

Curriculum Vitae

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Date of Birth	: 07-11-1975
Teaching Experience	: 20 Years
Research Experience	: 15 Years
Rank & Medal	: M. Sc First Rank & Gold Medal
National Award received	: ILA PV Verghese Award
Books published	: 03
National Conference proceedings edited	: 09
Course Materials written	: 7 (B.L.I.Sc -3 & M.L.I.Sc - 4)
Publications	: 134
International journals	: 22
National journals	: 29
International Conferences	: 26
National conferences/Seminars	: 57
Articles in Editorial books	: 03
Total Number of Citations (Google scholar)	: 417, h- Index: 12, i10- index: 14
Guidance for M.Phil Students	: 03
No. of Students working for Ph.D	: 02 (awarded) and 8 (ongoing)
Guidance for M.Sc., Project works	: 23 (completed) 4 (ongoing)
Major Research Project	: 01 (completed) 01 (ongoing)
Minor Research Project	: 02 (completed)
Workshop attended	: 09
Conference/Seminars attended	: 16
Orientation Program attended	: 01
Refresher Course attended	: 01
Special Lectures delivered	: 36

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2. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)*** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University.
 - **Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Science (P.G.D.C.S)** in Computer Science, University of Hyderabad.
 - **National Eligibility Test (N.E.T)** in Library and Information Science, University Grants Commission, New Delhi.
 - **Master of Science (M.Sc.)**** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University.
 - **Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.)** in Physics and Mathematics Kuvempu University.
 - **Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)** in Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Kuvempu University.
- * **Ph.D. Thesis:** Evaluation of Electronic Sources of Information in Physics: An Analytical Study with Particular Reference to Web based Sources.
- ** **P.G. Dissertation:** Planning and Designing of Computerization for Engineering College Libraries.

3. NATIONAL AWARD

Received “**I.L.A.P.V.Vergheese Award**” for the best research paper published in ILA Bulletin-2005.

4. COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE

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| 1. | Operating Systems | :DOS, WINDOWS, LINUX, MAC |
| 2. | Library Software Packages | |
| | Automation Software | :SOUL, Library Manager, NewGenLib, KOHA |
| | Digital Library Software | :DSpace, Green Stone |
| | Content Management Software | : Drupal and Bluevoda |

5. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1. Working as a **Professor** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Tumkur University, from 4th August 2014 to till date.
2. Worked as an **Associate Professor** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Tumkur University, from 5th August 2011 to 4th August 2014.
3. Worked as an **Assistant Professor (AGP-Rs.7000)** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, from 11th October 2009 to 4th August 2011.
4. Worked as an **Assistant Professor (AGP-Rs.6000)** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, from 1st January 2006 to 10th October 2009.
5. Worked as a **Lecturer** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, from 11th October 2005 to 31st December 2009.
6. Worked as a **Guest Lecturer** in the Dept. of Studies and Research in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, from 1st August 1998 to 10th October 2005.

7. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

1. Director, Sri. G. S. Paramashivaiah Chair Tumkur University, Tumkur.
2. College Development Council (CDC) from Director 3rd August 2016 to till date
3. Worked as a Deputy Registrar (Academic Section) from 25th June 2015 to 2nd August 2016
4. Worked as a Special Officer in Academic Section from 27th January 2014 to 24th June 2015.
5. Worked as an Assistant Director in Prasaraanga, Kuvempu University from 2009 to 2011.

RESEARCH PROJECTS ONGOING/COMPLETED

1. “Measuring the Web Visibility, Scientific Productivity and Citation Patterns of Science Academics using Google Scholar”. Rs. 9,91,800/-sponsored by UGC, New Delhi **(Ongoing)**
2. “ICT Literacy Competencies among Rural and Urban Students: The Digital Divide” Rs. 6,00,000/- sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi **(Completed)**
3. “Status of Library Automation in Science College Libraries affiliated to Kuvempu University” Rs. 23,000/- sponsored by Kuvempu University.**(Completed)**
4. “Impact of ICT Skills on Academic Performance of Students in Kuvempu University: A Study” Rs. 50,000/- sponsored by Kuvempu University **(Completed)**

7. COURSE MATERIALS WRITTEN FOR DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION, KUVEMPU UNIVERSITY

B.L.I.Sc Course

1. Fundamentals of Information Technology
2. Information Processing: Classification (Theory)
3. Information Processing and Retrieval (Practical): DDC

M.L.I.Sc Course

1. Information Technology (Theory)
2. Information Processing & Retrieval (Practical): Indexing
3. Information Processing & Retrieval (Practical): UDC
4. Information Technology (Practical)

8. BOOKS PUBLISHED

1. Digital libraries: Issues and Challenges published by **Abhijith Publications, New Delhi. ISBN:978-93-5074-93-4**
2. Evaluation of Electronic Sources of Information in Physics: An Analytical Study with Particular Reference to Web based Sources, **Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany. ISBN: 978-3-8383-6961-7**
3. Electronic Information Sources: Perception and Use by Indian Academics, **Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany. ISBN: 978-3-8433-8107-9**

Conference Proceedings edited

1. Libraries and Transformation: Issues and Challeges Published by Tumkur Univesity, Tumkur, 2017.
2. Innovative Practice in Libraries by Tumkur University, Tumkur, 2016.
3. Recent Trends in Open Access published by Tumkur University, Tumkur, 2016.
4. Integrated Library management system published by Karnataka Higher Education Council, Bangalore, 2012.
5. Content Management in Networked Environment published by Tumkur University, Tumkur, 2012
6. Scientometrics published by Tumkur University, Tumkur, 2012.
7. Collection Management in Changing Context: Problems and Prospects published by Kuvempu University College Librarians' Association, Shivamogga, 2011. ISBN: 978-81-921937-0-0
8. Information literacy: Competencies for Higher Learning and Research published by Indian Academic Library Association, Bangalore, 2011.

9. Digital resources in higher education academic research published by Tumkur University, Tumkur.

9. PAPERS PUBLISHED IN JOURNALS

International Journals

1. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Shiva Kumara, S. U. (2018). The digital divide in India: use and non-use of ICT by rural and urban students. *World Journal of Science, Technology and Sustainable Development*, 15(2), 156-168. **Emerald Publication**
2. Shiva Kumara, S. U., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2018). Internet Use in Cyber Cafés in Indian Cities. *Informatics Studies*, 5(3), 36-44.
3. Shiva Kumara, S. U., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2018). The Impact of Gender on Use of Cybercafé: A Survey of Cybercafé Users. *Asian Journal of Information Science and Technology*, 8(1), 80-86.
4. Kumara, B., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2018). Impact of ICT on Reading Habits of Students: A Survey. *Asian Journal of Information Science and Technology*, 8(1), 75-79.
5. Sumadevi, S., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2018). Awareness of Open Access Scholarly Publications Among Science Faculty Members: A Survey. *ZENITH International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research*, 8(6), 178-187.
6. D. Vinay Kumar & **B. T. Sampath Kumar** (2017). Recovery of vanished URLs: Comparing the efficiency of Internet Archive and Google. *Malaysian Journal of Library & Information Science*, 22(2), 31-43.
7. Vinay Kumar, D., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2017). Prevalence of URLs in Library and Information Science (LIS) Literature: A Citation Analysis. *COLLNET Journal of Scientometrics and Information Management*, 11(2), 287-297.
8. Basavaraja M.T. , & **B. T. Sampath Kumar** (2017). Gender Disparities in the use of ICT: A survey of students in Urban Schools. *Journal of Information Science Theory and Practice*. 5 (3).
9. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Basavaraja, M. T. (2016). Computer access and use: understanding the expectations of Indian rural students. *Quality assurance in education*, 24(1), 56-69. **Emerald Publication**
10. Prithviraj, K. R., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2015). Web Citation Trends in Indian LIS Journals: A Citation Analysis. *COLLNET Journal of scientometrics and Information Management*, 9(2), 295-310. **Taylor & Francis**

11. Vinay Kumar, D., **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Parameshwarappa, D. R. (2015). URLs Link Rot: Implications for Electronic Publishing. *World Digital Libraries-An international journal*, 8(1), 59-66.
 12. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, Vinay Kumar, D., & Prithviraj, K. R. (2015). Wayback machine: reincarnation to vanished online citations. *Program*, 49(2), 205-223. **Emerald Publication**
 13. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Prithviraj, K. R. (2015). Bringing life to dead: Role of Wayback Machine in retrieving vanished URLs. *Journal of Information Science*, 41(1), 71-81. **Sage publications**
 14. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, Basavaraja, M. T., & Gagendra, R. (2014). Computer literacy competencies among Indian students: the digital divide. *Asian Education and Development Studies*, 3(3), 267-281. **Emerald Publication**
 15. Prithviraj, K. R., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2014). Corrosion of URLs: Implications for electronic publishing. *IFLA journal*, 40(1), 35-47. **Sage publications**
 16. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Kumar, G. T. (2013). Search engines and their search strategies: the effective use by Indian academics. *Program*, 47(4), 437-449. **Emerald Publication**
 17. **B. T. Sampath Kumar.**, & D. Vinay Kumar. (2013). HTTP 404-page (not) found: Recovery of decayed URL citations. *Journal of Informetrics*, 7(1), 145-157.
 18. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Manjunath, G. (2013). Internet use and its impact on the academic performance of university teachers and researchers: A comparative study. *Higher Education, Skills and Work-based Learning*, 3(3), 219-238. **Emerald Publication**
 19. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Manoj Kumar, K. S. (2012). Decay and half-life period of online citations cited in open access journals. *The International Information & Library Review*, 44(4), 202-211. **Elsevier publication**
 20. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Manoj Kumar, K. S. (2012). Persistence and half-life of URL citations cited in LIS open access journals. *Aslib Proceedings: New Information Perspective*, 64(5). **Emerald Publication**
 21. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Biradar, B. S. (2010). Use of ICT in college libraries in Karnataka, India: a survey. *Program*, 44(3), 271-282. **Emerald Publication**
 22. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, & Kumar, G. T. (2013). Search engines and their search strategies: the effective use by Indian academics. *Program*, 47(4), 437-449. **Emerald Publication**
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23. **B.T. Sampath Kumar** and J.N. Prakash (2009). Precision and Relative Recall of Search Engines: A Comparative Study of Google and Yahoo!. *Singapore Journal of Library and Information Science*. Vol. 38,. pp. 127-134.
24. Veena R. Bhat & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2008). Web citation behaviour in scholarly electronic journals in the field of library and information science. *Webology*, 5(2), 15.

Communicated

1. E-journals usage among Faculty members and Students: A Survey, ***International Journal of Information Studies and Libraries***,
2. Computer in School: Expectations of Indian Students, ***Education Psychology (Taylor & Francis)***.
3. Measuring the Usability Library Website using Google Analytics, Internet usage among dental students and faculty : A comparative study, ***International Journal Of Information Dissemination and Technology***

National Journals

1. Rangaswamy, R., Manjunatha, G., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2017). Internet as a Source of Information. *Library Waves-A Biannual Peer Reviewed Journal*, 3(1), 36-42
2. D. Vinay Kumar & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2017). finding the unfound: Recovery of missing URLs through Internet Archive. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*, 64, 165-171.
3. Manjunatha, G., Gayathri. S., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2017). Research Productivity of Physicist as Reflected in Google Scholar. *Journal of Advances in Library and Information Science*, 6(4), 344-347.
4. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** & R.M. Shiva Kumar. (2016). Measuring the usability of Library website using google analytics. *KIIT journal of Library and Information Management*, 3(2).
5. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.**, Kumbar, Mallinath., & Sharath, B. (2014). Use of Computer and its impact on academic performance of faculty members and

- research scholars: a case study of Kuvempu University. *Library Herald*, 52(4), 349-367.
6. KR Prithviraj., & **Sampath Kumar, B.T.** (2013). Use of URLs as citations in Indian LIS articles: An Analysis, *Annals of Library and Information Studies*. 60, 284-295.
 7. **B.T. Sampath Kumar.**, & B. Manjunatha (2013). Computer Literacy among the Students and Faculty Members of Dental Sciences, Indian journal of Information sources and services, *Asian Journal of Information Science and Technology*, 3(1), 36-40.
 8. **Sampath Kumar, B.T.**, & S.M. Pavithra (2010). Evaluating the Searching Capabilities of Search Engines and Meta Search Engines: A Comparative Study. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*. 57, 87-97.
 9. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2009). Evaluation of Web Based Information Sources: an Analytical Study with Particular Reference to Physics Reference Sources. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 46(4), 435-448.
 10. Biradar, B. S., Rajeshkhar, G., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2008). Use of search engines for retrieval of scholarly information: A case study. *IASLIC Bulletin*, 53(4), 215-222.
 11. **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2008). Physical Science Reference Sources on the Web: An Evaluative Study. *Library Herald*, 46(4), 295-307.
 12. Veena R Bhat., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2008). Use of web based sources in scholarly electronic journals in the field of library and information science: a citation analysis. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*. 55, 145-152.
 13. B S Biradar., G R Rajashekar., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2008). Students and Faculties Information Searching Behavior: Use of Search Engines for Retrieval of Scholarly Information. *Library Herald*. 46(1), 21-30.
 14. B S Biradar., & **Sampath Kumar B.T. (2008)**. Use of Search Engines by Research Scholars and Faculty Members of Physics departments in the Universities of Karnataka State. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*. 55, 62-68.
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15. **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2006). Impact of Web-based Learning Technology on Distance Education: With Special Reference to LIS Education. *Journal of Library and Information Technology*. 3(2), 39-47.
 16. Biradar, B. S., Rajashekar, G. R., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2006). A study of internet usage by students and faculties in Kuvempu University. *Library Herald*, 44(4), 283-294.
 17. **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2006). Information Retrieval Performance of Internet Search Engines: A Comparative Study of Google and Yahoo. *Kuvempu University Science Journal*, 3 (1), 1-7.
 18. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2006). Internet search engines: A comparative study and evaluation methodology. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 43(3), 231-241.
 19. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar, B. T.** (2005). Use of Internet by Physicists in Universities of Karnataka state: A Comparative study. *ILA Bulletin*, 41(4), 25-40.
 20. B. S. Biradar., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2003). Chemical Technology Literature: An Obsolescence Study. *Annals of Library and Information Studies*. 50(4), 156-162.
 21. B. S. Biradar., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2003). Information Use Pattern by Sericulture Scientists: A Case Study of Karnataka State Sericulture Research and Development Institute Library, Bangalore. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 40(3), 255-265.
 22. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2000). Evaluation of information services and facilities offered by DVS Polytechnic College Library: A case study. *Library herald*, 38(2), 112-120.
 23. **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2002). World Wide Web: Search Strategies for effective information retrieval. *Kuvempu University Science Journal*, 2(1),1-8.
 24. **Sampath Kumar B.T.** (2001). Environmental Science Literature: An Obsolescence Study. *Kuvempu University Science Journal*, 1(1), 98-105.
 25. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar, B.T.** (2001). Information Seeking Behavior of D.V.S. Polytechnic College Library Users: A Case Study. *KELPRO Bulletin*, 5 (2), 6-9.
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26. M Vijayakumar., S Padmamma., & **Sampath Kumar, B.T.** (2000). Information Use by Library Professionals: A Scientometric Analysis, *ILA Bulletin*, 36(1),19-23.
27. Biradar, B. S., & **Sampath Kumar, B.T.** (2000). Periodicals use pattern by teachers and research scholars of Kuvempu University: A case study. *SRELS Journal of Information Management*, 37(4), 301-314.

Communicated

1. ICT Infrastructure in Indian Cybercafés: A Survey, *Gyankosh: The Journal of Library and Information Management*, 8(2), 2018. (Accepted)
2. Longevity of URLs Cited in LIS journal articles: A Webometric Analysis, *Annals of Library and Information Studies (ALIS)* (Communicated)
3. Publishing Practices of Faculty Members of Tumkur University, Tumakuru: A Survey" *Library Herald* (Communicated)
4. Computer Access, Usage and its Impact on Academic Performance of Indian Academics, *Library Herald* (Communicated).
5. Web Visibility of Research Productivity of Science Academics in Universities: A Comparative Study, "Current Science"
6. Erosion of URLs in LIS Journal Articles: A Webometric Study, *Malaysian Journal of Library and Information Science*

10. PAPERS IN CONFERENCES/SEMINARS PROCEEDINGS

International Conferences

1. Gender Disparities in LIS Research Productivity: An Exploration "**International Conference on Library and Information Science (LIS 2018)**" Organised by Fu Jen Catholic University, Taiwan. Hyogo University of Teacher Education, Japan. Shih Chien University, Taiwan. Tamkang University, Taiwan. Knowledge Association of Taiwan. **On 9-10 August 2018 (ISSN 2412-0049).**
2. Half-life of URL citations: Measuring the capabilities of Internet Archive and Google "**International Conference on Library and Information Science (LIS 2018)**" Organised by Fu Jen Catholic University, Taiwan. Hyogo University of Teacher

Education, Japan. Shih Chien University, Taiwan. Tamkang University, Taiwan. Knowledge Association of Taiwan. **On 9-10 August 2018 (ISSN 2412-0049).**

3. Open access repositories in Health Science: An exploration in the ***International Conference on Libraries Beyond Borders: Innovative Trends, Issues and Challenges in Knowledge Dissamination***, organised by the Christian Medical College, Vellore, Tamil Nadu during 18th – 19th August 2017 (ISBN: 978-93-81992-38-8)
 4. DOAJ: An Ideal Gateway to Access Management Open Access Journals, **International Conference on Marching Beyond the Libraries: The Role of Social Media and Networking** organized by the KIIT University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, during 25th - 26th November, 2016. Page No. 280-284 (**ISBN: 978-93-83803-60-6**)
 5. Web Archives: Applications in Library and Information Centers, **International Conference on “Information Unbounded: the past, the present, and the future of Information Sciences”** Organised by University of Mysore, Mysore, during June 18-20-2015.
 6. Web Content Analysis: Comparing the Indian institute of technology’s library websites”, **International Conference** on Innovation Driven Librarianship: Creating Future Landscape for the New Generation Libraries and LIS Professionals (ICIDL 2015)” Organised by SRM University, Chennai during June 11 to 13 2015.
 7. 21st Century Cybrarian: Essential Proficiencies and Professional Skills, **International Conference** on Innovation Driven Librarianship: Creating Future Landscape for the New Generation Libraries and LIS Professionals (ICIDL 2015)” Organised by SRM University, Chennai during June 11 to 13 2015.
 8. Wayback machine: A boon for Preserving Web Sources, **International Conference on “Emerging Technologies and Future of Libraries: Issues and Challenges”** Organised by Karnataka State SC/ST Library Professional Association, at Ambedkar Bhavan, Gulbarga University, Kalburgi, from January 30-31 2015.
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9. Implementation of Social Networks in Library Services: Skills and Challenges, **International Conference on** “Emerging Technologies and Future of Libraries: Issues and Challenges” organised by Karnataka State SC/ST Library Professional Association, at Ambedkar Bhavan, Gulbarga University, Kalburgi, from January 30-31 2015.
 10. Wayback Machine: An Ideal Tool For Data Recovery, **International Conference on the** “Convergence of Libraries, Archives and Museums (ICLAM), organised by The National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT), New Delhi from 27th to 29th November, 2014
 11. Plagiarism Detection Software: A Comparative Study. **59th International Conference of ILA** on “Managing Libraries in the Changing Information World: From Surviving to Thriving” held at Mahatma Gandhi Central Library IIT Roorkee, Uttarakhand during from Feb. 22-24, 2014.
 12. Open access Videos: Use of ‘You Tube’ in School libraries. **International conference** on Open Access-Scholarly Communication Reincarnated: A Futuristic Approach organised by Department of Library and Information Science, Bangalore, Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information (KISTI), Korea and Indian Library Association (ILA), Delhi during 19th and 20th 2013.
 13. URL link rot: Implication for Electronic Publishing. **International conference** on Digital Libraries. Organised by The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), New Delhi during 27-29 November 2013.
 14. Application of Mobile technology in Library services, **International CALIBER** on Library Vision 2020: Moving towards the Future during 21-23 March 2013.
 15. Web Search Engines and Search Skills: The Effective use by Faculty and Students of Dental Science in **International conference** proceedings entitled “Content Management in Networked Environment”, published by Tumkur University, Tumkur. 2012
 16. Impact of Web Sources on Indian Scholarly Communication: A Citation Analysis for presenting in **6th International Conference** on Webometrics, Informetrics and Scientometrics, held at University of Mysore, Mysore during October 19-22, 2010 Mysore, India.
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17. Content Analysis of Indian Institute of Management Library Websites: A Comparative Study” in **Seventh International CALIBER-2009** on E-Content Management: Challenges and Strategies organized by Pondicherry University, Pondicherry during 25th to 27th February 2009.
18. Evaluation of Web Resources: An Analytical Study with Particular Reference to Science and Social Science Dictionaries” in **International Conference** on “Knowledge for All: Role of Libraries and Information Centres” at Sir Dorabji Tata Memorial Library, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai during 12-15 November 2008.
19. Use of Electronic Information Sources by the Academic Community: A Comparative Study in **Sixth International CALIBER-2008** on “From automation to transformation” organised by University of Allahabad library, Allahabad during 28th February to 1st March 2008.
20. WWW Searching Tools: An Evaluation of Features of Selected Searching Tools. Paper Presented in **International Conference** on Information Management in a Knowledge Society organised by IASLIC during 21st to 25th February 2005.

International Conference Abstracts

21. Relevancy and Ranking of Web pages in Google, Yahoo and Altavista: A Comparative Study for presenting in 8th International CALIBER 2011 on “Towards Building a Knowledge Society: Library as Catalyst for Knowledge Discovery and Management”, during 2-4 March 2011, Goa University, Goa.
 22. Scholarly Use of Web resources in LIS Literature: A Citation analysis” for presenting in 8th International CALIBER 2011 on “Towards Building a Knowledge Society: Library as Catalyst for Knowledge Discovery and Management”, during 2-4 March 2011, Goa University, Goa.
 23. Empowering LIS Professionals: Challenges and Opportunities with special reference to India in **International Conference** on "Transforming Towards a Sustainable Tomorrow" during 15th-16th June 2009, Bayview Beach Resort, Pulau Pinang Malaysia organised by University Sains **Malaysia**
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24. E-Learning in Distance Education: A Technological Boon for Learners in **International Conference** on Information Management for Global Access organized by Organized by TERI in partnership with Department of Culture, Ministry of Tourism and Culture, Government of India, New Delhi during 5th to 8th December 2006.
25. Role of E-learning in Digital Environment in **International Conference** on Information Management for Global Access organized by Organized by TERI in partnership with Department of Culture, Ministry of Tourism and Culture, Government of India, New Delhi during 5th to 8th December 2006.
26. Consortia Approach for Content Sharing: A Strategy in **First International Convention CALIBER –2003** on Mapping Technology on Libraries and h People organised by Nirma Education and Research Foundation Ahamadabad during 13th to 15th February 2003.

National Conferences/ Seminars

1. Web visibility and h-index of LIS Professionals. Soference National Conference on **Digital by default: make yourself future Ready. 2nd December 2017.**
2. Research Productivity of Science Academics as Reflected in Google Scholar: A Webometrics Analysis for the 6th National Conference on **Information for All: Scientometrics, Infographics, Social Media and Public Libraries** to of Institute of Scientometrics to be organised by the Institute of Scientometrics on 16th -17th November 2017.
3. Wayback Machine : An Ideal tool to Recover the Vanished URLs. **National Conference on Digital Libraries, Library Automation and OpenCourseWare: Issues and Best Practices on 10th -11th November 2017.**
4. LIS Institutional Repositories as Reflected in Open DOAR. **National Conference on Digital Libraries, Library Automation and OpenCourseWare: Issues and Best Practices on 10th -11th November**

5. Open Access Journals in Engineering: An exploration, National Conference on the **Role of LIS Professionals in the Changing Academic Paradigm** organized by the Presidency University Bengaluru during 17th & 18th February 2017.
 6. Open Access Journals in Engineering: An exploration, National Conference on the **Role of LIS Professionals in the Changing Academic Paradigm** organized by the Presidency University Bengaluru during 17th & 18th February 2017.
 7. Use of Blogs for marketing library products and services, National Conference on **“Innovative Practices in Libraries (IPL)”** Sponsored by Raj Rammohun Roy Library Foundation (RRRLF), Kolkata, Ministry of Culture, Government of India, to be organised by the University Library, Tumkur University, Tumakuru held on 26th August 2016, Karnataka, India. Page No: 93-99. (ISBN: 978-93-82694-30-4)
 8. Predatory Open Access Journals: Are the Bane to the Scholarly Communication? **National conference on** “Bridging the digital divide: Open Source and Open Access Movement” Organized by Dept. of Studies in Library and Information Science, University of Mysore, Mysuru during 11th – 12th March 2016.
 9. Open Access Health Sciences Journals in DOAJ: An Overview. **2nd National conference on** Modern Libraries (NACML), Organized by SEARCH- The Health Sciences Library and Dept. of Library and Information Science, Manipal University, Manipal during 19th to 20th February 2016.
 10. Open Access Model: SHARPA A Case in Point, **National Conference on** “Open Access Moment”. Recent Trends in Open Access, Organized by University College of Arts, Tumkur University, Tumakuru from January 9th 2016.
 11. BRICS Top 10 Indian Library Websites: Web Content Analysis. **17th National Convention** on “Knowledge, Library and Information Networking - NACLIN 2014” Organised by DELNET in collaboration with French Institute of Pondicherry, Pondicherry from December 9-11, 2014.
 12. Applications of Web in promoting Reading Habits in **National Conference** on Integrating ICT in Academic Libraries: Making a Difference in Knowledge Age, Organized by Central Library, Central University Karnataka, Gulbarga from August 12-13, 2014.
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13. Putrefy of URLs cited in LIS literature: A Webometrics Study. Paper presented in 3rd National Conference on Scientometrics, organized by Kuvempu University, Shivamogga, during 31st May 2014.
 14. Open Access: A Boon for Promoting Scholarly Communication. **National Seminar** on “The Digital shift: Making libraries relevant for education and research” Organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Karnataka State Women’s University, Bijapur in joint collaboration with Karnataka State Council for Higher Education, during 06-07 March 2014.
 15. Web content: Analysis of engineering college library websites. **National conference** on Contemporary Engineering College Libraries: Challenges and Prospects organized by Kalpataru College of Engineering, Tiptur during 10-11 January 2014.
 16. Disappearing Act of URLs: Reasons and Remedies. **National conference** on “Impact of Information technology on Library services” organized by Sahyadri Arts and Commence College, Shivamogga during 27-28 December 2013.
 17. User Education in ICT Era: Changing Role of Librarians. **National conference** on Inspiring Library Services. Organized by Sri Siddhartha Education Society, Tumkur during 12th and 13th July 2013.
 18. Web Alert Services: A Comparison of Google Alert and Talkwalker Alert. National conference on Inspiring Library Services. Organized by Sri Siddhartha Education Society, Tumkur during 12th and 13th July 2013.
 19. Theory of Douglas Murray McGregor: It’s Relevance and applications in Digital Environment. **National conference** on New Information Technology Interfaces in Libraries and Information Centres (NITILIC). Organised by Kerala Library Association (KLA) during 12-13 July 2013, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.
 20. Web Archiving Initiatives: An overview. Second National Conference on Scientometrics and Knowledge Management at Karnatka University, Dharwad during 20-21 April 2013.
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21. Open Sources Software (OSS) implementation: Skills and techniques for Librarians, paper presented in national conference on Integrated library management system during December 2012.
 22. Attrition of URLs in Scholarly Journals: A Webometrics study. Paper presented in national conference on Scientometrics organized by Department of library and Information Science, Tumkur University, Tumkur on 7th September 2012.
 23. HTTP Page Not Found: Recovery of Vanished Web Citations. Paper presented in national conference on Scientometrics organized by Department of library and Information Science, Tumkur University, Tumkur on 7th September 2012.
 24. Search Engines and Search Strategies: Perception and Use by Faculty Members and Research Scholars. Paper presented in national conference on Empowering libraries for lifelong learning skills during 17th – 18th August 2012.
 25. Use of URL citations in LIS scholarly Publications: A Citation Analysis in national conference on **Knowledge Society: Innovations in Librarianship (ILAKSIL 2012)** organized by St. Agnes Centre for Post Graduate Studies & Research, Mangalore, and Karnataka during 23rd -25th February 2012.
 26. Cyber Crimes: New Challenges to LIS Professionals in the Cyber World in national conference on **Knowledge Society: Innovations in Librarianship (ILAKSIL 2012)** organized by St. Agnes Centre for Post Graduate Studies & Research, Mangalore, Karnataka during 23rd -25th February 2012.
 27. Search engines literacy among Engineering and Management academics in National Conference on Competencies for higher learning and higher research held at Tumkur University, Tumkur during 21-22 October, 2011.
 28. Applications of Google Groups in providing effective Library Services. Presented in National Conference on Collection Management in Changing Context: Problems and Prospects held at Shivamogga during 19-20 August 2011.
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29. Google Groups: New Technology based Tool for Teaching and Learning *in National conference held at KSOU, Mysore on 30th March 2011.*
 30. Web 2.0: An Innovative Technology for LIS Education for presenting in XXVII National Conference of the IATLIS on “Emerging Challenges and Lingering Issues in LIS Education, Research and Training”, during 17-19 November 2010, University of Pune, Pune.
 31. Online Teaching and Learning System: An Effective tool for Higher Education, Paper presented in the national seminar on Assimilating Recent Developments of ICT in Education, organized by Department of PG Studies and Research in Education, Kuvempu University during 8-9 October 2010.
 32. Open Source Software for Libraries: Some Issues in **55th ILA National Conference** on Library & Information Science in the Digital Era held at BIMTECH, Greater Noida, New Delhi during January 21-24, 2010.
 33. Google Groups: A New Dimension for providing Effective Library Services in **55th ILA National Conference** on Library & Information Science in the Digital Era held at BIMTECH, Greater Noida during January 21-24, 2010
 34. Status of Library Automation in Science College Libraries: A Survey in **National Seminar** on Challenges to academic librarians in the emerging technological environment” on 31st October organised by Kamala Nehru College, Shivamogga on November 2009.
 35. Web Portals and Forums: Powerful tools for Providing Web Based Library Services” **in 23rd IASLIC National Seminar** on Library Profession in Search of a New Paradigm held at Bose Institute, Kolkata during December 10 – 13, 2008.
 36. Information Seeking Behavior of Faculty Members of J.N.N. College of Engineering, Shivamogga: A Study ” in **23rd IASLIC National Seminar** on Library Profession in Search of a New Paradigm held at Bose Institute, Kolkata during December 10 – 13, 2008.
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37. Continuing Professional Development for LIS Professionals in Today's Technological Environment in **XXV IATLIS National Conference** on "Changing face of Library and Information Science Education: Learning styles and teaching methods" held at Punjab University, Chandigarh during November 27-29, 2008.
 38. E-Learning in Distance Education: A Technological Boon for Learners in **National Conference** on Information Management in Digital Libraries (NCIMDiL) organized by Central Library Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur during 2nd to 4th August 2006.
 39. Impact of Web-based Learning Technology on Distance Education: With Special Reference to LIS Education" in **XXIII-IATLIS National Conference** on Building curriculum with a difference: A vision for Library and Information Science education in 21st century organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Punjabi University, Patiala during 23rd to 25th November 2006.
 40. Building Curriculum with ICT in Teaching and Learning Library and Information Science in **XXIII-IATLIS National Conference** on Building curriculum with a difference: A vision for Library and Information Science education in 21st century organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Punjabi University, Patiala during 23rd to 25th November 2006.
 41. Use of Learning Technology in LIS Education in **XXII IATLIS National Conference** on Quality education in Library and Information Science, organized by Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirapalli during 24th to 26th November 2005.
 42. Planning and Designing of Digital Libraries in **4th ASSIST National Seminar** on Digital Resources and Services in Libraries organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Jnana Sahyadri Shivamogga during 30th April and 1st May 2004.
 43. Digital v/s Virtual Libraries in **4th ASSIST National Seminar** on Digital Resources and Services in Libraries organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Jnana Sahyadri during 30th April and 1st May 2004.
 44. Marketing of Library Resources and Services in **49th All India Library Conference** on Responding to users; need in changing information landscapes: Sojourn of
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- libraries from Palm-leaf to Palm-top organized by Bundelkhand University, Jhansi during 29th December 2003 to 1st January 2004.
45. Educating the Students for the 21st Century in **XX IATLIS National Conference** on Globalisation of library and information science education organised by Department of Library and Information Science, University of Madras, Chennai during 21st to 23rd November 2003.
 46. Search Engines: Guidelines for Successful Search in **First Convention PLANNER-2003** on Automation of Libraries in North East Region: Trends, Issues and Challenges organized by North Eastern Hill University, Shilong, Meghalay during 6th to 7th November 2003.
 47. Web based Information Resources: Parameters for Evaluation in **48th All India Library Conference** on Electronic information environment and library services: A contemporary paradigm organized by NIMHANS Bangalore during 22nd to 25th January 2003.
 48. Teaching Methods and Techniques: A Model for LIS Teachers in **XIX IATLIS National Seminar** on Manpower development for information of management in competitive environment organized by Utkal University, Bhubaneshwar during 1st to 3rd December 2002.
 49. Library Networking: Problems and Solution in **Second ASSIST Annual Seminar** on Resource sharing and Networking of engineering college libraries organised by ASSIST and VTU held at Bangalore during 29th to 31st December 2002.
 50. Library Consortia: An Emerging Trend in **SiS-2002 National Conference** on Consortia approach for content sharing among libraries organized by Mangalore University library, Mangalore University, Mangalore during 27th to 29th May 2002.
 51. Teaching Aids in LIS: An Empirical Study in **XVIII IATLIS National Seminar** on Changing Dimensions in Library and Information Science education organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Andra University, Vishakapatnam, during 12th to 14th October 2001.
 52. Evaluation Criteria for Web and Printed Sources: A Comparative Study in **First ASSIST Annual Seminar** on Internet resources and librarianship organized by ASSIST held at Bangalore during 12th to 14th August 2001.
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53. Authorship Trend and Collaborative Research in Physics and Economics in **XIX IASLIC National Seminar** organized by M.P. Council of Science and Technology, Bhopal during 13th to 16th November 2000.
54. Reference Sources Available on Internet in **National Seminar** Organised by the Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, during 31st January to 1st February 2000.
55. Use of Library and Information Science Literature: A Bibliometric Study **22nd IASLIC National Conference** organised by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Agra in December 1999.

National Conference Abstracts

56. Impact of E-Marketing on Consumerism: Components and Forms for Developing and Implementing E-marketing in **National Seminar** on Impact of E-marketing on Consumerism: Components and forms for implementing e-marketing organized by J.N.N. College of Engineering, Shivamogga during 23rd to 25th November 2006.
57. Mass media for effective marketing: A technological boon for marketers and customers in **National Seminar** on Impact of E-marketing on Consumerism: Components and forms for implementing e-marketing organized by J.N.N. College of Engineering, Shivamogga during 23rd to 25th November 2006

11. ARTICLE IN EDITORIAL BOOK

1. Use of web sources in Public Libraries. Paper included in Recent Trends in Library and Information Science: A way forward for the future, Bangalore: LIS Academy International, 2013
2. Relevance of Dr. S.R. Ranganathan's Book selection Laws in Digital Collection Development. Paper included in Prof.D. Chandran felicitation volume, 2013.
3. Webpage Quality testing and Performance Analysis Tools on the web: An overview. In **Library and Information Science Profession in the Knowledge Society**. Allied Publishers Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi. 2007, Pp165-172

12. PH.D. GUIDANCE

Awarded

1. “Web Citation Trends and Web Decay in Scholarly Publications: A Comparative Study of Selected Library and Information Science Conference Proceedings and Scholarly Journals” by K.R. Prithvi Raj
2. “Literacy Competencies among Rural and Urban Students: The Role of School Libraries Bridging the Digital Divide” by Basavaraja M.T

Ongoing

1. “An Investigation on the Use of Information Sources and Services by the Students and Faculty Members of Dental Science in Electronic Environment: A Study with Specific Reference to Karnataka State” by B. Manjunath.
2. “The idea of Public Library in Digital Era: Public Perception and Expectations” by Shiva Kumar R M
3. “Recovery of Vanished URL’s in Library and Information Science: Measuring the efficiency Internet Archive and Pandora Web Archive” by Vinay Kumar D
4. “Awareness and use of Open Access Scholarly Publications by Science Faculty in Universities of Karnataka State” by Sumadevi S
5. “Impact of ICT on Reading Habits of Students and Faculty Members in the Universities of Karnataka State” by Kumara B
6. “Trends, Decay and Recovery of Web Citations: A Comparative study of Electronic Theses and Dissertations in Sciences and Social Sciences” by Rupesh Kumar A

13. M.PHIL. GUIDANCE

1. ***A Study of Attitude towards the Electronic Information Sources and Services of Nursing College Libraries*** by Shivaraj O. Kuvempu University, 2011.
2. ***Web Page Ranking, Precision and Relative Recall of World Wide Web Search Engines: An Evaluative Study***. Dissertation submitted by Shankarananda I Hiremath to Annamalai University, Tamilnadu, 2007
3. ***Use of Electronic Information Sources by Students and Faculty in the Colleges of Bangalore City: A Comparative Study***. Dissertation submitted by Kumar G T to Alagappa University, Tamilnadu, 2007

14. PROJECT WORK GUIDANCE

1. Web Content Analysis of Universities Library Website: An Analytical Study
2. Gender Disparities in Research Productivity: A Bibliometric Study
3. Citation Counts and H-Index of Scholars A Comparative Study
4. Research Productivity of Universities as Reflected in Shodhaganga: A Scientometric Analysis
5. Longevity of Web Resources: A Webmetrics Study
6. Authorship Pattern and Collaboration Research in Library and Information Science
7. Awareness and Use of e-journals among Faculty members and Students of engineering colleges in Tumakuru: A survey
8. Web Decay in Emerald LIS Journals
9. Research Productivity and Web Visibility of Faculty Members in Tumkur University, Tumakuru
10. Public Library: Use and Expectations of Students of Tumkur University, Tumakuru Use of Cybercafé by Publics in Shivamogga city, Karnataka State: A Survey, 2011
11. Student's Access to and Use of ICT: The Digital Divide in the Schools of Shivamogga Districts, 2011
12. ICT Skills and Academic Performance of Faculty Members and Research Scholars in Kuvempu University: A Study, 2010
13. Impact of Web Resources on Scholarly Communication: A Citation Analysis, 2010

14. Web Impact Factor for South Indian Universities: A Webometric Study, 2009
15. A Quantitative Analysis of Research Articles published in Current Science: 1999-2008,2009
16. Designing and Development of Commerce Web Portal, 2008
17. Content analysis of IIM's and IIT's Library web sites: A Comparative Study, 2008
18. Designing and Launching of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Web Portal, 2008
19. Designing and Hosting Website for Kuvempu University Library, 2007
20. Recall and Precision of Internet Search Tools: A Comparative Study of Search Engines and Meta Search Engines, 2007
21. Information Sources and Services Offered by S.J.V.P. College Library, Harihara: A Case Study, 2001.
22. Evaluation of Information Sources and Services offered by Vijayanagar Institute of Medical Science (V.I.M.S.) Library, Bellary, 2001.
23. Information Use Pattern by Sericulture Scientists: A Case Study of Karnataka State Sericulture Research and Development Institute Library, Bangalore, 2000.
24. Reading Habits and Library Use by Students of Shivalingeshwara First Grade College Library, Channagiri, 1999.
25. Use of Information Sources and Services by Students and Teachers of DVS Polytechnic College Library, Shivamogga: A Case Study, 2000.
26. Proudhadavaraya Institute of Technology Library, Hospet: A Study, 2000.
27. Information Needs of Rural Community and Library Services in Abbalagere and Barandoor Villages: A Study, 1999.

15. CONFERENCE / SEMINARS ATTENDED

1. National seminar on "Recent Trends in Information Technology" organized by Higher Education Council, Bangalore.
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2. National conference on Vendantha: A Holistic Approach held at Tumkur University, Tumkur during 26-28 December 2011.
 3. National conference on Information Literacy Competencies for Higher Learning and Research during 21-22 October 2011, Tumkur University, Tumkur.
 4. **International CALIBER 2011** on “Towards Building a Knowledge Society: Library as Catalyst for Knowledge Discovery and Management”, during 2-4 March 2011, Goa University, Goa.
 5. **National Seminar** on Assimilating Recent Developments of ICT in Education, organized by Department of PG Studies and Research in Education, Kuvempu University during 8-9 October 2010
 6. **National Conference** on “Content management in digital era: opportunities and challenges” organised by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, during 12-13 march 2010
 7. **55th ILA National Conference** on Library & Information Science in the Digital Era held at BIMTECH, Greater Noida during January 21-24, 2010
 8. **National Seminar** on Challenges to Academic Librarians in the Emerging Technological Environment” on 31st October organised by Kamala Nehru College, Shivamogga on November 2009.
 9. **XXV IATLIS National Conference** on “Changing face of Library and Information Science Education: Learning styles and teaching methods” held at Punjab University, Chandigarh during November 27-29, 2008.
 10. **Sixth International CALIBER-2008** on “From automation to transformation” organised by University of Allahabad library, Allahabad during 28th February to 1st March 2008.
 11. **XXIII-IATLIS National Conference** on Building curriculum with a difference: A vision for Library and Information Science education in 21st century organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Punjabi University, Patiala during 23rd to 25th November 2006
 12. **Fourth ASSIST National Seminar** on Digital Resources and Services in Libraries organized by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Jnana Sahyadri during 30th April and 1st May 2004.
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13. **Second ASSIST Annual Seminar** on Resource sharing and Networking of engineering college libraries organised by ASSIST and VTU held at Bangalore during 29th to 31st December 2002.
14. **National Seminar** Organised by the Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, during 31st January to 1st February 2000.

16. WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

1. One day workshop on **"Perspective Plans"** organized by Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board, Kuvempu University on 13th December 2008.
2. Five days workshop on **"Standards in Library Automation and Networking"** organized by Bangalore University Library, Bangalore during 17th March to 21st March 2008.
3. One-day orientation program on **"Teaching Methodology and Related Aspects"** organized by Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board, Kuvempu University on 6th May 2007
4. One-day workshop on **"Patents and Copyrights"** organized by Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board, Kuvempu University on 28th April 2007
5. Three days workshop on **"Computer Hardware and Networking"** organized by Department of Mathematics & Computer Science, Kuvempu University during 11th to 12th October 2006.
6. Three days workshop on **"Self Instructional Material (SIM)"** organised by Directorate of Distance Education, Kuvempu University in collaboration with DEC of INGNOU, New Delhi during 18th to 20th September 2006.
7. Three days national workshop on **"Setting up and maintaining Institutional Repositories using GNU E-Prints"** organised by National Center for Science Information (NCSI), Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore during 26-28 July 2006.
8. Five days national workshop on **"D-Space and WINISIS"** organised by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University during 4th to 8th January 2006.

9. Five days national workshop on “**CDS/ISIS and WINISIS**” organised by Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University during 15th to 19th March 2002.

17. ORIENTATION PROGRAM ATTENDED

1. 27th Orientation program organized by UGC-Academic Staff College, Central College Campus, Bangalore University, Bangalore during 12th November 2007 to 8th December 2007.

18. SPECIAL LECTURES DELIVERED

1. Lecture delivered on “**Web Resources**” in G.F.G. College, Magadi, Ramanagar, Karnataka on 02nd May 2018.
2. Lecture delivered on “**N-List**” in G.F.G. College, Madhugiri, Tumkur, Karnataka on 04th April 2018.
3. Lecture delivered on “**Online Resources**” in University College of Arts, Tumkur University, Tumkur, and Karnataka on 27th March 2018.
4. Lecture delivered on “**How to Plan for Project**” in Tumkur University, Tumkur, Karnataka on 2nd February 2018.
5. Lecture delivered on “**Internet and E-mail**” in Tumkur University, Tumkur, Karnataka on 28th December 2017.
6. Lecture delivered on “**Public Library as a Community Information Centers: What do the users expect**” in SDM, Dharmasthala, Dhakshina Kannada, Karnataka on 15th December 2017
7. Lecture delivered on “**Formulation of Hypothesis**” in Acharya Institute of Graduate Studies, Soladevnahalli, Bangalore, Karnataka on 28th November 2017.

8. Lecture delivered on “**Web Design and HTML Editors**” in Akkamahadevi Women’s University, Vijayapura, and Karnataka on 4th November 2017.
 9. Lecture delivered on “**Research Methodology and Funding Agencies**” in G.F.G. College, Gubbi, Tumkur, Karnataka on 25th October 2017.
 10. Lecture delivered on “**Selection of Research Problems**” in Akkamahadevi Women’s University, Vijayapura, and Karnataka on 25th September 2017.
 11. Lecture delivered on “**Research: What one should Know?**” in G.F.G. College, Bangarpet, Kolar, Karnataka on 18th September 2017.
 12. Lecture delivered on “**Basic of Internet and Web Designing**” in Tumkur University, Tumkur, Karnataka on 6th June 2017 and 24th June 2017.
 13. Lecture delivered “**Basics of Internet**” (Non -Teaching Staff) Tumkur University, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 23rd February 2016.
 14. Lecture delivered on “**Electronic Information Resources**” in Reddy Jana Snaga First Grade College, Koramanagala, Bengaluru, and Karnataka on 27th April 2016.
 15. Lecture delivered on “**Google and its Application**” in the Department of Studies and Research in Political Science, Tumkur University, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 23rd February 2016.
 16. Lecture delivered on “**Google and Its Application**” in the Department of Studies and Research in Commerce, Tumkur University, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 12th February 2016.
 17. Lecture delivered on “**E-Resources and Search Engine**” in IDSG First Grade College, Chikkamagaluru, Karnataka on 19th November 2015.
 18. Lecture delivered on “**Internet and Its Applications**” for National youth volunteers of Government PU College, Gubbi, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 11th October, 2015.
 19. Lecture delivered on “**Web Decay: Impact on Scholarly Communication**” on 19th August 2015 in **Five Days Faculty Development Program**, Organised by the PES College of Engineering, Mandya, Karnataka during 18 - 22nd August 2015.
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20. Lecture delivered on **“E-Resources”** in Government First Grade College Kaduru, Chikkamagaluru, Karnataka on 7th February 2015.
 21. Lecture delivered on **“Libraries as Research Centres”** for National youth volunteers of Government PU College, Gubbi, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 8th October 2014.
 22. Lecture delivered on **“Libraries as Readers”** for National youth volunteers of Government PU College, Gubbi, Tumakuru, Karnataka on 11th October 2012.
 23. Lecturer delivered on **“Fundamentals of Computers and Internet”** for National youth volunteers of Kolar and Tumkur district organized by Nehru Yuva Kendra, Tumkur during 23rd September to 3rd October 2011.
 24. Two Lectures delivered on **“Google: Searching Techniques and Search strategies”** in the UGC sponsored refresher course, Dept of Zoology on 19th November 2008.
 25. Lecture delivered on **“Internet Surfing: Searching Tools and Techniques”**, Dept of Library and Information Science and Journalism, Sahyadri Arts College, Shivamogga, 11th April 2008.
 26. Lecture delivered on **UDC (Universal Decimal Classification)** in MLISc Contact program, KSOU, Mysore during 1st to 3rd April 2008.
 27. Lecture delivered on **“Search engines: Search strategies foe effective information retrieval”** in the Science College, Hasan on 27th March 2008.
 28. Lecture delivered on **“Internet and Web Designing”** in the department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Kuvempu University during August to November 2006.
 29. Lecture delivered on **“Library Legislation”** in two-day seminar conducted by Tunga College Thirthahalli during 10th to 11th April 2006.
 30. Lecture delivered on **“Library Cataloguing”** in one-day seminar conducted by Rotary Club, Badravathi on 17th January 2006.
 31. Two lectures delivered on **“Dewey Decimal Classification”** in two-day seminar on Theory of Classification conducted by *District Central Library* Shivamogga in February 2005.
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32. Two lectures delivered on **“Fundamentals of Computers”** to the students of Journalism and Mass communication, Kuvempu University in January 2005.
33. Two lectures delivered on **“Internet and Search engines”** in two-day seminar conducted by *Center for continuing Technical Education*, Shivamogga, Karnataka on 28th December 2004.
34. Three lectures delivered in **3rd UGC sponsored refresher course conducted by Dept. of Environmental Science**, Kuvempu University, Jnana Sahyadri, Shivamogga on 14th October 2003.
35. Two lectures delivered on **“Fundamentals of Computers”** in 2nd UGC sponsored refresher course conducted by Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Jnana Sahyadri, Shivamogga during 21st November to 13th December 2002.
36. Two lectures delivered on **“Theory of Classification”** in two-day seminar conducted by *District Central Library*, Shivamogga in February 2000.

19. PROFESSIONAL RELATED ACTIVITIES

1. Member of Board of Examiner, Mangalore University, Mangalore- 2016 to till the date
2. Chairman of Board of Examination, Tumkur University, 2011 to till date
3. Member of Board of Studies, Tumkur University, 2011 to till date
4. Member of Local Inspection Committee, Tumkur University, 2012
5. Member of Board of Studies, Karnataka State Women’s University, Bijapur, , 2011 to till date
6. Member of Board of Examination, Kuvempu University, 2007-2009, 2012
7. Member of Board of Examination (U.G), Kuvempu University, 2007-2011
8. Co-ordinator, UG Examination, Kuvempu University, 2009-2011
9. Asst. Director, Prasaraanga, Kuvempu University, May 2010- August 2011

10. Member of Local Inspection Committee, Kuvempu University, 2005-2010
11. Life member IATLIS

20. REVIEWER

1. International Journal of Library and Information Science
2. Annals of Library and Information Studies
3. Program: Electronic library and Information system , (Emerald Publications, UK)
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