A Brief Report on "National Library Week" held on 19th November 2009 at our Library AV Auditorium

In association with Karnataka Library Association (KALA) and Department of Public Libraries organized the special lecture in view of National Library Week, from 14th to 20th November 2009.

On 19th Nov. 2009 at 6.00 pm there was very good response from the library professionals, nearly 80 participants were there. From the college Directors Dr. Srinivasan and Dr. Ramaprasad were present. Dr. G R Srinivas, HOD of IEM and Prof. Prabhakar K also present in the event.

The important persons Dr. Krishna Murthy, Faculty member of DRTC, Mrs. Usha Mukunda Teacher Resource Person, Mr. Puttabasaiah, Deputy Librarian, IISc and Mr. Ananda Byarappa, General Secretary of KALA has participated in this event.

After the invocation song Sri. JC David, Chief Librarian, DSCE, has delivered welcome speech and introduced Chief Guest Dr. S V Venkadesan, Librarian, JRD Tata Memorial Library, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, and Sri. Galiswamy, Secretary, DSI, Dr. Nethaji S. Ganesan, Principal DSCE, and Dr. IK Ravichandra Rao, HOD, DRTC.

All the dignitaries on the Dais have done the lighting lamp.

Dr. S. Venkadesan has delivered the talk on “Archiving of Digital Resources”. The following points were discussed.

- How will research be communicated in the future?
- Who preserves what?
- Who pays for what?
- What do research libraries and universities demand of archiving and preservation services?
- Archiving Challenges
- Other Archiving Considerations
- Cooperation and Communication
- Archiving policies of publishers
- Technological Approaches to Archiving
- Migration
- Hardware Museums
- Analogue Preservation on Silicon Wafers
- Advantages of the Rosetta:
- Standard Format
- Other Legal and Social Concerns

After delivering the talk many more questions were raised by the participants. Suitable answers were given by Dr. S. Venkadesan. The talk was very interesting and thought provoking.

Dr. Nethaji S. Ganesan, Principal DSCE, has delivered presidential address. The presidential remarks were given on the subject spoken by the Guest.

Sri. Galiswamy, Secretary, DSCE, and Dr. IK Ravichandra Rao HOD, DRTC was there in the function.

Mr. Ananda Byrappa, General Secretary of KALA has given the vote of thanks. On behalf of KALA a momentum has given to all the dignitaries on the dais.

The programme ended with grand success.

A Brief Report on e-Resource/e-Print Awareness Programme Among Engineering College Librarians of Karnataka our Seminar held on 18th July 2009 at our CD Sagar Auditorium.

Library and Information Centre, Dayanand Sagar College of Engineering (DSCE), Bangalore has organized one day seminar on ‘E-Resource/E-Print Awareness Programme among Engineering College Librarians of Karnataka’ on 18th July 2009. There was a very good response from engineering college; nearly 250 library professionals from all over the Karnataka were participated in the seminar.
Dr. Nethaji S. Ganesan, Principal, DSCE, delivered welcome speech in the inaugural Session of the seminar and he addressed on impact of modern technologies on library Services and ever changing priorities of library users.

Sri. J. C David, Chief Librarian, DSCE has introduced Chief Guests Sri. I. H Jahagiedar, Consultant, NAAC & Sri. Francis Jayakanth, NCSI, IISc. To the audience.

Sri. I. H Jahagirdar has delivered keynote address. He emphasized on important aspects of electronic resources such as, Key drivers for proliferation of e-resources Key formats of e-resources Emerging formats of e-resources Issues and challenges in handling e-resources

Sri. Galiswamy, Secretary, DSCE, delivered presidential remarks and inaugural session ended with Vote of Thanks by Smt. Vedavathi, Asst. Librarian, DSCE.

In first session of the seminar Sri. Francis Jayakanth delivered a lecture on ‘E-Prints over View/Installation and customization’. Some of the important deliberations of his Presentations are, Institutional Repository Software- Features and Functionalities
- Key component of an IR is the repository management software- Be press IR, CDSware 
- CERN Document Server Software
- DSpace & GNU E-Prints -ETD-db 
Registry of open Access Repositories (ROAR) 
Repository Software Systems: Key Features and Functionalities
- Specific features and functionalities
- GNU EPrints Features
- Hardware requirements for GNU E-Prints
- Technologies Used By GNU E-Prints
- Core Features of GNU E-prints
- GNU E-Prints Version 3
- Repository Walkthrough
- Exporting Search results as RSS Feeds
- Registered Users Facilities, Managing a Deposits, Document Upload, Metadata
- Entry, Limitations of GNU E-Prints.

- The session was started with RFID product presentation, implementation by Mr. Sri. Ram of Libsys Corporation, New Delhi and Engineering e-resources-
Product presentation by Sri. Ravishankar of informatics India, Bangalore.
- There was also a PPT presentation by Sri. J. C. David & Sri. T. M. Devendrappa On over view of DSCE Library.

-Valedictory Function
Dr. A. Sreenivasan & Dr. Ram Prasad, PG Directors were the Valedictory guests
And they shared their experiences of library use and importance of adapting Technologies to manage libraries effectively in their address.

Organizing Secretary
International Conference on Convergence of Science, Engineering & Management in Education & Research 2013 (ICCSEM)

DSCE library conducted the international Conference on 11th and 12th September 2013.

**Topic:** Library and Information Science Management

**Sub Themes:**
1. Role of E-Resources in Academic Libraries
2. Knowledge Management
3. Application of Total Quality Management in Libraries
4. Management of E-Resources
5. RFID Technology in Libraries
6. Best practices in library services

**Guest & Key Note Speaker:**
Dr (Mrs.) Shalini R. Urs  
Professor, DOS in Library and Information Science, University of Mysore & Executive Director, ISIM, Mysore

**Session Chairs:**

**Dr. (Mrs.) Adithya Kumari H**  
Associate Professor, DOS in Library and Information Science, University of Mysore, Mysore.

**Dr. M. Chandrashekar**  
Professor, DOS in Library and Information Science, University of Mysore, Mysore.

**Dr. C. P. Ramasheesh**
University Librarian, University of Mysore, Mysore.

**Mr. V. Kalyan**  
Former Manager of BEL, Bangalore

**Mr. J. C. David,**  
Chief Librarian, DSCE, Bangalore.

**Mr. Anand T Byrappa**  
Global Leader, Knowledge Centre, GE, Bangalore.

200 abstracts received. Called 90 full text papers. 45 papers shortlisted for presentation in the two days seminar.

**Dr. Karibasappa,** Principal Dayandanda Sagar College of Engineering presided the valedictory function and **Mr. Anand T Byrappa** Global Leader, Knowledge Centre, GE, Bangalore was the chief guest of the evening.