


# CURRICULUM VITAE

## BRIEF INFORMATION

<b>Name</b>	Fayaz Ahmad Lone	
<b>Residence</b>	Harwan Srinagar, J&K, India	
<b>Qualification</b>	Ph.D. (NET)	
<b>Research Papers</b>	72 (in Journals)	
<b>Book Chapters</b>	27 (National & International)	
<b>Ph.D. Guided</b>	4 (Four)	
<b>API Score</b>	1200+ (Category-III only)	
<b>H-Index</b>	18 (eighteen)	
<b>i10-Index</b>	25 (Twenty-Five)	
<b>g-Index</b>	30 (Thirty)	
<b>Citations</b>	957 (November 2023)	
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## QUALIFICATIONS

<b>Ph.D. (KU, 2011)</b>	<i>Impact of Surfing on Reading Habits- A Case Study of the Students of Kashmir Valley</i>
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## ACHIEVEMENTS

BLIS	2 <sup>nd</sup> Topper
MLIS	2 <sup>nd</sup> Topper
Competition	Ranganathan Award Winner (2002)

## CERTIFICATES OF APPRECIATION

<b>Appreciation</b>	Certificate of Appreciation (NIRF)
<b>Appreciation</b>	Certificate of Appreciation (NAAC)
<b>Appreciation</b>	Certificate of Appreciation (Research)

## VALUE ADDED COURSES

<b>Professional</b>	Digital Library and Information Services from UGC (2007) General Course on Intellectual Property from WIPO (2009)
<b>Technical</b>	Diploma in Computer Applications (2010)

## POSTS HELD

<b>University Librarian</b>	University of Kashmir
<b>University Librarian</b>	Islamic University of Science & Technology
<b>Deputy Librarian</b>	University of Kashmir
<b>Assistant Librarian</b>	Central University of Kashmir
<b>Documentation Officer</b>	University of Kashmir
<b>Assistant Librarian</b>	Panjab University, Chandigarh

## ADDITIONAL POSTS HELD

<b>Coordinator</b>	<b>DIQA</b> , University of Kashmir, Srinagar
<b>Coordinator</b>	<b>NAAC-2019</b> , Criteria IV (DIQA, KU)
<b>Coordinator</b>	<b>NIRF- 2020</b> (Placements & Libraries)
<b>Coordinator</b>	<b>NIRF- 2018</b> (Placements & Libraries)
<b>Coordinator</b>	<b>NIRF- 2017</b> (Placements & Libraries)
<b>Nodal Officer</b>	<b>CCAS (KU)</b> [2014-2022] & <b>DIQA (KU)</b>

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

<b>Life Member</b>	Indian Library Association (ILA); Indian Association of Special Libraries and Information Centres (IASLIC) Asian Library Association (ASLA)
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Jammu and Kashmir Library Association (JAKLA)

**UNIVERSITY COMMITTEE**

<b>Chairman/Member/Secretary</b>	Islamic University of Science and Technology (04)
<b>Member/Member Secretary</b>	University of Kashmir (12) (NAAC, NIRF, DIQA, SSS, CCAS)
<b>Member/Member Secretary</b>	Central University of Kashmir (5)

**PROFESSIONAL DUTIES**

**Library Management** Acquisition; Management; Administration, Collection Development, Plagiarism, Innovative Library Services, Electronic Resource Management, eSS Resources and Services, Information Discovery and Delivery, Documentation

**Innovative Concepts in Libraries**

Nobel Laureate Collection, Booker Prize Collection, Field Medal Collection, Reading Day (DEAR), Book Talk, Book on Call, e-Circulation (IR, & Book Chain)

**Services Introduced in Libraries**

Book Bell, JTOCs, MTOCs, CAS, SDI Library Marketing, Meet the Eminent, Research Support Services, Publication Support Services, Electronic Document Delivery Services (EDDS)

**Innovative Concepts in Library Science**

Five Laws of Reading, Pareto 80/20 Rule, Relative Recall Variants, Pure Relative Recall, Real Relative Recall, Partial Relative Recall, Mixed Relative Recall

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

**Research Interests**

Open Access- Resources, Colors, Licenses; Users Studies; Reading Habits; Social Media; Digital Technology; Web Search Tools and Techniques; Research Metrics, *i.e.*, Bibliometrics, Scientometrics, Altmetrics, Impact Factor; h-index; Scholarly Publishing & Predatory Sources

**PUBLICATIONS****Journals papers**

Published (72)

Accepted (2)

Communicated (5)

**Ph.D. Guidance**

Awarded (4)

Ongoing (6)

**Research Projects**

Funded (1)

Non-funded (4)

**Book Chapters**

International (12)

National (10)

**Conference Papers**

International (8)

National (15)

Sessions Chaired (5)

Organized (6)

**Invited Lectures**

HRDC (7)

Others (12)

**Training Programs**

O&amp;R Courses (9)

Workshops (15)

Webinars (26)

**Articles**

Magazines (3)

Newspaper (3)

**Journals**

Reviewer (12)

EBM (2)

**RESEARCH PAPERS**

- 1) **2023:** Loan, F.A., Andrabi, Asif, “Hot Spots of Climate Action Research: Altmetric Attention and Bibliometric Analysis” *Global Knowledge Memory and Communication*. (ISSN 25149342). (**Impact Factor=1.8, CiteScore: 2.9**)
- 2) **2023:** Loan, F.A., Khan, M.A., Andrabi, S.A., Sozia, R., Parray, U.Y. “Giving Life to Dead: Role of WayBack Machine in Recovery of Dead URLs” *Data Technologies and Applications*. (ISSN: 2514-9288). (**Impact Factor= 1.6; CiteScore 4.0**)
- 3) **2023:** Loan, F. A., and Bisma Bashir, “Mapping Global Research Productivity in Expert Systems” *COLLNET Journal of Scientometrics and Information Management*, 17(1), 23-38. (ISSN: 0973–7766 (P) 2168–930X (O)). (**Impact Factor= 1.0**)

- 4) **2023:** Khan, M.A., Loan, F. A. Parray, U. Y. and Sozia Rashid, "Global overview of research data repositories: an analysis of re3data registry" *Information Discovery and Delivery*. 52(1), 53-61 (ISSN 2398-6247) **(CiteScore= 4.4)**
- 5) **2023:** Loan, F. A. and Rabiya Mushtaq, "Pareto 80/20 Rule: A New Principle for Serials Subscription" *Serials Review*, 49(1/2), 10-14. (ISSN 1879-095X), **(Impact Factor= 0.9; CiteScore= 0.9)**
- 6) **2023:** Hussain, M., Syed Uzma Kubravi, & Loan, F. A. "Do Social Networking Sites Enhance the Research Traits of College Students?" *Information Discovery and Delivery*, 51(1), 26-34. (ISSN 2398-6247) **(CiteScore= 4.4)**
- 7) **2023:** Loan, F. A, and Ufaira Yaseen "A Cross-Country Analysis of Nuclear Science and Technology Publications" *Collection and Curation*, 42(1), 34-39. (ISSN 2514-9326) **(CiteScore= 2.1).**
- 8) **2022:** Khan, M.A. & Loan, F.A., "Exploring the reviews of Google Maps to assess the users' opinions about public libraries" *Library Management*, 43(8/9), 601-615 (ISSN 0143-5124) **(CiteScore= 2.3).**
- 9) **2022:** Loan, F.A., Nasreen, N. and Bisma, B., "Do authors play fair or manipulate Google Scholar h-index?" *Library Hi Tech*, 40(3), 676-684. (ISSN 0737-8831) **(Impact Factor: 3.4; CiteScore= 4.9)**
- 10) **2022:** Khan, M.A., Loan, F.A. and Andrabi, S.A. "Web 2.0 applications in Open Access Institutional Repositories of Asian Powers". *DESIDOC Journal of Library and Information Technology*, 42(3), 149-153. (ISSN: 0976-4658) **(Impact Factor: 0.58; CiteScore: 2.0)"**
- 11) **2022:** Loan, F.A., Parray, U.Y., & Khan, M.A., "Performance of Search Engines in Harvesting Grey Literature" *Library Hi Tech News*, 39(2), 21-23. (ISSN 0741-9058) **(CiteScore= 1.8)**
- 12) **2022:** Loan, F. A., and Shah, Ufaira, "Mapping Coronavirus Research: Quantitative and Visualization Approaches" *Library Hi-Tech*, 40(2), 437-453. (ISSN 0737-8831) **(Impact Factor: 3.4; CiteScore= 4.9)**
- 13) **2021:** Adil Bashir, Sameer Gul, Loan, F. A., "Impact of Social Networking Sites on school-going adolescent boys in Kashmir, India" *Library Philosophy and Practice*, (ISSN 1522-0222). **(CiteScore: 0.22).**

- 14) **2021:** Loan, F. A., Bisma Bashir and Nahida Nasreen, “Global research productivity in cybersecurity: A scientometric study” *Global Knowledge, Memory and Communication*, 71(4/5), 342-354 (ISSN 25149342). (**Impact Factor=1.8, CiteScore: 2.9**)
- 15) **2021:** Mufazil Ali, Loan, F.A., “Do Search Engines Display All Search Hits? *Library Philosophy and Practice*, (ISSN 1522-0222). (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 16) **2021:** Loan, F. A., Bisma Bashir and Nahida Nasreen, “Applied artificial intelligence: A Bibliometric study of an international journal” *COLLNET Journal of Scientometrics and Information Management*, 15(1), 27–45 (ISSN: 0973–7766 (P) 2168–930X (O)). (**Impact Factor= 1.0**)
- 17) **2021:** Rabiya Mushtaq and Loan, F. A., “Research Productivity of India and Iran in Stomach Cancer: A Bibliometric Study” *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)* (ISSN 1522-0222). (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 18) **2021:** Loan, F. A., and Nahida Nasreen, “The Five Laws of Reading” *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)* (ISSN 1522-0222). (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 19) **2021:** Manzoor Hussain, Syed Uzma Kubravi and Loan, F.A. “Use and Impact of Social Networking Sites on Reading Habits of College Students” *Library Philosophy and Practice*, 2021. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 20) **2020:** Loan, F. A. and Shah, Ufaira Yaseen “Global Electronic Thesis and Dissertation Repositories: Language Diversity and Management Issues” *Insights*, 33(22): 1-10. (ISSN 2048-7754) (**CiteScore: 1.86**)
- 21) **2020:** Loan, F. A, and Shah, Ufaira Yaseen. “The Decay and Persistence of Web References.” *Digital Library Perspectives*, 36(2): 157-166. (ISSN 2059-5816) (**CiteScore: 3.2**)
- 22) **2020:** Bisma Bashir, Nahida Nasreen; and Loan, F. A. “Bibliographic Mapping of Open Access Google Books on Peace and War” *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*. 7170. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 23) **2019:** Nahida Nasreen, Bisma Bashir, and Loan, F.A. “World Digital Library: An Analysis of Collection.” *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*. 2606. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore: 0.16**).

- 24) **2019:** Ufaira Yaseen Shah, and Loan, F. A. "Open Access E-Books in Social Sciences: A Case Study of the DOAB" *Pearl Journal of Library and Information Science*, 13(2): 101-106. ISSN: 09737081.
- 25) **2019:** Bisma Bashir, Nahida Nasreen; and Loan, F. A. "National Digital Library of India: An Overview" (2019), *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*. 2601. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore: 0.16**).
- 26) **2018:** Loan, F. A., Rabiya Mushtaq. "Open Access Digital Repositories in India and China: A Comparative Study" *Journal of Indian Library Association*, 54(4): 195-204.
- 27) **2018:** Loan, F. A., and Sheikh, S. "Is Google Scholar Really Scholarly?" *Library Hi-Tech News*, 35(3), 7-9. (ISSN 0741-9058) (**CiteScore= 1.8**)
- 28) **2018:** Loan, F. A. and Refhat-un-nisa "Research Output on Terrorism by India and Pakistan: A Bibliometric Study" *Collection and Curation*, 37(3), 134-139 (ISSN 0160-4953) (**CiteScore= 2.1**).
- 29) **2018:** Loan, F. A. and Shah, U. Y. "Open Access E-Books in the field of Health Sciences: A Scientometric Study of the Directory of Open Access Books" *International Journal of Information Science and Management*, 16(2), 91-100. (ISSN 2008-8310) (**CiteScore= 0.6**)
- 30) **2017:** Loan, F. A., and Refhat-un-nisa "Survey of the Literature Reading Habits and Preferences of Adolescents: A Study of a Public School in India" *LIBRES*, 27(2), 80-96. (ISSN 1058-6768) (**CiteScore= 0.7**)
- 31) **2017:** Loan, F. A. "The Journal of Central Asian Studies- A Bibliometric Study," *The Journal of Central Asian Studies*, 24, 197-208. (ISSN 0975-086X)
- 32) **2017:** Lone, F. A. and Manzoor Hussain, "Gender Variations in Research Productivity: Insights from Scholarly Research" *Library Philosophy and Practice*, 2017. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore= 0.16**).
- 33) **2017:** Rabiya Mushtaq, Loan, F. A. and Mufazil Ali "Open Access Health and Medicine Journals- An Informative Study" *Webology*, 14(2), 90-100. (ISSN 1735-188X) (**CiteScore= 0.67**)
- 34) **2016:** Loan, F. A., and Sheikh Shueb. "Analytical Study of the Open Access Health and Medical Repositories," *The Electronic Library*, 34(3); 419-434 (ISSN 0264-0473) Emerald Group Publishing Limited, UK (**Impact Factor: 1.9; CiteScore: 3.9**)

- 35) **2015:** Loan, F. A., and Refhat-un-nisa, "Open Access E-books in Science and Technology: A Case Study of Directory of Open Access Books" *DESIDOC Journal of Library & Information Technology*, 35(4), 304-309. (ISSN: 0976-4658) (**Impact Factor: 0.58; CiteScore 2.0**)
- 36) **2015:** Loan, F. A., Refhat-un-nisa, and Asmat Ali, "A Quantitative Analysis of the Open Access Business and Economics Journals" *Brazilian Journal of Information Science, Research Trends*, 9(1). (ISSN: 1981-1640 - DOI 10.5016/1981-1640)
- 37) **2014:** Loan, F. A. "Open Access Journals in the Field of Education: An Informative Study," *World Digital Libraries*, 7(2), 123-132. (ISSN 0974-567X)
- 38) **2014:** Loan, F. A. "Open Access Digital Repositories in Asia: Current Status and Future Prospects" *International Journal of Information Science and Management*, 12 (2), 35-45 (ISSN 2008-8310) (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 39) **2014:** Loan, F. A., and Reyaz Rufai "Myth and Reality of the Google Search Results in Terms of Count Estimation," *International Journal of Information Dissemination and Technology*, 4(2), 101-105. (ISSN 2229-5984)
- 40) **2012:** Loan, F. A. "Impact of Internet surfing on reading practices and choices" *Webology*, 9(1). (ISSN 1735-188X) (**CiteScore = 0.67**)
- 41) **2011:** Loan, F. A. "The Digital Divide among the College Students of Kashmir, India" *IFLA Journal*, 37(3), 211-217. (ISSN 0340-0352). (**Impact Factor: 1.3; CiteScore:1.9**)
- 42) **2011:** Loan, F. A. "Reading and Library Usage Habits of the College Students," *International Journal of Information Research*, Vol. 1(1), 70-82. (ISSN 2249-8192)
- 43) **2011:** Loan, F. A. "Internet Use by the Rural and Urban College Students: A Comparative Study" in "*DESIDOC Journal of Library and Information Technology*" 31(6), 431-436. (ISSN: 0976-4658) (**Impact factor= 0.58; CiteScore 2.0**)
- 44) **2011:** Loan, F.A. "Gender Variability in Internet Use of the College Students" *Journal of Society in Kashmir*, 1, 156-164. (ISSN:2249-667X)
- 45) **2011:** Loan, F.A. "Reading Habits of Rural & Urban College Students in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century" *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*, 2011. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore: 0.22**).
- 46) **2011:** Loan, F.A. "Internet Use by the College Students across Disciplines: A Study" *Annals of Library and Information Studies*, 58(2), 118-127. (0972-5423) (**Impact factor= 0.74; CiteScore= 0.30**)



- 47) **2011:** Loan, F.A. “Open Access e-book Collection on Central Asia in Selected Digital Archives” *Collection Building*, 30(3), 126-130, Emerald Group Publishing Limited (ISSN 0160-4953) (**CiteScore = 0.43**)
- 48) **2010:** Shafi, S.M. & Loan, F.A. “Reading habits among college students of Kashmir across genders” *Trends in Information Management*, 6(2), pp. 92-103. (ISSN 0973-4163)
- 49) **2008:** Lone, F.A., Rather, R.A. & Shah, G.J. “Indian Contribution to Open Access Literature: A case study of DOAJ & OpenDOAR,” *Chinese Librarianship: An International Electronic Journal*, 26, 2008. (ISSN 1089-4667)
- 50) **2008:** Rather, R.A., Lone, F.A. & Shah, G. J. “Overlap in Web Search Results: A study of five Search Engines,” *Library Philosophy and Practice*, 2008. (ISSN 1522-0222) (**CiteScore= 0.16**)
- 51) **2006:** Rather, R. A., Jan, R. & Loan, F.A. “Search Engine Coverage of Open Access Resource Corpus in the field of Biotechnology,” *Trends in Information Management*, 2(1), 1-8. (ISSN 0973-4163).

#### ACCEPTED PAPERS

- 1) **2022:** Loan, F. A., Kubravi, S.U., Hussain, M., Dar, J.A., and Aadil, B. “Do Social Networking Sites Help in Interactive and Collaborative Learning of College Students?” *Library Herald*.

#### COMMUNICATED PAPERS

- 1) **2023:** Parray, U.Y., Loan, F.A., Khan, “Cloned Journals: A Deadly Virus in Scholarly Communication” *Learned Publishing*.
- 2) **2023:** Loan, F.A., Ali, M. “Discovering the Novelty and Noise Ratio in Search Engines” *Kelpro Bulletin*.
- 3) **2023:** Loan, F.A., Ali, M. “Evaluating the information retrieval performance of academic search engines using new variants of precision and recall” *World Digital Libraries*.

## PH.D. GUIDANCE

### A. AWARDED

- 1) **2023:** Mufazil Ali “Information Retrieval Performance of Search Tools on Central Asia in Political Science and Economics: An Evaluative Study.” Registration No. 39403-A-2007; Date of Registration 01-04-2016; Date of Award 28-04-2023.
- 2) **2022:** Syed Uzma Kubravi “Role of Social Networking Sites in Academic Performance of College Students: A Case Study of Srinagar District”. Registration No. 547083-W-2009; Date of Registration 22-05-2017; Date of Award 07-10-2022.
- 3) **2022:** Ufaira Yaseen “Mapping Nuclear Science and Technology Research in India and China- A Scientometric Study” Registration No. 54783-W-2009; Date of Registration 13-03-2017; Date of Award 09-06-2022.
- 4) **2020:** Rabiya Mushtaq “Research Productivity of the Medical Scientists in Oncology: A Scientometric Study of India and Iran”. Registration No. 55346-W-2009; Date of Registration 01-04-2016; Date of Award 16-12-2020.

### B. PHD (ONGOING)

- 1) **2020:** Aasif Mohammad Khan “An Evaluation of Major Indian Universities using Google Maps Reviews with Special Focus on Libraries” Registration No. 39505-SP-2013, Date of Registration October 27, 2020.
- 2) **2020:** Umer Yousuf Parray “Visibility and Impact of Predatory Publications in Scholarly World- A Case Study of Indian Journals” Registration No. 9564-KUL-2012, Date of Registration October 27, 2020.
- 3) **2020:** Sozia Rashid “Gender Disparity in Academic Leadership and Research Productivity among Indian Scientists: A Case Study of IITs” Registration No. 61264-W-2012, Date of Registration October 27, 2020.
- 4) **2020:** Syed Aasif Ahmad Andrabi “Altmetric Analysis of Indian Scholarly Publications in Global Context: A Case Study of Medical Sciences” Registration No.2482-PRP-2014, Date of Registration October 27, 2020.
- 5) **2019:** Nahida Nasreen “Digital Technology and Changing Reading Habits of Students of Higher Secondary Level - A Case Study of Srinagar” Registration No. 61274-W-2012, Date of Registration 28-12-2018.

- 6) **2019:** Bisma Bashir “Mapping Research Productivity in Artificial Intelligence: A Scientometric Study of India and China” Registration No. 61328-W-2012, Date of Registration 28-12-2018.

### BOOK CHAPTERS

- 1) **2024:** Loan, F. A. and Ufaira Yaseen, “*Evidence-Based Acquisition in Library Consortia with special reference to One Nation One Subscription*” in “*Futuristic Vision and Technology for Innovative Libraries*” edited by Rajesh Singh, & Shiva Kanaujia Sukula, Canada: Society Pub., 2024. (ISBN: 9781774699577).
- 2) **2022:** Aasif Mohammad Khan, Aasif Mohammad Mir and Loan, F. A., “*Public Perceptions about Baba Mastnath University: An Analysis of Google Maps Reviews*” in “*Emerging Trends in Library and Information Science During Covid Era*” Haryana: Amba Publishers, pp. 1-10. (ISBN: 978-81-952920-9-7).
- 3) **2021:** Nahida Nasreen and Loan, F. A., “*Reading Assistive Technologies for Visually Impaired*” in “*Changing Information Landscape: Rediscovering Libraries*” edited by Tariq Ashraf et al. New Delhi: Academic Publication, pp. (ISBN: 978-93-83931-77-4).
- 4) **2019:** Bisma Bashir, Loan, F. A. and Nahida Nasreen, “*Application of Web 2.0 Technologies in the selected Indian and Foreign Universities*” in “*Transcending Technology: A Cognitive Learning Towards Artificial Intelligence*”, edited by Prof. Ranbir Singh, Prof. Vijay Kumar & Prof. Paramjit Jaswal, New Delhi: Satyam, pp. 215-222. (ISBN 9789383043286)
- 5) **2019:** Nahida Nasreen, Loan, F. A. and Bisma Bashir, “*Mobile Apps of Digital Libraries: A Comparative Study of WDL and NDLI*” in “*Transcending Technology: A Cognitive Learning Towards Artificial Intelligence*,” edited by Prof. Ranbir Singh, Prof. Vijay Kumar & Prof. Paramjit Jaswal. New Delhi: Satyam, pp. 277-87. (ISBN 9789383043286)
- 6) **2019:** Ufaira Yaseen and Loan, F. A., “*Indian Contribution to Nuclear Medicine Research: A Scientometric Study*” in “*Transcending Technology: A Cognitive Learning towards Artificial Intelligence*”, edited by Prof. Ranbir Singh, Prof. Vijay Kumar & Prof. Paramjit Jaswal. New Delhi: Satyam Books, pp.701-712. (ISBN 9789383043286)

- 7) **2019:** Rabiya Mushtaq and Loan, F. A., “*Trends of Ovarian Cancer Research in India and Iran*” in “Challenges in Library and Information Services: Strategies and Tools.” Agra: University Prakashan. pp. 286-298. (ISBN 9788193416297)
- 8) **2018:** Bisma Bashir and Loan F.A. “*MOOCs- A Case Study of the SWAYAM Platform*” in the proceedings of the 3rd International Conference of Asian Libraries “Building Smart Libraries: Changes, Challenges, Issues and Strategies” New Delhi: Asian Library Association, pp. 155-162 (ISBN 9788193482513).
- 9) **2018:** Nahida Nasreen and Loan F. A. “*Electronic Sources and Services in the Selected Indian University Libraries: A Comparative Study*” in the proceedings of the 3rd International Conference of Asian Libraries “Building Smart Libraries: Changes, Challenges, Issues and Strategies” New Delhi: Asian Library Association, pp. 397-408 (ISBN 9788193482513).
- 10) **2018:** Nelofar Jan, Loan, F.A. and Ufaira, Y. “*Digital Repositories in Technology: An Analytical Study*” in the proceedings of the 3rd International Conference of Asian Libraries “Building Smart Libraries: Changes, Challenges, Issues and Strategies” New Delhi: Asian Library Association, pp. 409-416 (ISBN 9788193482513).
- 11) **2018:** Mufazil Ali, Loan, F. A. and Rabiya Mushtaq “Open Access Scientific Digital Repositories- An Analytical Study of the OpenDOAR” in Proceedings of the IEEE 5th International Symposium Emerging Trends and Technologies in Libraries and Information Services” edited by Sanjay Kataria et al. India: IEEE, 219-222. (ISBN 9781538608272)
- 12) **2018:** Ufaira, Y., Loan, F. A. and Nelofar Jan “Open Access Legal Studies Journals in DOAJ: An Analytical Study” in Proceedings of the IEEE 5th International Symposium Emerging Trends and Technologies in Libraries and Information Services” edited by Sanjay Kataria et al. India: IEEE, 223-226. (ISBN 9781538608272)
- 13) **2017:** Loan. F. A., Rabiya Mushtaq, Refhat-un-Nisa “*Human Knowledge Transfer Cycle: An Introduction*” in “Knowledge Organization, Access, and Management in the Digital Environment: Emerging Dimensions” edited by Ramesh Babu et al. New Delhi: ABP, pp.52-59. (ISBN: 9789352916719).

- 14) **2016:** Loan. F.A. “*E-Books in Libraries: Opportunities and Challenges*” in the proceedings of the 5<sup>th</sup> Library and Information Professionals Summit “*From Ownership to Access: Leveraging the Digital Paradigm,*” edited by Debal C Kar, New Delhi: Excel Pub. pp. 139-144 (ISBN-9789382059462).
- 15) **2015:** Loan. F.A. “*Information Retrieval Efficiency of Search Engines: An Experimental Study on ETDs*” in the proceedings of the 18<sup>th</sup> ETD International Symposium on Electronic Theses and Dissertations “*Evolving Genre of ETDs for Knowledge Discovery,*” edited by Ramesh Chandra Gaur, New Delhi: Excel Pub. pp. 240-247 (ISBN 9789384869847).
- 16) **2013:** Loan, F. A. “*Evaluation Criteria for Judging the Quality of Online Information*” in “*Cutting Edge Technologies and Academic Librarianship*” edited by Anna Kaushik and Nirmal Kumar Swain, New Delhi: Ess Ess Pub., pp. 347-355 (ISBN 9788170007135)
- 17) **2012:** Loan, F. A. “*Use of SMS and E-mail in Current Awareness Services: A Practical Approach*” in “*Knowledge Management in Digital Libraries*” edited by Dinesh Kumar and Arjun Gupta, New Delhi: Gyan Pub., pp. 305-310 (ISBN 9788178359182).
- 18) **2012:** Loan, F. A. “*Contemporary Approach to Preservation of Digital Information*” in “*Electronic Age Librarianship,*” edited by D. K., Swain, New Delhi: Ane Books, pp.200-206 (ISBN: 9789381162477).
- 19) **2012:** Loan, F. A. “*Reading versus Surfing: Battle for Supremacy*” in “*Advancement in Library and Information Science,*” edited by Vaishali Khaparde, New Delhi: Ess Ess Pub., pp. 81-100, (ISBN 9788170006602).
- 20) **2012:** Loan, F. A. “*Full-text E-book Collection on Terrorism in Google Books*” in “*Trends and Development in Library and Information Science*” edited by Rishi Tiwari et al. New Delhi: Zenith Pub. pp. 155-162 (ISBN 9788190953917).
- 21) **2011:** Loan, F. A. “*Library Visibility on the Web: A Case Study of the Indian University Libraries*” in the proceedings of 24<sup>th</sup> IASLIC Conference *Library Vision 2020*, edited by Pijushkanti Panigrahi, Kolkata: IASLIC, pp. 265-272 (ISSN 09723668).
- 22) **2011:** M. Hanief Bhat & Fayaz A Loan “*Institutional Repositories: Functions, Services and Challenges*” in “*Digitization of Libraries: Challenges of ICT Skills to LIS*”

Professionals” edited by V. N. Babu, K. S. R. Vithal, B. Sathaiah and N. R. Naik, Hyderabad: University Library Teacher’s Association, pp. 65-86 (ISBN 81860732591)

- 23) **2010:** Loan, F. A. “*Internet Usage Habits of the Second Generation College Students*” in Proceedings of the “*Emerging Technologies and Changing Dimensions of Libraries and Information Services*” edited by Sanjay Kataria, New Delhi: KBD Pub. pp. 190-194. (ISBN 9788190799911)
- 24) **2010:** Loan, F. A. “*Mastering the Web search: Tools, Techniques, and Tips for Users*” in “Confetti of Thoughts on Library and Information Studies” edited by S. Humayoon Kabir and K.G. Sudhier, New Delhi: Author Press, pp. 273-290, (ISBN 978-81-7273-558-6).
- 25) **2009:** Loan, F. A. “*Growth and Development of the Internet in India with special reference to Kashmir Valley,*” in Proceedings of the National Convention *Knowledge Resources in India with Special Reference to J&K State* organised by Allama Iqbal Library, the University of Kashmir, Srinagar from 11-13 May 2009, pp. 134-142 (ISBN 9788190908825)

#### CHAired A SESSION IN CONFERENCES/SEMINARS

- 1) **2023:** Chaired a session in the International Seminar of Academic Libraries, “*Transforming Academic Libraries: Evolution, Innovation, Quality and Transfiguration,*” by Delhi University, April 5-8, 2023.
- 2) **2022:** Chaired a session in the National Seminar “*Open Science, Open Access and IEEE Xplore*” organised by Allama Iqbal Library, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, on September 29, 2022
- 3) **2022:** Chaired a session in the National Seminar “*Changing Dimensions of Scholarly Communication and Role of Libraries to Attain Inclusive Knowledge Society*” organised by the *Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir,* from September 06-07, 2022.
- 4) **2019:** Chaired a session in the National Seminar “*Emerging Frontiers of Digital Libraries (2019) - Seamless Access and Interoperability of Digital Platforms*” organised by the

Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on March 18-19, 2019.

- 5) **2018:** Chaired a session at the 3rd International Conference of Asian Libraries, "*Building Smart Libraries: Changes, Challenges, Issues and Strategies,*" organised by the Centre University of Kashmir in collaboration with the Asian Library Association, New Delhi, on August 6-8, 2018.

#### INVITED LECTURES DELIVERED IN WORKSHOPS

- 1) **2024:** Delivered a lecture on "*Online and Digital Education: Ensuring Equitable Use of Technology in the light of NEP-2020 with special focus on Information*" in the Four Days Training Programme on "Implementation of National Education Policy-2020 in J&K" organised by Jammu and Kashmir Institute of Management and Public Administration on January 9-12, 2024.
- 2) **2023:** Delivered a lecture on "*Plagiarism Penalties in the light of UGC Regulations-2018*" in the one-week Research Methodology Workshop organised by the University of Kashmir on Dec. 20, 2023.
- 3) **2023:** Delivered a lecture on "*Predatory, Hijacked and Cloned Journals: Identification and Evaluation*" in the one-day workshop "Academic Performance Indicators" organised by the Islamic University of Science and Technology on Dec. 18, 2023.
- 4) **2023:** Delivered a lecture on "*Internet Searching: Treasures: Tools, and Tips*" in the five-day orientation course "IT/Computer Techniques -An Orientation Course for Library Professionals" by Jammu and Kashmir Institute of Management and Public Administration on Oct. 19, 2023.
- 5) **2023:** Delivered a lecture on "*Innovative Services for Developing Reading Culture among Students in School Libraries*" in the five days orientation course "Management Skills for Library Professionals" by Jammu and Kashmir Institute of Management and Public Administration on May 10, 2023.
- 6) **2022:** Delivered a lecture on "*Scientific Writing and Publishing*" in the Refresher Course in Sciences by HRDC, University of Kashmir, on December 14, 2022.

- 7) **2022:** Delivered a lecture on “*Manuscript Writing for Scholarly Journals: Rejections and Remedies*” organised by the Kerala Library Professionals' Organization (KELPRO) on March 20, 2022.
- 8) **2022:** Delivered a lecture on “*Methods of Data Collection in Social Science Research*” in the workshop on “Research Methodology” organised by Shahi-i-Hamdan Institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir, on June 27, 2022.
- 9) **2021:** Delivered a lecture on “*Open Access: Initiatives, Impact and Evaluation*” in the workshop on “Research Methodology” organised by the Central University of Kashmir on November 15, 2021.
- 10) **2021:** Delivered a lecture on “*Plagiarism: Causes, Effects, and Possible Solutions*” in the Refresher Course organised by HRDC, University of Kashmir, on November 4, 2021.
- 11) **2018:** Delivered a lecture on “*Mendeley-A Reference & Information Management Tool*” in the Workshop on “Research Methodology” organised by the Department of Social Work, University of Kashmir, on May 12, 2018.
- 12) **2018:** Delivered a lecture on “*Plagiarism & Research Writing*” in the Workshop on “Research Methodology,” organised by the Department of Social Work, University of Kashmir, on May 10, 2018.
- 13) **2017:** Delivered a lecture on “*Plagiarism in Research: Detection Tools and Their Limitations*” in the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Jammu on February 13, 2017.
- 14) **2016:** Delivered a lecture on “*Research Ethics, Academic Dishonesty, and Plagiarism*” in the Special Winter School (Refresher Course) organised by the UGC Human Resource Development Centre, University of Kashmir, on February 23, 2016.
- 15) **2015:** Delivered a lecture on “*Impact of the Internet on Education and Society*” in the 68<sup>th</sup> General Orientation Course organised by the UGC Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir, on May 20, 2015.
- 16) **2015:** Delivered a lecture on “*Digital Archives: Treasures across Borders*” in the 67<sup>th</sup> General Orientation Course organised by the UGC Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir, on January 21, 2015.



- 17) **2014:** Delivered a lecture on "*World Wide Web: An Ocean of Open Access Information*" in the 66<sup>th</sup> General Orientation Course organised by the UGC Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir, on October 17, 2014.
- 18) **2008:** Delivered a lecture, "*Internet- Positives and Negatives,*" in the *Internet Literacy* Workshop organised by the CCAS, University of Kashmir, from November 10-15, 2008.
- 19) **2008:** Delivered a lecture, "*Internet- Sources and Services,*" in the *Internet Literacy* Workshop organised by CCAS, University of Kashmir, Srinagar from Nov. 10-15, 2008.

#### **PAPERS PRESENTED IN CONFERENCES/SEMINARS**

- 1) **2023:** Presented a paper entitled "*Evidence-Based Acquisition for Library Consortia with special reference to "One Nation, One Subscription"*" in the International Seminar of Academic Libraries "Transforming Academic Libraries: Evolution, Innovation, Quality and Transfiguration" organised by the Delhi University April 5-8, 2023.
- 2) **2022:** Presented a paper entitled "*Are Libraries Relevant in the Internet Age?*" in the National Seminar "Changing Dimensions of Scholarly Communication and Role of Libraries to Attain Inclusive Knowledge Society" organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on September 6-7, 2022.
- 3) **2022:** Presented a paper entitled "*Application of Online Reviews in Improving the Service Quality of Libraries*" in the National Seminar "Changing Dimensions of Scholarly Communication and Role of Libraries to Attain Inclusive Knowledge Society" organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on September 6-7, 2022.
- 4) **2019:** Presented a paper entitled "*Precision and Recall of Academic Search Engines- An Evaluative Study of CORE and BASE*" in the National Seminar "Emerging Frontiers of Digital Libraries (2019) - Seamless Access and Interoperability of Digital Platforms" organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on March 18-19, 2019.
- 5) **2018:** Presented a paper entitled "*Training and Development Opportunities among the Library Professionals of the University Libraries in J&K- An Assessment*" at the Ist

International Conference on Recent Developments in Science, Humanities and Management-2018” organised by Cluster University, Kashmir on 17-18 April 2018.

- 6) **2017:** Presented a paper entitled “*Open Access Tools for Teaching and Research*” in the National Workshop “Open Access Platforms for Research” organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, on 15-03-2017.
- 7) **2017:** Presented a paper entitled “*Gender Differences in Research Outcomes: A Case Study of Central Asian Studies*” in the 2-Day National Seminar “Gender Equality and Social Inclusion in Contemporary India: Issues and Challenges” by the Department of Sociology, the University of Kashmir from 09-10 March 2017.
- 8) **2017:** Presented a paper entitled “*Business Models of Open Access Journals*” at the National Conference on Future of Libraries: Trends, Issues, and Challenges organised by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Jammu, on Feb 10-11, 2017.
- 9) **2016:** Presented a paper entitled “*Social Media and the Conflicts in the Muslim World,*” an International Conference on “Changing Political Landscape in the Muslim World,” organised by Scientific Studies Association (ILEM) Turkey, Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI), New Delhi Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir on September 5-7, 2016.
- 10) **2015:** Presented a paper entitled “*Open Access Electronic Theses and Dissertations: Opportunities, Issues and Challenges*” in the 18<sup>th</sup> ETD International Symposium on Electronic Theses and Dissertations “*Evolving Genre of ETDs for Knowledge Discovery,*” Networked Digital Library Theses and Dissertations, (NDLTD), USA and Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi from November 04-06, 2015.
- 11) **2015:** Presented a paper entitled “*Internet Surveillance and Censorship in China*” at the International Conference “*Literary Legacy of Indo-Central Asia, Afghanistan, and Iran*” organised by the BEDIL International Foundation, New Delhi, in collaboration with the Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir from March 31-April 2, 2015.
- 12) **2015:** Presented a paper entitled “*Identity Crises of Library and Information Professionals*” in the National Seminar “*Issues Related to the Library and Information Science Profession in the North-Western Region of India*” organised by the Department of

Library and Information Science in collaboration with Allama Iqbal Library, University of Kashmir from March 24-25, 2015.

- 13) **2014:** Presented a paper entitled “*Managing Information Crises in the Newly Establishing Libraries*” in the “*National Symposium on Perspectives on Metrics-based Research Evaluation*” organised by the DLIS, University of Kashmir from March 10 – 12, 2014.
- 14) **2012:** Presented a paper entitled “*Copyright Protection in Digital Revolution*” at the National Conference *Emerging Frontiers of Digital Libraries: Perspectives, Empowerment and Advocacy (2011-12)* organised by the DLIS, University of Kashmir from March 13 – 14, 2012.
- 15) **2009:** Presented and published a paper entitled “*Impact of New Technology on Reading Habits: A Glimpse on World Literature*” in the National Seminar on *Role of School Libraries in Quality Education* organised by the Division of Library, Documentation and Information (DLDI), NCERT, New Delhi from Feb. 10-11, 2009.

#### PROGRAMS COORDINATED/DIRECTED

- 1) **2023:** Organized/Directed Webinar “*Academic Performance Indicators*” at the Islamic University of Science and Technology on December 18, 2023.
- 2) **2023:** Organized/Directed One Day Training Program in collaboration with IEEE Xplore Digital Library “*IEEE-ASPP: Awareness, Access and Impact*” on September 21, 2023, at the Islamic University of Science and Technology.
- 3) **2023:** Organized/Directed Meet the Expert program at the Islamic University of Science and Technology. *Prof. Nisar Ali* was invited as an eminent expert.
- 4) **2023:** Organized/Directed Meet the Eminent program at the Islamic University of Science and Technology. *Hon’ble Justice Bashir Ahmad Kirmani* was the invited eminent scholar.
- 5) **2023:** Organized/Directed Webinar “*Publishing in Academic Journals*” at the Islamic University of Science and Technology. Prof Mike Thelwall from The University of Sheffield, UK, was invited to deliver a lecture.

- 6) **2022:** Organized/Directed National Seminar on “*IEEE Xplore Digital Library (ASPP Online: Delivering Research Better Than Ever*” organised by Rumi Library, Islamic University of Science and Technology, Kashmir on December 22, 2022.
- 7) **2022:** Coordinated National Seminar on “*Kashmiri Philosophers and Indian Knowledge System*” by the Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir, in collaboration with the Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) on July 05, 2022.
- 8) **2022:** Coordinated National Webinar on “*Manuscript Writing for Scholarly Journals*” in collaboration with the Kerala Library Professionals' Organization (KELPRO) on March 20, 2022.
- 9) **2020:** Coordinated National Workshop/Webinar on “*Research Ethics and Plagiarism*” in collaboration with the Government Degree College Dooru on August 20, 2020.
- 10) **2019:** Coordinated National Conference on “*Contribution of Sufis and Saints to Composite Culture of Jammu & Kashmir*” by the Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir, in collaboration with the Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) on March 23-24, 2019.
- 11) **2018:** Coordinated National Conference on “*Peoples Movements and Good Governance with Special Reference to J&K*” by the National Alliance for Peoples' Movement, India and Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on 3-12-2018.
- 12) **2008:** Coordinated a week-long workshop on “*Internet Literacy*” in the Centre of Central Asian Studies (CCAS), University of Kashmir, from November 10-15, 2008, and performed duties of *Co-ordinator and Technical Expert* in the workshop.

#### **ORIENTATION AND REFRESHER COURSES**

- 1) **2021:** Attended One Week AICTE sponsored online Training Programme for Librarians on “*Library: A Pantry of Research Tools and Sources*” organised by Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar Library, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar from December 13-18, 2021.
- 2) **2021:** Attended One Week Faculty Development Programme on “*Academic Administration*” organised by the Ramanujan College, Delhi University from August 03-09, 2021.

- 3) **2021:** Attended Two-week Inter-Disciplinary Faculty Development Programme “*Managing Online Classes & Co-creating MOOCS 5.0*” organised by the Ramanujan College, Delhi University, from May 11- 25, 2021.
- 4) **2020:** Attended Two Day Online Workshop on “*Basic Computer Concepts*” organised by the Sheikh Computers Association Technology, J&K, on 16-17 May 2020.
- 5) **2019:** Attended a one-week Interdisciplinary “*Workshop on MOOCs, E-content Development and Open Educational Resources*” organised by the Human Resource Development Centre, University of Kashmir, from June 18- 24, 2019.
- 6) **2017:** Attended “*Refresher Course in the Library and Information Science*” organised by Human Resource Development Centre, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, from September 07- 27, 2017.
- 7) **2014:** Attended “*Refresher Course in the Library and Information Science*” organised by Academic Staff College, University of Jammu, from February 17 to March 09, 2014.
- 8) **2011:** Attended “*General Orientation Course*” organised by Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir from November 21-December 24, 2011.
- 9) **2009:** Attended General course on “*Research Methodology*” organised by the Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir from April 20- May 30, 2009.

#### VALUE ADDED COURSES

- 1) **2024:** Completed three-part “Web of Science Certification Program” series organised by the Web of Science in February 2024.
- 2) **2023:** Completed three-part “Web of Science Certification Program” series organised by the Web of Science in February 2023.
- 3) **2022:** Attended Three Days Online LTC 2022 on “*Research Data Management and Stewardship: Building Blocks of Open Science*” by Somaiya Vidyavihar University in collaboration with Informatics, India, on April 28- 30, 2022.
- 4) **2021:** Attended Three Days Online NAELIN 2021 on “*The Future Ready Libraries and Librarians: Thinking the Unthinkable*” by the DELNET from December 6-8, 2021.
- 5) **2020:** Attended One National Virtual Workshop on “*Innovative Library Services*” by the Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities & Commerce Sainikpuri, Secunderabad & MasterSoft ERP on November 12, 2020.

- 6) **2020:** Attended Three Days of Virtual Workshops on “*Publishing Ethics and Research Methodology*” by the Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Central Library, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, from August 12th - 14th, 2020.
- 7) **2020:** Attended Three Days Virtual Workshops on “*Research Writing Effectively, Efficiently & Expeditiously: Exploring Advance Features of MS Word*” organised by the Khalsa College for Women, Ludhiana, from July 23-25, 2020.
- 8) **2020:** Attended SLA Asian Chapter International Webinar “*Human Resources in Library Profession in the Digital Era*” organised by the Indian Institute of Technology, New Delhi, in collaboration with the Special Library Association-Asia on May 23, 2020.
- 9) **2015:** Attended a 1-day Workshop on the “*RTI Capacity Building Programme*” organised by the UGC HRDC, University of Kashmir on June 01, 2015.
- 10) **2011:** Attended 3-day workshop “*Research Methods and Statistical Techniques*” organised by the Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir, in collaboration with the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kashmir, from March 14-16, 2011.
- 11) **2009:** Attended 5-day workshop “*INFLIBNET Regional Training Programme on Library Automation*” jointly organised by the INFLIBNET Centre, Ahmadabad, and Department of Library & Information Science, University of Kashmir from November 16-20, 2009.
- 12) **2009:** Completed “*General Course on Intellectual Property*” from the World Intellectual Property Organization, Paris, from March 1- April 15, 2009.
- 13) **2008:** Attended a 3-day workshop on “*Open Access Repositories & Greenstone Software (GSDL)*” organised by the Department of Library & Information Science, University of Kashmir from March 17-19, 2008.
- 14) **2007:** Completed 51 days e-course on “*Digital Library & Information Services*” from the University Grants Commission, New Delhi, from February 24- April 15, 2007.

#### WEBINARS AND TRAINING PROGRAMMES

- 1) **2023:** Attended International Webinar on “*Library Partnerships in the Age of Openness*” organised by the DELNET- Developing Library Network, New Delhi, on April 11, 2023.
- 2) **2023:** Attended International Webinar on “*Ethics Focus: Plagiarism & Text Recycling*” organised by the Web of Science on March 29, 2023.

- 3) **2023:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*ChatGPT: Its Impact on Higher Education & Academic Libraries*” organised by DELNET- Developing Library Network, New Delhi, on March 16, 2023.
- 4) **2023:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*Fostering Research & Innovation in Institutions for Strengthening Tomorrow*” by the DELNET from February 25, 2023.
- 5) **2023:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*Skill Development for New Millennium LIS Professionals: An Overview*” organised by DELNET, New Delhi on June 30, 2022.
- 6) **2022:** Attended the National Webinar on “*Qualitative Academic Writing and Publications*” organised by Taylor & Francis Group on August 06, 2022.
- 7) **2022:** Attended the National Webinar on “*Web Tools for Research and Researchers*” organised by Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge Technologies in collaboration with Balani Infotech and the National Digital Library of India on July 08, 2022.
- 8) **2022:** Attended the National Webinar on “*Understanding of Research Writing and Publishing,*” organised by Library Resource Centre, Sushant University, Gurugram, June 30, 2022.
- 9) **2022:** Attended the National Webinar on “*Open Data and Open Access Publishing,*” organised by the Social Development Federation, Utter Pradesh, on June 29, 2022.
- 10) **2022:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*DrillBit: Plagiarism Detection Software for Academic Integrity*” organised by the DELNET- Developing Area Network, New Delhi, on June 18, 2022.
- 11) **2022:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*Cybersecurity, Usability & Privacy: Issues & Concerns*” organised by the DELNET- Developing Area Network, New Delhi on May 05, 2022.
- 12) **2021:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*DELENET: Networking Libraries at Spreading Knowledge*” organised by the DELNET- Developing Area Network, New Delhi, in Collaboration with HRDC, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on December 29, 2021.
- 13) **2021:** Attended DELNET Webinar on “*NEP 2020: Redefining Libraries and LIS Education*” organised by the DELNET- Developing Area Network, New Delhi, on December 29, 2021.
- 14) **2021:** Attended National Webinar on “*Strengthening Research Planning and Execution Skills*” by Elsevier on November 15, 2021.

- 15) **2021:** Attended International Webinar on “*Introduction to Altmetrics*” organised by the Mizoram University, Mizoram, India on September 14, 2021
- 16) **2021:** Attended National Webinar on “*Managing & Measuring Research: Using SCOPUS Effectively*” organised by Scopus and Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, on June 29, 2021.
- 17) **2021:** Attended National Webinar on “*Learning Fundamentals of Publishing in Quality Journals*” jointly by Elsevier and Sushant University, Gurugram, on May 26, 2021.
- 18) **2021:** Attended National Webinar on “*E-Resources of NDLI*” organised by the National Digital Library of India on January 22, 2021.
- 19) **2020:** Attended One Day Virtual Workshop on “*DELNET Networked Resources & Services*” organised jointly by the DELNET and Hyderabad Institute of Technology & Management on November 19, 2020.
- 20) **2020:** Attended the webinar “*Rise of Fake News in the Digital Era: Ways to Combat,*” organised by Ansal University on June 13, 2020.
- 21) **2020:** Attended Webinar “*Cyber Security*” organised by the R N Patel Ipcowala School of Law and Justice, Gujarat on June 09, 2020.
- 22) **2020:** Attended Webinar “*Publication Opportunities in SCOPUS and WOS Indexed Journals: Advice and recommendations from the Editors*” organised by the Research Synergy Institute in collaboration with Emerald Publishing, UK, on June 04, 2020.
- 23) **2020:** Attended Webinar “*Changing Landscape in Research*” organised by Ansal University, Haryana, on May 30, 2020.
- 24) **2020:** Attended Webinar “*Trends in Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Perspective*” organised by the St. Joseph’s Institute of Technology, Chennai, supported by IEEE, ACM, and Wiley India on May 28, 2020.

## **EDITORIAL AND REVIEW ASSIGNMENTS**

### **1) REVIEWER**

**2023:** Scientometrics

**2022:** Library Hi-Tech

**2022:** Online Information Review

**2022:** Journal of Librarianship and Information Science



**2022:** Journal of Scientometric Research

**2021:** Information Discovery and Delivery

**2020:** Digital Library Perspectives

**2018:** Journal of Information Science

**2018:** DESIDOC Journal of Library and Information Technology

**2016:** Electronic Library

**2016:** Journal of Central Asian Studies

**2013:** Annals of Library and Information Studies

**2) ASSOCIATE EDITOR/ EDITOR**

**2017:** Kashmir Journal of Social Sciences (2017-2020)

**2016:** The Journal of Central Asian Studies (2016-2022)