Access & Availability of Medical Literature in Electronic Environment (AMLEE-2019)

Theme: Digital Transformation in Medical Libraries

Authors Guidelines:
The paper must be submitted according to following format:
- The paper must be limited to 5000 to 7000 words.
- All papers should be typed on Microsoft Word using Times New Roman font with 12 pt. size.
- Paper size should be A4, Portrait (8.5” * 11”) using 1.5 spacing with margin 1” (Top, Bottom and Right) and 1.5” (Left).
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- All papers must be accompanied by one passport size colour photograph together with a paragraph of CV.
- Reference / bibliographies may be cited as per Vancouver format prescribed by the U.S. National Library of Medicine.

Important Dates
Abstracts/Full Text Paper Submission Deadline: July 5, 2019
Notification of Acceptance/Rejection: July 15, 2019
Final Paper (Camera Ready) Submission & Early Bird Registration Deadline: August 2, 2019
Conference Dates: 2nd-3rd September, 2019
On the spot registration available if possible

Please ensure your submission meets the conference’s strict guidelines for accepting scholarly papers. Downloadable versions of the check list for Full-Text Papers and Abstract Papers. Selected contributed papers should present/discuss in the conference will only published in post conference proceedings.

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Registration and accommodation
- Registration is free for bio-medical library professionals. Participants will be provided certificate with conference kit, high tea and working lunch.
- Participants have to arrange their own accommodation and travel.

Venue of the Conference
The conference will be held at Conference Hall, 1st Floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Auditorium, AIIMS, New Delhi. It is 9.8 Km from New Delhi Railway Station and 15 Km from Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi.

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Introduction

Medical libraries have huge repository of around 73,712 medical scholars and librarians. BBDL also collaborate with various format. BBDL organize workshops and training for clinicians, doctors, nurses, research scholars and librarians. BBDL also collaborate with other institutes to get resources required by our users which are not available in the library. BBDL collective collection development policy yield to huge repository of around 7,712 medical sciences reference and text books, 7,547 bound journals, 7,023 e-books, 12,500 online journals from medical science field.

- Access to 1,500 full text e-journals and 293 e-books
- Web OPAC for browsing Library holdings.
- Single Print Search (GachhBBDLib) library search engine across e-resources access.
- E-Reading Hall: having capacity of more than 75 Readers.
- Remote Access facility
- Access to plagiarism verification tool.
- Article on Demand Service
- Inter Library Loan Service
- Document Delivery service through E-Mail.
- Reprography and Printing Service.

Objectives

This conference mainly focuses on the understanding of medical sciences literature, license, access and availability, structure and functions of its management. It also solicit quality research paper and provide a National Forum for a Medical Library, professional faculty members, researchers, nurses, publishers and practitioner to present their experience & findings. Some of the major objectives:

- To ensure that participants are aware of the latest developments in the access & availability of medical information in electronic environment.
- To provide an opportunity for the participants to apply new skills, insights, and knowledge about the multiple determinants that affect the access & availability of electronic resources in medicine.
- To identify tools to enhance librarians understanding of medical literature, resources, and professional development needs.
- To discuss the issues, challenges and benefits of the effective use of electronic resources.
- To engage new networks to share best practices and learn from community-based initiatives.

Theme of the conference

Access & Availability of Medical Literature (AMLEE) Digital Transformation in Medical Libraries. Sub-theme: Conference will discuss the different aspects of the main theme which will be divided into several sub-themes as detailed below, but not necessarily limited to:

- Digital Transformation
- Medical literature search in major medical databases
- Medical Libraries: History & developments
- Scientific communication in the digital age
- Finding and managing scientific medical information
- Medical information literacy and the role of librarians
- Web scale discovery services
- Library automation standards and issues related to their compliance
- Measuring academic impact (citation analysis, altmetrics, bibliometrics, scientometrics etc.)
- Innovative practices in the design and development of digital libraries and institutional repositories
- Data curation, content & document management
- Information Society: Best Practices in Medical Libraries
- Information Management
- Library and information systems

- Design and Role of Information Centres
- E-Governance and Public Information
- Information Literacy and Competency
- Information Divide and Deprivation
- Open source software for people with disabilities
- Assistive Technologies for disabled people
- The disability divide in access of online health information
- Disabilities
- Digital Libraries Institutional Repositories
- E-Journals Management
- Information Sharing Models/Platforms
- Information Networks and Protocols
- Standards, Copyright, licensing and IPR Issues
- Repositories
- Digital library architecture & access management
- Metadata and structured documents
- Digital Rights Management: and Digital Assets Management
- Management of resources and e-archives
- Management of e-resources and consortia library networks
- Emerging Web technologies and tools
- Presenting and Web scale discovery
- Open access and open archives initiatives
- Skills and competencies of bio-medical library professionals
- Changing role of library professionals
- Marketing of library resources and services
- Open access and digital libraries
- Legal & ethical issues surrounding library profession

Who should participate?

This conference is aimed at professionals working in bio-medical sciences libraries, Academicians of all disciplines in bio-medical sciences, faculty members of institutions, stakeholders, information technology professionals and computer science professionals.

Call of Papers

This conference solicits experiences and technical papers, case studies, technology updates, etc. related to the theme and sub-themes of the conference. The paper submitted should have neither been published anywhere nor kept under consideration for publication. All papers will go through a process of review and accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings. Correspondence may be made with the principal author. The program committee will have the right to edit the papers. The papers should be submitted in soft copy as email attachment.

- Soft copy as email attachment to be sent at:
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- Any further communication to organizing secretary, AMLEE-2019 can be done at:
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