Library and Information Centre

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Submitted to the Director.

Sub: Draft annual report for the year 2020-21- reg.

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Respected Madam,

With reference to the above, please find enclosed the draft annual report material with respect to the Library and Information Centre for the year 2020-21.

Yours faithfully,

 Library and Information Officer

**ANNUAL REPORT 2020-21**

Library and Information Centre

The Library and Information Centre (LIC) played a major role in the academic, research and clinical activities of the institute by providing various information services to the professional community. Besides holding an excellent print collection of books, journals, dissertations and theses, and standards, it provides access to a vast collection of electronic resources pertaining to communication disorders.

**Acquisition of Information Resources**

Totally 116 print books were purchased during the reporting year making the total collection to 22738. In addition, 60 national/international journals both in print and electronic format and four online databases were subscribed, and 144 research reports such as thesis (19), dissertations (77), and ARF projects (48) were added to the in-house digital repository. The institute received 242 nos. of medical Journals as a part of ERMED consortium of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India and more than 31, 35,000 e-books and 6000 e-journals as a part of N-LIST service of the Information and Library Network, University Grants Commission, Govt. of India.

**Information Services**

The various information services provided during the reporting year include book lending, reference, Internet, online public access catalogue, web portal based CD-ROM, online databases, e-journals, e-books, plagiarism detection, remote login, bibliographic management, language laboratory, newspaper clipping, Grammarly, ISBN allotment, digital repository, typeset author solution and VPN based resource access to the DHLS centers.

**Completed ARF Project**

A project titled ‘Database on Communication Disorders published in India’ Principal Investigator – Dr. Shijithkumar, C., and Co-Investigator: Mr. M. Nanjundaswamy, & Mr. Nandeesha, B. AIISH, Mysuru completed ARF project on 31st March 2021.

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| **S/N** | **Webinar** | **Date** | **Audience** | **Resource Person(s)** | **Topics Covered** | **No. of Participants** |
| 1 | Webinar onauto-formatting of research manuscripts using the typeset solution | 22nd May 2020 | Faculty & staff | Mr. Zeeshan Ahmed, Sales Specialist, Typeset Solution, Bengaluru  | Auto-formatting of research manuscripts | 30 |
| 2 | Webinar on Web of Science | 28th August 2020 | 2nd MSc. Students, faculty & staff | Dr. Subhasree Nag, Solution consultant, Clarivate Analytics, India | Search tips, Basic search, Advanced search, Citation report, h-index | 97 |
| 3 | Webinar onAcademic Integrity & Plagiarism | 17th September 2020 | 2nd MSc. Students, faculty n staff |  Dr. Shijith Kumar C, LIO, AIISH | Academic Integrity values, plagiarism detection tools & how to avoid plagiarism | 110 |
| 4 | Webinar on Managing References using Mendeley | 18th September 2020 | Faculty & staff | Dr. Ishima Badhwar, Clinical Consultant, Elsevier Health Solutions, India | How to use reference management software Mendeley | 97 |
| 5 | Webinar onWriting support tool | 24th September 2020 | 2nd MSc. Students, faculty | Mr. Ratheesh IyerGrammarly Trainer,Bridge PeopleTechnology Solutions, Bengaluru | Grammarly writing support tool | 86 |
| 6 | Webinar onBibliographic databases | 25th September 2020 | 2nd MSc. Students, faculty | 1. Srijith S., Training & Consulting Partner, Proquest Inc. Bengaluru2. Rahul S., Asst. Manager, Training and Business Development, Informatics Publishing Ltd. , Bengaluru | JGate and COMDISDOME/ LLBA | 93 |

**Webinars Conducted**

**Orientation Program Organized**

1. An orientation on Electronic Information Resources was organized for the newly admitted 1st year BASLP students on 10.03.2021 & 11.03.2021.
2. An orientation on Electronic Information Resources was organized for the newly admitted 1st year MSc (Audiology & SLP) students on 22.03.2021 & 23.03.2021.

**Scientific Publications**

*Book Chapters*

1. Nandeesha, B. (2020). Country-wise study of speech and hearing literature based on Scimago database. In Pramanathan, U., Kavitha, R., Stephen, G. & Selvam, M. (Eds.), *Handbook of metric studies for library and information science scholars* (pp. 47-53). SK Research Group of Companies Publication.
2. Nandeesha, B. (2020). Google scholar: an overview. In Ramasamy, K. & Mani, M. (Eds.), *Google era librarianship: tools, technologies and skills* (pp. 111-119). Muthra Publishers.
3. Nandeesha, B. (2021). Opportunities and implementation of big data management in academic libraries: strategic approach and discovering a solution. In Sangeeta Namdev Dhamdhere (Ed.), *Big data applications for improving library services* (pp. 34-47). IGI Global. 10.4018/978-1-7998-3049-8

*Conference Paper*

1. Nandeesha, B. (2021, February). Emerging trends in library services In Rathinasabapathy, G., Veeranjaneyulu, K. & Srinivas, V. (Eds.) International Conference on Agriculture Librarians and User Community (ICALUC-2021) *on Management of Knowledge Resource Centres in the Networked Digital Environment: Trends, Challenges and Opportunities* (pp. 211-217). University of Agriculture Sciences, GKVK, Bangalore.