiative. "The consortium is inevitable for higher education institutions, especially universities, for maintaining and accelerating the pace of research and innovation in line with the global trend in knowledge production and dissemination," said Rajan Varughese, Member Secretary, **Kerala** State Higher Education Council.

The council, which had mooted the idea, observed that the UGC decision would cause a huge expenditure for the institutions and the government. Universities would have to shell out crores in order to provide access to e-resources to the academic community, it said.

"Almost all journals and databases in the relevant disciplines can be subscribed at a negotiated cost fully funded by the government/universities, with the council acting as a nodal agency in the State with the participation of all universities. Other higher educational institutions in the State could be provided access to the e-resources based on a fee," said Dr. Varughese.

Mandatory accreditation

The policy address said that accreditation would be made mandatory for all institutions. The government would ensure decent service-wage benefits to teachers and non-teaching staff in self-financing institutions.

Universities will conduct examinations and declare results in a unified manner and on time from the coming academic session, with the use of technology.

The Governor said that the government was ready with a Bill to be presented at the Legislative Assembly aimed at ensuring the democratic rights of students to form associations and get an early training in democratic decision making.



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2) Best Village Public Library - Kumudavalli in West Godavari district, Andhra Pradesh

Best Village Public Library - Kumudavalli in West Godavari district, Andhra Pradesh

A tremendous example of a 100% literate village that believes in the transformative power of education and the library.

The villagers had adopted some innovative idea to develop the library they are

- "library dowry"; for every wedding in the village, the family has to donate something to the library, even if it's just ₹10.
- Diwali, each household has to pay up ₹20.
- A research scholar from the surrounding area has to submit a copy of their thesis to the library.

Link | <https://www.livemint.com/opinion/columns/adopt-kumudavalli-s-example-for-an-enlightened-country-11579446209716.html>

3) UGC adds 1,000 'quality academic journals' to its list

The University Grants Commission (UGC)'s 'Consortium of Academic and Research Ethics (Care)' has so far added around 1,000 Indian academic journals to its list since it was formed last November, and the list is growing, said Bhushan Patwardhan, vice-chairman of UGC. He said the UGC was seeking to add more 'credible Indian journals' to its list under Care.

Patwardhan, who was in the city recently, said Care has stakeholders from across fields such as statutory bodies, academies and councils to review the journals every quarter.

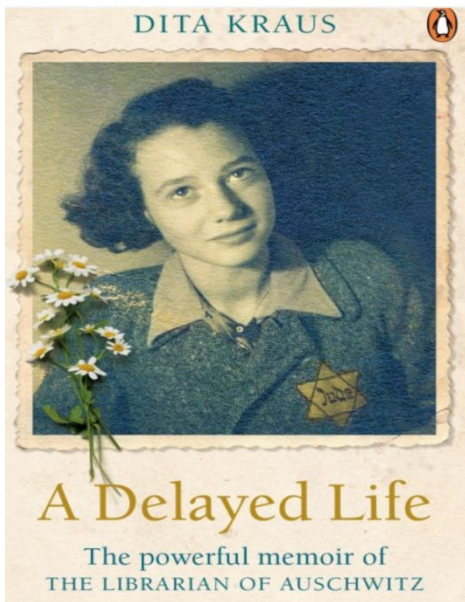
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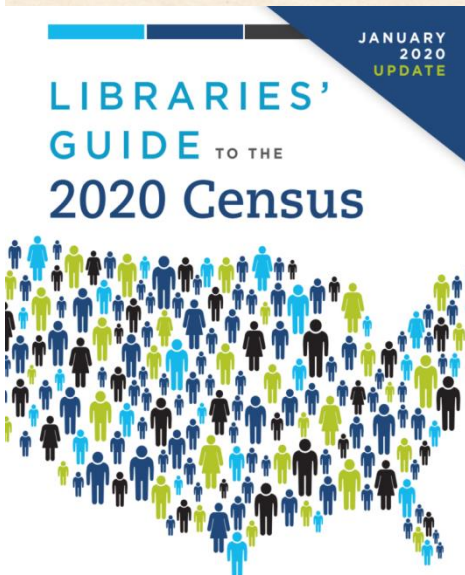
Books Published



“The Girl Who Ran Auschwitz’s Secret Library”

Dita Kraus was 14 years old when she was given a most unusual task in World War II’s largest and most notorious concentration camp: Manage and distribute a clandestine collection of books among the prisoners in [Auschwitz](#)’s so-called family camp.

In a new first-hand account of her experiences, Kraus reveals the harrowing daily workings of the Theresienstadt family camp and the children’s block, and describes how she and her mother struggled to survive. Titled [A Delayed Life: The True Story of the Librarian of Auschwitz \(Ebury Press\)](#), Kraus’ memoir is scheduled to be released in early February.



ALA Releases Updated Version of the “Libraries’ Guide To The 2020 Census

Today the American Library Association issued an updated [Libraries’ Guide to the 2020 Census](#).

Libraries are uniquely positioned to reach groups designated by the Census Bureau as “hard-to-count,” including young children, people of color, linguistic minorities and people experiencing homelessness. The undercounting of these groups can undermine their political power and reduce access to crucial public and private resources in the communities where they live. According to a City University of New York Graduate Center [analysis](#), 99 percent of hard-to-count areas are located within five miles of a public library.



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Forthcoming Events

Indian Library Association Organising 65th Annual Conference “International Conference on “Digital Landscape- Reinvention and Re-engineering of Libraries: Trends, Issues and Challenges” (ICDLRRL- 2020) on 9th to 11th April 2020 at Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad, Kukatpally, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 085, INDIA.

For More details visit: <http://www.icdlrrl2020.in/> or <https://www.ilaindia.net/>

National Seminar on Information Strategy for Social Science Research in India: Tracing the Future Trajectory

March 12-13, 2020

Organised by

Department of Library and Information Science, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore – 721 102
West Bengal, India

National Conference on Digital Scholarship (NCDS 2020)

Time: March 12, 2020 at 10am to March 13, 2020 at 5pm

Organised by

Department of Library and Information Science

Central University of Tamil Nadu

Thiruvavur - 610005

National Seminar on Management Issues in Libraries of 21st Century - Challenges and Opportunities

Time: March 16, 2020 to March 17, 2020

Location: Sikkim University

City/Town: Gangtok, Sikkim

Organized By: Central Library, Sikkim University in collaboration with ICSSR-NERC & INFLIBNET Centre

One Week Training Programme on SOUL 2.0: Installation and Operations scheduled to be held at INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar from 16th - 21st March, 2020 : Last Date 11/03/20

Registration

The application for registration to the training programme should be submitted online to INFLIBNET Centre on or before

th 11 March, 2020. Please open this link for online registration: <https://hrd.inflibnet.ac.in/login.php>



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One Week National Workshop on "Research Methodology and Ethics: Anti-Plagiarism, Reference Management Tools and Altmetrics" on 23rd - 28th March, 2020 at INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar : Last Date 18/03/20

Workshop Fee

The registration fee is Rs. 7,080.00 (Rupees Seven Thousand Eighty only) per person without accommodation and Rs. 10,870.00 (Rupees Ten Thousand Eight hundred Seventy only) with accommodation which is inclusive of GST rates. It covers the cost of training programme kit containing training materials, breakfast, lunch and dinner during the training period. The payment should be made through Demand Draft in favour of INFLIBNET Centre payable at Gandhinagar along with filled-in registration form. Fee is non-refundable and non-adjustable. The Centre also accepts payment by NEFT /RTGS.

Venue

The Workshop will be conducted at **Information and Library Network Centre**, An IUC of University Grants Commission, Infocity, Gandhinagar-382007, Gujarat, India.

One Week National Workshop on Creation and Management of Digital Library using Open Source Software

27 April - 2 May 2020

Duration

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PhD Thesis of the Month



1. **Astutti, Parida Arini Ambar.** The cognitive effects of social media content on university students: A case study of Grade 'A' university department in Jakarta.(Dr. P Hangsing), Department of Library and Information Science, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.
2. **Nittala, Padma.** A study on e-learning environment in the select college and department libraries of veer Narmad South University Surat. (Dr. B J Ankuya), Department of Library and Information Science, Veer Narmad South Gujrat University, Surat .
3. **Rabon, Mebandabha.** Awareness about cyber crimes through social networking sites: A comparative study of Assam University. (Prof. Bikka Laloo). Department of Library and Information Science, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.
4. **Sharma, Nandini.** Citation analysis of Physics and Chemistry to the select National Institutes of Technology (NITs) in India. (Dr. Ashu Shokeen), Department of Library and Information Science, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
5. **Dr. Digambar A. Khobragade.** Trends in Research in Library and Information Science in Universities of Maharashtra: An Analysis of Theses & Dissertations. (Dr. Kishor B Kale), Director Knowledge Resource Center, Dr. V. B.Alias Bhausahab Kolte Library R.T.M. Nagpur University, Nagpur



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