

Activity Completion Report

Activity Details

Activity Title: 11th Conference of Rajasthan Technical Library Association (RTLA)

Theme: Knowledge Commons: Libraries as Catalysts for Viksit Bharat 2047

Date & Duration of Activity: February 21-22, 2026 (2 Days)

Venue of the Activity: IIHMR University, Jaipur
1, Prabhu Dayal Marg, Near Sanganer Airport, Jaipur, Rajasthan-302029, India

Name of the School: IIHMR University Library / SD Gupta School of Public Health, IIHMR University

Name & Contact Details of the Organiser(s)

Organizing Body:

Rajasthan Technical Library Association (RTLA)
Established: 2010
Registered under: Rajasthan Non-Trading Company Act, 1960
Headquarters: Jaipur

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Event Details & Description

Overview

The 11th Conference of Rajasthan Technical Library Association was an international conference held at IIHMR University, Jaipur, exploring the transformative role of libraries in shaping India's future toward Viksit Bharat 2047. The conference brought together library professionals, academicians, researchers, policymakers, technocrats, and stakeholders from across India and internationally to discuss how libraries can act as catalysts for knowledge generation, dissemination, and innovation.

Conference Objectives

The conference aimed to achieve the following objectives:

1. Explore the role of libraries in promoting knowledge democracy, inclusivity, and sustainable development
2. Discuss strategies for leveraging libraries as catalysts for national progress toward Viksit Bharat 2047
3. Identify best practices and innovative models for library development and services
4. Foster collaboration and partnerships among stakeholders, including government agencies, NGOs, and private sector organizations

Conference Theme and Sub-themes

The overarching theme "Knowledge Commons: Libraries as Catalysts for Viksit Bharat 2047" examined how libraries can evolve into dynamic knowledge commons where space, information, technology, and community amalgamate to foster creativity, inclusion, and long-term progress.

Ten Sub-themes explored during the conference:

1. Libraries as Knowledge Hubs
2. Digital Inclusion and Access
3. Knowledge Creation and Dissemination
4. Community Engagement and Outreach
5. Innovation and Entrepreneurship
6. Preservation of Cultural Heritage
7. Library Policy and Governance
8. Capacity Building and Professional Development
9. Technology and Emerging Trends
10. Partnerships and Collaborations

About Rajasthan Technical Library Association (RTLTA)

Established in 2010 and registered under the Rajasthan Non-Trading Company Act 1960, RTLTA provides a common platform for library professionals to exchange latest updates, share knowledge, improve the quality of library and information centers, and strengthen the welfare of library professionals. The association regularly organizes seminars, thought-provoking discussions, brainstorming sessions, invited lectures, and workshops on contemporary advancements in library sciences.

Conference Activities

Paper Presentations:

- Original contributions based on practice, theoretical and empirical research, case studies on the conference domain and sub-domains
- Blind review process by panel of experts
- Publication of accepted papers in conference proceedings with ISBN

Technical Sessions:

The conference featured multiple technical sessions covering all ten sub-themes with presentations by library professionals, researchers, and academicians from various institutions across India.

Networking and Collaboration:

- Platform for knowledge exchange among library professionals
- Fostering partnerships between academic institutions, government agencies, NGOs, and private organizations
- Professional development opportunities for library staff and students

Publication:

- Conference proceedings published with ISBN
- All accepted papers included after authors' registration and payment of publication fee (Rs. 1000/-)

Registration and Participation

Registration Categories and Fees:

Category	Registration Fee
Working Professionals	Rs. 2,000/-
Research Scholars	Rs. 2,000/-
Students	Rs. 1,000/-

Outcomes and Impact

- Knowledge sharing and professional development for library professionals
- Publication of research papers in conference proceedings with ISBN
- Networking opportunities among library professionals from across India and internationally
- Discussion on innovative library models for supporting Viksit Bharat 2047
- Identification of best practices in library management and services
- Strengthening of partnerships among academic institutions, government agencies, and NGOs
- Enhanced understanding of digital inclusion, knowledge democracy, and sustainable library development
- Platform for discussing emerging technologies and trends in library science
- Recognition of library professionals' contributions through certificate distribution

Participants Details

Total Participants: 88

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