

TARGET AUDIENCE

Conference registration is open to all library and information professionals from academic, research, corporate institutions and any other kind of libraries; academics including students, research scholars and teachers in the field of library and information science education.

REGISTRATION FEE WITHOUT ACCOMMODATION

CATEGORY	Early Bird registration (on or before November 29, 2017)	Normal registration (From November 30 onwards, 2017)
Professionals employed in permanent positions in University/Government/Aided/Autonomous Institutions	Rs. 1,300	Rs. 1,500
Professionals employed in Self Financing Institutions/Contractual positions	Rs. 400	Rs. 500
Students	Rs. 300	Rs. 400

Registration fee includes **conference kit, working lunch and refreshments only. Accommodation is available only for lady participants on sharing basis @ Rs. 100/day.** Other participants have to arrange for their accommodation themselves. The conference venue is in midst of the city; variety of lodging facilities are available for those who required.

MODE OF REGISTRATION

Prospective participants of the Conference can register by remitting the registration fee either through Demand Draft (DD) issued by any scheduled bank in favour of "Kerala College Librarians' Association" payable at Ernakulam

OR

by transferring to KCLA Account No: 67278567849, State Bank of India, Thevara Branch, IFS Code: SBIN0071094

AND

by filling the **online registration form** available under "Registration" tab in Conference Website at <http://kcla2017.weebly.com/>

You will get a confirmation of registration and payment afterwards via e-mail. If you don't receive confirmation within 7 working days, please mail us at kcla2016@gmail.com

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KERALA COLLEGE LIBRARIANS' ASSOCIATION
Presents

NATIONAL CONFERENCE on LIBRARIANSHIP: INFORMATION: MANAGEMENT



07-09 DECEMBER 2017



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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE:

From the perspective of users, libraries and information centres have to be improved in their outlook and services. Many libraries have undergone radical changes in recent years and came up to or above the level of expectations of the users. By updating themselves, these libraries and information centres have put forward new benchmarks for assessing the quality of services. Through three days **National Conference on Librarianship : Information : Management**, the organisers are providing you an opportunity for exposure to recent advances and modern tools which are implemented and succeeded in the arena of libraries and information management.

Why : (Colon) in the title of Conference It's the 125th birth anniversary of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan, who devised Colon Classification for Knowledge Organisation. It's our tribute to the *Father of Library Science*.

ORGANISERS

St. Thomas' College and its Department of Library

Founded by Mar Adolph Medycott in 1889, St. Thomas' College (Autonomous), Thrissur, played a very important role in the history of Kerala. Today the College houses 24 Academic Departments of which 9 are Research Centres. Accredited with A grade in third assessment of NAAC, the institution is conferred with Autonomous status and recognised as College with Potential for Excellence by UGC. The College Library houses about a hundred thousand books and is one of the largest and oldest college libraries in Kerala.

St. Mary's College and its Department of Library

St. Mary's College, Thrissur, which has 23 departments, is the first women's college in Kerala. Started in 1946, St. Mary's is reaccredited with A grade in NAAC's third assessment and ranked 55 among Colleges in NIRF 2017. The library of College has a collection of more than 47,000 documents. The library boasts of a digital library funded by the MP.

Kerala College Librarians' Association (KCLA)

Established in 1969, KCLA is committed towards the progress of librarianship, with a focus on college libraries in Kerala. KCLA has initiated many packages to transform library services to cope-up with the dynamic digital information environment. As a professional association, KCLA is contributing a lot to the advancement of information management and information professionals in the higher education institutions in Kerala.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Venue:

MENACHERY HALL
St. Thomas' College, Thrissur

7TH DECEMBER 2017

9 am	Registration
10 - 11 am	Inaugural Session
11:15 am - 1 pm	Future of Libraries and changing role of information professionals Dr Ananda Byrappa Librarian, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore
2 - 4 pm	Electronic Resource Management Dr Francis Jayakanth Scientific Officer, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

8TH DECEMBER 2017

9:30 - 11:15 am	College Libraries: Who's responsible? Dr Dileep Raj Assistant Professor, Government Brennen College Thalassery
11:30 am - 1 pm	Library and Librarians: Experiences and Expectations Panel Discussion
2 - 4 pm	E-Research Literacy Dr Anila Sulochana Assistant Professor, Central University of Tamil Nadu

9TH DECEMBER 2017

9:30 - 10:30 am	Right to Information Act, 2005 Sri Lalith Babu State Resource Person, RTI
10:30 am - 12:30 pm	PUBLIC MEETING Guest of Honour PROF. C. RAVEENDRANATH Minister for Education, Government of Kerala