**ASIA-PACIFIC INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT**
New Delhi

Shaping Futures Since 1996

**ASIAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**
New Delhi

# INTERNATIONAL *On* CONFERENCE

## Artificial Intelligence, Knowledge Centres and Libraries (ICAIKCL 2027)

**An Interdisciplinary Conference and AI Summit: Transforming Knowledge Management, Information Science, Professional Practice and Emerging Technologies**

**5-6 February, 2027**

**ORGANISED BY**

**Asia-Pacific Institute of Management**

In Collaboration with

**Asian Library Association, New Delhi**

**Venue:** APIM, Auditorium, 3 & 4 Institutional Area, Jasola, New Delhi - 110025, India




## KNOWLEDGE PARTNERS

**Digital Resource & Training Centre**
New Delhi -110025
www.drc.delhi.in

**Library Professionals Association,**
New Delhi
www.lpaindia.org

**The Energy and Resources Institute,**
New Delhi- 110003
www.teriin.org

**Library Professionals Foundation,**
Delhi-110032
www.lpf.co.in

**HoverRobotix**
www.hoverrobotix.com

**MENTORx Global**
www.thementorx.com

## CONFERENCE CONTEXT

The rapid advancement of AI, Generative AI, Large Language Models (LLMs), and automation is transforming libraries into smart, user-centric knowledge hubs. While these technologies enhance information discovery, library automation, and research support, they also raise concerns regarding privacy, copyright, and academic integrity.

ICAIL 2027 provides an international platform for researchers, academics, librarians, information scientists, and technology professionals to share innovations, discuss challenges, and explore the future of AI in academic and research libraries.

## CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

- Explore AI applications in academic, research, and digital libraries.
- Discuss automation in cataloguing, classification, metadata, and information discovery.
- Examine Generative AI and LLMs in research and scholarly communication.
- Address ethical, legal, privacy, copyright, and academic integrity issues.
- Promote AI literacy, professional skills, best practices, and institutional-industry collaboration.

## WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?

University and college librarians, LIS faculty, researchers, and students, information scientists, knowledge management experts, AI and IT professionals, Scholars, Entrepreneurs, academic publishers, database providers, library automation and RFID vendors, and representatives of international organization.

## TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

- **Artificial Intelligence and Academic Libraries:** AI adoption strategies and governance.
- **Generative AI & LLMs:** Applications of ChatGPT, Claude, and specialized tools in research services.
- **Smart Library Automation:** AI-powered LMS, RFID integration, and robotics.
- **Metadata & Cataloguing:** AI-assisted classification, tagging, and indexing.
- **Digital Repositories & Search:** Intelligent discovery platforms and digital archiving.
- **Ethics, Privacy and Intellectual Property Rights:** Copyright issues, licensing, data security, and plagiarism in the AI era.
- **Information Literacy:** Developing AI literacy frameworks for academic institutions.
- **Competencies & Future Skills:** Redefining professional roles for next-generation LIS practitioners.

## SUGGESTED SUBTHEMES / CALL FOR PAPERS

| | |
|---|---|
| **AI in Academic Research and Smart Libraries** | › AI adoption and policies › AI-driven services › Intelligent library systems › AI-enabled LMS/ILMS › RFID integration › Automated circulation and stock verification. |
| **Generative AI, ChatGPT & Large Language Models** | › LLMs for reference and research assistance › Prompt engineering › AI-generated content › Opportunities, limitations and practical applications. |
| **AI for Cataloguing, Classification and Discovery** | › Automated cataloguing › AI-assisted DDC and indexing › Metadata generation › Semantic search › Intelligent OPACs › Recommendation systems and multilingual retrieval. |
| **Digital Libraries, Repositories and Knowledge Management** | › AI in digital archives and institutional repositories › OCR and digitisation › Document processing › Knowledge graphs › Linked data and research data management. |
| **Research Support and Scholarly Communication** | › AI-assisted literature and systematic reviews › Research discovery › Academic writing › Research impact, analytics and bibliometrics › AI-powered databases and scholarly publishing. |
| **Ethics, Privacy, Copyright and Responsible AI** | › Data security and privacy › Copyright and intellectual property › Bias and transparency › Academic integrity › Plagiarism and responsible AI governance. |

| | |
|---|---|
| **AI Literacy, User Services and Inclusive Libraries** | › AI skills and training for librarians › Virtual assistants and chatbots › Personalised reference services › Accessibility › Assistive AI and changing professional roles. |
| **Emerging Technologies and the Future of Libraries** | › AI with IoT, robotics, blockchain and extended/virtual reality. › Smart campuses › Autonomous libraries. › Future of LIS education and information centres. |

## CALL FOR PAPERS

Original and unpublished research papers, review papers, case studies, and technology demonstration proposals are invited from academicians, researchers, and LIS professionals on any conference themes or in the combination of subthemes listed above.

**Abstract:** Maximum 200–300 words with 4–6 keywords.

**Full Paper Length:** 3,000 to 5,000 words

**Formatting:** MS Word format, Times New Roman, 12-pt. font size, 1.5 line spacing, 1 inch margins on all sides.

**Style & References:** APA 7th edition referencing style

**Author Details:** Full name, designation, institutional affiliation, postal address, mobile number, and email address.

**Originality:** Papers must be plagiarism-free (evaluated via similarity-checking software) and not submitted elsewhere.

**Note**

At least one author must register to present the paper at the conference.

## PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Accepted and presented papers will be included in the **Conference Proceedings with ISBN.** Selected high-quality papers will be considered for publication in **peer-reviewed and scopus-indexed journals.**

### Important Dates

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Call for Papers (CFP) Release: October, 2026 | Abstract Submission Deadline: December 26, 2026 | Final Registration Deadline: January 31, 2027 |
| Full Paper Submission Deadline: January 20, 2027 | Notification of Acceptance: December 30, 2026 | Conference Dates: February 5-6, 2027 |

| Category | Domestic Delegates (INR) Without Lodging | Domestic Delegates (INR) With Lodging | Foreign Delegates (USD) Without Accommodation | Foreign Delegates (USD) With Accommodation |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Faculty/Library Professionals | Rs.1500/- | Rs. 3000/- | $75 | $150 |
| Research Scholars | Rs.1000/- | Rs. 2700/- | $50 | $125 |
| Students | Rs. 750/- | Rs. 2550/- | $35 | $110 |
| Corporate / Industry Delegates | Rs. 5000/- | Rs. 7000/- | $250 | $275 |
| Online Delegates | Rs. 750/- | - | $35 | - |

## Registration link: https://forms.gle/kQ32egVbykef3vtv6

**Note:** Fee includes conference kit, proceedings, tea, snacks and lunch during the session and participation certificate.

**Note:** A 15% discount on the participation fee is available for early-bird registrations until 15 December 2026.

## PAYMENT DETAILS: ONLINE PAYMENT

All fees should be remitted via Online Bank Transfer (NEFT / RTGS / IMPS) using the following account details:

**Account Name:** Asia-Pacific Institute of Management (Conference Account)

**Bank Name:** ICICI Bank Ltd.

**Account Number:** 004601054460

**Branch:** Jasola / New Delhi, India

**Type:** Current

**IFSC Code:** ICIC0000046

**SWIFT Code (for Foreign Delegates):** ICICINBBNRI

Scan Qr Code to make Payment

**Note:** After making the online payment, email the transaction receipt and UTR number along with the completed registration form to the conference secretariat at conference.asiapacific2027@gmail.com .

## AWARDS

To encourage academic excellence and professional innovation, the following awards will be conferred during the Valedictory Ceremony:

**Best Paper Award:** Selected by an expert panel based on methodological rigour, originality, and oral presentation quality.

**Professional Award:** Recognising outstanding practical contribution and leadership in implementing innovative AI practices in a library environment.

## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Partner with ICAIL 2027 and showcase your organisation to librarians, researchers, academicians, technology providers and LIS professionals.

| Sponsorship Category | Indicative Opportunity | Contribution |
|---|---|---|
| Platinum Sponsor | Rs. 3,00,000+ | Corporate / CSR Partner |
| Gold Sponsor | Rs. 2,00,000 | Technology / Vendor Partner |
| Silver Sponsor | Rs. 1,00,000 | Advertising / Promotional Partner |
| Associate Sponsor | Rs. 50,000 | Supporting / Miscellaneous Partner |

## SPONSOR BENEFITS

- Logo placement on selected publicity materials, conference website, brochure, backdrop and digital promotions.
- Official acknowledgement during the inaugural and/or valedictory ceremony.
- Exhibition / display space for products, services or institutional initiatives, subject to conference arrangements.
- Opportunity for corporate presentation, technology demonstration or promotional display where applicable.
- Complimentary delegate registrations according to the sponsorship package.
- Space for promotional literature / brochures and networking with conference participants.
- Official recognition as Conference Partner / Sponsor in conference documentation.
- Customized sponsorship packages may be discussed with the Conference Secretariat.

## CONFERENCE ORGANIZING TEAM

**Chief Patron**



**Shri AK Srivastava**
Hon'ble Chairman,
Asia-Pacific Institute of Managment, New Delhi

**Patron**



**Shri Arush Srivastava**
Head - Digital,
Asia-Pacific Institute of Managment, New Delhi

**Conference Chairperson**



**Prof. (Dr.) Sanjiv Marwah**
Director,
Asia-Pacific Institute of Managment, New Delhi

**Conference Co-Chairperson**



**Dr. R. K. Sharma**
President, Asian Library Association
Ex-Director General, Delhi Public Library, Min. Of Culture, Ex-Librarian, United Nations Information Centre for India & Bhutan

## CONFERENCE CONVENERS AND ORGANIZING SECRETARY

**Mr. Ramesh Kumar Tiwari (Librarian),**
Asia-Pacific Institute of Management, New Delhi

**Ms. Sania Ahirwar (Library Assistant),**
Asia-Pacific Institute of Management, New Delhi

## CONFERENCE SUPPORT TEAM

**Mr. Pankaj Lohumi (Library Intern)**
APIM, New Delhi

**Ms. Neetu Yadav (Library Intern)**
APIM, New Delhi

**Ms. Anuradha (Library Intern)**
APIM, New Delhi

**Mr. Bhavesh Thakur (Library Intern)**
APIM, New Delhi

**Ms. Manisha Gupta (Library Intern)**
APIM, New Delhi

**Mr. Rajeev-IT,**
APIM, New Delhi

**Mr. Om Kumar (Finance),**
APIM, New Delhi

**CRM Team (Marketing),**
APIM, New Delhi

**Mr. Sumit Kr. Singh (Admin),**
APIM, New Delhi

## CONFERENCE COORDINATORS

**CHIEF COORDINATOR & SUMMIT DIRECTOR : Dr. Munish Jindal,** CEO - HoverRobotix , Founding President - MENTORx RMoC - AIM, Niti Aayog, Govt of India

**COORDINATORS:**

- **Dr. Rama Nand Malviya,** University Librarian, Rishihood University, Sonipat, Haryana.
- **Dr. Mohammad Nazim,** Associate Professor, DLIS, AMU, Aligarh.
- **Dr. R. K. Patro,** Librarian, INMANTEC, Ghaziabad, UP.
- **Dr. Muzamil Mushtaq,** Assistant Professor, DLIS, AMU, Aligarh, UP.

## NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- **Dr. Sanjeev Kumar,** University Librarian, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University, Delhi.
- **Dr. Tariq Ashraf,** Former University Librarian, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Raj Changrani–** Former Librarian, United Nations; Senior Librarian, New Delhi Institute of Management (NDIM), New Delhi.
- **Prof. (Dr.) Nirmal Kumar Swain,** Dept of Library and Information Science, MDU, Rohtak.
- **Dr. P K Bhattacharya,** Director & Editor, TERI, New Delhi.
- **Prof. (Dr.) Dharmendra Mehta,** Director, FMS-JNIBM, Samrat Vikramaditya Vishwavidyalaya, Ujjain.
- **Dr. Shiva Kanaujia Sukula,** Deputy Librarian, JNU Library, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Anand A. Jha,** Dean Student Welfare (DSW), Chitkara University, Himachal Pradesh.
- **Dr. P. K. Jain,** Former Librarian & President - SLP, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi.
- **Dr. Shantanu Ganguly,** Director, Library, Ashoka University, Sonipat, Haryana.

- **Dr. K. K. Chaudhary,** University Librarian, BRABU, Muzaffarpur, Bihar.
- **Dr. Jatinder Kumar,** University Librarian, BML Munjal University Gurugram, Haryana.
- **Dr. Ashok Upadhyay,** Professor and Head, Mangalayatan University, Aligarh (U.P.), India.
- **Dr. Mayank Trivedi,** University Librarian, MSU, Vadodara.
- **Dr. Shishir Mandaliya,** Librarian, SP University, Anand, Gujarat.
- **Prof. Sudhir Tyagi,** University Librarian, SVS University, Meerut, UP.
- **Dr. Sufian Ahmad,** Dy. Librarian, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Salek Chand,** General Secretary, library professionals association, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Sujit Pandey,** Librarian, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi, Jharkhand.
- **Dr. Madhavendra Abhinandan,** Dy Librarian, Rishihood University, Sonipat, Haryana.
- **Dr. D. M. Pandey,** Librarian, Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology (MMMUT), GorakhPur, Uttar Pradesh, India.
- **Dr. Jitendra Singh,** Librarian, Jaipuriya Institute of Management, Jaipur.
- **Dr. Bibhash K. Mishra,** University Librarian, DDU Gorakhpur University, Gorakhpur, UP.
- **Dr. D.N . Choudhary,** Director, DLIS T. M. B. University, Bhagalpur Bihar.
- **Dr. Alok Kumar Kashyap,** Asst. Professor & University INFLIBNET Coordinator, DLIS, GNSU, Jamuhar, Rohtas, Bihar 821305.
- **Dr. Vishnu Srivastava,** Deputy Librarian, High Court of Uttar Pradesh, Allahabad.
- **Dr. Ritesh Kumar,** Lecturer DLIS, T. M. B. University Bhagalpur, Bihar.
- **Dr. Riyazuddin,** Deputy Librarian, Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.
- **Mr. Raj Kumar Raja,** Research Scholar (DLIS), Gopal Narayan Singh university Sasaram Bihar.
- **Dr. Gulshan Sachdeva,** Librarian, Delhi School of Business, Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies, New Delhi-110034.
- **Dr. Anil Jharotia,** Librarian, The NorthCap University, Gurugram, Haryana.
- **Dr. D.D. Lal,** Chief Librarian (Head of the NBRC Library), Palwal, Haryana, India.
- **Dr. Ajeet Kumar** Director, CSL, New Delhi.
- **Mr. Khalid nadeem Khan,** F/I Dentistry, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Maya Devi,** Deputy Librarian , Gautam Buddha University. Gr. Noida.
- **Dr. Prafful Kumar,** Assistant Professor , DLIS, GNSU, Jamuhar, Rohtas, Bihar.
- **Dr. Rajesh Kumar,** University Librarian, Manav Rachna Intnl. University, Faridabad.
- **Mr. Raj Kumar,** Assistant Librarian, JK Business School, Gurugram.
- **Dr. S. M. Abbas,** Formar Senior Documentation Officer, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Dr. Susanta Kumar Senapti,** Former Scintist, CBRI, Roorkee, Uttarakhand.
- **Mr. Ghulam Samdani,** South Campus Library, University of Delhi.
- **Mr. Gauri Shankar,** Assistant Librarian, INMANTEC, Ghaziabad.

## INTERNATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE



**Prof. (Dr.) D. K. Malhotra**
Professor of Finance, Thomas Jefferson University, USA



**Ms. Cindy Hohl**
Past President ALA, USA



**Dr. Wathsala Athukorala**
Librarian, Open University of Sri Lanka

## **INVITED** SPEAKERS



**Dr. Rajesh Singh**
University Librarian, Delhi University, Delhi



**Ms. Cindy Hohl**
Past ALA President, USA



**Dr. Wathsala Athukorala**
Librarian, Open University of Sri Lanka



**Prof. (Dr.) Anthoni Rodrigues**
Prof. and Head , DOC, Fr. Agnel College of Arts and Commerce, Pillar, Goa



**Dr. Vikas Sitaramji Nagrale**
University Librarian
Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi



**Dr. Deepankar Mukherjee**
Director, Indo Education
New Delhi



**Prof.(Dr.) Brajesh Kumar**
Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Academics) Lingaya's Vidyapeeth, New Delhi



**Prof. Dr. Shailendra Singh**
Chairman, MSD-5, BIS, GOI
Former Sr. Professor and Head, Delhi University



**Dr. Nabi Hasan**
Librarian, IIT, New Delhi



**Dr. Akhtar Parvez**
University Librarian, Jamia Hamdard, Delhi



**Prof. (Dr.) Dharmendra Mehta**
Director, FMS-JNIBM, Samrat Vikramaditya Vishwavidyalaya, Ujjain



**Prof. (Dr.) Projes Roy**
Joint Director, DDCE, Delhi University



**Dr. Jameel Ahmad**
Expert in AI applications in Library Systems, Assistant Librarian
Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi



**Dr. Gopakumar V.**
University Librarian, Digital University of Kerala, Keralam



**Dr. Munish Jindal,**
CEO - HoverRobotix , Founding President - MENTORx
RMoC - AIM, Niti Aayog, Govt of India



**Dr. Nancy Juneja,**
Founders - RevUp Global
Dir. General - Lucr8 Ventures



**Dr. Raj Changrani**
(Former Librarian with UN) Asst Registrar, Public Relations Officer Sr Librarian , NDIM, New Delhi

## TRAINING SESSION: AI APPLICATIONS IN LIBRARIES

A practical training session on the applications of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in libraries, covering AI tools for information discovery, literature search, research support, content creation, reference services, and library operations. The session will also highlight effective prompting, ethical use of AI, copyright, privacy, and academic integrity.

**Resource Person:** Mr.Fazal Kamroon, Expert- AI applications in Library Systems, Digital Resource & Training Centre, New Delhi.

## SUMMIT

| PROGRAM | PARTICULAR |
|---|---|
| **Panel 1: AI & knowledge Centre** | **From Knowledge Repositories to Intelligence AI Hubs:** The next Evolution of knowledge Management. |
| **Fireside Chat 1: The Trailblazer Perspective** | **AI, Capital and Courage:** What will it take to Build the next generation of Global Champions? |
| **Panel 2: Ai & Health Tech** | **From Reactive Treatment to Predictive Health care:** Is AI the Biggest Medical Revolution of Our Time? |
| **Demo Session: Hover Robotix: AI & Robotics** | **Robotics Unplugged:** Witnessing AI Intelligence in Action. |
| **Panel 3: AI & Libraries** | **Beyond Digitalisation:** Building Libraries that think, Learn and Anticipate. |
| **Fireside Chat 4: Women Impact Leadership** | **Her Intelligence, Her Impact:** Women Redefining leadership in the Age of AI. |
| **Panel 4: AI & Bridging the Gap** | **From Digital Exclusion to Intelligent Inclusion:** Bridging the Gap between Academia & Industry. |
| **Demo Session: MENTORx - Mentoring & Hands-on Experience** | **Learn Experience, Execute:** The Transformative Power of Mentorship. |

hoverRobotix®

**WITH THE COLLABORATION OF HOVERROBOTIx**

**CONTACT: CONFERENCE CONVENERS & ORGANIZING SECRETARY AND SUPPORT TEAM**

**Mr. Ramesh Kumar Tiwari** (Librarian)
Asia-Pacific Institute of Management, New Delhi

**Ms. Sania Ahirwar** (Conference Coordination & Support) Library Assistant, Asia-Pacific Institute of Management, New Delhi

conference.asiapacific2027@gmail.com 91-9643808804, 91-7703917183 asiapacific.edu/

**Registration Link:** https://forms.gle/kQ32egVbykef3vtv6

For: Registration | Paper Submission | Conference Queries | Participation and Coordination