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## Quote of the Month

To learn to read is to light a fire;  
every syllable that is spelled out is a spark.

—Victor Hugo (French Romantic author, poet, essayist, playwright, journalist, human rights activist & politician).

## Appeal to Readers

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## Message from the Newly Elected President



Most of the esteemed members of the IASLIC are aware of the fact that a new team of office bearers (for the period 2026-2028) has recently taken the charge of the association. As the new president of this all India body, I wholeheartedly express my gratitude to the members for unanimously electing me to this position.

I believe it is the members which create and nurture an association. And for IASLIC, involvement and farsighted guidance of senior members; and enthusiasm and creativity of the newly trained ICT savvy young professionals will strengthen the IASLIC. Perhaps the goal and objective of IFLA can act as guiding principles in this endeavour. They are: a) promoting high standards of provision and delivery of library and information service; b) encouraging widespread understanding of the value of good library services; and c) represent the interest of our members throughout the country.

After attending the first meeting of the IASLIC Governing Board, I could understand some of the immediate needs of the IASLIC. First and foremost is generation of revenue to run its day to day professional activities. We believe increasing and reviving institutional membership, which shrunk after the pandemic, could be one way of generating funds. Another requirement is refurbishing the association's three storied building so that study circle meetings and need based training programmes for the young professionals could be organised on a regular basis. I have requested newly elected office bearers to publicise the activities of the IASLIC among new members of the profession who have recently passed out from the library schools. We may also go for concessional annual membership fee for the new entrants.

It is well known that "core competence" of library profession centred around classification, cataloguing and reference service. The onslaught of the Internet and computer mediated library activities have somehow reduced their importance. Now, in this era of Artificial Intelligence (AI), backed by big data, we need to reorient our profession for a better future and increased visibility.

The new team at the IASLIC will try its best to achieve this in close association with other stakeholders.

Place: Kolkata

Date: 01.03.2026

**Dr. P R Goswami**

President, IASLIC

## IASLIC Governing Body 2026-2028

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## The proceedings of the IASLIC 30<sup>th</sup> National Seminar 2024

**Prof Sudharma Haridasan**  
**Rapporteur General**

Day wise report of the proceedings and deliberations starting from day one, the inaugural function of the three-day National Seminar was held on November 21, 2024, at 10:30AM at the University Polytechnic Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University.

The event commenced with the recitation of verses from the Holy Quran by Mr. Waseem Ahmad. The function was graced by the presence of the Chief Guest Prof Uma Kanjilal, Vice Chancellor, IGNOU, Prof Naima Khatoon, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of Aligarh Muslim University, Prof N R Satyanarayana, the Seminar Director, Former Professor, Department of Library and Information Science, University of Lucknow, Prof Narendra Lahkar, President of IASLIC and Former Professor of Guwahati University, Mr Abhijit Kumar, General Secretary of IASLIC and Prof Shafey Kidwai, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, AMU, and Co-Patron of the Seminar.

Prof M Masoom Raza, Organising Secretary and Chairperson of the Department of Library and Information Science, Aligarh Muslim University, extended a warm welcome to the Dignitaries, invited speakers, and esteemed delegates attending the seminar from various parts of the country. He emphasised that information literacy involves evaluating information critically, intellectually, and ethically, and using it in a responsible and decent manner.

The abstracts of the papers selected was released as the Seminar Abstract Volume by the distinguished dignitaries on the dais.

Prof N R Satyanarayana, the Seminar Director, in his inaugural address emphasised on skill building, and highlighted the importance of teaching skills to library professionals, as skills are essential for survival in every aspect of life. He mentioned that recognising the importance of skills, take some other the government of Andhra Pradesh had established a dedicated Skill Development University.

Prof Narendra Lahkar, President of IASLIC, emphasised the role of conferences in fostering collaboration and knowledge exchange. He stressed on the need for organising various conferences and seminars. He specifically mentioned the efforts made to hold conferences

even during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr Abhijit Kumar, General Secretary of IASLIC gave a historical overview of IASLIC and mentioned the activities of IASLIC. Regarding this seminar he also shared that a total of 82 papers were accepted, out of which 68 were selected for oral presentation, and 14 of them were accepted for poster presentation.

The inaugural function was further elevated by the presentation of the "Lifetime-achievement Award" conferred to Dr A L Murthy, Former Director, DESIDOC, DRDO and Former Chief Consultant (LS) BrahMos Aerospace, Hyderabad, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field of librarianship by IASLIC.

Prof Shafey Kidwai, Co-Patron of the Seminar, highlighted three crucial concepts: media literacy, information literacy, and digital literacy. He emphasised on the importance of critical thinking in navigating the overwhelming "tsunami of information" and reiterated the significance of libraries in everyday life of individuals.

A thought-provoking keynote address was delivered by Prof Uma Kanjilal, Vice-Chancellor of IGNOU on Information Literacy Trends: Navigating in the Digital Landscape. She emphasised on the need for critical thinking, privacy, and the integrity of works, advocating for libraries to function in transformative ways to fully embrace the era of information literacy.

The Presidential Address, was delivered by Prof Naima Khatoon, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of Aligarh Muslim University, she remarked that in the present information-driven world, information literacy skills were fundamental for individuals to remain relevant in the modern era. The Vice Chancellor congratulated and welcomed the collaborative effort of the Department of Library and Information Science with the Indian Association of Special Libraries & Information Centres (IASLIC) in conducting the Seminar.

Finally, Dr Keshwar Jahan, Assistant Professor (Contractual) proposed a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all the dignitaries and participants. The event came to an end with the recitation of University Tarana and the National Anthem.

The Exhibition Gallery and the Poster Presentations were inaugurated by Prof Naima Khatoon, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and Chief Guest Professor Uma Kanjilal, Vice Chancellor, IGNOU.

**Recommendations:**

1. Keeping in view of the need for information literacy, for both senior librarians as well as young professionals, the requisite skills and techniques are needed to be identified. To address the information literacy, it requires a framework for curriculum in library and information science teaching and training programs.
2. Library and information professionals need to conduct orientation programmes from time to time for their clientele as the growth of knowledge is infinite, we cannot have one skill that fits all present as well as future problems.
3. Information literacy should be understood as a life long learning process because of the overload of information, therefore, the skills, we have today may not serve for all the times to come. Hence, new skills, need to be developed, which will be a never ending process.
4. A large number of institutions, both public as well as private are providing library and information science teaching programs of different kinds and nomenclatures are often misleading the public representing libraries in true sense. These programs are highly substandard and highly commercially motivated. Therefore, we request the authorities such as, Government of India, State Governments, UGC and other higher education institutions should shoulder this responsibility by fixing minimum standards for library and information science education and services so that proper skills for information handling may be circulated for proper information literacy.
5. Considering the speedy growth and emergence of AI/GPT tools, university and research institutes must have an AI policy to control its ethical use of research and technical writings. UGC may be requested to issue respective guidelines accordingly.
6. To bridge the gap between inclusivity and accessibility to the library resources by the differently abled users, all libraries should give special attention to develop necessary infrastructure. State and Central Government agencies may be requested to issue government orders in this respect.
7. While considering present State of Affairs, it is seen that the large number of LIS Course are lying vacant in both State and Central Government Institutions the for which it is next to impossible to

meet the present needs. It is urged upon authorities to take steps for filling up these post and creating new posts for LICS as per personal needs.

The august gathering, hereby, are requested to make any further suggestions within a month, so that they may also be included. However, no further suggestion is received.



**Proceedings and Papers of the IASLIC  
30<sup>th</sup> National Seminar—November 21-23, 2024**

The Proceedings of the IASLIC 30<sup>th</sup> National Seminar 2024 published (printed version) and available at the IASLIC Office, Kolkata.

1. Paper presenters and registered Participants of the seminar have to collect their copies free of cost in person from the office of the IASLIC, Kolkata.
2. Others may purchase the print copy by paying Rs. 490.00 (Rupees Four Hundred Ninety only) from the IASLIC Office.

Those who desire to collect the proceedings through post need to pay Rs. 150.00 extra as postal charge.

For any further query, please contact the IASLIC Office during working hours.

**Dr. Banasree Roy**  
Convenor  
Serials Division

## ASLIP Conclave 2025: A Report

Dwelling on the theme “Collaborative Intelligence: Building Smarter Libraries Together”, the Association of Senior Library and Information Professionals (ASLIP) regd. organised its third conclave in CCSHAU, Hisar on January 8-9, 2026. Library professionals, academicians, research scholars and students Pan India gathered in the event and fostered meaningful dialogue on the evolving landscape of Library and Information Science. The inaugural session was graced by the Chief Guest Dr. Indra Mani, Vice Chancellor, Vasant Rao Nayak Marathwada Krishi Vidyapeeth, Parbhani, Maharashtra. Joining him on the dias were distinguished dignitaries including Dr. R. P. Kumar, President, ASLIP; Dr. Raj Kumar, Secretary, ASLIP; Dr. Sukhdev Singh, Former Deputy Director General, National Informatics Centre (NIC), New Delhi; and Dr. Rajive Kumar Pateria, Librarian, CCSHAU, who served as the Organising Secretary. Dr. Balwan Singh, Dr. Seema Parmar, and Dr. Bhanu Partap from Nehru Library, CCSHAU, served as Joint Organising Secretaries.

The ceremony commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp, followed by the rendition of the ASLIP Geet. Dr. R. P. Kumar apprised the gathering of ASLIP’s initiatives and achievements, while Dr. Raj Kumar outlined the Association’s profile and vision. Delivering the keynote address, Dr. Sukhdev Singh emphasized the transformative potential of collaborative intelligence and emerging technologies in reshaping library ecosystems. On the occasion, the Chief Guest released the conference proceedings, souvenir and the ASLIP Calendar 2026. In his address, he commended ASLIP and CCSHAU for conceptualizing and organizing a forward-looking academic forum. The formal vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Seema Parmar, Associate Professor, Nehru Library, CCSHAU.

A documentary chronicling the journey, milestones and initiatives of ASLIP was released by Dr. J. N. Satapathy, Senior Vice President, ASLIP. The documentary was produced by Dr. Deepti Madaan, Librarian, DAV College, Chandigarh and an active progressive member of ASLIP. The ASLIP Foundation Day Lecture was delivered by Dr. Venkata Rao Pokuri, Librarian and Head, Central Library, Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology (MANIT), Bhopal.

The academic deliberations were structured into seven thematic technical sessions:

- ◆ Deploying Technology with Human Intervention
- ◆ AI-Based Library Services
- ◆ Digital Literacy and Informetrics
- ◆ Role of Libraries and Librarians in the Academic Scenario

- ◆ Libraries and Knowledge Systems: Way Towards India 2047
- ◆ Innovative and Need-Based Library Practices
- ◆ Reimagining Libraries: Intelligent and Sustainable

These sessions featured insightful presentations and interactive discussions by experts and scholars from across the country. Eminent invited speakers included Dr. Neeraj Kumar Singh, Deputy Librarian, A.C. Joshi Library, Panjab University, Chandigarh, and Dr. Neeraj Chaurasia, Deputy Librarian, IIT Delhi.

Two high-impact panel discussions further enriched the conclave. The first, on “Curriculum Design for AI Teaching in Library Schools,” was coordinated by Dr. Qumar Abbas, with panelists Dr. Neeza Singh and Dr. Vinay Kashyap, who deliberated on integrating artificial intelligence into LIS education. The second panel, on “Relevance of AI in the Present Library Scenario,” was coordinated by Dr. Ajay Arora, featuring panelists Dr. Rupesh Gaur, Dr. R. K. Bhardwaj and Dr. Balesh Sharma. Dr. Satwinderpal Kaur Gill served as rapporteur.

A distinctive feature of the conclave was the “ASLIP Walk”, organized on the morning of January 8- the first day of the Conclave, symbolizing unity and collective strength within the professional community. Despite the winter chill, participants demonstrated enthusiastic participation. The event concluded with an informal interaction over tea and distribution of tokens of appreciation by distinguished members including Dr. Tridib Chattopadhyay, Mr. Inder Arora, Dr. Rajive Kumar Pateria and Dr. Harjeet Singh Cheema.

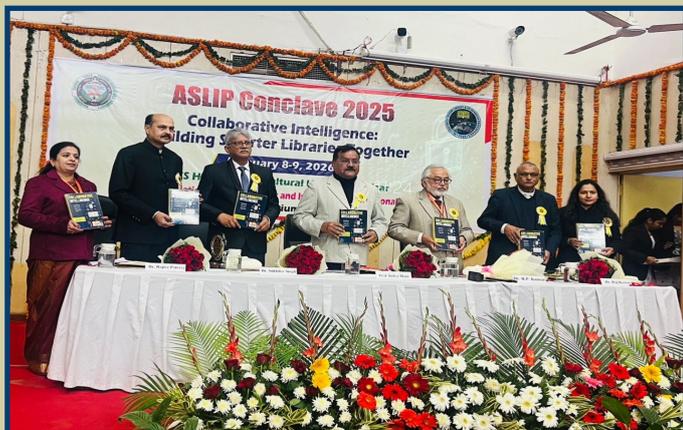
The conclave also incorporated several engaging intellectual and cultural activities, including the ASLIP Quiz (coordinated by Dr. Deepti Madaan), a Fireside Chat by Dr. Neeza Singh, Kal, Aaj aur Kal by Ms. Shallu Parmar and a Talent Hunt organized by Dr. R. P. Kumar. Participants were further regaled with a vibrant cultural evening featuring Haryanvi and Punjabi folk performances.

The valedictory session was graced by Dr. B. R. Kamboj, Vice-Chancellor, CCSHAU, Hisar, as Chief Guest. In accordance with the decision of ASLIP Executive to play ASLIP Geet in all the ASLIP events, the session commenced with the ASLIP Geet. Prof. Balwan Singh, CCSHAU, formally welcomed the dignitaries and delegates. In his address, Dr. Kamboj congratulated the organizers for the seamless execution of the conclave and presented shawls and mementos to awardees in recognition of their outstanding contributions to the field of Library and Information Science.

Dr. Anil Kumar Siwach, Associate Professor, DLIS, MDU Rohtak, served as Rapporteur General and presented a comprehensive report of the proceedings. Dr. R. P. Kumar

reflected on the successful culmination of the conclave, while Dr. Raj Kumar expressed gratitude on behalf of ASLIP to all contributors and participants.

The Third ASLIP Conclave thus concluded as a significant intellectual platform, reinforcing the collective vision of building technologically empowered, collaborative and future-ready libraries for a knowledge-driven society.



## Announcement

**One day International Conference on “Indigenous Knowledge Systems: Transformative Role of Libraries” - on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2026.**

The Department of Library & Information Science of Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, is organizing a One-day International Conference on “*Indigenous Knowledge Systems: Transformative Role of Libraries*” on 24 March 2026 (11:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.) in hybrid mode. The conference will be held at Kabi Janani Sarada Sabha Kaksha, Rabindra Bharati University, B. T. Road, Kolkata – 700050.

The programme will be inaugurated by **Prof. (Dr) Sonali Chakravarti Bandyopadhyay**, Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor of the University. The international conference is directed by **Dr. Sudip Ranjan Hatua**, Head & Professor, Department of Library & Information Sc, Rabindra Bharati University. The conference is jointly organised and convened by **Dr. Snigdha Naskar**, Assistant Professor of the Department and **Dr. Ziaur Rahman**, Associate Professor of the Department.

The conference aims to critically highlight the theme through multidisciplinary lens. Indigenous knowledge in music, dance, ritual performance, visual iconography, oral poetry, manuscript traditions, and women’s narratives often exists beyond conventional academic documentation. Arab women’s literature, for example, presents layered intersections of gender, memory, resistance, and translation. Similarly, Vedic studies raise questions about textual authority, oral transmission, and interpretive traditions. Fine arts and performing arts demonstrate how embodied knowledge challenges textual dominance. Library science must engage these disciplines to rethink preservation models, community archives, digital humanities tools, and participatory cataloguing. Scholars, academicians, librarians, researchers, and students from various disciplines are invited to participate and present papers.

**Venue: Kabi Janani Sarada Sabha Kaksha Emerald Bower Campus**

**Date & Time: 24<sup>th</sup> March 2026 (11:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.)**

**Last date for abstract submission: 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026.**

**Abstracts:** within 500 words, should include 4–5 keywords and be submitted in MS Word, Times New Roman, 12 pt, with 1.5 line spacing.

Selected papers will be published in an edited volume with ISBN after peer review.

**Registration :** <https://forms.gle/xaKt7Nvt58UR7Tv16> .

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The Department of Library & Information Science  
cordially invites you to the  
**One-day International Conference**  
On  
**Indigenous Knowledge Systems:  
Transformative Role of Libraries**  
On  
**24<sup>th</sup> of March, 2026**  
**(11a.m. – 5:30p.m.)**



**Inauguration By**  
Professor Dr. Sonali Chakravarti Bandyopadhyay  
Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, RBU

**Guest of Honour**  
Hon'ble Dean, Faculty of Arts

**Venue**  
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**With warm regards**  
Professor Sudip Ranjan Hatua  
Professor & Head  
Department of Library & Information Science, Rabindra Bharati University

**N.B.** Participation certificates shall be issued to those only who register themselves for the conference and attend (online/offline) all the sessions without fail.

User Awareness Programme on ORCID, IRINS and INFLIBNET Services for Scholarly Communities at Avantika University, Ujjain, MP, on March 20, 2026.

User Awareness Programme on ORCID, IRINS and INFLIBNET Services for Scholarly Communities being organized by INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar, Gujarat in collaboration with Avantika University, Ujjain, MP.

**Date and Duration of Programme:** 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. The duration of the programme is 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Major Topics to be covered:**

- \* Indian Research Information Network System (IRINS)
- \* SheRNI
- \* INFLIBNET Services
- \* One Nation One Subscription
- \* LIB-VAHINI
- \* Shodh-Chakra
- \* ORCID

**Targeted Participants:** Academicians, Faculty members, Library and Information Science Professionals, Information Scientists, and PhD/Research Scholars from all disciplines. A maximum of 100-120 candidates will be selected for the outreach programme on First-Come-First-Serve Basis.

**Speakers:** Eminent Scientists from INFLIBNET Centre will be delivering the sessions.

**Registration:** The application for registration to the programme should be submitted online at <https://irins.inflibnet.ac.in/irins-outreach> on or before **March 18, 2026**. Each participant has to submit a nomination letter from the head of the department, institute, or research guide while registering online.

**Venue:** Seminar Hall, Ground Floor, B-Wing, Avantika University, Vishwanathpuram, Lekoda, Ujjain-456006. Madhya Pradesh.

**Accommodation:** There is no accommodation or transportation facility provided by the host institution or programme organizers.

**For Brochure:** <https://lvap.irins.org/storage/flyer/pdf/avantika-university-ujjain-1770120569.pdf>

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A one-day seminar : The Role of Intellectuals, Writers and Literary Figures in the Establishment and Development of Village Libraries across Telangana

A one-day seminar was jointly organized by the Telangana Library Association and the Government Degree College (Women), Nalgonda, Telangana at the Women's College, Nalgonda on Saturday 14 February, 2026. The theme of the seminar was "*The Role of Intellectuals, Writers and Literary Figures in the Establishment and Development of Village Libraries across Telangana*". The Chief Guest of the programme was **Prof N Laxman Rao**, President of the Telangana Library Association. Poets, writers, artists, librarians, students of Library and Information Science, and researchers participated in large numbers and made the seminar a grand success.

DRTC-ISI Conference 2026: Three-day Conference on Bridging the Gap: Trends in Library and Information Science.

Documentation Research and Training Centre (DRTC) of the Indian Statistical Institute, a premier institute for Library and Information Science (LIS) in India, has long been at the forefront of advancing the discipline through collaboration, innovation, and transformative discourse. DRTC is delighted to announce a three-day conference on "*Bridging the Gap: Trends in Library and Information Science*," to be held in person from **March 11–13, 2026**, at the **ISI Bangalore Centre**. The event will also feature a half-day collocated workshop on "**Data Management**."

International Conference on Transforming Libraries: Innovation, Management, Smart Technologies and Creative Knowledge of Society for the Future

International Conference on "*Transforming Libraries: Innovation, Management, Smart Technologies and Creative Knowledge of Society for the Future*" sponsored by Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation (RRRLF), organised by University Library in collaboration with Department of Management Studies of Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu, India at Hybrid Mode on **March 14 & 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026**.



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