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The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of
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of Commerce and Science

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Virtual National Level Seminar
on

**“Planning, Designing and Developing
of Digital Libraries and Digital
Preservation”**

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About The College

Nirmala Memorial Foundation College of Commerce and Science is permanently affiliated to University of Mumbai and the college made its humble genesis in 2003, through the enlightened vision and guidance of, Late Shri Thakorbhai Desai, recipient of the Best Teacher Award from the Government of Maharashtra in 1986. The college aims to impart quality education to the learners of all creeds in general and Gujarati linguistic minority in particular.

The college strives to nurture and develop the intellectual power through constant, participative and interactive methods. It also trains learners to be responsible and worthy citizens of the country. The college offers a number of traditional and specialized under-graduate and postgraduate programs, catering to the needs of about 3,600 students. A perfect blend of dedicated and forward-looking management and committed teaching & non-teaching staff is steering the college on the right path, in the right direction.

About The IQAC

Internal Quality Assurance Cell(IQAC) was set up in the college in the year 2013 for planning, guiding and monitoring quality assurance and quality enhancement activities of the college. IQAC serves as a guiding force for continuous improvement, ensuring that the college consistently delivers a high standard of education and administrative services. It also strives to harmonize and consolidate various activities within the college and institutionalize effective practices. With Certification and standardisation by NAAC, IQAC has organized many seminars and conferences for our students, staff as well as for other stakeholders.

About The ICSSR

The Indian Council of Social Science Research, an autonomous organisation, was established by the Government of India in 1969 and ever since its role and functions have constantly been growing. The Council functions through a system of programme divisions at its headquarters in New Delhi and a network of six Regional Centres at Mumbai, Kolkata, Chandigarh, Hyderabad, New Delhi and Shillong. The Council has set up, in collaboration with respective state governments, six Regional Centres as part of its programme of decentralizing administration and broad-basing social science research. The Western Regional Centre was established with the approval of the Government of Maharashtra in January 1973 in collaboration with the University of Mumbai on the new campus of the University at Vidyanagari. It consists of three buildings – a wing of the Jawaharlal Nehru Library (1976), the ICSSR Hostel building (1976) and the J P Naik Bhavan (1983). The ICSSR Conference Hall is located on the ground floor of the J P Naik Bhavan. The major objectives of the Centre are – the promotion of research in social sciences, the imparting of training in research methodology to those aspiring to undertake research and the exposure of young social scientists and researchers to the benefit of the expert knowledge of specialists not only from the western region but also from the rest of India and abroad.

Concept Note

In the rapidly evolving landscape of information and technology, the importance of digital libraries and digital preservation has become paramount. As we transition into a digital era, preserving and providing access to valuable information has become a critical aspect of knowledge management. The National Seminar on "Planning, Designing, and Developing of Digital Libraries and Digital Preservation" aims to bring together experts, researchers, practitioners, and enthusiasts to explore and discuss the latest advancements, challenges, and strategies in the field.

Objectives

- a. To provide a platform for experts and practitioners to share their experiences and insights in the planning, designing, and development of digital libraries.
- b. To discuss emerging technologies and trends in digital library systems and digital preservation.
- c. To explore effective strategies for managing and preserving digital content, ensuring long-term accessibility and usability.
- d. To promote collaboration and networking among professionals in the field of digital librarianship and preservation.
- e. To create awareness about the significance of digital preservation in safeguarding knowledge repositories.

Schedule of the Program

Sr No	Time	Topic	Resource Person
1	10:30 am	Inauguration Chief Guest	Dr Jagdish Arora, Former Director Inflibnet Advisor, National Board of Accreditation
2	11:00 am to 1:00 pm	Planning, Designing and Developing of Digital Libraries	Dr B Sutradhar, Librarian, IIT Kharagpur , Key Person to Manage India's Mega Project National Digital Library
3	1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Lunch Break	
4	2:00 pm to 4:00 pm	Navigating through Digital Library and Creating Digital Repository	Sanjay Sapkal, Librarian of Dr. V. N. Bedekar Institute of Management Studies, Thane.
5	4.00 pm - 4.30 pm	Research Paper Presentations	
6	4:45 pm	Valedictory Function, Guest of Honour	Dr Manoj Kumar, INFLIBNET, Gandhinagar Scientist F (CS)

Registration Details

Registration and presentation Fee: Rs.200/-.

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NOTE:

- Sub theme for the research paper is
 1. Digitalization in Education Sector
 2. Digital repository management
 3. Role of library in fostering diffusion of knowledge
 4. Any other allied areas
- E-mail us the full research paper on researchcentre@nirmala.edu.in by **Thursday, 29th February 2024** along with registration fees.
- After being reviewed by the panel, the chosen paper will be published in International ISBN Book. Additional charges for publications will be informed accordingly.