

Dr. Ramesh B. Kuri is a qualified and experienced academician with over 13 years of teaching and research experience, currently serving as an Assistant Professor at Rani Channamma University (RCU), Belagavi. He holds MLISc from Karnatak University, Dharwad, M.Phil. from Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad and Ph.D. from Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, and is also UGC-NET qualified.

His career began at prestigious institutions, including the JRD Tata Memorial Library at the Indian Institute of Science, followed by roles as a Librarian at Jain College of Engineering & Management and as a Guest Faculty Member at various colleges. Since 2012, he has been at RCU, where he teaches postgraduate and PhD students in specialised areas, including electronic resources, user behaviour study, altmetrics and Information Communication Technology in libraries.

Dr. Kuri is an active researcher, having published 80+ articles in Scopus, Web of Science, peer-reviewed journals and conference proceedings. He has also secured and led 4 research projects and 1 Research Methodology course with grants from PMEB, RCUB and ICSSR, New Delhi. He has made significant contributions to academic literature and learning materials. He served as a Course Translator for the KSOU Self-Learning Material on "Information Systems and Services" and as a Course Editor for the module on "Special Libraries." Furthermore, he co-edited the volume *Comprehensive Resource Management in Libraries* (2014), which compiled the proceedings of a National Seminar.

Beyond teaching and research, Dr. Kuri is deeply involved in academic and administrative service. He has attended multiple Orientation, Refresher, and FDP courses and serves as a member of the Board of Studies/Examinations for several universities. His significant administrative roles include having served as Assistant Registrar (Evaluation) and Co-coordinator of the IQAC.

Currently he is serving as Coordinator for the PM-USHA MERU SOFT component, Academic Counsellor for IGNOU, and Coordinator for the University's Scouts and Guides Unit. He is also a member of the Steering Committee for the upcoming NAAC accreditation cycle. A recognised resource person, he has delivered over 20 invited talks on various LIS topics and has been invited as a subject expert for faculty recruitment interviews. Dr. Kuri is a life member of several professional bodies, including IATLIS, ILA, and KULISA. [More click CV](#)

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION: MLISc., M.Phil., NET., Ph.D.						
Programmes	Institution			Year	Subject/Title Details	
M.L.I.Sc.	Karnatak University, Dharwad			2007	Foundations of Lib and Information Science, Information Technology (Theory & Practice), Library Classification and Cataloguing, Library Automation (Theory and Practice), Information sources and services.	
M.Phil.	Dr B.R Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad			2011	Comparative Study of Search Engines	
Ph.D.	Rani Channamma University, Belagavi			2020	Government First Grade College Libraries in Karnataka State: A Study”	
CAREER PROFILE						
Organization / Institution		Designation		Duration	Role	
JRD Tata Memorial Library, <i>Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore</i>		Library Trainee		2007 -2009	Handling library housekeeping operations, designing, and developing a database with library holdings, Training, and orientation programs,	
In-Organic and Physical Chemistry, <i>Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore</i>		Project Assistant		2008 – 2009	Documentation of the doctoral thesis.	
Jain College of Engineering and Management, Belagavi		Librarian		2009 -2011	Administration of the library system, database development with library holdings, ICT Applications, and conducting orientation programs.	

Sri. S. S. Basavanal Library, <i>Karnatak University, Belagavi, Dharwad</i>	Assistant Librarian (Guest)	2011- 2012	Development of a database of library holdings, conducting training and orientation programs for users.
Suvarna Degree College, Dharwad	Guest faculty	20011-12	Teaching UG LIS programme
Department of PG Studies and Research in Library and Information Science. <i>Rani Channamma University, Belagavi,</i>	Assistant Professor	2012- until today	Teaching for PG & PhD programme

RESEARCH INTERESTS / SPECIALISATION

Academic library systems, information technology, library cataloguing, scientometrics, and digital information systems.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (SUBJECTS/COURSES TAUGHT)

- Teaching Experience: 13 Years
- Programs Teach: Master's and Ph.D. in Library and Information Science.
- Papers:
 1. Information Technology (Foundation & Advanced)
 2. Library cataloguing
 3. Information retrieval systems and repackaging System
 4. Library Automation
 5. Internet Resources and Web Technology
 6. Content Management Systems, Information sources and services (OEC)

ORIENTATION/REFRESHER COURSES

1. Attended the ***orientation program***, organized by the Academic Staff College, University of Mysore, Mysore from 28-12-2013 to 24-1-2014.
2. Attended the ***refresher course*** in Library and Information Science, organised by HRDC University of Hyderabad from 8-12-2017 to 28-12-2017.
3. Participated in the ***refresher course*** in Library and Information Science through SWAYAM ARPIT, organised by Uma Kanjilal from Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, from 15-11-2018 to 28-02-2019.
4. Participated in ***online FDP program*** on “Online FDP on Skills for Librarianship” Jointly organised by LIS academy and Ncsi.net. Bengaluru held from 16-05-2020 to 21-06-2020.

5. Participated in the *refresher course* on “Emerging Trends & Technologies in Library & Information Services (ETTLIS)” From 01/12/ 2020 to 31/03/2021, through the SWAYAM platform.
6. Attended a *refresher course* on Library and Information Science, organized by Madan Mohan Malaviya Teacher Training Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, from 06/01/2025 to 18/01/2025.

MEMBER OF BOAE/BOE/BOS

He has held numerous academic board positions, including continuous membership on the RCU Belagavi Board of Examinations since 2016, and served as an external member for the Boards of Studies and Examinations of multiple universities, such as Kuvempu University, VSKUB Bellary, Gulbarga University, KSOU Mysore, and Raichur University. Also an academic counsellor, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, for the year 2023 to date.

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY

1. Served as Assistant Registrar (Evaluation) of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi from 2013-2016.
2. Serving as Coordinator for Scouts and Guides Unit, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi. from 15/11/2024 to date.
3. Serving as Coordinator, PM-USHA MERU SOFT component 26 “**Well-equipped research laboratories, digital library with subscription to reputed journals.** From 23-09/2025 to date.
4. Served as member of, Infrastructure and Learning Resources Committee constituted for the preparation of NAAC 2020.
5. Served as a member of, Alumni Steering Committee of the Rani Channamma University from 2020 to date
6. Member Steering Committee and Core Group for upcoming 2nd Cycle NAAC for criteria -2 “Faculty Resources” from 06-10-2025 to date.

ACADEMIC Responsibility

MEMBERSHIP WITH PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Life Member, Indian Association of Teachers in Library and Information Science (IATLIS)

- Life member, Indian Library Association (ILA)
- Life Member, Karnatak University Library Association (KULISA) Dharwad.
- Life Member, RCU-LISA Alumni Association, Belagavi

PROJECTS (MINOR/MAJOR GRANTS)

1. The PMEB, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, sponsored a minor research project titled "*Library Automation and Networking in Government and Private-Aided College Libraries affiliated to Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A Comparative Study*" with a project grant of Rs. 75,000.
2. Another minor research project sponsored by the PMEB, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, was on "*The Efficacy of ICT Competencies in the Use of E-Resources among Teacher Educators*" with a project grant of Rs. 2,00,000.
3. The ICSSR, New Delhi, sponsored a short-term collaborative research project titled "*An Evaluative Study of the Implementation of National Education Policy 2020 in the Higher Education Institutions in Karnataka*" with a project grant of Rs. 5,00,000.
4. The ICSSR, New Delhi, also sponsored a 10-day research methodology course with a project grant of Rs. 5,50,000.
5. Further, the PMEB sponsored a PM-USHA minor research project on "*Exploring the Impact of Research Management Tools on Academic and Research among PG and Ph.D. Students of Rani Channamma University*" with a project grant of Rs. 75,000.

SPECIAL LECTURE/RESOURCE PERSON/CHIEF GUEST

1. Invited as a resource person to deliver a talk on *Electronic Information Resources and Search Techniques*, organized by the Department of Social Work, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 06th December 2013.
2. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *Information Sources and Library Service*, organized by the Library, Government First Grade College, Khanapur, on 12th August 2015.
3. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *E-Resources and Search Techniques*, jointly organized by IQAC and Library, Government First Grade College, Ramadurg, on 10th March 2016.
4. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *Reading Habits*, organized by the Library, BCA College, Bharatesh Education Trust, Belagavi, on 28th August 2019.
5. Invited to deliver a talk on *Intellectual Property Rights*, organized by the Library, Good Shepherd School, Belagavi, on 27th April 2019.
6. Invited to deliver a talk on *Open Educational Resources*, organized by the Department of Geography, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 11th January 2022.

7. Delivered an invited talk on *Library E-Resources*, organized by the Department of Political Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 01st February 2023.
8. Invited to deliver a talk on *Reference Management Tools and Techniques*, organized by the Department of Social Work, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 26th July 2023.
9. Invited to deliver a talk on *Academic Web Resources*, organized by the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 28th December 2023.
10. Invited to deliver a talk on *Scholarly Web Resources*, organized by the Department of Sociology, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 05th January 2024.
11. Invited to deliver a talk on *Academic Web Resources and Search Techniques*, organized by the Department of English, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 12th January 2024.
12. Invited to deliver a talk on *Exploring Scholarly Web Resources and Mastering Search Techniques*, organized by the Department of MBA, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 05th March 2024.
13. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *Scholarly Web Searching and Reference Management: Tools and Techniques*, organized by the Department of MSW, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 09th July 2024.
14. Invited to deliver a talk on *Search Strategy and Reference Management*, in the ICSSR-sponsored Research Methodology Course, on 31st July 2024.
15. Invited to deliver a talk on *Scholarly Web and Reference Management*, in a One-Day Lecture Series on Research Methodology, organized by the PG Department of Biochemistry, GSS College, Belagavi, on 22nd August 2024.
16. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *Knowledge Organization and Processing (Library Classification and Cataloguing)*, organized by Karnataka State Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (KSRDPR) University, Gadag, on 04th December 2024.
17. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver lectures on “*Knowledge Organisation*”, organized by Mahatma Gandhi Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (KSRDPR) University, Gadag, on 28th–29th March 2025.
18. Invited as a Resource Person to deliver a talk on *Research Techniques: Utilizing Reference Management, Databases, and AI*, organized by the PG Department of Social Work, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 24th May 2025.
19. Invited a resource person for the personal contract programme
20. Invited as a Resource Person to conduct *Contact Classes* for students of the Certificate Course in Library and Information Science, organized by Mahatma Gandhi Rural Development and Panchayat Raj University, Gadag, on 09th–10th July 2025.
21. Invited as a Resource Person for the ICSSR-sponsored *Research Methodology Course for Women Research Scholars*, organized by KSOU, Mysuru, and delivered a session on “*Search*

Techniques for Effective Literature Review and Reference Management Tools” on 25th July 2025.

22. Invited as resource person to deliver talk *Unlocking scholarship: ONOS and the world of e-resources*, organized by the IQAC and the Library and Information Centre, Government First Grade College, Hunnur, Jamakhandi, Bagalkot District on 17th Sept. 2025.

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

1. Sibbu, K., Sawant, A., & Kuri, R. B. (2025). *Integrating bibliometric and altmetric analysis for institutional research impact: A comprehensive review. International Journal of Research in Library Science*, 11(3), 346–354. <https://doi.org/10.26761/IJRLS.11.3.2025.1957>. eISSN:2455-104X.
2. Naik, A., & Kuri, R. B. (2025). *Use and awareness of electronic information resources (EIRs) among law college students in South Karnataka: A study. International Journal of Research in Library Science*, 11(3), 333–345. <https://doi.org/10.26761/IJRLS.11.3.2025.1945>. eISSN:2455-104X.
3. Patil, Somanagouda. S., Kamble, Laxmi. Y & Kuri, R. (2025). Postgraduate Students’ Perception with Video Conferencing Software: A Study. *Library Herald*. 63 (3), pp.315-329. DOI: DOI: 10.5958/0976-2469.2025.00022.0 ISSN 0024-2292, UGC-CARE-593.
4. Kuri, R., & Pujar, Kanakappa. (2025). Impact of ICT competencies on teaching and learning among teacher educators. *International journal of advance studies and growth evaluation*, 04(8), 64-68. eISSN: 2583-6528
5. Kuri, R., Patil, S., & Majumdar, S. (2025). Awareness And Use of Academic Social Networking Sites Among Faculty Of Karnataka State Universities: A Pilot Study On Rani Channamma University, Belagavi. *Journal of Indian Library Association*, 61(02), 176-186. <https://doi.org/10.34256/> e-ISSN: 2456-513X, Scopus Indexed.
6. Patil, S. S., & Kuri, R. B. (2025). Digital Disruption and Reading Culture among Rural Pre-University Students. *Journal of Advances in Library and Information Science*, 14 (2). pp.163-171. DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.15525748 ISSN: 2277-2219, Peer Reviewed.
7. Nayak, Sidarayi., Kuri, Ramesh., Patil, SS., Dharmatti, Girish., Metri, Bhavana (2025).) Information Seeking Behaviour of Undergraduate Students in Digital Environment: A Case Study at Degree Colleges of KLE Society in Belagavi City. *Library Herald*. 63 (June 2) pp.172-185. DOI: 10.5958/0976-2469.2025.00012.2. ISSN 0024-2292, UGC-CARE-593.
8. Pangtey, R., Kuri, R. B., Singh, M., Patil, S. S., Kamble, L. Y., & Waddar, N. (2024). Scientometric insights into research contributions of Govind Ballabh Pant University of Agriculture and Technology. *International Journal of Research in Library Science*, 10(4), 249–264. <https://doi.org/10.26761/IJRLS.10.4.2024.1816>. ISSN: 2455-104X, Peer Reviewed.

9. Patil, S. S., & Kuri, R. B. (2024). Use of digital resources by the undergraduate students: A case study of colleges in Belagavi City, Karnataka. *KELPRO Bulletin*, 28 (1), ISSN: 0975-4911 (Print) and 2582-497X (Online). UGC-CARE.
10. Kuri, R., & Maranna, O. (2023). An assessment of the current status of Government First Grade College libraries in Karnataka. *Journal of Indian Library Association(JILA)*, 59(4), 39-52. ISSN 0019-5782. Scopus indexed.
11. Naik, Anjaneya., & Kuri R. B.(2023). Integration of E-Resources and Smart Technologies in Law College Libraries: Enhancing Access and Learning Experiences. *South Indian journal of library and information science*. 9(4)1-7. ISSN 2395-3195. Peer Reviewed.
12. Kuri, R. B., Patel, A. K., Majumdar, S., & Singh, K. (2023). Mapping and visualization of global research output on military stealth technology. *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 43(5), 354-363. <https://doi.org/10.14429/djlit.43.5.19002>. ISSN: 0976-4658.
13. Patel, A. K., Kuri, R. B., Singh, K., Patel, A., & Gadad, R. (2023). Scientific research contribution of Prof. Ivan Gutman: A bio-bibliometric analysis. *International Journal of Library Information Network*, 8(2), 1-20. ISSN 2455-5207. UGC CARE.
14. Kuri, R. B., & Patil, S. S. (2023). Awareness and use of information resources and services among the students of colleges in Belagavi, Karnataka. *International Journal of Research in Library Science*, 9(2), 42-56. <https://doi.org/10.26761/IJRLS.9.2023.1646> ISSN 2455-104X. Peer Reviewed.
15. Kuri, R. B. (2022). An investigation of library automation status in private aided colleges of Belagavi, Karnataka. *KIIT Journal of Library and Information Management*, 9(2), 49-57. <https://doi.org/10.5958/2455-8060.2022.00007.6> ISSN 2348-0858. Peer Reviewed.
16. Patel, A. K., Singh, M., Singh, K., Patel, A. K., Varma, A. K., & Kuri, R. B. (2021). Visualizing publication trends in Webology Journal: A bibliometric review based on the Scopus database (2006-2020). *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 5995. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/5995> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed
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18. Kuri, R. B., Maranna, O., & Tayappa, A. (2020). Bibliometrics analysis of Global Business Review-Journal (GBR) during 2011-2015. *Indian Journal of Library and Information Technology*, 10(4), 19-25. ISSN 2249-8494. Peer reviewed
19. Pradhan, B., Kuri, R. B., Singh, K., Kumar, G. K. T., & Pati, P. K. (2020). Research performance of National Institute of Technology Rourkela: A scientometric analysis. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4397. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4397> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
20. Nayak, S., Singh, K., Kuri, R. B., Pradhan, A., & Parida, D. K. (2020). Exploring the usage pattern of smartphone for academic pursuit: A case study of Utkal University. *Library*

21. Pradhana, B., Kumar, G. K. T., Singh, K., Kuri, R. B., & Singh, M. (2020). A scientometric assessment of the research output of the Sambalpur University during 1990-2019. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4444. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4444> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
22. Singh, M., Kuri, R. B., Kumar, G. K. T., & Singh, K. (2020). Global visibility of open access institutional repositories of SAARC countries: An explorative study. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4451. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4451> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
23. Parida, D. K., Singh, K., Kuri, R. B., Pradhan, A., Kumar, G. K. T., & Singh, M. (2020). Research productivity and visualization of the All-India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) Bhubaneswar during 2012-2019: A scientometric approach. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4639. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4639> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
24. Kuri, R. B., & Singh, M. (2020). Indian institutional repositories (IRs) reflected in the Directory of Open Access Repository (DOAR): A case study. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4640. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4640> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
25. Kuri, R. B., Singh, K., Singh, M., & Patil, S. (2020). Assessment of research productivity of Indian School of Business (ISB), Hyderabad, India. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 4656. <https://digitalcommons.unl.edu/libphilprac/4656> ISSN 1522-0222. Scopus indexed.
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28. Kuri, R. B. (2017). Use of doctoral thesis as a source of information: A study of researchers of Karnataka University, Dharwad. *International Journal of Information Dissemination and Technology*, 7(1), 14-18. ISSN 2229-5984. Peer reviewed
29. Singh, K., & Kuri, R. B. (2017). User's satisfaction with library resources and services: A case study of IIT libraries in India. *International Research: Journal of Library and Information Science*, 7(3), 486-509. ISSN 2249-0213. Peer reviewed.
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37. Kuri, R. B., & Hajje, V. (2014). Citation analysis of Pearl: A Journal of Library and Information Science. *Asian Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies*, 2(9), 80-86. ISSN: 2321-8819. Peer reviewed.
38. Kuri, R. B., & Aihole, S. (2015). Collection development in Rani Channamma University Library: A study. *International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research IJMR*, 4(1)(II), 52-58. ISSN: 2277-9302. Peer reviewed.
39. Kuri, R. B. (2014). Footmarks of LIS journals in DOAJ: An analytical study. *Asian Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies*, 2(5), 80-86. ISSN: 2321-8819. Peer reviewed.
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42. Kuri, R. B. (2012). Facilities and services in JSS Centre for Management Studies Library, SJCE Campus in Mysore: A survey. *Indian Journal of Library and Information Technology*, 2(3). ISSN: 2249-8494. Peer reviewed.
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AUTHOR OF BOOKS, EDITED BOOK, BOOK CHAPTER

1. Contributed as Course Translator, along with Dr. Eshappa Bandi and Dr. Kodandaram, to the KSOU Self-Learning Material (SLM) for BLIDSc 2.4 *Information Systems and Services*, completed on 14th January 2024, with Dr. Umesh serving as Course Translator.
2. Served as a Course Editor, along with Dr. Aditya Kurmari and Dr. Sunilkumar, for the KSOU SLM on MLIDSE 1.2 *Special Libraries*, completed on 29th October 2026.
3. In addition, I co-edited the volume *Comprehensive Resource Management in Libraries* (Bankapur, V. M., Savanur, K., Maranna, O., & Kuri, R., Eds., 2014), the proceedings of the National Seminar held on 5th August 2014 at Rani Channamma University, Belagavi (ISBN: 978-81-929530-7).

WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCE/SEMINAR ORGANIZED

1. Joint-organising secretary for a Four-day workshop on “Research and Publication Ethics” jointly organised by PMEB and the Department of Library and Information Science, RCUB, held from December 16th -17th and 29th and 30th, 2021.
2. Joint-organising Secretary for a One-day national seminar on the Role of Information Technology in disseminating information in the Digital era, organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, RCUB, 12th August 2022.
3. Served as the Joint-organising Secretary for a two-day workshop on “*Research and Publication Ethics*”, jointly organised by the PMEB and the Department of Library and Information Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, held on 11th–12th August 2023.
4. Served as the Co-Course Director for the ICSSR-sponsored ten-day *Research Methodology Course for Ph.D. Scholars* at Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, conducted from 22nd to 31st July 2024.
5. Served as the Joint-organising Secretary for the one-day “*Librarians Conclave*”, jointly organised by the University Library and the Department of Library and Information Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 20th August 2024.

DISSERTATIONS

I have guided several postgraduate students in the Master of Library and Information Science (MLISc) programme at Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, in the preparation and completion of their project dissertations from 2013 to 2025.

2012-2013

1. Reading habits of PG students of Commerce and Management Departments in RCU: A comparative study, by Shivanand Chubachi.
2. Collection development in Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Sunita Aihole (LB111009).
3. Citation analysis of *Pearl: A Journal of Library and Information Science*, by Venugopal D. Hejje.

2013-2014

1. Electronic resource management in Visvesvaraya Technological University: A study, by Vittal Kurubar.
2. Use of journals by the research scholars of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study (LB121009).
3. Comparative study of meta search engines, by Anjana Gouda.
4. Awareness and use of e-resources in Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belgaum: A study, by Jyoti Dodamani.

2014-2015

1. Internet and its use in the Shaikh Engineering and Diploma College, Belagavi: a study, by Allasab Maddinamani (LB131001)
2. Journal of Indian Library Association: A Bibliometric Study, by Savita. S. Palled (LB131013)

2015-2016

1. Use of smartphones as a source of information by the PG students of Rani Chennamma University, Belagavi: A Study, by Basavaraj Janti (LB141024)

2020-2021

1. Awareness and use of Open Educational Resources among the students of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Seema Shankaragouda (LB191009).
2. Research productivity on library consortia: A scientometric study (from 1991 to 2021), by Supriya I. Kalagoudar (LB191011).
3. Library services and facilities in City Central Library of Belagavi: A study, by Shankar S. Rathod (LB191010).

2021-2022

1. User satisfaction with library resources, services, and facilities among the students of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Shaheen Desai (LB201014).
2. Information-seeking behavior among the PG students in the Science discipline of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Tanuja S. Patil (LB201017).
3. Access, awareness, and use of electronic resources in KLE's Dr. M. S. Sheshagiri College of Engineering and Technology, Belagavi: A survey, by Vivekananda Baragali (LB201018).

2022-2023

1. Awareness and perceptions on research and publication ethics among research scholars in Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Pooja Melinamani (P15ZZ21S0073).
2. Digital information-seeking behavior of the students of KLE Society Degree Colleges in Belagavi City, by Sidarayi Naik (P15ZZ21S0081).
3. Usage and awareness of OERs among science students at Rani Channamma University: A study, by Praveen (P15ZZ21S0089).

2023-2024

1. Awareness and utilisation of ICT-enabled library services and facilities among students of Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi: A study, by Namita N. Patil (P15ZZ22S128010).
2. Altmetric analysis of global research trends in lithium-ion batteries: A study, by Panchanath Channametri (P15ZZ22S128013).
3. Information-seeking behaviour among the users of City Central Library, Belagavi: A study, by Praveen Maruthi Karabhari (P15ZZ22S128015).
4. Awareness and usage of Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools among postgraduates of Rani Channamma University, Belagavi: A study, by Mahadevappa Harijan (P15ZZ22S128014).

2024-2025

1. Mapping the research landscape of infectious diseases: A scientometric approach, by Sneha A. Malagi (P15ZZ23S128018).
1. A study on content analysis of library websites of All India Institutes of Medical Sciences, by Deepa S. Bevinakatti (P15ZZ23S128020).
2. Adoption and usage of information and research management tools among postgraduate students: A study at Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, by Umesh S. Goudar (P15ZZ23S128021).
3. Impact of AI generative tools on the use of library resources and services among library users at Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi: A study, by Sushma R. Dodamani (P15ZZ23S128019).
4. A study on evaluating user satisfaction and information source utilisation in the digital library: With special reference to Ravidra Kpushik E-Granthalaya, Belagavi, by Jnaneshwar S. Naik (P15ZZ23S128017).

5. Bibliometric and altmetric analysis of Blue Economy research: A study, by Meghamala A. Chougula (P15ZZ23S128015).
6. Scientometric study on Vacuum Technology, by Harsha S. Konnur (P15ZZ23S128014).

WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCE/SEMINARS ATTENDED

1. Participated in a one-day Faculty Development Workshop and Orientation Programme organized by Rani Channamma University, Belagavi and Postgraduate Teachers Association, RCUB, held on 24th October 2013.
2. Participated in a one-day workshop on "Woman Development Positivity" organized by Women Disparity Cell, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on the occasion of International Women's Day on 29th March 2014.
3. Participated in a two-day workshop on "Data Analytics using Statistical Products and Services (SPSS)" organized by Bharatesh Education Trust Global Business School, Belagavi, on 20th and 21st November 2015.
4. Participated in a one-day workshop on "A Precursor for Quality Assessment" organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on Thursday, 17th March 2016.
5. Participated in a one-day workshop on "Total E-Solutions for Libraries" at Bharatesh Homoeopathic Medical College and Hospital, Belgaum, on 23rd September 2017.
6. Participated in a two-day workshop-cum-training program on "Institutional Digital Repositories" organized by Goa College of Engineering, Farmagudi, Ponda-Goa in collaboration with the National Digital Library of India project, IIT Kharagpur, sponsored by NMEICT, MHRD, Govt of India on 18th and 19th January 2018.
7. Participated in a one-day workshop on "Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF) and Overview" held at Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 24th January 2020.
8. Participated in a one-day workshop "Revitalizing Student Mentoring System in Rani Channamma University" conducted on 4th February 2021 by PMEB, RCU, Belagavi.
9. Participated in the National Conference on Information and Communication Technology in Knowledge Utsav organized by Tumkur University and Jain University, held on 28th August 2010. Paper presented on the Role of Information and Its Management.
10. Participated in the National Level Seminar on Digital Library Management held on 24th December 2011 at SJVP College Autonomous, Harihar, Davanagere District, Karnataka.
11. Participated in the 2nd National Conference on Scientometrics and Knowledge Management organized by Prof. S.S. Basavanal Library, Karnatak University in association with the Institute of Scientometrics and Prof. S.L. Sangam Felicitation Committee, held on 20th and 21st April 2013.
12. Participated in the National Conference on "Emerging Trends in User Expectations for Next-Generation Libraries" held on 24th-26th February 2012 at Dravidian University, Kuppam, Andhra Pradesh. Organized by Andhra Pradesh Library Association and Central Library, Dravidian University. Paper presented on Information Literacy Initiatives in India for Academic Libraries: An Overview.

13. Participated in a training program on Library Automation and Networking for Librarians of Colleges affiliated with Rani Channamma University, held at Bijapur from 9th to 13th April 2012.
14. Participated in a one-day seminar on "Collection Development and Weeding Out Policy in a Changed Environment" organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, Karnatak University, Dharwad, held on 24th March 2012.
15. Participated in the National Conference on "Trends in Developing and Managing e-Resources in Libraries" held at Jnana Sangama, Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi, on 25th and 26th May 2012. Paper presented on Consortia of e-Publishing: A Tool Kit for Indian Libraries.
16. Participated in the National Conference on Libraries and Development: Present and Future organized by Karnataka State Library Association (KALA) on 7th-9th June 2012 at Shravanabelagola, Karnataka.
17. Participated in the International Conference on "Collection Development in the Digital Environment (ICCDDE-2012)" organized by the Madras University Library, University of Madras, held on 29th-30th June 2012. Paper presented on Open Access Initiatives: Some Observations.
18. Participated in the UGC-sponsored National Seminar on "Innovations for Using a Library" organized by KLE Society's SCP Arts and DDS Commerce College, Mahalingpur, in association with Karnatak University College Libraries Association, Hubli, held on 20th October 2012.
19. Participated in the UGC-sponsored National Conference on "Information Products and Services in the e-Environment" organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, on 27th-28th April 2013.
20. Participated in the National Seminar on "The Digital Shift: Making Libraries Relevant for Education and Research" organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, Karnataka State Women's University, Bijapur, in collaboration with Karnataka State Council for Higher Education, Bangalore, held on 6th-7th March 2014.
21. Participated in a one-day National Seminar on "Comprehensive Resource Management in Libraries" organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 25th August 2014.
22. Participated in an Interdisciplinary Seminar on 'Social Movements in Karnataka: Changes and Continuities' organized by the School of Social Sciences, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 13th May 2016.
23. Participated in a two-day National Seminar on "New Directions of Higher Education in India: Issues, Challenges, and Ways Forward" jointly organized by Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, University of Horticulture Sciences, Bagalkot, and RAI Technology University, Bengaluru, on 24th and 25th March 2017.
24. Participated in a one-day National Seminar on "S.R. Ranganathan and His Contributions" organized by the University Library and the Department of Library and Information Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 12th August 2017.
25. Participated in a two-day ICSSR National Conference on "Empowerment of Women through Political Participation, Mobilization, and Organization" organized by the Department of Political Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, on 29th and 30th November 2018.

26. Participated in a NAAC-sponsored one-day seminar on 13th July 2019, edited by Karadur Y.B. and published by the Library and Information Center, STC Arts, Commerce and Science College, Banahatti.
27. Completed the Web of Science Basic Series Seminar organized by Clarivate Analytics on 25th February 2020.
28. Attended an online national conference on “Role of Open Educational Resources in Teaching, Learning, and Research” held on 3rd May 2020 by IQAC and the Department of Library of Shri Pancham Khemraj Mahavidyalaya, Sawantwadi, (MS), University of Mumbai.
29. Attended a national user awareness webinar on the National Digital Library of India held on 7th May 2020 organized by the National Digital Library of India.
30. Attended a webinar on “Technology in Education for NextGen after Covid-19” delivered by Mr. Charles.
31. Attended National conference on Modern Technologies and Services (NCMLTS-2025) held on 28-29 March 2025. Organised by Central Library, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Bengaluru campus.
32. Attended Deshpande Skilling: Bridge to opprotunities, held on 1st and 2nd May 2025, at Deshpande skilling, Hubballi.

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