From Editor's Desk

It gives me immense pleasure to handed over this present issue of Journal of Indian Library Association to you all. The present issue is having total eleven research articles contributed by twenty authors. These contributors have tried to focus on webometrics, scintrometrics and bibliometric studies on different topics. Moreover, awareness and Use of E-Journals, Organizational Climate, importance of Subject Gateways, Online Learning Environment, Digital Divide, and Use of social networks (Blog, Wiki, and Facebook), are the other topics to which the contributors have given their attention.

With the main objectives to see the status of digital initiatives in higher education on the university's website through Alexa tool and checklist as well as to create awareness for the optimum use of these, Sandhya Aggarwal, and Dr. Narender Chimni have attempted to put their views in the article, 'Use and Status of Higher Educational Digital Initiatives in University: A Webometric Analysis'. Sontu Nandi Mail, Amit Kumar Das Mail, and Sabita Mandal Mail did webometric study of National Level Divyangjan Institutes of India through their article. Scientometric Analysis of Research Contributions of Maharshi Dayanand University (Rohtak) From 2011-2021 has been done by Rohit, and Rashmi Kumbar. On the same path scientometric Analysis of Faculty Publications of Central Universities in the Western Himalayan Region of India has been done by N. Muruli and N. S. Harinarayana

Authorship pattern is studied by Dr. Jyotika Borthakur, and Rakesh Trivedi in their article, 'Exploring Authorship Pattern and Growth of Scholarly Contributions of CSIR-CSMCRI, Bhavnagar During 2011-2020: A Bibliometric Study'.

Organizational climate of eight state universities of Kerala is studied by Dr. Naseer in his article 'Perception of Organizational Climate in University Libraries'. Subject Gateways play vital role among researcher to provide authentic and reliable information on particular subject. Keeping this in view Sheuli Sengupta, and Dr. Subarna Kumar Das studied analytically Subject Gateways in Social Science Research in their article, 'An Importance of Subject Gateways in Social Science Research: An Analytical Study'. The cognitive assessment has been conducted by Dr. A. P. Minaxi to identify the realm status of learners in understanding the subject, concept, and its application in the practice of the library profession in her article titled 'Cognitive Assessment in the Online Learning Environment During Covid 19 Pandemic: A Case Study of SLIS Stakeholders'.

The digital divide present among the students of the University of Lucknow is assess by Kritika Agarwal, and Dr. Babita Jaiswal in their article. Popularity of Social network is increasing day by day in all most all the age group persons. On this back drop, Dr. Kshirod Das has attempted to find out awareness, use, perception and acceptance of Blog, Wiki, and Facebook as a medium of learning by Library & Information Science students' of Odisha through his article, 'Use of Blog, Wiki, and Facebook: Exploring LIS Students' Attitudes and Perceptions'. Use of E-Journals by research scholars of Social Science subjects from Kashmir University is studied by Farheena Muzaffar and Manzoor Hussain.

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