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Languages Known: Malayalam, English

Academic Qualification

MLISc

St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry

Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam

2017

MA (English)

English and Foreign Language University (A Central University), Hyderabad

2021

Experience

14-11-2017 – 31-2-2019

Asst. Professor on contract in Dept. of Library and Information Science and supervising the college Central Library

St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanassery, Kottayam

Presented papers in **3** conferences/seminars

Published **7** articles in international journals and **1** in conference proceedings with ISBN

Attended **10** workshops/seminars

28-12-2018 – 2021

Expert committee member for PG syllabus revision of Library and Information Science

Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam

01-03-2019 –

UGC Librarian

Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanassery, Kottayam

Pay scale – 57700-182400

2020 –

Translator of NPTEL SWAYAM online courses

Quality Control Person for Translation of NPTEL SWAYAM online Courses

Online Courses

Academic Writing (4 credit course)

Offered by H.N.B. Garhwal University (A Central University), Srinagar Garhwal, Uttarakhand on SWAYAM Online Course.

2019

Understanding Open Educational Resources

Self-learning online course offered by the Commonwealth of Learning, Canada

30 April 2020

Introduction to Psychology (non-credit course)

Authorized by Yale University and offered through Coursera

13 June 2010

General Course on Intellectual Property

Distance learning course offered by World Intellectual Property Organisation

11 May to 6 July 2020

UGC Orientation and Refresher Courses

UGC Sponsored Orientation Course (online) offered by Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC), Mizoram University. 28 July – 17 August 2020.

UGC Sponsored Refresher Course (online) on Digital Transformation of Library Science Education and Service offered by Human Resource Development Centre, Doctor Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyala (A Central University), Sager (MP). 26 May – 8 June 2022.

Other Courses Attended

Online course (4 credit) course on “Academic Writing” offered by H.N.B. Garhwal University (A Central University), Srinagar Garhwal, Uttarakhand. July-October 2019. SWAYAM.

Online course (non-credit) course on “Introduction to Psychology” authorized by Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, USA. June 2020. Coursera.

Distance learning “General Course on Intellectual Property” offered by World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Academy. 11 May – 6 July 2020.

Paper Presentations

Papers Presented on National Level Seminars/Conferences:

1 “Use of INFLIBNET Open Source Services by the College Faculty: A Case Study.”

National Conference on Open Data and Data Repositories held at Cochin University of Science and Technology, Earnakulam on 6-8 March 2018.

2 “Use of Open Access Journals among the Library and Information Science Students, Faculties and Research Scholars under University of Calicut, Calicut.”

National Seminar on Innovative Librarianship: Challenges and Opportunities at Central University, Tamil Nadu from 26&27 March 2018.

3 “Factors Pertaining to the Use of Information Communication Technologies (ICTs) by Engineering College Librarians: A Case Study.”

KLA National Conference (KLANC 2018) on Corporate and Media Librarianship held at Thiruvananthapuram on 14-15 December 2018.

Papers Presented on International Seminars/Conferences:

1 “English in Academic Writing”

International Seminar on Academic Publishing jointly organised by St Peter’s College Library and Department of Library and Information Science in collaboration with Society of Innovative Researchers and Academicians (SIRA) and Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam from 18 to 19 December 2019.

Invited Lectures/Resource Person

National Level

1 Invited Lecture on “Style Manuals and Academic Writing.” Department of History, Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry. 21 November 2019.

2 Invited Lecture on “Marketing of Library Resources and Services.” Department of Library and Information Science, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry. 4 December 2019.

3 Resource person of three day webinar on “Unethical Practices in Academic Writing.” Department of Commerce and Department of Economics, St St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry.

4 Resource person of first module of the course “Research and Publication Ethics” conducted by Mar Thoma College, Thiruvalla and MG University, Kottayam. 23-27 November 2020.

5 Invited talk on “Plagiarism”. Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry. 19 February 2021.

6 Invited Lecture on “Plagiarism”. Department of History and IQAC of Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry. 19 February 2021.

7 Resource person of the topic “Reference Management”, the 4th module of the Ad-on course *Academic Communication and Publishing* conducted by CMS College (Autonomous), Kottayam, St Stephen’s College, Uzhavoor and Lore & Ed Research Associates. 19 May 2021.

8 Resource person of the topic “Philosophy and Research”, the first module of the course on *Research and Publication Ethics* conducted by CMS College (Autonomous), Kottayam, St Stephen’s College, Uzhavoor and Lore & Ed Research Associates. 21 May 2021.

9 Resource person of the topic “Reference Management” in the workshop on *Reference Management and Zotero Software Tutorial (with 30 days post workshop Support)*. Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library and Lore and Ed Research Associates. 29, May, 6 June, 22 June 2021.

10 Resource person of the topic “Philosophy and Research” and “Reference Management” in the course on *Research and Publication Ethics* conducted by St Thomas College (Autonomous), Thrissur on 13 and 15 September 2021.

11 Resource person of the the course on *Research and Publication Ethics* conducted by Mar Thoma College, Thiruvalla during 25-28 April 2022.

International Level

- 1 “Open Online Resources in Syriac Language” in the International Seminar on *Syriac in India – A Historical Appraisal and Prospective Approaches* organized by the Department of Syriac, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam on 29 January 2020.
- 2 Resource person of the topic “Reference Management” in the International Online Workshop on *Academic Writing and Communication Skills, Research Methodology, Reference Management and Academic Publishing*. Organized by Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library and Lore and Ed Research Associates. 24 July – 23 August 2021.

Publications

Journal Publications:

- 1 “Web Search Behaviour of Research Scholars: A Case Study.” *International Journal of Library & Information Science*, vol. 7, no. 2, 2018, pp.06–17.
<http://www.iaeme.com/IJLIS/issues.asp?JType=IJLIS&VType=7&IType=2>
- 2 “An Assessment of Information Literacy Competence of Postgraduate Students.” *International Journal of Library & Information Science*, vol. 7, no. 2, 2018, pp. 45–54.
<http://www.iaeme.com/ijlis/issues.asp?JType=IJLIS&VType=7&IType=2>
- 3 “Access and Use of Internet by the Students’ Community: A Case Study of College of Engineering, Kallooppara, Pathanamthitta, Kerala State.” *International Journal of Library and Information Studies*, vol. 8, no. 1, Jan-Mar. 2018, pp. 155-164.
http://www.ijlis.org/img/2018_Vol_8_Issue_1/155-164.pdf.
- 4 “Use of Library by Post Graduate Students in N.S.S. Hindu College, Changanassery: A Study.” *International Journal of Information Movement*. vol. 2, no. 12. Apr. 2018, pp. 113-118.
<http://www.ijim.in/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/Vol-2-Issue-XII-113-118-paper-1817-tinju-tom.pdf>.
- 5 “A Case Study on the Use of INFLIBNET Open Access Services by the College Faculty.” *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences*. vol. 8, no. 10. Oct. 2018, pp. 756-773.
https://www.ijmra.us/project%20doc/2018/IJRSS_OCTOBER2018/IJMRA-14601.pdf.
- 6 “Bibliometric Analysis of Published Scientific Knowledge with Special Reference to ‘Plant Physiology’.” *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences*. vol. 8, no. 12. Dec. 2018, pp. 84-100. https://www.ijmra.us/project%20doc/2018/IJRSS_DECEMBER2018/IJMRA-14730.pdf.
- 7 “Use of Open Access Journals by Engineering College Students: A Case Study.” *College Libraries*. vol. 33, no. 3-4. Sept. and Oct. 2018, pp 27-35.

Book Chapter/Conference Proceedings:

- 1 “Use of Open Access Journals among the Library and Information Science Students, Faculties and Research Scholars under University of Calicut, Calicut.” *Innovative Librarianship: Challenges and Opportunities*, edited by S. Rvai and S. Dhanavandan, vol. 1, Central University of Tamil Nadu, 2018, pp. 422-427.

- 2 “Use of New Technologies in Libraries of Engineering and Technology Institutions: A Case Study.” *Innovative Librarianship: A Foresight on Technology, Practice and Services*, edited by S. Dhanavandan, vol. 2, Central Library, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvavur, 2019, pp. 435-446.
- 3 “English in Academic Writing.” *Academic Publishing*, edited by Anat Suman Jose, St Peter’s College Library and Department of Library and Information Science, Kolencherry, 2019, pp. 76-84.
- 4 “Marketing of Library Resources and Services of Arts and Science Colleges: A Kerala Model.” *Changing role of Libraries in the Digital World*, edited by Bobby Thomas, Ambitions Books P Ltd, Kerala, 2020, pp. 11-27.

Seminars and Workshops Organized

- National Seminar on “Current Trends and Technologies in Library and Information Services” organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry on 20 February 2020.
- National Webinar on “Cyber Crime and Cyber Security” organized by Department of Business Studies and Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library of Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry on 21 September 2020.
- National Online Workshop on “Reference Management and Zotero Software Tutorial (with 30 days post workshop Support)” organized by Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library and Lore and Ed Research Associates on 29, 30 May 2021.
- International Online Workshop on *Academic Writing and Communication Skills, Research Methodology, Reference Management and Academic Publishing* organized by Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library and Lore and Ed Research Associates. 24 July – 23 August 2021.
- International Online Workshop on *Open Source Computing, Multimedia and Open Access Publishing Tools* organized by Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library and Lore and Ed Research Associates. 6 September 2021 – 2 October 2021.
- 30 Days International Online Workshop on *Academic Writing and Communication Skills, Research Methodology, Reference Management and Academic Publishing* organized by National Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (NIPMR), Thrissur, an autonomous organization under Social Justice Department, Government of Kerala, Mahatma Gandhi University Library, Kottayam, Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry, Lore and Ed Research Associates and 20 higher education institutions in Kerala. 17 November 2021 – 31 December 2021
- 12 Days National Workshop on *Trends in Book and Journal Publishing* organized by Archbishop Kavukattu Central Library of in collaboration with Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry, Research and Postgraduate Department of Economics of Bishop Kuriyalacherry College for Women, Amalagiri, and Lore and Ed Research Associates, Kottayam. 6-24 August 2022.

Seminars and Workshops

National Level Seminars/Workshops Attended

- 1 Workshop on “DSpace” (Opens Source Repository Software Package) organised by Dept. of Library and Information Science, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanacherry on 4-5 April 2016.

- 2 Seminar on “Intellectual Property Rights in the Digital Era” by K.P. Vijayakumar and “Management of Archives” by Mr Bibin George organised by Kerala Library Association Kottayam Region and Dept. of Library and Information Science, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanassery on 18 November 2016.
- 3 National workshop on “WordPress” (Online Open Source Website and Blog Creation Tool and Content Management System) organised by Kerala Library Association Kottayam Region and Dept. of Library and Information Science, St Berchmans College (Autonomous), Changanassery on 19 November 2016.
- 4 One day workshop on “Mendeley” (Reference Management Software) organised by Kerala Library Association Kottayam Region and Research and Postgraduate Department of Commerce, Kuriakose Gregorios College, Pamapady on 30 July 2016.
- 5 Two day national workshop on “Content Management System Using Joomla” organized by Kerala Library Association Earnakulam Region in association with Kerala University of Fisheries and Oceanic Studies on 5-6 August 2016.
- 6 One day Training Programme on “KOHA” (Library Automation Software) organized by Kerala Library Association Kottayam Region on 24 May 2017.
- 7 Workshop on “Archives Management and Digitisation” conducted by St Kuriakose Elias Chavara Archives and Research Centre, Mannanam, Kottayam on 24-25 April 2018.
- 8 National Seminar on “Intellectual Property Rights” organised by Patent Information Centre – Kerala, KSCSTE, Thiruvananthapuram and St Berchmans College, Changanassery on 21 June 2018.
- 9 Workshop on “Koha and Library Automation” Organised under the aegis of the National Virtual Library of India, funded by the ministry of Culture, Government of India at St Joseph College of Engineering and Technology, Palai on 12 October 2018.
- 10 National Conference (KLANC 2018) on “Corporate and Media Librarianship” organized by Kerala Library Association at Thiruvananthapuram on 14-15 December 2018
- 11 Online workshop on “Transition to Online Facilitation” organized by NPTEL on 6 May to 3 June 2020.

International Seminars/Workshops Attended

- 1 International Colloquium on Environment and Sustainable Development (ICESD 2018) organised by St Berchmans College, Changanassery with Sophia University Japan on 1 November 2018.
- 2 International Seminar on Academic Publishing jointly organised by St Peter’s College Library and Department of Library and Information Science in collaboration with Society of Innovative Researchers and Academicians (SIRA) and Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam on 18-19 December 2019.

Current Responsibilities in the College

- 1 IQAC Member, Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry.
- 2 Single Point of Contact (SPOC), SWAYAM NPTEL Local Chapter of Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry.
3. Member Committee for Research Ethics, Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry.

