

National Workshop on Creation and Management of Digital Collections

About INFLIBNET

Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) is an autonomous Inter-University Centre of the University Grants Commission (UGC). The objectives of the Centre are to modernize libraries and information centres for information transfer and access, to support scholarship, learning and academic pursuit by establishing a national network of libraries and information centres in universities, institutions of higher learning and R & D institutions in India. Creation of national union database (IndCat), development of an integrated library management software (SOUL 2.0), human resource development, on-site training, providing bibliographic information services, extending technical help and guidance from time to time to academic libraries in automation and networking are some of the major activities of the Centre. The Centre provides access to e-resources and Internet connectivity to universities under the UGC-Infonet connectivity programme and UGC-Infonet Digital Library Consortium. The Centre also provides access to 3000+ e-journals and 75,000+ e-books to the colleges in India through programme entitled "National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content (N-LIST)".

Aims and Objectives of the Workshop

This workshop is intended to equip participants with skills for developing and managing their own digital collection. There will be lectures as well as intensive hands-on Training sessions by experts in the field. Thus it will provide both theoretical base and practical skill to the participants.

Objectives : To create awareness in new developments in the field of Library and Information Science like managing information sources in a digital environment, building institutional repository, networking and social media, management of e-resources, latest in development and trends in LIS with glimpse on Library Automation along with hands-on-training.

Areas Covered

The following areas will be covered in the workshop and hands on practical training will be given in these areas:

- Digitization and Digital Preservation
- Working with Linux : Basic commands.
- Institutional Repositories and Digital Libraries
- Metadata Standards for Digital Collection
- Digital collection building using DSpace: Installation & Configuration
- Digital collection building using DSpace: Administration & Customization
- Digital collection building using DSpace: Workflow & Submissions
- IPR and Security aspects of IR
- Web 2.0 and Social Networking
- Library Automation and latest trends in ICT
- Access to e-resources subscribed under different consortium

Resource Persons

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

Target Participants

Library and Information professionals, System and Network Administrators, Information Scientists and others with similar responsibilities with exposure to network and information security. A maximum of 20 candidates will be selected for the workshop on First-Come-First-Serve basis.

Pre-requisite: Participants should be conversant with basic ICT terminologies, should possess basic knowledge and experience with digitization, library automation will be preferred.

Duration: One Week

Tentative workshop date from 13th - 17th February, 2012 (Monday to Friday)

Venue

The Workshop will be conducted at **Information and Library Network Centre**, An IUC of University Grants Commission, Near Gujarat University Guest House, P.O. No 4116, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad – 380 009

Workshop Fee

The registration fee is Rs. 7500.00 (Rupees Seven thousand five hundred only) per person. It covers the cost of workshop kit containing training materials, breakfast, working lunch, two time tea & snacks during the sessions. The payment should be made through Demand Draft in favour of **Director, INFLIBNET Centre** payable at **Ahmedabad** along with filled-in registration form and fee is non-refundable and non-adjustable.

Accommodation

The INFLIBNET will arrange accommodation during the period of training on chargeable basis in INFLIBNET Hostel and Hotels as per the rates given below (per person per day). The participants must send prior intimation and charges for accommodation along with registration fee.

INFLIBNET Hostel	INFLIBNET Guest House *	Hotels	Hotels
Rs. 75.00 Per Person	Rs. 125.00 Per Person	Rs. 800.00 Per person	1250.00 Single occupancy with AC Facility
Twin Sharing Basis	Twin Sharing Basis	Twin Sharing Basis with AC Facility	

* Guest House has limited facility (only 4) and will be provided on first come first basis

Application

The application for admission to the workshop should be submitted in the enclosed prescribed form on or **before 30th January, 2012 to Director, INFLIBNET Centre.**

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