

From Editor's Desk

Dear LIS Professionals,

I take this opportunity to congratulate all the LIS fraternity on the eve of 128th Birthday of Padmashri Dr. S.R. Ranganathan, the father Library movement in India. With immense pleasure I am presenting before the LIS professionals the third issue of Journal of Indian Library Association (JILA) of July-September, 2020 issue. For the benefit of LIS professionals we have tried our best in bringing the quality in all respect and including more and more articles in the Journal. I thank from the bottom of my heart all the Editorial Board members for their constant support amid lockdown due to the pandemic COVID-19.

The present issue contains eleven articles viz. Research productivity of Mizoram University, Aizawl during 2002-2018: A Bibliometric Analysis by Saumen Das et al. / Connecting Block Chain Technology with Libraries: Opportunities and Risks by A. K. Kushwaha and A.P. Singh / Analysis of Contribution of Universities of Madhya Pradesh in Shodhganga by Subhash Khode / Library and Information Process Outsourcing (LIPO): An Important tool for Managing Engineering and Technical Institutes in Higher Education, Government of West Bengal by Mahadeb Rana and Parikshit Mondal / Analysis of Central Universities' Library Websites in India: A study by Shivanand Bulla and Gururaj S. Hadagali / Nature and extent of Degradation and causes of Deterioration of Information Resources by Diksha Yadav and Shailendra Kumar / Knowledge Sharing among Science faculty and researchers in Universities of Karnataka state by Hemantha Rao and B. Ramesha / Bibliometric analysis of Journal of the Indian Law Institute (JILI): A study of Legal scholarships published during 2000-2018 by Sonam Singh et al. / Status of Open Access LIS journals: An empirical study of DOAJ by Rupak Chakravarty and Diksha / Information Seeking Behaviour of faculty in Post-Graduate Colleges of district Jalandhar (Punjab): A survey by Amandeep Kaur and Use of Gratification of Social Media Networks by LIS students of University of Delhi: A Study by Deepak Kumar and Ashu Shokeen.

Each article highlights and covers various aspects of Library and Information Science, core areas including Information and Communication Technology. I hope the young researchers / authors will get benefited from these academic writings.

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