From Editor’s Desk

Dear Colleagues,

As we are bidding goodbye to the year 2018, I wish all my colleagues in Library profession, ‘A very happy, healthy and professionally fruitful New Year 2019’.

I am glad to note that we have been able to enhance and maintain the standard of the journal of Indian Library Association during the past year. Number of submissions has been encouraging as also the low level of Plagiarism in the research articles. However, quite a few articles were returned back to the authors for improvement in their language. Those who could cooperate with the editor in the process of improvement were included in the issue.

I am happy to bring to the readers, the December issue of JILA with 6 research articles. The first one from Iran is quite interesting as it presents Historical perspective of Copyright issues in Indo-Iran Relations. The second one is an indepth study dwelling upon Metadata Engineering in Greenstone Digital Library Software, while the third article covers a comparatively new dimension of the subject called Augmented Reality Applications in Modern Day Library. The remaining three articles deal with Open Access Digital Repositories, Chhattisgarh Public Libraries Legislation, and Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) in India. The contents of the articles reflect the quality of research papers published as well as the standard of the journal.

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