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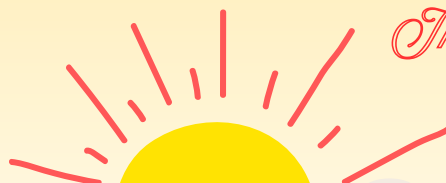


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अयं निजः परी वेति गणना लघुचेतसाम। उदारचरितानां तु वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम्॥

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शुभकामनाओं के साथ

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Name of Holiday/Festival	Date	Day
*Md. Hazrat Ali Birthday	3-Jan	Saturday
Republic Day	26-Jan	Monday
Maha Shivaratri	15-Feb	Sunday
Holika Dahan	2-Mar	Monday
Holi	4-Mar	Wednesday
Id-ul-Fitr	21-Mar	Saturday
Ram Navami	26-Mar	Thursday
Mahavir Jayanti	31-Mar	Tuesday
Good Friday	3-Apr	Friday
Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Jayanti	14-Apr	Tuesday
Buddha Purnima	1-May	Friday
*Id-uz-Zuha (Bakrid)	27-May	Wednesday
*Muharram	26-Jun	Friday
Independence Day	15-Aug	Saturday
Milad-un-Nabi (Barawafat)	26-Aug	Wednesday
Raksha Bandhan	28-Aug	Friday
Jannashtrami	4-Sep	Friday
Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti	2-Oct	Friday
Dussehra(Mahanavami / Vijayadashami)	20-Oct	Tuesday
Deepavali (Diwali)	8-Nov	Sunday
Govardhan Puja	9-Nov	Monday
Bhai Dooj	11-Nov	Wednesday
Guru Nanak Jayanti	24-Nov	Tuesday
Christnas Day	25-Dec	Friday

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New Year's Day	1-Jan	Thursday
Maker Sankranti	14-Jan	Wednesday
Vasant Panchami	23-Jan	Monday
Jannayak Karpuri Thakur Jannm Diwas	24-Jan	Saturday
Sant Ravidas Jayanti	1-Feb	Sunday
*Shab-e-Barat	4-Feb	Wednesday
Holi	5-Mar	Thursday
Zamat-ul-Vida	13-Mar	Friday
Cheti Chand	19-Mar	Friday
*Eid-ul-Fitar	22-Mar	Sunday
Easter Saturday	4-Apr	Saturday
Maharshi Keshyap Evam Maharaja	5-Apr	Sunday
Milad Gulhya Jayanti	6-Apr	Monday
Easter Monday	17-Apr	Friday
Chandrasekhar Jayanti	19-Apr	Sunday
Parashuram Jayanti	9-May	Saturday
Lok Nayak Mahatma Pratap Jayanti	28-May	Thursday
*Eid-ul-Azha (Bakrid)	25-Jun	Thursday
*Muharram	4-Aug	Tuesday
Chaulum	17-Sep	Thursday
Vishvakarma Pooja	25-Sep	Friday
Anant Chaturdashi	11-Oct	Sunday
Maharaja Agrasen Jayanti	19-Oct	Monday
Dussehra (Maha Ashtami)	26-Oct	Monday
Maharshi Valmiki Jayanti	31-Oct	Saturday
Sarda Vallabh Bhai Patel Evam	8-Nov	Sunday
Acharya Narendra Dev Jayanti	15-Nov	Sunday
Natak Chaturdashi	16-Nov	Monday
Chat Pooja Parva	16-Dec	Monday
Veeranga UdaDev Shahid Divas	15-Dec	Wednesday
Hazarat Khwaja Mounideen Chisti Urse	23-Dec	Wednesday
Chandruay Charan Singh Jannam Divas	24-Dec	Thursday
Christmas Eve	24-Dec	Thursday

Name of Holiday/Festival	Date	Day
Prof. Mahendra Pratap Singh		President
Sh. Vinod Kumar Mishra		General Secretary
Dr. Maneesh Kumar Bajpai		Vice-President-1
Dr. S. B. Kulshrestha		Vice-President-2
Dr. Virpin Pandey		Joint Secretary
Sh. Himanshu Kumar Anchal		Treasurer
Dr. Pramod Yadav		Librarian
Sh. Kunwar Abhishek Pratap		Public Relation Officer
Sh. Rajendra Shanker Mishra		Welfare officer
Sh. Lal Ji Mishra		Education Officer
Sh. Girish Chandra		Sp. Invicee Member
Sh. Sunil Kumar		Member

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The Uttar Pradesh Library Association (U.P.L.A.), a registered society under the Societies Registration Act, 1960, was first established during the All India Library Conference held in Lucknow from April 19–22, 1935. Its first President was Dr. Wali Mohammed, and Mr. Fazal Illahi served as General Secretary. After becoming inactive due to limited library awareness, the Association was revived in 1948 under the leadership of Col. N. Rahman. It was revived again in 1956, in the presence of Chief Minister Dr. Sampurnanand, with Mr. C.G. Vishwanathan as President and Mr. K. Kumar as General Secretary. Since then, U.P.L.A. has actively worked to advance librarianship and library development across Uttar Pradesh. The association is working with its major objectives:

- To develop library movement within the State
- To improve the status and service conditions of library and information science professionals.
- To generate an appropriate public opinion for the Public Library law in the State
- To create reading habits amongst the general public in the State
- To coordinate with the Government and the Social organizations in the planning and execution of their policies towards mass education.
- To take all such actions as may be identical or conducive to the attainment of the objectives of the Association.

The Association adopted a federal structure in 1959 by amending its constitution to enable wider participation, establishing branches in major districts, including Lucknow, Allahabad, Varanasi, Kanpur, and others. It is governed by an elected Executive Committee, with more than 1950 life members.

In 1959, U.P.L.A. launched a Certificate Course in Library Science to train semi-professionals and school librarians. The course was later taken over by the U.P. Education Department in 1970. Currently, 13 Schools of Library Science operate under U.P.L.A., training around 550 students annually, and organizing refresher courses to strengthen professional skills.

## CHIEF EDITOR'S NOTE



The U.P.L.A. Newsletter marks a significant revival of the Uttar Pradesh Library Association-Lucknow Branch's publication initiative in collaboration with the Central Body, formerly known as the 'UPLA Newsletter', which was discontinued due to some unavoidable circumstances in 2000 after publishing its 19 volumes till 1999. It was first published by the Lucknow Branch in 1981. The U.P.L.A. Lucknow Branch 2024 relaunched this publication in both digital and print formats, quarterly after a long gap of 25 years in October 2025, titled '**U.P.L.A. Newsletter; Vol. 45, Issue 01; July-Sept 2025.**



**Dr. Maneesh Kumar Bajpai,**  
University Librarian, RMLNLU,  
&  
Vice-President, U.P.L.A.

After a twenty-five-year hiatus, the newsletter was relaunched by the U.P.L.A. Lucknow Branch in 2025, in both print and digital formats, on a quarterly basis. The revived issue was formally released in October 2025 as U.P.L.A. Newsletter, Volume 45, Issue 01 (July–September 2025). To maintain continuity, the discontinued period from 2000 to 2024 has been treated as gap years, corresponding to Volumes 20 to 44, with Volume 45 continuing the series.

The newsletter aims to serve as a professional platform for documenting and disseminating the achievements and initiatives of libraries and Library and Information Science (LIS) professionals across Uttar Pradesh, while also highlighting developments at the national and international levels.

I express my sincere appreciation to the U.P.L.A. leadership, the Editorial Board, contributors, and all stakeholders for their continued support. Active participation from U.P.L.A. life members, professionals, and affiliated branches is essential to sustaining this initiative and advancing the Association's mission of promoting excellence in library and information services. I extend my best wishes for the success of Volume 45, Issue 02 (October–December 2025) and convey warm greetings for a happy Gregorian New Year 2026.

...Chief Editor



## U.P.L.A. Executive Meeting: 06.10.2025



The newly elected body of the Uttar Pradesh Library Association convened its first executive meeting on October 06, 2025, at the Department of Library and Information Science, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow. Prof. Shard Kumar Sonker, HOD, DLIS, BBAU, welcomed the newly elected U.P.L.A. -2025 team and felicitated all the members. The president, Prof. M. P. Singh, and the General Secretary, Sh. Vinod Kumar Mishra also felicitated Prof. Sharad Kumar Sonkar for his gesture to make the venue available for the meeting. After detailed discussions, the General Secretary nominated the following members for the executives:

1. Joint Secretary	Dr Vipin Pandey	Tagore Central Library, Harcourt Butler Technical University, Kanpur
2. Treasurer	Sh. Himanshu Kumar Anchal	Librarian, Seth MR Jaipuria School, Lucknow
3. Welfare Officer	Sh. Rajendra Shanker Mishra	Former Librarian, Govt. Polytechnic, Barabanki
4. Education Officer	Sh. Lal Ji Mishra	Principal, Library Science Training Center, U.P.L.A., Prayagraj
5. Sp. Invitee Member	Sh. Girish Chandra	Former Technical Officer, Library, CDRI, Lucknow

Apart from the above nominations, two other members were also nominated to help the Education Officer- Dr Santosh Kumar Srivastava, Dy Education Officer, and Mr Shyam Bahdur, Assistant Education Officer. These two members will not be a part of the Executive Body of the U.P.L.A.



# Various Committees

The U.P.L.A. constituted various committees to solicit suggestions on various issues related to LIS Professionals of Uttar Pradesh. It was requested that all the committees give their suggestions by December 15, 2025. The Committees are:

## 1. Committee for the Libraries of Higher Education Related Issues

1.	Dr. T. N. Dubey	Chairperson	President, U.P.L.A.- Prayagraj Branch
2.	Dr. Devendra K. Gautam	Member	Professor-Library, Govt. Degree College, Kursanda, Hathras
3.	Dr. Jyoti Mishra	Member	Dy. Librarian, University of Lucknow, Lucknow
4.	Dr. Rakesh Singh Soti	Member	Former Librarian, Govt. Degree College
5.	Mr. Surendra Singh	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Varanasi Branch

## 2. Committee for Basic Education and Public Libraries Related Issues

1.	Dr. Gopal Mohan Shukla	Chairperson	Librarian, Govt Public Library, Prayagraj
2.	Dr. Birendra Singh	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Kanpur Branch
3.	Mr. D.K. Tiwari	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Faizabad Branch
4.	Mr. Harish Chandra	Member	Librarian, Amir-ud Daulah Public Library, Lucknow

## 3. Committee for Medical Education Libraries Related Issues

1.	Dr. K. P. Singh	Chairperson	Librarian, Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Prayagraj
2.	Mr. Anup Khare	Member	Librarian, KGM University, Lucknow
3.	Mr. H. N. Tiwari	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Kanpur Branch
4.	Mr. Manoj Misra	Member	Librarian Gr-I, Dr. RML Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow
5.	Mr. Salil Alpuria	Member	Librarian Gr-III, SGPG Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow

## Various Committees

### 4. Committee to advice on 8<sup>th</sup> Pay Commission Related Issues

1.	Prof. M. P. Singh	Chairperson	President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Mohd. Ehtisham	Member	High Court of Allahabad, Lucknow Branch, Lucknow
3.	Mr. Kanta Lal	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Gorakhpur Branch
4.	Mr. Rajendra Shankar Mishra	Member	Welfare Officer, U.P.L.A. Central Body
5.	Mr. Ramesh Chandra Gupta	Member	CSIR-CDRI, Lucknow

### 5. Committee for Syllabus Updation in LIS Education of Uttar Pradesh

1.	Prof. Sharad Kumar Sonkar	Chairperson	HOD, DLIS, BBAU, Lucknow
2.	Dr. Pravish Prakash	Member	HOD, DLIS, Lucknow University, Lucknow
3.	Dr. Ram Janam Maurya	Member	Library I/c, UPRT Open University, Prayagraj
4.	Ms. Poornima Bhatnagar	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Faizabad Branch
5.	Mr. O.P. Sharma	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Jhansi Branch

### 6. Committee for Implementation of U.P. Library Legislation 2006 Related Issues

1.	Mr. Awdhesh Kumar Patel	Chairperson	Chief Librarian, High Court of Allahabad, Prayagraj
2.	Mohd. Ehtisham	Member	High Court of Allahabad, Lucknow Bench, Lucknow
3.	Mr. Ashwani Kumar	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Agra Branch
4.	Mr. R. B. Pandey	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Jhansi Branch
5.	Mr. Rajesh K Srivastava`	Member	State Law Officers' Library, High Court Allahabad, Lucknow Bench, Lucknow

# Various Committees

## 7. Committee for Book Donation Policy

1.	Dr. Mamta Awasthi	Chairperson	Head, DLIS, Ram Devi Ram Dayal Mahila Polytechnic, Kanpur
2.	Mr. Susheel Kumar Srivastava	Member	Governor House, Library
3.	Dr. Vipin Pandey	Member	Joint Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
4.	Mr. Arun Yadav	Member	Librarian, KVS, Lucknow
5.	Dr. P. K. Dixit	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Agra Branch

## 8. Committee for Book Publication Policy

1.	Mr. Vinod Kumar Mishra	Chairperson	Gen. Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Dr. Manish Kumar Bajpai	Member	Vice President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Dr. Shweta Pandey	Member	Dy Librarian, CSJM University, Kanpur
4.	Mohd. Faizudeen	Member	Dy Lib, BBD University, Lucknow
5.	Dr. R. K. Ojha	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Varanasi Branch

## 9. Committee for Internship and Placement Related Issues

1.	Prof. Ashish K. Srivastava	Chairperson	University Librarian, CSJM University, Kanpur
2.	Dr. J. L. Upadhyay	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Gorakhpur Branch
3.	Mr. Devendra Mani Pandey	Member	Librarian, MMMUT, Gorakhpur
4.	Mr. Rajesh Sen	Member	Lecturer, DLIS, Anar Devi Khandelwal Mahila Polytechnic, Mathura
5.	Dr. P.K. Dixit	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Agra Branch

## Various Committees

### 10. Committee for Life Membership Certificate Distribution Related Issues

1.	Mr. Vinod Kumar Mishra	Chairperson	Gen. Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Dr. S. B. Kulshrestha	Member	Vice President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Mr. Girish Chandra	Member	Sp. Invitee Member, U.P.L.A. Central Body
4.	Mr. Himanshu K. Anchal	Member	Treasurer, U.P.L.A. Central Body
5.	Mr. Jai Singh	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Moradabad Branch
6.	Mr. Prem Kumar	Member	Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow

### 11. Committee for Life Membership Details Updation Related Issues

1.	Mr. Vinod Kumar Mishra	Chairperson	Gen. Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Mr. Girish Chandra	Member	Sp. Invitee Member, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Mr. Rajendra Shankar Mishra	Member	Welfare Officer, U.P.L.A. Central Body
4.	Mr. Himanshu K. Anchal	Member	Treasurer, U.P.L.A. Central Body
5.	Mr. Prem Kumar	Member	Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow

### 12. Committee for DDC. 19<sup>th</sup> Ed. Manual Updation

1.	Prof. M. P. Singh	Chairperson	President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Dr. Manish Kumar Bajpai	Member	Vice President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Mr. Vinod Kumar Mishra	Member	Gen. Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
4.	Mr. Subhash C. Tyagi	Member	Vice President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
5.	Mr. K.K. Singh	Member	Secretary, U.P.L.A.-Ghaziabad Branch

## Various Committees

### 13. Committee for Welfare fund Committee

1.	Mr. Rajendra Shankar Mishra	Chairperson	Welfare Officer, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Mr. Kunwar Abhishek Pratap	Member	PRO, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Mr. Shushil K. Tripathi	Member	Member, U.P.L.A.-Lucknow Branch
4.	Dr. Uma Pandey	Member	Assistant Librarian, Integral University, Lucknow
5.	Mr. Afroj Alam	Member	Librarian, Eram Unani Medical College & Hospital, Lucknow
6.	Mr. Sunil Kumar	Member	Member, U.P.L.A. Central Body

### 14. Committee for U.P.L.A. Website Development

1.	Prof. M.P. Singh	Chairperson	President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
2.	Mr. Vinod K. Mishra	Member	Gen. Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
3.	Dr. Manish K. Bajpai	Member	Vice President, U.P.L.A. Central Body
4.	Dr. Vipin Pandey	Member	Joint Secretary, U.P.L.A. Central Body
5.	Mr. Pradeep Azad	Member	President, U.P.L.A.-Moradabad Branch
6.	Mr. Ajit Pandey	Member	Former Librarian, JNPG College, Lucknow

### 15. Committee for Private Institutions' Library Related Issues

1.	Dr. Lakshmikant Mishra	Chairperson	Librarian, Architecture College, Lucknow
2.	Dr. R.D. Yadav	Member	Librarian, SRM University, Lucknow
3.	Dr. Manish Tripathi	Member	Associate Professor, DLIS, Unnao
4.	Dr. Archana Tiwari	Member	Assistant Professor, DLIS, DBS College, Kanpur
5.	Dr. Priyanka Srivastava	Member	Librarian, J K Cement, Kanpur
6.	Dr. Uma Pandey	Member	Assistant Librarian, Integral University, Lucknow

# New Initiatives @ U.P.L.A. -2025

## LAUNCH OF OFFICIAL MESSENGER APP OF U.P.L.A.

The Newly elected body of the Uttar Pradesh Library Association (UPLA) - 2025 decided to introduce the first-ever official messenger to communicate and share information with its members. To promote the 'Make in India' initiatives of the Government of India and the Government of Uttar Pradesh, it was decided to create a Group in the 'ARATTAI' messenger application software. The U.P.L.A. Group was created on October 03, 2025. Since the creation of the group, 76 members have joined it.



UPLA is now officially available at  
ARATTAI AI Apps



**"We, the UPLA, promote the 'Make in India' initiative of the Government of India and Uttar Pradesh."**

**Please share your thoughts  
with UPLA at:**

<https://shorturl.at/W5lpE>

The life members may join the official messenger app through the QR code. Please download the ARATTAI app from Google Play Store and install it. After installing it and signing in, scan the QR code to join the UPLA Official Group.



# New Initiatives @ U.P.L.A. -2025

## LIFE MEMBERSHIP DETAILS UPDATION DRIVE

The Newly elected body of the Uttar Pradesh Library Association (UPLA) - 2025 decided to introduce the online 'Life Membership updation Drive' on October 13, 2025. All the existing members were requested to update their details on the designated Google form. The poster was released with a QR code linking to a Google form and a URL for updating the details, and it was circulated to all relevant LIS groups.

Since the launch of the Membership Details update drive, only 30 members have updated their details. The consolidated list of updated members shall be sent to the U.P.L.A. Branches for verification. After verification, the certificates will be issued to the members. The 30 members are:



Dr Saurabh Lohia	Dr Vinod Kumar	Mr Pradeep Kumar Sen
Dr Uma Pandey	Dr Vishnu Srivastava	Mr Rajesh Kumar
Dr Vipin Pandey	Dr Prem Prakash Yadav	Mr Rajesh Kumar Gupta
Dr Anjali Gulati	Mr Ajit Kumar Pandey	Mr Ramesh Kumar Tripathi
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Dr Pravish Prakash	Mr Mahendra Kumar Singh	Prof Kshama Tripathi
Dr Rakesh Singh Tomar	Mr Manoj Kumar Verma	Prof Kusum Lata Malik
Dr Santosh Kumar Srivastava	Mr. Hari Nath Mishra	Mr. Vinod Kumar Mishra

## APPEAL

Members are kindly requested to update their details using the poster above by February 15, 2026. It is required for all members to update their details. We are looking forward to your kind cooperation in this regard. After completing this task, we may start soon the new membership enrollment drive. Therefore, please do the needful at the earliest possible.

**PLEASE UPDATE  
HERE**



<https://gqr.sh/xTtq>

# New Initiatives @ U.P.L.A. -2025

## RE-PUBLICATION OF U.P.L.A. NEWSLETTER

The Newly elected body of the Lucknow Branch of the Uttar Pradesh Library Association (U.P.L.A.) decided to restart its U.P.L.A. Newsletter. It was a quarterly publication that was discontinued in 2000 due to some unavoidable circumstances. The last published volume was Vol. 19 (1999). It was first published by the Lucknow Branch in association with the Central body of U.P.L.A. in 1981. Vol. 45, Issue 01 (July-Sept 2025) was released on the eve of the festival of lights, i.e., Diwali, on October 20, 2025.

After a gap of 25 years, U.P.L.A. Lucknow Branch restarted its publication in continuation with the earlier published volumes. Volumes 20-44 (2000-2024) shall be considered as gap years publications. The U.P.L.A. Newsletter restarted quarterly publication as Vol. 45; Issue 01 (July-Sept) 2025. In this issue the followings were highlighted:

- Bhoomi Poojan of U.P.L.A. Building
- U.P.L.A. Central Body Election-2025
- Results of U.P.L.A. Central Body Election-2025
- U.P.L.A. General Body Meeting-28.09.225
- U.P.L.A. Awards-2024
- FelicitationS-2024
- National Librarians' Day
- Public Libraries of Kanpur
- Forthcoming events in LIS
- From the WALL of 'AI and Libraries' Chat Group at ARATTAI by Sh. Sukhdev Singh
- Office Bearers of U.P.L.A. Branches
- Media Highlights
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# New Initiatives @ U.P.L.A. -2025



## INFORMATION FOR YOU

The Uttar Pradesh Library Association (UPLA) maintains an active and purposeful social media presence by sharing content that extends beyond traditional library-related topics. Through updates on news, events, and programmes from reliable sources, UPLA keeps its audience informed about developments in the library and information sector. It also disseminates educational content on subjects such as history and geography, promotes local culture, heritage, and literature, and raises awareness on important social issues, including literacy, mental health, and environmental sustainability. Additionally, UPLA shares information on professional opportunities and events, thereby supporting the development of library and information professionals. Dr. Vipin Pandey, Joint Secretary, took this responsibility voluntarily. of such initiatives, and he started it in October 2025. Since its initiation, every day he came out with a information dose to the LIS fraternity.



**Indian women's cricket create history with first-ever ODI World Cup title win**

WE'RE VERY PROUD OF YOU!

"YOU WERE BORN TO WIN, BUT TO BE A WINNER, YOU MUST PLAN TO WIN, PREPARE TO WIN, AND EXPECT TO WIN." - ZIG ZIGLAR



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The Indian Institute library of the bodleian Library in Oxford received appx. 2000 books (donated by Naval kishore press Lucknow) at the time of its Foundation by sir Monier-Williams in 1884.

SOURCE: ULRIKE STARK'S WORK

UTTAR PRADESH LIBRARY ASSOCIATION  
LUCKNOW

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Lucknow

**CARLA DIANE HAYDEN**  
born August 10, 1952

AMERICAN LIBRARIAN AND THE 14TH LIBRARIAN OF CONGRESS

1993 until 2016, she was the CEO of Enoch Pratt Free Library in Baltimore, Maryland

PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION (ALA) FROM 2003 TO 2004

HAYDEN BEGAN HER LIBRARY CAREER AT THE CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY TELLING STORIES TO CHILDREN WITH AUTISM

IN 1995, HAYDEN RECEIVED THE LIBRARIAN OF THE YEAR AWARD FROM LIBRARY JOURNAL

IN JANUARY 2010, PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA ANNOUNCED HIS INTENT TO NOMINATE HAYDEN AS A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL MUSEUM AND LIBRARY SERVICE

50,000 AWARD FOR CHILDREN'S LITERATURE WILL OPEN FOR SUBMISSIONS IN SPRING 2026, WITH THE SHORTLIST OF EIGHT BOOKS ANNOUNCED IN NOVEMBER 2026. THE WINNER, TO BE ANNOUNCED IN FEBRUARY 2027, WILL BE SELECTED BY A COMBINED PANEL OF CHILD AND ADULT JUDGES, CHAIRED BY THE UK'S CHILDREN'S LAUREATE FRANK COTTRELL-BOYCE.

Source: <https://thebookerprizes.com/the-childrens-booker-prize>



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Lucknow



# U.P.L.A. IN MEETINGS

## STATE LIBRARY COMMITTEE MEETING

Dr. Maneesh Kumar Bajpai, Vice President, U.P.L.A., participated in the State Library Committee Meeting on October 09, 2025, organized by the 'Pustakalya Prakostha', Department of Basic Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow. In the meeting, various issues related to the public libraries and panchayat Libraries were discussed.

Apart from the scheduled agenda items, the recruitment of Librarians was also brought to the notice of the Chairperson. The Chairperson inquired about it and also promised to take the necessary action at the earliest possible opportunity.

## ESTABLISHMENT OF DIGITAL LIBRARIES IN GRAM PANCHAYATS OF UTTAR PRADESH

A proposal has been initiated to establish Digital Libraries in approximately 58,000 Gram Panchayats across the State to enhance access to information and knowledge for rural communities in Uttar Pradesh. Recognizing the importance of libraries in promoting reading habits, digital literacy, and informed citizenship, the Uttar Pradesh Library Association (U.P.L.A.) has prepared a Model Draft for the establishment and operation of libraries. These digital libraries will provide educational resources and timely information, contributing to the overall development of rural populations.

The initiative aligns with the vision that reading fosters national progress and that educated citizens form the foundation of democracy. Implementation of this Model Draft in all Gram Panchayats is expected to empower rural citizens, strengthen information literacy, and support inclusive and sustainable development at the grassroots level. The model draft was sent by Sh. Vinod Kumar Mishra, General Secretary, U.P.L.A., to the Department of Panchayatiraj, Government of Uttar Pradesh, dated October 11, 2025.



# NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

**Madhu Limaye Library, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohiya National Law University, Lucknow,** celebrated National Library Week from November 14 to 20, 2025 by organizing visits of students and eminent scholars.

On November 14, 2025, BALLB (Hons) Students, along with faculty members from the Department of Law at Rama University, Kanpur, visited the library, where they received training in online legal research.



On November 16, 2025, Prof. (Dr.) Ajay Taneja, Vice Chancellor, and Dr. Piyush Kumar Trivedi, Head, Faculty of Legal Studies, Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti Language University, Lucknow, visited the library and were apprised of library services and facilities.

On November 18-19, 2025, more than 400 students of Government Girls Inter College, Sarosa-Bharosa, Lucknow, and Government State High School, Jauria, Lucknow visited the library, and they were enlightened with the opportunities ahead for their career. Prof. Amar Pal Singh, Vice Chancellor, Prof. Manish Singh, HOD and Dr. Maneesh Bajpai, Librarian, RMLNLU interacted with students.



**The Central State Library, U.P., Prayagraj,** in collaboration with the Allahabad Library Forum, organized a Quiz Competition and Book Exhibition on 15 November 2025 to mark National Library Week. Students from Government Inter Colleges participated, and a book exhibition showcased diverse reading and research materials. The programme included lamp lighting, a student quiz, and a unique tradition of welcoming guests with books. Mr. Ashutosh Mishra, Mr. Aviral Khare, and Mr. Yuvaraj Upadhyay won the top prizes. An online quiz (19-20 November) attracted over 200 participants, all of whom received digital certificates.



## BEST PERFORMING NDLI CLUB IN UTTAR PRADESH

Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology (MMMUT), Gorakhpur, received the “Best Performing NDLI Club in Uttar Pradesh” award from the National Digital Library of India (NDLI) at IIT-BHU. The University’s Librarian, Dr. Devendra Mani Pandey, was felicitated in his capacity as Coordinator of the NDLI Club, MMMUT, in recognition of his instrumental role in developing the Club into a leading NDLI initiative in the state.

In addition, Dr. Pandey was conferred the “Noolaga Ulagam Mr. N. Avudaiyappan Best Librarian Award-2025” by the Madras Library Association (MALA) on 24 August 2025, acknowledging his dedicated contributions and the adoption of exemplary best practices within the University Library System.



## BOOK EXHIBITION 2025

The Central Library, Bundelkhand University, Jhansi, organized a Book Exhibition on November 13-14, 2025, under the leadership of the University Librarian, Dr. ShriDevi Jetty. Hon’ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Mukesh Pandey inaugurated the exhibition. Prominent publishers participated in the exhibition, displaying their latest publications.

In the inaugural session, 04 poetic books of Dr. Shiva Hingwasia, Cataloguer, Central Library, Bundelkhand University, Jhansi, were released by the vice chancellor and other distinguished dignitaries. The title of the books were गुदगुदाती ज़िंदगी, वो जो है मुझमें, प्रेम से प्रसिद्धि तक, युति: भक्ति और प्रेम की .



# PROMOTIONS & SUPERNUATIONS

## PROMOTIONS UNDER CAS

### Dr Pramod Yadav

- Promoted in December 2025
- Associate Professor-Library, Acad. Level 13A to Professor-Library, Academic Level 14
- Kulbhaskar Ashram P G College, Prayagraj



### Mrs Suman Shukla

- Promoted in January 2025
- Associate Professor-Library (Acad. Level 12 to Academic Level 13A)
- Bhavans Mehta P G College, Bharvari, Kaushambi

## SUPERANNUATIONS

### Prof (Dr.) Umesh Chandra Sharma

Professor and Head, DLIS

Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra, UP.

- Former President, U.P.L.A.
- Superannuated on June 30, 2025



### Dr Ram Awatar Ojha

- Associate Professor-Library Satish Chandra P G College, Balia
- Superannuated on June 30, 2025

### Mr Dinesh Chandra Tripathi

- Associate Professor- Library Hemwati Nanadan Bahuguna P G College, Lalganj Azhara,
- Superannuated on June 30, 2025.



### Mr. Mahendra Kumar Singh

- Librarian & Head-Library Indian Institute of Management Lucknow
- Superannuated on December 31, 2025

# Public Libraries of Ghaziabad

## GOVERNMENT DISTRICT LIBRARY

The Government District Library, Ghaziabad, is situated near the Auto Stand at Maharana Pratap Chowk, within the premises of Government Inter College, Nandgram. The library was established in the year 1988. The library is a government institution functioning under the Department of Secondary Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh.

### Library Collection:

- Total number of books- 25,367; Newspaper- 10; Magazines/Journals available- 16

### Membership and Usage:

- Total number of members: approximately 2,117

Average daily readers: around 50-60



**Nandgram Government Inter College  
Campus, Ghaziabad**

**Timings: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
(Closed on Sundays)**

**Contact: Ms. Kanchan Rani**

**Mobile: 9990781419;**

**Email: gov.lib.ghaziabad@gmail.com**



## BHARAT RATN DR. B. R. AMBEDKAR PUBLIC LIBRARY

This library was established on August 12, 2010, and is run by Lord Buddha Shaikshik Samajik Sansthan (Reg. Act 1860), Sikheda Hazari, Modinagar. The library has 1,955 textbooks of various titles, 2 magazines, and 1 newspaper. Approximately 15-20 users use the library daily.



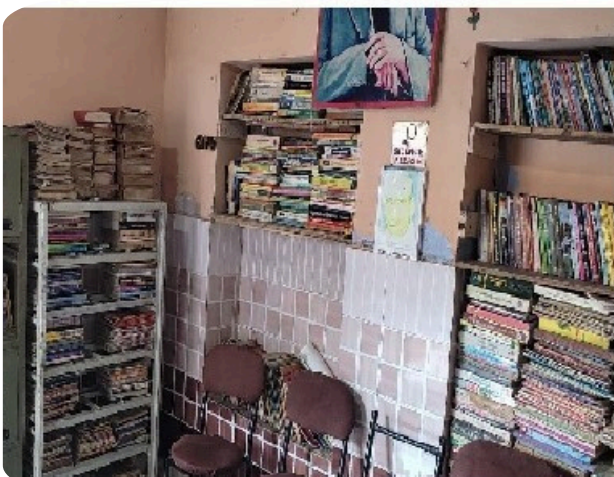
**Village Sikheda Hazari,  
Modinagar, Ghaziabad**

**Timings: 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
(Closed on Monday)**

**Contact: Anil Kumar Gautam**

**Mobile: 8057047688;**

**Email: lordbuddha9368@gmail.com**



# Public Libraries of Ghaziabad

## MAHARSHI DAYANAND VIDYAPEETH LIBRARY

The library of Maharshi Dayanand Vidyapeeth, established in 1999–2000, plays a vital role in the academic, intellectual, and moral development of students. It offers a disciplined and study-friendly environment. The library houses about 6,200 books in Hindi and English, along with regular access to magazines and newspapers. During the 2025–26 session, educational programmes, psychological assessments, and examination guidance sessions were organized. The library also serves the community after school hours, promoting reading and creative activities.



**Block I, D Block, Main Road,  
Govindpuram, Ghaziabad**

**Timings: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
(Closed on Sundays)**

**Contact: Ms. Chetna Kaushik**

**Mobile: 7683019035;**

**Email: mdvpic.gzb@gmail.com**



## HARISH CHANDRA TYAGI PUBLIC LIBRARY

Harish Chandra Tyagi Public Library, was established on June 28, 1998, and is managed by the Harish Chandra Tyagi Foundation. It houses a collection of 32,414 books and subscribes to 14 newspapers and 24 magazines, supporting a wide range of academic and general reading needs. The library serves approximately 200–250 students daily, contributing significantly to education and community development.



**Nehru Nagar III, near Yashoda  
Hospital, Ghaziabad**

**Timings: 08:00 AM – 6:00 PM**

**Contact: Mr. Baleshwar Tyagi**

**Mobile: 0120-2716257,**

**9910320248**

**Email: hct12021@gmail.com**



# PH.D. AWARDED IN LIS IN 2025 BY THE UNIVERSITIES OF UTTAR PRADESH @ SHODHGANGA ETD



## **An Assessment of University Libraries Role in Research with Special Reference to ICT Based Innovative Library Services in Uttar Pradesh a study**

Research Scholar - Kumari, Anita

Supervisor - [Prasad, H.N](#)

University- Banaras Hindu University (BHU)

## **Usage of Resource Discovery Services by the Users of Central Universities of Uttar Pradesh**

Research Scholar - Dwiwedi, Utkarsh

Supervisor - [Mishra, Rajani](#)

University- Banaras Hindu University (BHU)

## **Awareness and Use of Print and Digital Resources and Services by the Students of Girls Colleges Admitted to the Privileges of Banaras Hindu University A Study**

Research Scholar - Perveen, Naushaba

Supervisor - [Mishra, Rajani](#)

University- Banaras Hindu University (BHU)

## **Impact of Information and Communication Technology in Library and Information Services in IITs in North India A Comparative Study**

Research Scholar - Mohd Faizan

Supervisor - [Metab Alam Ansari](#)

University- Aligarh Muslim University (AMU)

## **Security Issues and Disaster Management in University Libraries in India**

Research Scholar - Anam Jamal Ansari

Supervisor - [Naushad Ali P.M](#)

University- Aligarh Muslim University (AMU)

## **Use of services by the visually challenged in university libraries of Delhi and Punjab A comparative study**

Research Scholar - Khowaja, Sufia

Supervisor - [Fatima, Nishat](#)

University- Aligarh Muslim University (AMU)

## **Acquisition maintenance and use of documents in National and State Archives in North India**

Research Scholar - Abdul Moid

Supervisor - [Raza, M. Masoom](#)

University- Aligarh Muslim University (AMU)

## **Information Communication Technology ICT Based Library Resources and Services in University Libraries of Haryana**

Research Scholar - Kumar, Vipin

Supervisor - [Khayal, Roshan](#)

University- Mangalayatan University

# OPPORTUNITIES



## **Post: LIBRARY ASSISTANT**

TRIPURA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT NEW CAPITAL COMPLEX,  
AGARTALA ([https://www.tripuraassemblyapplication.in/public/Advt-01\\_2025.pdf](https://www.tripuraassemblyapplication.in/public/Advt-01_2025.pdf))

Last Date: 24.01.2026 (upto 05:00 P.M.)

## **Post: Librarian**

SRI SRI ANIRUDDHADEVA SPORTS UNIVERSITY, Dibrugarh, Assam  
([https://www.tripuraassemblyapplication.in/public/Advt-01\\_2025.pdf](https://www.tripuraassemblyapplication.in/public/Advt-01_2025.pdf))

Last Date: 24.01.2026 (upto 05:00 P.M.)

## **Posts: Professional Assistant, Semi-Professional Assistant, & Sr. Library Attendant**

NCERT, New Delhi (<https://www.ncert.nic.in/>)

Last Date: 16.01.2026 (upto 11:55 P.M.)

## **Post: Librarian**

Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University (BAOU)  
([https://baou.edu.in/assets/pdf/Advt\\_No.08.2025\\_Dt.%2024-12-2025.pdf](https://baou.edu.in/assets/pdf/Advt_No.08.2025_Dt.%2024-12-2025.pdf))

Last Date: 16/01/2026 (upto 23:59 Hrs)

## **Post: Library Assistant**

GURU GHASIDAS VISHWAVIDYALAYA, Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh)  
(<https://www.ggu.ac.in/>)

Last Date: 26/01/2026

# FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN LIS



## **VTU National Conference on Engineering Librarianship (January 22- 24, 2026)**

Organized by: Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi;

URL: <https://libconference.vtu.ac.in>

## **Two-day National Conference on Revitalizing Indian Knowledge System Through Libraries: Bridging Tradition and Education Reform (January 24- 25, 2026)**

Organized by: Jiwaji University, Gwalior; URL: <https://jiwaji.edu/>

## **International Conference on Knowledge Organization in Academic Libraries (I-KOAL 2026) (January 30-31, 2026)**

Organized by: Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh; URL: [www.lpaindia.org](http://www.lpaindia.org)

## **International Conference on Transforming Library Services in the AI Era: Library Services, User Engagement and Community Impact (February 05-07, 2026)**

Organized by: Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Agra & ILA; URL: <https://hindisansthan.in/>

## **3<sup>rd</sup> One Week National Workshop on Open Source Software KOHA and DSPACE (February 09-14, 2026)**

Organized by: Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh; URL: <https://amukoha.in/>

## **2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Research Trends of ICT using Digital Libraries with Human Values & Ethics (February 20-21, 2026)**

Organized by: PIET, Jaipur; URL: <https://ic-2025.vercel.app/>

## **One day multidisciplinary international conference on “Traditional x Transformation: Knowledge, Technology and Inclusive Futures.” (March 06, 2026)**

Organized by: Seshadripuram College, Bengaluru; URL: <https://www.sfgc.ac.in/>

## **1st International Research Conference on Palm Leaf Manuscripts (IRCPM) (March 20, 2026)**

Organized by: University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka; URL: <https://ss.kln.ac.lk/units/plmsrl/index.php/icpm>

## **National Conference on “Marching from Classification/ Cataloguing Systems to Knowledge Organization Systems in the Digital/ AI environment: Retrospective and future perspectives” (April 16- 17, 2026)**

Organized by: Karnatak University, Dharwad; URL: <https://kud.ac.in/kan/>

## **9<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Asian Libraries (ICAL- 2026) (April 16- 18, 2026)**

Organized by: IIM, Kashipur; URL: <https://iimkashipur.ac.in//admin/pdf/176493394690.pdf>

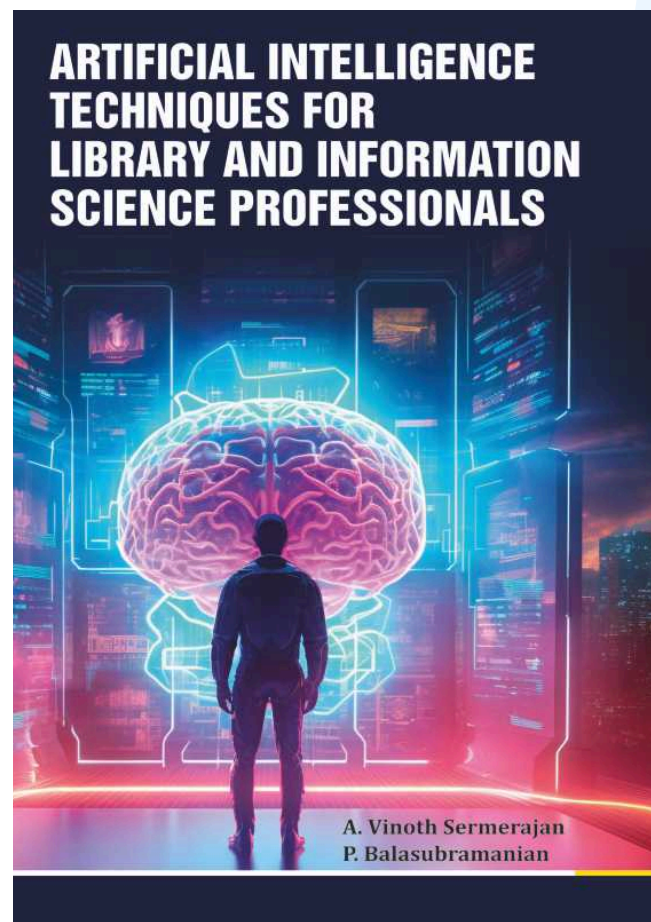
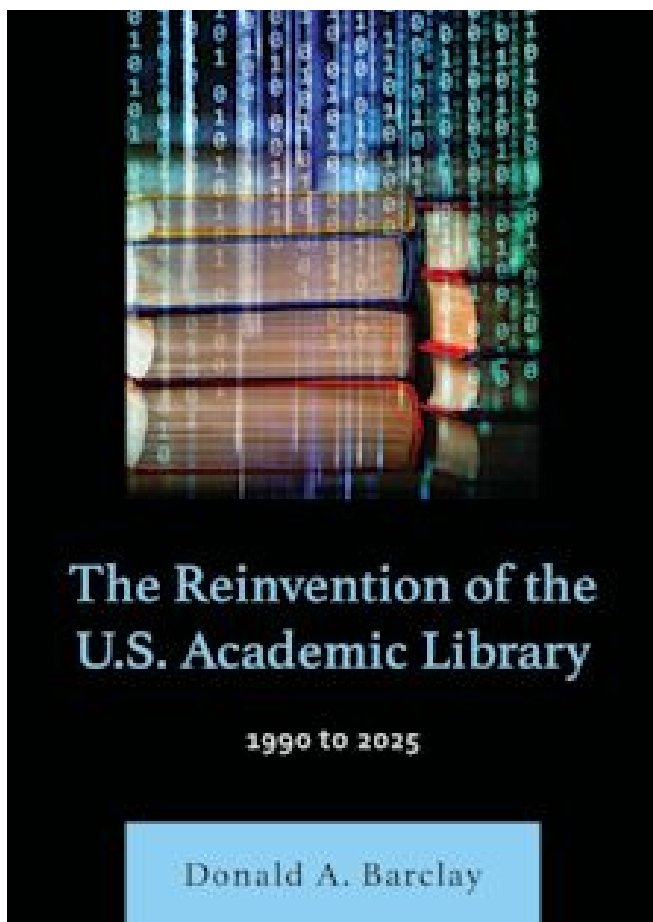
## **The 20<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Webometrics, Informetrics & Scientometrics (WIS 2026) (October 01- 02, 2026)**

Organized by: Uva Wellassa University, Bedulla, Sri Lanka; URL: <https://www.uwu.ac.lk/collnet2026>

## BOOKS RELEASED IN 2025



- **Digital Leadership for Libraries, Archives and Museums** by Angela I. Fritz (Bloomsbury, June 2025) – A new leadership approach for cultural heritage institutions.
- **Digital Preservation for Libraries, Archives, and Museums (3rd Ed.)** by Corrado, Sandy, & Soleau (Bloomsbury, July 2025) – An updated guide to digital archiving.
- **Efficiency by Design: Transforming Libraries and Archives** by Joy M. Perrin (Bloomsbury, August 2025) – Focuses on process management for efficiency.
- **Electronic Resources Librarianship (2nd Ed.)** by Talbott & Zmau (Bloomsbury, July 2025) – A practical handbook for electronic resource management.
- **Epistemic Injustice in Library and Information Science** by Tami Oliphant (Taylor & Francis, July 2025) – Centers on centering people and knowledge.





लखनऊ, शुक्रवार  
24 अक्टूबर 2025

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यूपीएलए लखनऊ शाखा  
का न्यूजलेटर का पुनः  
प्रकाशन प्रारंभ

लखनऊ। उत्तर प्रदेश पुस्तकालय संघ लखनऊ शाखा का त्रैमासिक न्यूजलेटर का दीपावली पर पुनः प्रकाशित हुआ। तकनीकी कारणों से 1997 से इसका प्रकाशन बन्द था। लखनऊ शाखा की नई कार्यकारिणी के अध्यक्ष विनोद मिश्र और सेक्रेटरी कुँवर अभिषेक प्रताप के नेतृत्व में और मुख्य सम्पादक डॉ. मनीष कुमार बाजपेयी के मार्गदर्शन में प्रकाशित हुआ।

सेक्रेटरी कुँवर अभिषेक प्रताप ने कहा कि यह न्यूजलेटर हितधारकों और लाइब्रेरी प्रोफेशनल्स को जोड़ने के लिए संवाद के एक महत्वपूर्ण माध्यम के रूप में काम करेगा। अध्यक्ष विनोद कुमार मिश्र ने कहा कि यह पुस्तकालय संघ के विकासयात्रा का प्रारंभ है। अभी ऑनलाइन संस्करण प्रकाशित हुआ है भविष्य में इसे मुद्रित करवाया जाएगा।

हिन्दी दैनिक

**ब्रह्म अनुभूति**

लखनऊ, शुक्रवार 24 अक्टूबर 2025

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## लखनऊ शाखा ने जारी किया त्रैमासिक न्यूजलेटर

बीए न्यूज/विकास राजपूत

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## एमएमयूटी को एनडीएलआइ क्लब का एक्सीलेंस अवार्ड

गोरखपुर : भारत सरकार के शिक्षा मंत्रालय द्वारा प्रयोजित और आइआइटी खड़गपुर द्वारा संचालित नेशनल डिजिटल लाइब्रेरी आफ इंडिया (एनडीएलआइ) मिशन के अंतर्गत मदन मोहन मालवीय प्रौद्योगिकी विश्वविद्यालय के लाइब्रेरी क्लब को 'एनडीएलआइ क्लब आफ एक्सीलेंस अवार्ड' फार उत्तर प्रदेश पुरस्कार से सम्मानित किया गया है। विश्वविद्यालय के क्लब को 'बेस्ट परफॉर्मिंग एनडीएलआइ क्लब्स इन द स्टेट आफ

उत्तर प्रदेश' सम्मान भी मिला है। विश्वविद्यालय को यह सम्मान आइआइटी बीएचयू में आयोजित एनडीएलआइ की दो दिवसीय कार्यशाला के दौरान प्रदान किया गया। विश्वविद्यालय के पुस्तकालयाध्यक्ष डीएम पांडेय ने बताया कि केंद्रीय पुस्तकालय द्वारा एनडीएलआइ क्लब का गठन 2021 में किया गया था। उसके बाद से प्रतिवर्ष क्लब की ओर से ग्लोबल और स्थानीय कार्यक्रम ऑनलाइन व ऑफलाइन मोड में

आयोजित किया जाता है। क्लब के गठन के परिणामस्वरूप आइआइटी खड़गपुर द्वारा विश्वविद्यालय को एक पासवर्ड उपलब्ध करा दिया गया, जिसके माध्यम से विद्यार्थी चार करोड़ से अधिक ई-कॉन्टेंट का उपयोग आवश्यकतानुसार कर सकते हैं। इससे राष्ट्रीय और अंतरराष्ट्रीय स्तर के समाचार व ई-जर्नल्स का भी अध्ययन किया जा सकता है। इस उपलब्धि पर कुलपति प्रो. जेपी सैनी ने बधाई और शुभकामना दी हैं।

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