Dr. N. VASANTHAKUMAR'S PROFILE

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Designation   :   **LIBRARIAN**

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Educational Qualification:

Degree	Subject	College / University & Place	Year Completed
Ph.D.,	Library and Information Science	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli-627012	March 2013
M.Phil.,	Library and Information Science	Alagappa University Karaikudi-630003	Dec. 2007
M.L.I.Sc.,	Library and Information Science	Madurai Kamaraj University Madurai-625021	April 2005
B.L.I.Sc.,	Library and Information Science	Madurai Kamaraj University Madurai-625021	April 2004
P.G. Dip. In E-Commerce	E-Commerce	Madurai Kamaraj University Madurai-625021	May 2001
B.Sc.,	Mathematics	Yadava College, Madurai-625014 (Madurai Kamaraj University)	April 1994

Specialisation in Teaching :   Library and Information Science and ICT

Specialisation in Research :   Library related User Studies

Research Interests   :   Library Automation, Digital/Electronic Library Developments, Online Materials.

Other Work Experience:

Designation	Institution / Company	Year - From (month/year) To (month/year)
Librarian in-Charge	**SOURASHTRA COLLEGE** (Autonomous), Pasumalai, Madurai-625004.	July 2013 to October 2013
Librarian	**YADAVA COLLEGE** (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	June 2010 to July 2013
Assistant Librarian (PG Library-Independent Charge)	**KLN College of Information Technology (KLNCIT)** Pottapalayam-630611, Sivagangai Dist. (Near Madurai)	October 2009 to May 2010
Assistant Librarian	**Thiagarajar School of Management** (Autonomous), Thirupparankundram, Madurai-625005. **(B-School)**	October 2006 to October 2009

Administrative /Academic Position/s (held / currently holding):

Positions held / currently holding	Year - From (month/year) To (month/year)
Position : **ASSOCIATE EDITOR** Journal : International Journal of Digital Library Services ISSN No : 2250-1142 (Online), Frequency:Half Yearly Category : **International Journal**	January 2011 To Till Date
Position : **MEMBER, ADVISORY BOARD** Journal : World Research Journal of Library and Information Science ISSN No : 2278-702X (Print) E-ISSN: 2278-7038 (Online) Category : **International Journal,** Frequency: Quarterly	January 2012 To Till Date
MEMBER, ACADEMIC COUNCIL YADAVA COLLEGE, (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	June 2010 To July 2013
CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF STUDIES Department of Library and Information Science YADAVA COLLEGE, (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	June 2010 To July 2013
CHAIR PERSON, READERS CLUB E.Rengasamy Library YADAVA COLLEGE, (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	June 2010 To July 2013
MEMBER, WEB TEAM (www.yadavacollege.org) YADAVA COLLEGE, (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	June 2010 To July 2013
MEMBER, BOARD OF STUDIES Department of English YADAVA COLLEGE, (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014.	April 2006 To March 2007

Membership in Professional Bodies:

1. **Life Member** in Yadava College (Yadavar Kalvi Nidhi:1962), (Autonomous), Thiruppalai, Madurai-625014. **(From 1994)**

2. **Life Member** in the Society for the Advancement of Library and Information Science (SALIS), Chennai. **(From 2006)**

3. **Member** in the Society of Digital Information and Wireless Communications (SDIWC), Dubai. **(From 2013)**

Publications:
Books:

-- NIL --

Articles Published in International Journals:

-- NIL --

Articles published in National Journals: THREE (3)

1. Journal : **Kelpro Bulletin**
   Period   : December, 2013   ISSN No: 0975-4911
   Volume : 17   Number: 2   Pages: 113-120
   Paper Title: Use of college library by the faculty and students of Mathematics in arts and science colleges in North Madurai, Tamil Nadu.

2. Journal : **Indian Journal of Information Sciences and Services**
   Period   : July-December, 2011   ISSN No: 0973-8967
   Volume : 5   Issue: 2   Pages: 25-30
   Paper Title: A Study on Job Satisfaction of Library Professionals with Reference to colleges imparting Management Education.

3. Journal : **Mano Journal of Business Research**
   Period   : January, 2011   ISSN No: 0976-7207
   Volume : 2   Pages: 25-29
   Paper Title: Job Satisfaction of Library Professionals in South Tamil Nadu

Conference / Seminar Presentations and Participation: (ENCLOSED)

S.No.	Details	International	National	State	Region	Total
1	Conference	2 (1 Paper)	9 (13 Papers)	-	-	11
2	Seminar	1	9 (4 Papers)	5	4	19
3	Workshop	-	5	7	-	12
4	Training	-	-	3	-	3
	Total	3	21	15	4	45*
*Totally **18** Papers Presented in International & National Conference and Seminars.						

Lectures / Talks given:

NSS Lecture Title: "Students and Social Services" on 11.01.2011 and 05.03.2011

Awards / Fellowships:

-- NIL --

Doctoral Students

-- NIL --

Completed:

Name of the student	Title of the thesis
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Ongoing:

Name of the student	Title of the thesis
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UGC Sponsored Major Projects:

Title	Year of Award	Amount Awarded	Status of the project- Completed / Ongoing	Co-investigator, if any
-- NIL --				

UGC Sponsored Minor Project

Title	Year of Award	Amount Awarded	Status of the project- Completed / Ongoing	Co-investigator, if any
-- NIL --				

Overseas Academic Visits:

-- NIL --

OTHER ACTIVITIES / ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS:

Programmes Organised / Conducted:

1. Librarian Day Book Review   -   9th August 2011

2. Book Fair / Exhibition   -   10th February 2011

3. Science Day Program   -   28th January 2011

4. E.Learning & E.Teaching Seminar -   9th July 2010

5. National Level Seminar   -   13th March 2010

6. Green Stone Digital Library (**GSDL**) Open Source Software installed for Cygmax Institute

of Management studies (CIMS), Madurai-625003

*DETAILS:

S.N	Conference /Seminar / Workshop	Held on	Name of the Institute
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE:			
1.	E-Resources in Higher Education: Issues, Developments, Opportunities & Challenges **(1 Paper Presented)**	19.02.10 & 20.02.10	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
2.	Knowledge Management – Keeping pace in the Digital age	09.10.09 & 10.10.09	Laico, Aravind Eye Hospitals, Madurai.
INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR:			
3.	Knowledge Management for Technical Education	19.01.13	Velammal College of Engineering and Technology, Madurai-625009.
NATIONAL CONFERENCE:			
4.	Research Trends and New paradigms in library and Information Science **(1 Paper Presented)**	22.02.14	Bharathiar University, Coimbatore – 641046.
5.	Information Management in Digital Era **(4 Papers Presented)**	07.12.13	Vivekananda Institute of Engineering and Technology for Women, Tiruchengode
6.	Digital Resource Initiatives in Libraries **(2 Papers Presented)**	12.10.13	V.S.B. Engineering College, Karur-639111.
7.	Future of Academic Libraries: Challenges and Opportunities. **(1 Paper Presented)**	07.04.11 & 08.04.11	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai-625021.
8.	E-Publishing in the Present Era of Consortium. **(1 Paper Presented)**	21.03.11 & 22.03.11	Holy Cross College, Tiruchirappalli.
9.	Changing Dimensions in Library Resources and Services in the Digital Era	18.04.08 & 19.04.08	Central Library, SRM University, Kattankulathur- 603 203.
10.	Future Concept of Library and Information Services: Changes, Challenges and Role of Library Professionals. **(3 papers presented)**	05.10.07 & 06.10.07	Rev. Jacob Memorial Christian College, Santhipuram,Ambilikkai-624612.
11.	Future Technologies for Empowering LIS professionals: Challenges and Opportunities **(1 paper presented)**	09.08.07 - 11.08.07	University Library, Anna University, Chennai-600025.
12.	Future Librarianship in Knowledge Society	28.03.07 & 29.03.07	University of Calicut,Calicut-673635, KERALA.
NATIONAL SEMINAR:			
13.	Digital Library Era **(1 Paper Presented)**	16.03.12	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli-627012
14.	Redefining the role of libraries in the Digital Era	11.03.11 & 12.03.11	Annamalai University, Annamalainagar-608002.
15.	Total Quality Management in Digital Libraries	27.10.10	Thiagarajar School of Management, Maduraii-625005.
16.	Emerging Technologies in Digital Libraries and e-learning	13.03.10	K.L.N College of Information Technology, Pottapalayam-630611 (Near Madurai)
17.	Library Security Systems in Modern Era	22.01.10 & 23.01.10	Alagappa University, Karaikudi
18.	"Emerging Trends and challenges in Library and Information Services" **(3 papers presented)**	06.02.08 - 08.02.08	AVVM Sri Pushpam College,Poondi-613503 & Bharathidasan University, Trichy.
19.	Digital Libraries in Distance Education: Myths and Realities	27.08.07 & 28.08.07	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai-625021.
20.	Digital Libraries and Virtual Learning Environments	24.11.06 & 25.11.06	VIT University, Vellore-632014.
21.	Competencies for budding Information professionals in the Digital Era	11.11.06	N C S I, Indian Institute Science (IISc), Bangalore, KARNATAKA.

NATIONAL WORKSHOP:

22.	Research Data Analysis with SPSS Packages	27.02.13 & 28.02.13	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli-627012.
23.	Workshop on Koha: An Open-Source Software for Library Management System	10.03.11	St. Xavier's College, Palayamkottai-627002.
24.	User Awareness Concerning N-List	11.02.11	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli-627012
25.	e-Resources and Higher Academic Research	26.05.07	Central Library, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli-620024.
26.	Building Digital Libraries using DSpace and Green Stone Digital Library (GSDL)	27.10.06 & 28.10.06	Thiagarajar School of Management, Madurai-625005.

STATE SEMINAR:

27.	Re-Defining the Library for the Digital Age	20.03.10	Dr. Sivanthi Aditanar College of Engineering, Tiruchendur-628215.
28.	Change Management in Library and Information Services	26.09.09	Gopi Arts & Science College, Gobichettipalayam-638453.
29.	E-Resources – A Tool for Global Knowledge	09.03.07	Arulmigu Palaniandavar Arts College for women, Palani-624615.
30.	Future Libraries	30.12.06	University Library, Anna University, Chennai-600025.
31.	Emerging Trends in Library and Information Technology	09.04.05	K.L.N. College of Engineering, Pottapalayam -630611 (Near Madurai).

STATE WORKSHOP:

32.	"Library Website Design"	22.02.08 & 23.02.08	Sri Krishna College of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore-641008.
33.	Institutional Repositories	02.12.06	Sri Krishna College of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore-641008.
34.	Conservation of Library Materials	07.04.06 - 09.04.06	Thanjavur Maharaja Serfoji's Sarasvati Mahal Library, Thanjavur.
35.	Medical E-Resources	05.03.05	Rev. Jacob Memorial Christian College, Ambilikkai-624612, Dindigul Dist.
36.	Digital Libraries for Academic Institutions	04.10.08	National Engineering College, Kovilpatti-628503.
37.	Data Analysis using SPSS	30.08.13	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai-625021.
38.	E-Resources on Tamil Literature: An Introduction	14.09.13	Rev. Jacob Memorial Christian College, Ambilikkai-624612, Dindigul Dist.

REGIONAL SEMINAR:

39.	Emerging Technologies in Library and Information Services	19.11.11	Gandhigram Rural Institute, Deemed University, Gandhigram-624302
40.	E-Resources : Effective Utilization in Special & Academic Libraries	08.09.06 & 09.09.06	K.L.N. College of Engineering, Pottapalayam -630611(Near Madurai).
41.	Digital Library	18.08.06 & 19.08.06	Thanjavur Tamil University, Thanjavur.
42.	Authors, Publishers & Librarians Meet	30.08.08	Thiagarajar School of Management (TSM), Madurai & National Library, Kolkata.

TRAINING PROGRAM:

43.	Handicapped Students Special skills Training program	17.11.11	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli-627012
44.	Geographical Information System(GIS) for Resource Mapping	15.02.06 to 13.04.06	Gandhigram Rural Institute, Deemed University, Gandhigram-624302, Dindigul
45.	Consumer Training Programme	31.03.96	Tamil Nadu Consumer Protection Council, Madurai.