

# SALIS

## Newsletter

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**A National Level Seminar on  
Advancement in Digital Information  
Sources and Services for Education and  
Research**

**ADISSER- 2012)**  
Thursday, July 19 - 2012  
*Organized by*

**CENTRAL LIBRARY  
NATIONAL COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING &  
RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CENTRE  
DEPT. OF SCIENCE & HUMANITIES**



**&  
Society for the Advancement of Library &  
Information Science (SALIS)  
Chennai**

**Introduction**

The recent developments in science and technology have remarkably changed the global world. Engineering is a professional art of applying science to the optimum utilization of available resources for a civilized world. Keeping this in mind, the National College of Engineering has initiated the mission and performs the revolutionary achievements through valuable engineering education. The college offers state of art education in engineering and technology, research and training to the student community. It has deserving scholars as administrators. The highly qualified and dedicative staff members of the college are effectively involved in shaping each student with high academic quality and technical expertise.

**About the Library:**

The Central Library is well established with air conditioned facilities and has a large collection

of books covering the various branches of Engineering and Technology, Science and Humanities and related fields. The library services provides to access with intranet facilities with latest technology.

The library has a collection of about 16,000 volumes of books, 100 periodicals and 1400 digital resources. The library holds memberships of IEEE, SPRINGER, ELSEVIER, Mc-GRAW HILL, ASTM and J-GATE etc.

**ABOUT THE SEMINAR**

Digital information sources and services (DIS) are very helpful for effective learning and research process among the library professionals, student and academic community. Digital Information Sources and Services are festinating period in the history of the library. DIS are those deal with both born digital and digitalized which can be either accessible from Libraries in house database or for the www. The digital information includes e- books, e-journals, e-magazine, e-newspaper, thesis, reports, and other related materials. The present seminar will focus on the effective utilisation of all kinds of digital information required by academic community.

**Seminar Themes:**

- Awareness of Digital Information
- Digital Information Access
- e - Resources and Retrieval
- Hypertext Linking
- Publications in Digital Media
- Quality and Impact Factor of Publications
- Open Access System
- Library as Knowledge Information Centre
- Role of Librarians in Digital Era

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Librarian, Coimbatore Institute of Technology,  
Coimbatore

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Asst. Professor, Bharathidhasan University, Trichy

Dr. G. Amudha  
Librarian, VHNSC, Virudhunager

### Registration Fee

**Library Professional & Faculty** : R. 250/-  
**Students** : R.150/-

The Registration fee is to be paid through DD drawn in favour of 'The Principal, National College of Engineering' Payable at Tirunelveli. Spot registration can also be made.

Registration forms should be sent to the Convener. Selected participants will be intimated through e-mail.

### Travel and Accommodation

No TA & DA will be paid to the participants. The outstation participants are requested to make their own travel arrangements. The Tirunelveli city has a wide choice of good hotels with tariff ranging from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1500 /- per day.

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**SPRINGER SUPPORTED NATIONAL  
WORKSHOP ON**

**E – RESOURCES FOR ENGINEERING,  
TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH**

**4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2012 (SATURDAY)**

Organized by

**NATIONAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE  
Kovilpatti**



**&**

**Society for the Advancement of Library  
and Information Science (SALIS),  
Tirunelveli Chapter**

**Venue**

**NATIONAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE  
(Autonomous)**

K.R.Nagar, Kovilpatti – 628 503  
Thoothukudi Dt, Tamil Nadu

**ENGINEERING COLLEGE (NEC)**

National Engineering College was established in the year 1984 by a renowned philanthropist Kalvithanthal Thiru. K. Ramasamy, and is approved by AICTE, New Delhi and affiliated to Anna

University of Technology, Tirunelveli. The college is accredited by NBA, New Delhi. NEC offers seven undergraduate and eight postgraduate courses in Engineering, Technology, Research and Doctoral programme in various departments. It has the state-of-the-art laboratories, a well-stocked Library and the best computing facilities besides well qualified and experienced faculty. Since its inception NEC has achieved national standing in terms of academic performance, co-curricular and extra curricular activities and also in its growth and commitment to social service. The standard of excellence of our teaching is reflected in the success of our students in industry both in India and abroad.

**CENTRAL LIBRARY**

Central Library is the Learning Resource Centre which acts as the knowledge hub for the academic activities of our institution with a mission to provide knowledge gateway to the user community with the state of the art technologies. A fully air-conditioned modern Library building is housed in an area of around 3911 sq. m.. An e - Library is equipped with the 2 mbps broad band Internet, 20 mbps leased Line connectivity and 2 mbps wireless (RF) connectivity for the users. The Library subscribes online journals like IEEE, ASME, Springer, Elsevier, J-Gate, McGraw Hill and ASTM. All the library services have been automated on modern line. Library is enabled with wi-fi technology and security systems with Closed Circuit Television System (CCTV) and Library has Institutional Membership in DELNET.

**SOCIETY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF LIBRARY  
AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (SALIS)**

SALIS is a registered professional body, activity involved in the development of all spheres of Library and Information Science by organizing various programmes such as seminar, lectures, training programs, conferences, etc on emerging areas. It has many chapters across the country to provide services in the respective regions. One of the objectives of SALIS is to train the LIS professionals to handle the latest IT tools and techniques more effectively and efficiently in order to provide quality based services. SALIS publishes journals, books, newsletter to disseminate latest information to the professionals. SALIS instituted many awards to encourage the LIS professionals.

**ABOUT KOVILPATTI**

National Engineering College is located on the Kovilpatti – Tirunelveli National Highway (NH7), 4 Km south of Kovilpatti - a town well connected by road and rail. The airport at Madurai is 90 km from NEC. Kovilpatti is surrounded by a number of entertainments, historical and spiritual places such as Courtallam Falls, Nellai Gandhiamman temple, Tiruchendur Murugan temple, Madurai Meenakshi Amman temple, Pathmanathapuram Palace, Rameswaram, and Vivekananda Rock at Kanyakumari.

#### ABOUT THE WORKSHOP AND OBJECTIVES

AICTE in its “Approval Process Hand Book” has mandated many e-resources to be subscribed by its approved engineering institutions etc. Many institutions have already subscribed the e-resources and provide access to its user community. The problem is to provide proper training to the users to familiarize with the subscribed e-resources and to increase the usage. Some of the publishers of e-resources are providing training at regional level at select institutions, but that are not enough. Each institution should give orientation to each and every e-resources subscribed to their students and staff through workshops and seminars etc so as to achieve the benefit for cost invested.

With this background this workshop is arranged to provide hand on training (features, coverage, search, retrieval, services etc) the faculties, students and librarians and the other users. The workshop is indented to provide hands-on training on the usage of the following e-resources.

- IEEE (ASPP)
- ASME
- ASTM Digital Library
- Springer (EEE & CSE)
- Elsevier - Science Direct
- McGraw Hill Access Engineering
- J Gate Engineering and Technology and
- Springer e-Products

#### RESOURCE PERSONS

Dr. L. Parisutharaj, NIT, Trichy  
Dr. J. Dominic, Karunya University, Coimbatore  
Mr. M. Mandhirasalam, CIT, Coimbatore

#### REGISTRATION FEES

NEC Faculty and Students	: Free
Library Professionals	: R. 200/-
LIS Students	: R. 100/-
<b>Last date for Registration</b>	<b>: 31.07.2012</b>

The Registration fees may be paid through D.D. in favour of **The Principal, National Engineering College** payable at **K.R.Nagar** and addressed to the **Co-ordinator** along with the filled-in-registration form.

#### ACCOMMODATION

The delegates can contact the co-ordinator for accommodation and that will be arranged against payment in nearby hotels.

#### FURTHER COMMUNICATION

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#### Announcement of SALIS 2011 Awards

Applications/nominations are invited for the following SALIS Awards for the year2011.

1. Dr. Harish Chandra-Sushila Chandra Best Librarian Award (National Level Award)
2. AutoLib-Tamilnadu-Best Librarian Award
3. AutoLib-Tamilnadu-Best Young Librarian Award (below 40 years)
4. A.N.Marappan Memorial National Best Young Librarian Award (below 40 years) (National Level award)

#### Conditions:

Applications will be accepted only in the prescribed format which is available in SALIS website. Those who have already applied for these awards in

response to our earlier communication (in April/May) this year need not apply again.

A committee will be constituted by the President to select suitable professionals for each award. The President shall be the Chairman of the Selection Committee. The name of the committee members will be announced after the last date of the receipt of the applications, to make the selection more transparent.

The committee will select suitable candidate among the nominations/applications received strictly based on the criteria fixed for the awards. All the awardees will be presented a memento, shawl and citation. The awards will be presented during the forthcoming SALIS programmes which will be announced later.

Please note that applications should be sent only in the prescribed format. Soft copy will not be accepted. Supporting documents should be attached for evidence.

**Last date for the receipt of application/nomination is 25.07.2012**

The filled-in application form along with the supporting documents should be sent by post to:

The President  
SALIS  
B2-Solai Apartment  
Mount-Poonamallee Road (opp.to.MGR Garden)  
Chennai - 600 089

All the details of the awards, instructions, application form, etc are available at

[http://www.autolib-india.net/salis/salis\\_awards.asp](http://www.autolib-india.net/salis/salis_awards.asp)  
E-mail: [salis\\_info@yahoo.co.in](mailto:salis_info@yahoo.co.in)

#### MAIN OBJECTIVE OF SALIS

## To Reach the Unreached

#### HOW TO JOIN SALIS E-GROUP

All the members are requested to join salis e-group by visiting [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/salis\\_info](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/salis_info)

to receive all the announcement/communication from SALIS. No separate announcement will be sent by post.

## ETTLIS-2012

### 3rd International Symposium on Emerging Trends and Technologies in Libraries and Information Services

October 26-27, 2012

Jointly Organized by  
Jaypee University of Engineering and Technology,  
Guna (MP)

Jaypee Institute of Information Technology, Noida  
&  
Society for Advancement of Library and  
Information Services (SALIS-Delhi-NCR)  
Venue

Jaypee University of Engineering and Technology,  
Raghogarh, Guna (MP)

#### Background and Objectives

The unprecedented developments in the field of Information and Communication Technology and the rapid advancements in the internet technologies and services have a transformative influence on how information is accessed and disseminated throughout the world. The current transformation has facilitated access to enormous amount of information and a wide variety of services to enhance the use and delivery of such information. This has resulted in a disparity of information overload at one hand and information scarcity on the other especially because of the inability to exploit the advancements of technology. As new technologies and services emerge, new challenges start surfacing. These new challenges have pushed the library and the information professionals to be well equipped to tackle these challenges. While acknowledging the changes taking place in the mode and service of information delivery and usage, it is important that the library profession rediscover the need of the industry and the nation so that it can reevaluate its services, revitalize the users and reinvigorate the library professional. The future of the libraries and information centres depend on the information professionals to have an in-depth understanding of

these emerging changes and equip them accordingly. In particular, they need to learn skills that allow them to find, manage, share and use information and knowledge. They need information literacy to supplement their information and management skills in order to upgrade their libraries and information centers as per the modern day.

In this mission it is essential to focus through a well-resourced association like the Society for the Advancement of Library and Information Services (SALIS) and other concerned institutions to gather the Library and Information professionals to analyze the impending changes and update their professional knowledge on the emerging technologies and services. In 2008, JIIT in collaboration with SALIS and other likeminded partners took an initiative to bring library professionals and other players in the industry under the brand of ETTLIS. Since then the ETTLIS has organized its first International Symposium ETTLIS-2008 (18-20 December, 2008) at JIIT Noida and ETTLIS 2010 (3-5 June, 2010) at JIIT, Solan (HP) to embark on a mission to bolster a partnership towards achieving this mission especially to evaluate and educate the transformation in libraries and information centers and the emergence of newer technologies.

Today we feel that there is a need to follow-up on this mission as the technology is continually evolving and so are its services. We strongly believe that with a continued dialogue, deliberation and discourse we will be able to equip the Library and Information professionals for the betterment of the profession and its users.

The objectives of the symposium are to bring researchers, academicians, business community and research scholars on a common platform to share their experiences, innovative ideas and research findings about the aspects of emerging trends and technologies in the field of knowledge resource centres and information services. It also proposes to discuss the practical challenges encountered by them and the solutions adopted.

Target Audience

Library and Information professionals who are involved in Library Management, Research & Development and other related disciplines will greatly benefit from this symposium. The broad

categories of participants who may attend the symposium are:

- Librarians and Information Scientists
- Information technology professionals
- Knowledge workers
- Policy makers
- Educationists and Academicians
- E-learning communities
- Content and knowledge managers
- IT service providers Information providers including vendors, aggregators etc.
- Electronic, print and publishing community
- Corporate Managers engaged in information retrieval
- E-governance co-ordinators

### *Theme of the Symposium*

### **Theme: Emerging Technologies in Libraries and Information Services**

- v Cloud computing and Library Services
- v Digital Libraries and Future
- v Distributed & Collaborative information spaces
- v E –Resources Management
- v Information Access: Retrieval and Browsing
- v Integration of Information Resources
- v Interoperability in Digital Libraries
- v Knowledge Organization and Ontologies in Digital Library
- v Metadata standards and protocols in digital library systems
- v Mobile Technology and Its Application in Library Services
- v Personalization in Digital Libraries
- v Security of Library Resources

### **Theme: Global Best Practice in Libraries and Information Services**

- v Content and Knowledge Management

- v Data and Information Security
- v Digital Content Management System
- v Digital Library in Cultural Heritage
- v Digital Preservation/Archives
- v Electronic Resource Management
- v Federated Search Engine
- v International Standards and Library Systems
- v Quality Assurance in Scholarly Communication
- v Resource Access and Management
- v Search Optimization and Information Retrieval

**Theme: Changing Dimensions of Libraries in Internet Era**

- v Content Management System
- v Generations of Internet Technology
- v Semantic Web
- v Social Media and Applications in Libraries
- v Social Networks, Virtual Organization and Networked Information
- v Web 2.0 Technologies and its Applications
- v Web Archiving and Preservation

**Theme: User Expectation, Experience in Virtual Library System: Case studies**

- v Academic Library
- v Data and Information Management in Virtual Organizations
- v E-Governance and Libraries
- v Electronic Learning
- v Enterprise Information Services by Libraries
- v Information Literacy

- v Public Library
- v Special Library
- v User Awareness Services
- v User Mobility and Context awareness in Information Access
- v User Studies and Evaluation of Digital Library Systems and Applications

**Theme: Perception Change in Librarianship**

- v Consortia and Networks
- v Customer Relation Management
- v Delivery and Exchange of Service
- v Electronic Information System
- v Ethics and Values
- v Government and Private Partnership
- v Open Access and Movement
- v Professional Behavior and the Changing Attitudes
- v Second Generation Library Services Providers and Consumers

**Theme: Socio Legal perspective in Library and Information Services**

- v Content License Agreement
- v Copyright Issues
- v Cyber infrastructure architectures, applications, and deployments
- v Digital Right Management
- v Ethics and Values
- v Intellectual Property Right
- v Patent Information System

v Plagiarism

v Quality Assurance and Best Practices in Digital Scholarship

### Key Speakers

The following are the key speakers who have given their consent to share their knowledge and experiences during the symposium

Mr. Alan Hopkinson  
Manager (Technical), Middlesex University,  
London

Mr. John Paul Anbu  
Head-Periodicals University of Swaziland Libraries

Dr. Graham Walton  
Head of Planning and Resources Library  
Loughborough University

Mr. Tony Kidd  
Assistant Director, Information & Financial  
Resources, the University of Glasgow, Scotland

Mr. Richard Gartner  
Lecturer, Centre for e-Research, King's College  
London

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Professor (Emeritus), DLIS, Osmania University,  
Hyderabad

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Professor & Head, DLIS Punjabi University  
Patiyala, Punjab

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Professor & Head, DLIS, Central University  
Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala, H. P.

Dr. Ramesh C. Gaur  
University Librarian, Central Library, JNU, Delhi

Dr. R. K. Chadha

Joint Secretary, Parliament Library, New Delhi

Prof. B. S. Nigam  
Professor & Center Head, DLIS, MCRP  
Vishwavidyalaya, Bhopal, Noida Campus, Noida

Mr. Yogendra Singh  
Librarian, Mahatma Gandhi Library, IIT, Roorkee

### Registration

The delegates who register for the symposium shall be entitled for complete Conference Kit (Symposium Bag, Symposium Volume, and Stationary), High Tea, Lunch, Conference Dinner (if scheduled) and Internet Service.

### Registration Details

Category of Delegates

Early Bird Registration (Before 30th August, 2012)

Registration Fee After 30th August, 2012

Working Professionals and Academicians-3500/-  
4000/-

Retired Persons and Students- 1500/-  
2000/-

Delegates from SAARC Region  
US\$ 125/US\$ 150

Delegates from other Region  
US\$ 175/US\$ 200

### Note

Registration Fee is Non-Refundable.

Free Hostel Accommodation at the University  
Hostels

Registration will be confirmed only after receiving the registration form along with the registration fee received in full.

Students should apply through their Department.

### Registration Process

Delegates can register themselves online as well as offline

Email: [ettlis2012@gmail.com](mailto:ettlis2012@gmail.com)

Payment can be made through Demand Draft or Wire Transfer as follows:

Demand Draft: Demand Draft drawn in favor of "Jaypee University of Engineering & Technology" Payable at Guna, M. P. India

### **Paper Submission Guidelines**

The ETTLIS 2012 inviting the potential authors to submit their paper based on original research, practical experiences, research findings and case studies suitably fitting the theme of the symposium. The papers shall be reviewed by a panel of International Review Committee. The accepted papers will be published in the form of book bearing ISBN number.

Guidelines for Full Paper/Camera Ready Copy Submission

The proposed paper should be divided into sub-headings such as Title of the Paper, Author/s (with full communication address including Phone Number and Email of all the authors), Abstract, Keywords (Up to Six Keywords), Introduction, Methodology (If any), Result and Discussion, References (APA Style). (Download Template for More Details of the Paper Formatting). The papers in MS Word (.doc) or RTF format prepared as per the template can be directly submitted to the organizing secretary by email or by post.

Click here: [Guidelines for Poster Preparation](#)

Submit your paper at : [ettlis2012@gmail.com](mailto:ettlis2012@gmail.com)

The authors are also advised to include their brief biography and a latest passport size photograph in final camera ready paper.

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## **SALIS 2011**

**Report of the DRDO supported National Conference on "Networking of Libraries, Resources, Technologies and Users in the Knowledge Society" organized by Central Library, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti jointly with SALIS.**

Central Library, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti and Society for the Advancement of Library and Information Science (SALIS) jointly organized the SALIS2011 during October 13-15, 2011 at National Engineering College, Kovilpatti.

### **Pre Conference Tutorial**

Pre-conference tutorial was conducted on "Social Networking Tools" on October 13, 2011. Dr. S. Tamil Selvi, Convener delivered the welcome address. Dr. S. Surianayanan President, SALIS explained about the tutorial Dr. A. Esski - Proposed the vote of thanks. Mr. Jerart Julius, Lecturer / Department of Information Technology, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti, Dr. M. Tamizchelvan, Deputy Librarian, Gandhi Gramam Rural University, and Dr. R. Balasubramani, Assistant Librarian, Bharathidasan University acted as Resource persons and conducted the pre conference tutorial session. Sixty library professionals participated and enriched their knowledge both in theory and hands on training in Social Networking Tools.

### **Inaugural Function**

The National Conference on Networking of Libraries, Resources, Technologies and Users in the Knowledge Society inaugural function was held on 14.10.2011 at 10.00 am in the College Auditorium. It started with lighting the kuthuvelaku and Dr. P. Subburaj, Principal, NEC welcomed the gathering, Dr. S. Tamil Selvi, convener, described about the conference, Dr. Kn. K. S. K. Chockalingam, Director, NEC has delivered the Presidential address, Dr. S. Suryanarayanan, President, SALIS explained the activities of the SALIS, Dr. S. Ally Sornam, Head & Associate Professor, DLIS, Bishop

Heber College gave the Special address on Knowledge & Attitude, Dr. M. S. Palanisamy, Vice Chairman, Tamil Nadu State Council for Technical Education, delivered the inaugural address and explained the paradigm shift happening in the Library and Information society. Thiru. K. R. Arunachalam, Member, Managing Committee, NEC has released the conference proceedings, souvenir and CD. The following SALIS awards were distributed by the chief guest.

1. *AutoLib – Tamilnadu Best Young Librarian Award* – **Mr. K. Karunai Raghavan**, Librarian, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti
2. *A. R. Marriappan National Best Young Librarian Award* - **Mr. Elagandula Ramesh**, Librarian, Malla Reddy College of Engineering and Technology, Secunderabad
3. *AutoLib – Tamilnadu Best Librarian Award* – **Dr. R. Ravichandran**, Senior Librarian, NITTT & R- Chennai
4. *Dr. Harish Chandra – Sushila Chandra Best Librarian Award* – **Dr. A. Ganesan**, Head DLIS, Librarian, Sri AVVM Sri Pushpan College, Poondi

The inaugural function was ended with the vote of thanks by K. Karunai Raghavan, Organizing Secretary & Librarian National Engineering College, Kovilpatti

### Technical Sessions

The Technical Sessions were held under the able guidance of Dr. S. Surianarayanan, President, SALIS, Librarian, Sri Paramakalyani College of Alwarkurichi who served as the Conference Director and Dr. J. Dominic, Chief Librarian, Karunya University, Coimbatore served as the Rapporteur General and Dr. C. Martin Arockiasamy, Librarian, St. Xaviers College, Palayamkottai served as a Associate Rapporteur General.

#### Technical Section – I Modern Library and Information Management

Dr. K. Chinnasamy, Prof. & Head, DLIS, Madurai Kamaraj University served as a Chairman of this session and Invited talk by Dr. S. Ally Sornam on Capacity Building. Dr. R. Balasubramani, Asst. Librarian, Bharathidasan University, Trichy and S. Kamatchi, Library Information Officer, Anna Centenary Library, Chennai served as a rapporteurs.

In this session papers were presented by C.Manjula: Branding: Need for library & Information Centre, C.G.Sivakumar: Marketing Library Services through Social Networks, S. Subhashini: Marketing in Library & Information Centers to retain the customer in closed environment, S.Kanmani: Library Management software with special reference information system, P. Elavarasi: Customer relationship management with reference to special libraries.

#### Technical Section – II Library Education, Research, Service and User Study

In this parallel session, Rapporteurs: Dr. A. Esakki, Stock Verification Officer, Public Library, Tirunelveli and Mr. A. Sankaran, Senior Deputy Librarian, The Hindu, Chennai. Papers were presented by Dr. A. Thirumagal: Scientometric Analysis of the Scientific publications of Manonmaniam Sundarnar University, Tirunelveli, Tamilnadu, Dr. J. Dominic: Information use pattern by the library users of karunya university: A sample study, T. Raja: Awareness of Internet usage by the Rural Area Engineering College Student with special Reference to J.P.College of Engineering: A study, Dr. A. Lawrence Mary: A case study on Non-users of TDMS College Library.

#### Technical Section – III Networking, Resource Sharing and Information Literacy

Dr. A. Lawrence Mary, Librarian, TDMNS College, T. Kallikulam served as a Chairman of this session and invited talk was given by Dr. A. Ganeshan, Head DLIS & Librarian, AVVM Sri Pushpan College, Poondi on Information Literacy. G. G. Sivakumar, Librarian, Alpha College of Engineering, Chennai and A.G. Ganesan, Librarian, KLN College of Information Technology, Madurai served as rapporteurs.

Paper were presented by M.Veerachamy: Social Networks in N.P.R.Library & Info Centre, B. Vijayalakshmi: Open Source Software - Library Implications, P.Selvamariammal: Connecting Tools BLOG: Resources Sharing among libraries, Dr.A.Esakki: Automation and Networking in Public Libraries in Tamil nadu: Problems and Prospects, Joselyn: Subject Gateway for Management in Bharathidasan University Library, Dr. P. Saravanan: Attitude of the faculty of arts and science college

towards E-Resources and services, T N M Tharinni Mai, : Information Literacy, LIS Education and Human Resources Management, D. Kanimozhi: Information Literacy in Higher Education in India.

### **Cultural Program**

Cultural Program was conducted by National Engineering College students in evening at 6.30pm.

### **Technical Section - IV Digital Library Initiatives**

The third day (15.10.2011) technical session IV was started. Dr. A. Tirumagal, Librarian, M.S. University, Tirunelveli served as a Chairman of this session and Invited talk was given by Dr. S. Srinivasaragavan, Head, DLIS & Librarian, Bharathidasan University, Trichy on Knowledge & Networks. N. Murugesan, Librarian, Angel College of Engineering and Technology, Tirupur and S. Gopalakrishnan, Librarian, Velammal College of Engineering and Technology, Madurai served as rapporteurs.

Papers were presented by M.Kavitha: Assessing of institutional repositories: A study, Dr.N.Meyyappan: Digital Library of patents, Dr.P.Vijayakumar: Using Dspace software in India: a study, R.Akila: A necessity of digital preservation in repository centers –An Overview, G.Vaishnavi: A Model for remote access library resources.

### **Technical Section – V Application of ICT for LIS Services**

Mr. B. Jayaprakash Asst. Librarian, Bharathidasan University, Trichy served as a Chairman of this session, Murugan and S. Radhakrishnan, Librarian, NPOL, Kochi served as rapporteurs.

papers were presented by S. Radhakrishnan: Cloud computing: Opportunities and Challenges in Libraries, A. Umera Banu: E-learning Environment, K. Murugan: Use and Application of Information and communication Technology by the Academic library professionals, Oware Henrietta: Web links for evaluation of library websites, Dr.R.Balasubramani: Federated Search Service @ Bharathidasan University Library, J.Manikandan: Designing and Hosting of Library website using open source, B.Jayaprakash: Open Source Reference Management tools: a special reference to Mendeley.

### **Technical Section – VI E – Resources**

Mr. M. Mandhirachalam, Librarian, Coimbatore Institute of Technology, Coimbatore served as a Chairman of this session, K.S.Sivakumaren, Asst. University Librarian, Anna University, MIT Campus, Chennai and S. Subhashini, Information Resource Officer, Tata Consultancy Services, Chennai served as rapporteurs.

Papers were presented by A.Kamini: A study on usage of Electronic journals in Mepco Engineering college and Kamaraj Engineering college libraries: a comparative study, P. Srividya: Use of E-Resources through UGC-Infonet consortium a Boon to Academic libraries, R. Arunpandian: Use of Information sources by M.Phil research scholars Bishop Heber College Library Trichy: A study, M. Mandhirachalam: N-list: An e-learning library consortium for college and universities to access e-resources.

### **Valedictory Function**

Welcome address by Dr.V.Vijayarangan, Prof. & Head ECE, and conference report was read by Dr. J. Dominic, Chief Librarian, Karunya University, Coimbatore. The best papers were awarded to the following presenters by Dr. S. Muralidhar, Scientist 'F', CVRDE, Chennai.

#### **Best papers award to LIS Professionals**

1. T. Raja -Awareness of Internet usage by the rural area engineering college student with special reference to J.P.College of Engineering: A study
2. S.Subasini-Marketing in Library Information centre customer closed environment.

#### **Best papers award to LIS Students**

1. Joselyn – Bharathidasan University, Trichy - Subject Gate way for management in Bharathidasan University Library,
2. Srividya.P – AVVM Sri Pushpam College, Poondi - Use of E-resources through UGC Infonet consortium.

Dr. S. Surianarayanan, President SALIS thanked the management and the delegates for their full support to conduct the conference, Dr. S. Muralidhar delivered the valedictory address and expressed the

importance of the technology in libraries, Dr. C. Martin Arockiasamy, proposed the vote of thanks and the meeting was ended with the national anthem.

The SALIS 2011 was held for three days from 13 - 15, October 2011. One hundred seventy library professionals from all over India participated. One pre conference tutorial and hands on training programme on Social Network Tools was conducted. Five key note address and forty three conference papers were presented.



## SALIS - 2012

### Report of the National Conference on “Innovative Library Services in Digital Era”

Central Library Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology Pollachi and Society for the Advancement of Library and Information Science (SALIS) jointly organized the SALIS 2012 during 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> January 2012 at Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology Pollachi.

The changing scenario of higher education, privatization and globalization, creation of satellite academic campuses, increasing user expectations and availability of ICT techniques made the organizing committee to plan for a three day

National conference on the Innovative Library Services in the digital Era which is comprising of tutorial, invited talk, paper presentation and discussion.

The theme of the Conference attracted the students, scholars and Library and Information Science professionals to contribute the research papers on Library Information Science Research and users, Library and Information services in the digital environment, E Resources and Resource sharing, Web technology applications of ICT, Digital Libraries and Institutional repositories and management and marketing. Among the reviewed papers 105 papers have been published in the conference volume.

### Pre Conference Tutorial

A pre conference tutorial was conducted on E Prints with Digital Library Software on the first day 19.01.2012 with an expert team of Mr. Madhan IGRISAT, Dr. M. Tamizhchelvan Deputy Librarian, Gandhigram University and Dr. Balasubramanian, Assistant Professor, Bharathidasan University, 70 Library Information science professionals participated and enriched their knowledge both in theory and hands on training in E-Prints an open source digital Library software. The Principal of Dr. Mahalingam college of Engineering and Technology inaugurated the pre conference tutorials.

### Inaugural Function

The National Conference on “innovative library services in Digital Era” inaugural function was held on 20.01.2012 at 10 a.m. in the college Auditorium. It started with prayer song, Dr. S. Ramakrishnan HoD IT and Convener Library welcomed the gathering and described about the College. Dr. A.L. Moorthy, Director DESIDOC given the inaugural address pointed out that how the digital environment brings the changes in the behavior of knowledge creators and users. Dr. J. Dominic has outlined the theme of the conference. Dr. S. Chentur Pandian Principal, MCET has delivered the Presidential address and released the conference proceedings, souvenir and CD. Dr. S. Suryanarayanan, President, SALIS explained the activities of the SALIS, and Dr. M. Suriya has mentioned in her key note address that how the information reached the remote user. Mr. John Paul Anbu has shared the idea of creating

intellectual communities rather than creating intellectual individuals through the innovative Library and Information services in his special address. The following awards were distributed by the chief guest.

Mrs. A. Chitra Dhavaputhalvi Librarian was honoured with appreciation for her professional dedication.

The inaugural function was ended with the vote of thanks by Mrs. A.Chitra Dhavaputhalvi Organizing secretary & Librarian of Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology, Pollachi

### **Technical Sessions**

#### **Paper Presentations:**

The Technical Sessions were held under the able guidance of Dr. J. Dominic Chief Librarian, Karunya University, Coimbatore who served as the Conference Director and Dr. A. Manoharan, Associate Professor, PG & R DLIS, Bishop Heber College, Trichy served as the Rapporteur General and Mr. M. Mandhirasalam, Librarian, Coimbatore Institute of Technology, Coimbatore served as a Associate Rapporteur General.

#### **Technical Session – I Library and Information Science Research and User study**

Dr. M. Nagarajan, Professor , DLIS, Annamalai University served as a Chairman of this session and Invited talk by Dr. Jeyakumar IGCAR, on Open Achieves Initiatives, Citation factors and E-resources. Mr. S. Swaminathan, Librarian (SS), SRMV College of Education, Coimbatore and Mr. M. Surulinathi, Asst. Librarian, Bharathidasan University, Trichy served as a rapporteurs. In the first session six papers have been presented on the user expectations of Allopathic Medicals Practitioners and Students of higher learning, personality patterns of library and information Science students, Recent developments in Library and Information Science, UGC NET output and mapping of Library and Information Science as reflected in the Indian citation Index,

#### **Technical Session – II Library Information Science and services**

Six Papers have been presented in the second session as the innovative practices and challenges , E Resource connect. Environmental Intelligence, Technology implementation and creation of websites Mr.C.Jayakumar IGCAR Chaired. Mr.M.Surulinathi and Mr.A Snakaran were the Rapporterus.

#### **Technical Sessions – III E-Resources and Resource Sharing – IV Web Technology**

In the third and fourth sessions eleven papers have been presented to highlight the ideas on E Resource sharing, subject gateways, Library blogs, web based services and semantic webs. Dr.M Tamizhchelvan, Deputy Librarian Gandhigram University chaired, Dr.Vinitha and Mrs.Mahalakshmi were the Repporterus.

#### **Technical Session – V Application of ICT**

In the fifth session two papers have been presented to introduce the new technology application of Ipad technology on libraries to the delegates of the conference and level of ICT based services among research scholars. Mr. Sankaran Chaired. Mr.Magudeeswarn and Mr.A.G.Ganasen were the Repporteurs.

#### **Technical Session – VI Digital Library and Institutional Repositories**

In the sixth session seven papers have been presented highlighting the ideas on institutional Libraries, the creation of music digital library and visualization of information in digital libraries. Dr.R.Balasubramanian chaired., Mr. G.G.Sivakumar and Mr. Radhakrishanan were the Repporteurs.

#### **Technical Session – VII Management and Marketing**

Five papers have been presented in seventh session to enlighten the ideas on customer relationship management and the marketing of information products and services. Dr.S Suriyanarayanan Chaired. Mr.Joseph and Mrs.M.Jannath were the Repporterus.

#### **Invited Talks**

Dr.Jayakumar, IGCAR ignited the minds of Library and Information Science professionals to provide the users with open Access Initiatives and refreshed the knowledge in the area of citation factors.

Mr.Gowri Sankar MCET, HoD CSE has explored the ideas of content management systems.

Dr.Elavazhagan has started his talk with the prayer of Library song and the song of reading habit and explored the ways and means of reducing the gap between the customer and resources.

Through the delivery of information, Dr.S.Ally Sornam brought out the role of ISO in Total Quality Management and the application of sig sigma in implementing strategies for achieving TQM in Libraries ensuring zero defects.

Dr.Sreekumar in his speech highlighted the future Library and its services with the implementation of Digital Information Services.

### **Outcome of the Conference:**

With the deliberations of the conference we hope that Library and Information Science professionals would be able to

- a) have vision on user expectations and Library and Information Science research in India
- b) Identify the areas for providing innovative services in digital era through resource sharing
- c) Introduce web blogs and semantic webs.
- d) have retrieve information using modern ICT conveniences
- e) build institutional repositories
- f) market the information products and services

Also this conference proved that the best practice can be the one which paves the way for enhancing the existing functioning and helps on effective implementation or use of the process of providing Innovative Library services in digital era as rightly mentioned by Padmashree Dr. N. Mahalingam, the chairmen Emeritus of NIA Educational Institutions in his message.

### **Resolutions**

1. It is resolved that AICTE shall provide financial assistance to the colleges libraries to organize workshops, training and conferences.
2. At present, AICTE insists the colleges of Engineering and Technology to subscribe the

E- resources through agencies instead INDEST. It leads the AICTE INDEST inactive therefore.

3. It is resolved that AICTE shall reactive the INDEST in order to subscribe E-resources at reduced rates.
4. Now a days, Bibliographical databases become part and parcel of the research programs, Hence.
5. It is resolved that AICTE shall take efforts to provide access facilities to reputed bibliographical databases such as Scopus, web and science etc to the libraries of Colleges Engineering & Technology at subsidized rates.
6. Now, the librarians of the College, Engineering & Technologies are permitted to participate in workshops, training programs and seminars by compensating the duration of refresher / orientation courses.
7. Hence It is resolved that UGC shall permit the librarians of Arts and Science College libraries to undergo workshops, training programmes and seminars in order to compensate the duration of refresher courses
8. At present knowledge network connectivity is given only to the Government R&D institutions. Hence
9. It is resolved that knowledge network connectivity also shall be extended to the libraries of Engineering Colleges.
10. It is resolved that like NKC, State knowledge commission shall be established with the efforts of government
11. It is resolved that in order to provide innovative services, the librarians of the colleges of Engineering and Technology shall introduce introductory course on information literacy.

### **Valedictory Function**

Welcome address by Dr.S.Surianarayanan, President SALIS and conference report was read by Prof. Dr. A. Manoharan, Associate Professor, Bishop Heber College, Trichy. The best papers were awarded to the following presenters by Dr. S. Chenthur Pandian Principal, Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology, Pollachi

### **Best papers award to LIS - Professionals**

1. Surulinathi.M - Music Digital Library at Bharathidasan University
2. Ramasamy.K - Library 2.0: Change Management for the Librarian in web2.0

## Best papers award to LIS - Students

1. Manikandan. J - Application of IPod Technology in Library Services
2. Manjula.C - Personality pattern of LIS students: A study

Dr. S. Surianarayanan, President SALIS thanked the management and the delegates for their full support to conduct the conference, Shri. M. Murugesan Director General, Central Power Research Institute, Bangalore delivered the valedictory address and expressed the importance of the libraries and its services, Mr. B. Jeyapragash, proposed the vote of thanks and the meeting was ended with the National Anthem.

The SALIS 2012 was held for three days from 19 - 21, January 2012. One hundred seventy library professionals from all over India participated. One pre conference tutorial and hands on training programme on E-Print open source Digital Library software was conducted. Five key note address and thirty seven conference papers were presented.



## Conference Report

**SALIS National Conference on Open Source  
Integrated Library Systems"**

**June 8 - 9, 2012**

**Central Library, B.S.Abdul Rehman University  
& SALIS**

**8.06.2012**

### Inaugural Function

Dr.S.S.M.AdulMajeed – has welcomed the gathering and the guest  
Dr.A.Manoharan – has explained about the conference and its theme  
Dr.P.Kanniappan – Vice Chancellor has delivered the precedential Address  
Dr.ARD Prasad – has delivered the Inaugural address  
Dr.Sakthireka – has explained the activities of SALIS  
Dr.Paneerselvam – given the vote of thanks

**Conference Director – Dr.A.Manoharan, and  
Reportuer General – Dr.J.Dominic**

### Technical Session – I Open Access Initiatives

Invited talk: Dr.Gopalakrishnan – “Open Source Software”  
Chair Person: Dr. Manorama Srinath  
Repportuers: Dr.Balasubramainan, G.G.Sivakumar

The following papers were presented

1. Dr.J.Abraham: Electronic Information On-line Resources and Users Satisfaction in academic Libraries: Strategic Implications
2. K.S.Alvi : Utilization of Internet by the Faculty Members of Women's Christian College, Nagercoil, Kanyakumari Dist.
3. S.Swaminathan: Library and Information Science Professionals opinion on Open Access Resources.

### **Technical Session – II Open Access Journals and Books**

Invited Talk : Dr.Angelina Geetha :”Open Source and Moodle”

Chair Person : Dr.K.Nithyanandam

Reporteurs: Dr.Bagavathi, Joseph Anburaj

The following Papers were presented

1. Aswathy.S : Indian Contribution to open access Journals: A study with special reference to DOAJ
2. Daniel.D: content Management System Journals
3. Dr.Tamizhchelvan : Open Access Journals- An Academic Perspective

### **Technical Session – III Open Source Library Software's**

Chair Person : Jeyaprakash

Reporteurs : Manikandan, .M, Rajan.V.R

The following Papers were presented

1. V.R.Rajan: Open source Software
2. Pndurangswamy: Koha live CD:Free and open source integrated library system software
3. Radhakrishana.S: Koha: A promising solution for integrated library management operations

**9.6.2012**

### **Technical Session – IV Open Source repository Software's**

Invited talk : Dr.Francis Jeyakanth “Who Benefits from Open Access to Scholarly literature”

Chair Person: Mr.Mandhirasalam

Reporteurs: A.Janakiraman.A, Jennth Begaum

The following papers were presented

1. Arumugam – Open Source Software for Libraries: An over view
2. Kalpana.T.M – Build your own application free
3. Sivakumaran.B: Dspace with SAFA Talking Digital repository

### **Technical Session – V Open Source content management Software's**

Invited talk: Dr.Francis Jeyakanth “Who Benefits from Open Access to Scholarly literature”

Chair Person: Dr.T. Dr.Tamizhchelvan

Reporteurs: Dr.P.Yesudoss, T.Senthil Kumar

The following papers were presented

1. Shabana Tabusam Begaum: Content Management Software: Drupal and Joomla
2. Tamilselvi.A : Joomla the open source content management system software for libraries and information centre
3. Seshaih.O : Drupal the open source content management software
4. Yugapriay: Open source software in libraries pros and cons
5. Saleem : Open access journals
6. Janath bagaum: open source digital library and Archiving software-KETE
7. Jeyaprakash- Moodels

### **Technical Session – VI E-learning Tools and Software's**

Invited talk: Dr.Manorama Srinath “E-learning – The role of librarian”

Chair Person: Dr.J.Abraham

Reporteurs: Dr.RadhaKrishnan, Mr,Seshaiah

The following papers were presented

Jeyaprakash: Open Journal System

### **Valedictory Function**

Dr.S.S.M.Abdul Majeed delivered Welcome address

Dr.J.Dominic, Reporteur General presented the conference report

Best paper Award Joint First: Swaminathan,  
Jeyaprakash,  
&  
Kalpana

Dr.V.M.Periasamy delivered the presidential address

Feed Back given by Kalpan, Dr.Rathakrishan and  
Mr.S.Swaminathan delivered the concluding  
remarks

Dr.P.Paneerselvam proposed the vote of thanks



## Preparatory Programme for NET/SET for LIS Professionals

SALIS Erode Chapter in association with C.S.I Erode Christian College of Arts Science for Women, Erode conducted the Preparatory Programme for NET/SET for LIS Professionals on 02 June 2012- 03 June 2012 and 16 June 2012- 17 June 2012 ( Four Days: Ist Paper – 3rd June and 17 th June, 2nd and 3rd Paper - 2nd June 16th June). Around 25 LIS professionals participated in the programme. Lecture

by NET/SET qualified professional along with Course Materials for General Paper I, Paper II and Paper III of LIS were given to the participants.

Mr.Swaminathan, Dr. Sokkalingam, Dr. Lt T. Magudeeswaran, Mr.M.Mandhirasalam, Ms. Mahalakshmi and Mr.Sivakumaren served as the resource person for the programme.

Lt T. Magudeeswaran, Librarian Company Commander – NCC, Chikkaiah Naicker College, Erode served as the Programme Co-ordinator and Stephen Thanagraj, Assistant Professor, Velalar College for Women (Autonomous), Erode served as the Additional Co-Ordinator for the programme.

## SALIS Felicitation Function to Retired LIS Professionals and Ph.D Awardees

SALIS has organized a felicitation function to honor the Retired LIS Professionals and Ph.D Awardees at Bishop Heber College, Trichy on 27.11.2011. The following Ph.D awardess and retired professionals were honored in the function. Shield and shawls were presented.

Dr. J. Manalan, Librarian, Bishop Heber College & Chairman, SALIS Chapter was the co-ordinator for the programme made all the arrangements for the function. Mr. Karunai Raghavan, SALIS GC member and Dr A.M. Venkatachalam, Treasurer made other arrangements for the programme.

### List of Ph.D awardees

Dr. L. Parisutharaj  
Dr. A. M. Venkatachalam  
Dr. R. Sarangapani  
Dr. M. Dorairajan  
Dr. Jesudoss Manalanan  
Dr. R. Poonkothai  
Dr. C. Baskaran  
Dr. L.N. Uma Devi  
Dr. V. Geetha  
Dr. G. Thamaraiselvi  
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Dr. R.Jayalaksmi  
Dr. K. Senthilnayagam  
Dr. N. Amsaveni  
Dr. A. Manoharan  
Dr. J. Banumathi

Dr. K. Elavazhagan  
 Dr. B. Meenakshi  
 Dr. P. Ganesan  
 Dr. R. Senthil Kumar  
 Dr. S. Balakrishnan  
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 Dr. R. Magesh  
 Dr. M.G. Rajeswari  
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 Dr. S. Thanuskodi  
 Dr. P. Chellapandi  
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### Retired Professionals

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- 3.Mr. Abdul Bahree (JM College) 94865-46207



## SALIS DECENNIAL PROGRAMME @ Kodaikanal

SALIS has organized **SALIS DECENNIAL PROGRAMM cum family get together at Kodaikanal** between 11.2.2012 and 12.2.2012 to celebrate the 10<sup>th</sup> birth Anniversary of SALIS. A grand function and a number of entertainment programmes for the children, ladies and also for the adult were organized at Tamil Nadu Hotel, Kodaikanal on this occasion.

Mr. Karunai Raghavan, SALIS GC member and Dr. A.M.Venkatachalam, Treasurer and Mr. Gopalakrishnan, Librarian, Velammal Engineering College & Technology, Madurai made excellent arrangements for the programme.



### Heartfelt thanks

*SALIS extends its sincere thanks to Dr. J.Manalan, Librarian, Bishop Heber College, Trichy, Mr. Karunairaghavan Librarian, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti, Mrs. Chitra Davaputhalvi, Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering & Technology, Pollachi, Dr. Panneerselvam, B.S. Abudur Rahman University, Chennai and Lt T. Magudeeswaran, Librarian Company Commander – NCC, Chikkaiah Naicker College, Erode for having given an opportunity to SALIS to organize the above mentioned national conferences/programme in their institutions successfully.*

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*SALIS welcomes our new members*

## Obituary

Dr.A.Essaki, Librarian, Kumaragurubarar Arts College, Srivaikundam,(formerly Stock Verification Officer, LLA, Tirunelveli) and Treasurer, SALIS Tirunelveli Chapter has passed away on 11.6.2012. We pray for his soul to rest in peace and also to give strength and courage to his family to bear the great loss

