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Three Days Advanced Training Programme on Shodhganga and Plagiarism Issues

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INFLIBNET

Information and Library Network Centre
Gandhinagar, Gujarat

About INFLIBNET

The Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) Centre is an autonomous Inter-University Centre (IUC) of the University Grants Commission (UGC) located in the Infocity, Gandhinagar. Major activities and services of the Centre are geared towards modernization of academic libraries and information centres, promotion of information transfer and access, support scholarship, learning and academic pursuits. The Centre acts as a nodal agency for networking of libraries and information centres in universities, institutions of higher learning and R & D institutions in India. The Centre was established as an independent autonomous Inter-University Centre of the UGC in May 1996 and set out to be a major player for promoting scholarly communication among academicians and researchers across the country. With technology being a driving force in the contemporary education system, the INFLIBNET Centre has taken up a number of initiatives for the benefit of the academic community in India.

About Shodhganga

Electronic Electronic Theses and Dissertations are primary sources of research materials that originates from doctoral theses/dissertations submitted to the universities for award of Ph.D. As per UGC Notification (Minimum Standards & Procedure for Award of M.Phil./PhD Degree, Regulation, 2009/2016) it is mandatory to submit electronic version of theses and dissertations by the researchers in universities into a national repository with an aim to facilitate open access to Indian theses and dissertations to the academic community world- wide. As per UGC Notification D.O.No.2-10/2021 (CPP-II) dated December 22, 2021. The data on number of Ph.D. students graduated in 2019, 2020 and 2021 will be taken from Shodhganga repository for India Ranking 2023 by NBA. Universities are requested to host soft copy of the theses awarded by the universities into a central repository i.e. Shodhganga. Since 2010 January, the number of theses has grown progressively and the repository has reached about 3,89,000+ theses in October, 2022 from 570+ universities and 660+ universities have signed MoU for joining which makes Shodhganga the largest repository of PhD theses in India. This target is achieved by the immense contribution of research scholars, supervisors, librarians, research cells and other university officials. This training program is aimed at enhancing the quality of Shodhganga Repository and deliberates on various parameters effecting the creation and maintenance of Shodhganga at national level.

Objective

The main objective of this Workshop is to enable the participants to impart knowledge on creating and managing the Institutional repositories. The Workshop includes lectures as well as extensive "hands-on" training, so as to provide both theoretical base and practical skills to the participants. The Workshop will present comprehensive overview of Shodhganga to provide opportunity to the participants to exchange ideas and enrich their respective programmes on digital repositories and to formulate policies based on the input and discussions of experts for deterring plagiarism in academic sector.

Topics for Discussions

❖ An overview of national and international ETDs including Shodhganga, for basic introduction, features and use;

❖ Technical issues related to ETD implementation and digitisation;

❖ Introduction to DSpace and building IR;

❖ Theses submission in Shodhganga and hands on;

❖ Browse, Search and Download: Use and Usage;

❖ Metadata for ETDs;

❖ Roles and responsibilities of University Coordinators (UC);

❖ Plagiarism: Guidelines Policy and products;

❖ Introduction to ShodhShuddhi;

❖ Use of Plagiarism Detection Tool/Software (PDS) for qualitative research output; and

❖ Hands on for using Plagiarism Detection Software (PDS) and uploading of theses.

Resource Persons

The resource persons are eminent IT / Computer / LIS Scientists / professionals and experts of the country.

Target Group

The expected audience will include University Coordinator (UCs) of Shodhganga, University Librarians, Ph.D Holders, Research Supervisors/Scholars, and Students working in the area of electronic theses and dissertations and, more broadly, open access and digital repositories.

Pre-requisite

Participants should be conversant with basic ICT terminologies, should possess basic knowledge in web browsing and Internet.

Duration: Three Days (2-4 November, 2022)

Three days workshop includes the theory and practical in 2-4 sessions in a day.

Venue

The Workshop will be conducted at Information and Library Network Centre, An IUC of University Grants Commission, Infocity, Gandhinagar-382007, Gujarat, India.

Workshop Fee

The registration fee is Rs. 3,540.00 (Rupees Three Thousand Five Hundred Forty only) per person without accommodation and Rs. 5,900.00 (Rupees Five Thousand Nine Hundred Only) with accommodation which is inclusive of GST rates. It covers the cost of training programme kit containing training materials and lunch during the training period. The payment should be made through Demand Draft in favour of INFLIBNET Centre payable at Gandhinagar along with filled-in registration form. Fee is non-refundable and non-adjustable. The Centre also accepts payment by NEFT /RTGS for the workshop. The bank account details will be shared on request.

Accommodation

The Centre will arrange accommodation during the period of training at INFLIBNET Guest House (A/C Room) on single sharing basis. The participants must send prior intimation and charges for accommodation along with registration fees. The accommodation will be provided first come first basis.

Registration

The application for registration to the workshop should be submitted online at https://hrd.inflibnet.ac.in/login.php on or before **28 October, 2022.** The filled in application form should be sent through proper channel of HOD/HOI. The absence during the workshop will be considered as discontinue of participation.

How to Reach

Road Routes: Gandhinagar is connected to Surat, Mumbai, and Navi Mumbai through National Highway 8A. It is connected to Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Udaipur, New Delhi & Chandigarh through the National Highway 8C.

Air Connectivity: The nearest airport is Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport, Ahmedabad located at a distance of 15KM from Domestic flights are available for the Metropolitans and other major cities of India. It also provides many International flights from Ahmedabad to across the world.

Rail Connectivity: The nearest Railway Station is Ahmedabad Railway Station (Known as Kalupur) which is well connected to all metropolitans and other major cities of India. The Ahmedabad Railway station is located at a distance of 23 Km from the INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar.

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