

SHAHEED BHAGAT SINGH COLLEGE LIBRARY (University of Delhi)

Under the Golden Jubilee Celebrations 2016-17
In Association with

ASIAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION (ASIALA)

Calls for Papers and Participation in the National Conference

BUILDING DIGITAL INDIA:

ENHANCING CAPACITIES THROUGH LIBRARIES AND
INFORMATION

November 22- 23, 2016

India International Centre, New Delhi.

Context and Purpose of the Conference:

The Digital India programmes is a flagship programmes of the Government of India with a vision to transform India into a digital and skill empowered society and knowledge economy. The conference proposes to explore libraries as a broad foundation for interaction with information and information management in a digital world in furtherance of Digital and Skill India vision. The purpose of the conference is to broaden the participants understanding of library management in the context of the educational, training and research mission of the institutions in online environment. To understand how libraries can play key role in achieving the Digital and Skill India objectives both by providing intellectual and social spaces and also as access points. The proposed output of the conference will be a Publication bearing ISBN number prepared in the light of deliberation and discussion held.

Objectives of the Conference:

1. To understand the concept of the digital library as an interface of Digital India which will serve as a larger intellectual construct within which to explore the related concepts of scholarly communication, digital preservation, cyber infrastructure, representation, and information technology standards.
2. Specify the critical skills required to build and maintain digital libraries as resource centre for Digital India Programme
3. Discuss, debate and develop strategies to make Digital libraries as Skill Building Centres in the future;
4. To delve into the issue of how libraries can sensitize the user community towards the appropriate use of information through training, research and capacity building programmes.

The conference intends to engage the participants in a discussion of critical issues faced by practitioners managing digital resources, functions and services in the light of Digital and Skill India Programme of Govt. of India.

SHAHEED BHAGAT SINGH COLLEGE

Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, named after the great son of India, Shaheed-e-Azam, Sardar Bhagat Singh, was established as a co-educational college in 1967 as a constituent college of University of Delhi. It acquired postgraduate status in record time of 7 years. The College takes pride in celebrating its Golden Jubilee Year in 2016-17. Over a period of 50 years, the college has distinguished itself in diverse academic and professional fields by providing a vibrant and intellectually stimulating academic culture, to promote independence of thought and vision. The college is equipped with a fully computerized Library with state of the art facilities to upgrade knowledge, skills and capabilities needed for complex business environment of the 21st century.

ASIAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION (ASIALA)

Headquartered at New Delhi, the Asian Library Association (ASIALA) has been formed to play an important role in the promotion of librarianship as a profession vital to an informed and knowledgeable society and put emphasis on the professional development of LIS community through advocacy, peer networking, and leadership development through many initiatives.

Conference Theme and Sub Themes:

The format of conference would be presentations by various stakeholders, invited talks by experts and a panel discussion on the theme. The conference is intended to provide a forum for discussion and exchange of ideas on the following , but not limited to , theme sub-themes:

- Role of Libraries in Building Digital India
- Libraries in the age of Digital Governance
- Virtual Learning Environment: Building Capacities through Online Mode of Education
- Knowledge Management in Digital World
- Contents and Connectivity: A Digital Paradigm
- Cloud Based Libraries: Challenges And Issues
- Libraries as Social Spaces for Skill Training
- Digital Libraries as Empowering Tools for Capacity Building
- Indian Manuscripts And Digital Projects For Heritage
- Information Literacy and Transliteracy
- IPR, Copyright and Security Issues In Digital Age
- Research Protocols and Analytics
- Search Strategies, Federated Search and Remote Access.
- Web Technology In Libraries
- Reinventing Libraries: From Silent Spaces to Cultural Hubs

Paper Submission & Registration Details:

Research based unpublished papers on above or related conference themes & sub-themes may be submitted latest by September 30, 2016. to the organizing secretary at asianlibraryassociation@gmail.com.

Participation fee along with Registration Form may be sent, latest by 30th September 2016 as per following details to the organizing secretary.

Mode Of Payment: Cheques/ Draft in the name of “ Principal, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College” New Delhi.

Registration/Delegation Fee:*

Categories	Amount
Early-Bird Registrations (Before August 31, 2016)	Rs. 2250
Normal Registration Fee after 31.8.2016	Rs. 2500
Non-Institutional/Students/Retd. Participants/ASIALA Members	Rs. 2000

*Fee includes Conference kit and hospitality.

Important Dates:

Conference Dates : November 22-23, 2016	Submission of full Papers : August 31, 2016
Acceptance of Papers: September 30, 2016	Last Date of Registration: November 15, 2016

Accommodation:

Participants will have to make their own arrangements. However, the Organizers would be happy to extend all possible support in getting suitable accommodation are reasonable rates.

Conference Secretariat:

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Registration Form

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Venue

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40, Max Mueller Marg, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

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Signature _____

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