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MITE LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ANNUAL REPORT – 2016-17



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RESOURCES

MITE Library is rich in resources that are needed for superior education and research activities at the Institute. It has been the policy of the Library to procure resources beyond the syllabus requirement, to provide the best access to its users. The Following statistics depict the recourses available in the Library.

A) RESOURCES:

Details of Text Books available as on March 31st 2017.

1) Text Books

Year	Titles	Volumes
Available during: 2007-2016	4,257	21,725
Added during : 2016-2017	128	475
Total	4,385	22,200

2) E-Resources

Apart from the huge physical book resources, the library has abundant e-resources, which comprises of subscriptions from the VT U consortium and resources from the National Digital Library.

Sl. No.	Information Resources	Quantity
1	e-Books for Engineering & Management	7,000
2	e-Journals for Engineering & Management	13,611
3	Conference Proceedings	6,514
4	Abstract	18,100
5	Standards	3,043
6	Back Volume Journals	482



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a) The VTU Consortium 2016-17 e-Resources subscription is as follows:

PUBLISHERS	Access Link From Publishers	NO. OF RESOURCES
IEL Online (e-Journals)	https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/Xplore/home.jsp	273 Journals
Elsevier Science Direct (e-Journals)	www.sciencedirect.com	288 Journals
Taylor & Francis (e-Journals)	https://www.tandfonline.com	535 Journals
Springer (e-Journals) Springer Nature	https://link.springer.com/	680 Journals
Knimbus Digital Library	It's a search engine of all VTU E Resources Database https://mite.new.knimbus.com/user#/home	e-Books: 7,000+ e-Journals: 5000
Knimbus Remote Access Solution		
ASCE Civil Engineering (e-Journals)	https://www.asce.org/ Civil Engineering	35- Journals
ProQuest Eng.+ Architecture (e-Journals)	https://www.proquest.com/ Engineering Journals Management Journals	Eng Scholarly Journals – 3,900 Management Journals – 2,900
ProQuest Management (e-Journals)		
SUMMON Gateway Portal ProQuest- Complementary Access		



b) E Resources through NATIONAL DIGITAL LIBRARY:

MITE has applied for membership for the National Digital Library of India and received a membership confirmation for the usage of e Resources.

The National Digital Library of India (NDLI) is a virtual repository of learning resources which is not just a repository with search/browse facilities but also provides a host of services for the learner community. Services for Researchers and general learners are also provided.

NDL Resources for Engineering: This contains lectures, videos and notes of NPTEL/SWAYAM courses, presentations used by faculties in classes, online class lecture, questions/solutions of common subjects for students of all engineering discipline.

NDL Resources for Management: This contains management and accounting questions and solutions, video lectures and some books, notes, articles and thesis relevant to accounting, commerce and management students.

BUDGET & EXPENDITURES

During the year 2016-17, MITE Library had a budgetary allocation of 20 Lakhs of which Rs. 15,30,941.00 was utilised for the purchase of books, subscription to VTU consortium e-resources. And Rs.39,281.00 for Newspapers and Magazines.

Expenditures During the year 2016-17

Year	Books Expenses	E -Journals & Other Expenses	Total Expenses
2016-2017	1,75,941.00	13,55,000.00	15,30,941.00

Library Newspapers & Magazines expenses Details 2016-17:

Year	Newspaper Magazines Expenses
2016-2017	39,281.00



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Library Advisory Committee for the Academic Year 2016-17

Chairperson	Dr. G.L. Easwara Prasad, Principal
Convener	Mr. Santhosh Kumar T.V., Librarian
Members	Mr. Sathisha, HOD, Dept. of ECE
	Mr. Ramananda Mallya, Dept. of ISE
	Mr. Guruprasad, Dept. of CSE
	Mr. Aveen K.P, Dept. of MEC
	Mr. Yashwanth M.K., Dept. of CIV
	Mr. Ganesh V.N, Dept. of ECE
	Mr. Sujesh Kumar, Dept. of AER
	Mr. Kiran Kumar M.V., Dept. of MTR
	Mrs. Divya Prabhu, Dept. of MBA
	Mr. Guruprasad A.M., Dept. of Chemistry



Proceedings of the Library Advisory Committee Meetings

Meeting I

The first meeting of the Library Advisory Committee for the Academic year 2016-17 was held on 02/06//2016 at 11:00 am, in the Ground floor Library Discussion Room.

Agenda:

- 1) Approval for purchase of Books, Special Books/Rare Books, Journals & Other materials for the library and information about fund allocation
- 2) Better utilization of Library resources

Approval of Library requirements of Books, Special Books/Rare Books, Journals & Other materials:

The Committee reviewed the Book requirements received by all the departments, and approved the same for procurement. The Librarian was assigned the responsibility of calling for Competitive quotations and preparing comparative statements from different publishers and placing the order based on better offers.

Better utilization of the resources available in the library

The Library Committee was informed to create awareness among the students about books, journals, magazines and online journals. Also, they were informed to create awareness about the availability of the previous year's University question papers. The committee decided to arrange workshops and webinars about usage of e resources. Committee Members should also discuss with students' any issues related to the Library and bring them to the notice of the Librarian for improvement.

Meeting II

The Second meeting of the Library Advisory Committee for the Academic year 2016-17 was held on 03/11/2016 at 12:30 pm, in the Ground floor Library Discussion Room.

Agenda:

- 1) Review of purchase details.
- 2) Renewing the membership of VTU Consortium towards the subscription of e –Resources.
- 3) National Digital Library membership
- 4) Better utilization of Budget

Review of purchase details.

The library advisory committee reviewed the books purchased for the semester. The New books are given accession numbers and details fed into a library database, which is made available for circulation for the users.

Renewing the membership of VTU Consortium towards the subscription of e –Resources.

The Committee had a discussion on renewal of VTU Consortium membership, e-Resources Subscription and conducting an awareness program on remote access & webinars. It was decided to continue the Membership and the Librarian was informed to process the same immediately. Also, decision was taken on the purchase of required books, based on the requirements received from different Departments. The Librarian was assigned the responsibility of calling for Competitive quotations and preparing comparative statements from different publishers and placing the order based on better offers.

National Digital Library membership

Discussed about applying for membership to the National Digital Library of India (NDLI) is a virtual repository of learning resources which is not just a repository with search/browse facilities but provides a host of services for the learner community. Services for Researchers and general learners are also provided. And we received membership confirmation from NDLI.

Better utilization of Budget

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WEB ACCESS: REMOTE ACCESS

MITE Library has provided remote access to resources wherein users can access literature from any location at any time of the day. User credentials were provided to users across the Institute to utilize this facility. Awareness training programs were also conducted for the ease of users on web access, which was well appreciated.

USER EDUCATIONAL WEBINARS:

During the year 2016-17, as a part of the VT U Consortium, User awareness sessions on remote usage of library recourses were conducted for the benefit of Library users through Webinars. These webinars were conducted by a consortium through the publishers which had sessions covering various topics of Research, soft skills, Mendeley Trends in teaching information literacy Training workshop on Science Direct Platform Webinars. The Faculty who attended these webinars have also been provided with certificates through the Publishers. Some of the webinars organized are as follows:

Sl. No.	Date	Webinar	Resource Persons	Associated with	Stakeholders
1	Thursday, March 16, 2017 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m	Webinar: 12 time-saving tips for research support	Speaker Christian DeFeo, Product Marketing Manager, Mendeley	Elsevier Library Connect ibraryconnect@ mail.elsevier.com	Faculty , Research Scholars
2	Friday, 13th January 2017 10:30 am	Improve your Soft skills along with knowledge: 10:30 am IST - Academic Search Complete: A comprehensive full text database for multidisciplinary research 11:30 am IST - Keep me up-to- date! EBSCO	Speaker Edwin Daniel Thomas Training Manager South India (Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana)	EBSCO India	Faculty , Research Scholars



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		Search and Journal Alerts 12:15 pm IST - Textile Technology Complete. Explore the full-text counterpart of Textile Technology Index			
3	Wednesday , November 30th 2016 4:00 pm -	Learn how to research more effectively with free EBSCO database training!	Speaker Edwin Daniel Thomas Training Manager, South India (Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana)	EBSCO Information Services India ngiles@ebSCOhost.com	Faculty , Research Scholars
4	19 th October, 2016 1:00 p.m	Overcoming Research Challenges through Mendeley Institutional Edition	Speaker 1) Amanda Horsman, Medical Librarian, University de Moncton 2) Doug Feldner, Market Development Manager at Mendeley	Mendeley mendeley@mail.elsevier.com	Faculty , Research Scholars
5	Thursday, October 13, 2016 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m	Trends in teaching information literacy	Speaker 1) Jay Bhatt, Liaison Librarian, Engineering Drexel University 2) Katy Kavanagh Webb, Assistant Professor Head, Research and Instructional Services, J.Y. Joyner Library,	Elsevier Library Connect libraryconnect@mail.elsevier.com	Faculty , Research Scholars



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			East Carolina University		
6	19th September 2016 from 11.30 AM to 12 Noon.	IEL Online Training on IEEE Xplore for Librarians and Users (IEEE in coordination with the VTU Consortium)	Speaker IEEE Team	VTU-Consortium, Visvesvaraya Technological University Library, "Jnana Sangama", Belagavi-590018, Karnataka, India.	Faculty , Research Scholars
7	Friday, 26 August 2016, 11:00 to 12:00	Webinar- Training workshop on Science Direct Platform	Speaker Science Direct - Elsevier	Mr. Lavanya Trikha Account Manager, Elsevier (Science & Technology) Research Solution Sales South & East India	Faculty , Research Scholars
8	Wednesday, June 8, 2016, 11 am	A Webinar that explores the content and functionality available on Access Engineering.	Speaker Access Engineering	McGraw-Hill Education mhpmarketing@mheducation.co	Faculty , Research Scholars
9	Thursday, May 19, 2016 11:00-12:00 p.m.	Research impact metrics for librarians: calculation & context	Speaker Jenny Delasalle, Freelance Consultant University of Humboldt / Librarian	Elsevier Library Connect libraryconnect@mail.elsevier.co	



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10	Friday, May 13, 2016 11.00 am -	EBSCO Information Services India Training Update: Improve your soft skills along with knowledge:	Speakers 1) Randip Singh Training Manager, North India 2) Ritesh Kumar Training Manager, North India 3) Edwin Daniel Thomas Training Manager, South India (Karnataka)	EBSCO Information Services India ngiles@ebs cohost.com	Faculty , Research Scholars
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User awareness Programmes

The Library is an integral part of any educational and research Institution. A good and vibrant Library can keep the spirit of education alive. MITE-LIBRARY, under the guidance of the Library Advisory Committee, takes an active part in organizing activities for the faculty and students in order to update them with the latest in the field of education and research.

Activities start with showing and explaining the library resources and facilities to all fresh students, as part of their Orientation program every year. They are given a guided tour around the library to get familiarized with various resources and services available in the Library.

MITE Library organises user awareness Training sessions whenever a new product, service or facility is introduced as a part of Library resources.

A glimpse of the User awareness programs Conducted by MITE–Library are as follows:



PROGRAM: “Preparing for Competitive Exams”

By Mr. Arun Sharma, CAT Guru & India's No.1 Author for Competitive Exams:

11.4.2017

MITE – Library conducted a seminar on “Preparing for Competitive Exams” by CAT guru and India’s No.1 Author of books on Competitive exams Prof. Arun Sharma on 11th April 2017.

Mr. Arun Sharma, Mechanical Engineer and Post graduate (MBA) from IIM Bangalore is also a Serial entrepreneur, CEO and Co-Founder of Mindworkzz. He is also among India's leading trainers for aptitude exams - like CAT, CSAT (UPSC) with over 2 decades of experience in teaching and has been associated with various teaching capacities at Mindworkzz. He also has a unique record of cracking the CAT and an incredible 17 times out of 17 with percentiles of 99.8 to 99.97.

Mr. Arun Sharma is also a highly respected Tedx speaker and gives motivational speeches across the IIMs, top corporate houses and top B-schools across India. He has authored some of the bestselling books in India with over 2.5 million copies sold.

Mr. Arun Sharma brief about the following in the session

How to Prepare for Quantitative Aptitude for CAT

How to Prepare for Verbal ability and Reading comprehension for CAT

How to prepare for Data Interpretation for CAT

How to prepare for Logical Reasoning for CAT

The session was very interactive and the discussion focused on Quantitative aptitude, Data Interpretation, Logical Reasoning and Verbal reasoning which are the important components in the competitive exam papers.



Mr. Arun Sharma, CEO, Co-Founder of Mindworkzz. Interacting with Students on Preparing for Competitive Exam

In his address, Mr. Arun Sharma pointed that "Every individual has great potential and could reach excellence if they can work without the mental blockade of limitations in our minds based on past experiences" Continuing, he advised the students to change the beliefs and work outside the circle of "self-defined limits" to excel beyond limitation.



Mr. Arun Sharma, CEO, Co-Founder of Mindworkzz. With "Preparing for Competitive Exam" program conductors

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