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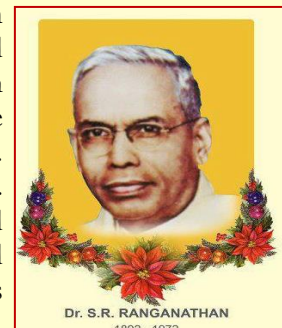
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### 125TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF DR. S. R. RANGANATHAN AYYAR

12<sup>th</sup> August 2017 is a special day for the Indian Library and Information Science Teachers and Professionals. It is the 125<sup>th</sup> (1892-2017) Birth Anniversary of great soul of India, Padmashree Prof. (Dr.) Shiyali Ramamrita Ranganathan Ayyar. It is very difficult to note down about Dr. Ranganathan because of his diverse personality and wide large contribution in the field of Library and Information science. However, summary of his chief contribution may be enlisted as;



- 1924- Designed the Colon Classification
- 1925- Trial of Colon Classification with the printed catalogue of the Madras University Library and the Ship Library on board SS Dumana (June-July)
- 1928- Formulated the Five Laws of Library Science
  - Library Science:
  - Books are for use;
  - Every reader, his book,
  - Every book, its reader,
  - Save the time of the reader; and
  - The library is a growing organism.
- 1929- Started the School of Librarianship of the Madras Library Association
- 1931- Started the School of Library Science at the University of Madras(April)
  - Duration as Certificate Course 1931-1937
  - Duration as Diploma Course 1937-1960
  - Duration as Degree Course 1961-

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Library website:

<http://172.16.2.132/library/index.php>

(Intranet)

<http://14.139.211.2/library/index.php>(Int

ernet)



<https://www.facebook.com/vbllibnet>



<http://14.139.211.2/mediawiki/index.php>

### Notice for Faculty / Staff / Scholar (All are cordially Welcome)

1. **Demo programme** on e-resources of Oxford University Press. Venue- Conference Hall, Central Library. Date and Timing - **15<sup>th</sup> September, 11.30am.**
2. **Book Fair-2017** is going to be jointly organized by Samindra Sishu Pathagar and National Book Trust. Venue- Singha Sadana, Patha Bhavana. Date and Timing- **08-10 September, 8 am to 12.30 noon.**

- 1934- Designed the Classified Catalog Code
- 1938- Designed Chain Indexing
- 1950- Designed Facet Analysis
- 1956- Founded Annals of Library Science Classification of Library Management
- 1957- Founded the Sarada Ranganathan Chair of Library Science, University of Madras
- 1961- Founded the Sarada Ranganathan Endowment for Library Science
- 1963- Developed the Dynamic Theory of Library Classification
- 1964- Editor of Library Science with a Slant to Documentation; author of 53 books and about 1200 articles on library science

[Source: <http://www.isibang.ac.in/~library/portal/Pages/SRRWORK.pdf>]

**Celebration at Visva-Bharati:** Like different states in India, Institutes, Libraries, **Visva-Bharati** Library Network observed Librarians' Day on 12 August 2017 at Conference Hall, Central Library. Welcome address was delivered by Prof-in-Charge, Prof Nirmalya Banerjee followed by a Lecture by Dr. Partha Pratim Ray on "Ranganathan's Five Laws of Library Science and Tagore's Educational Philosophy: An Overview". In his lecture Dr. Roy nicely elaborated about the relationship of five laws of Ranganathan and Tagore's educational philosophy which was really attractive and encouraging to the audience. After the lecture concluding comment was delivered by Prof. Sudhendu Mondal, Ex-Prof. Visva-Bharati, Former Director, National Library and Pro-V.C., Seacom Skill University. In his comments, he has appreciated about the recent activities and developments of the Vissva-Bharati Library Network and proposed to organize similar type of lecture under 'lecture series' to accelerate the awareness & academic culture among the library staff. The Programme was ended with vote of thanks given by Dr. Nimai Chand Saha. The programme was attended by 35 Staff of the VBLN and Scholars of VB.

## MyAthens: Remote Access

[www.openathens.net](http://www.openathens.net)

**Remote Access:** 'Library goes where you go' – access all online journals, databases and e-books from anywhere in the globe, at any time, from any network provider. OpenAthens is remote one-click access to the resources your library subscribes to. MyAthens is a basic user portal that any personal (or access) account can sign into to find a list of allocated resources, change their password (personal accounts only) and view information about their organization. There are several options for customizing it:

**Path to function: *Management > MyAthens***

*For technical reasons, these pages currently have to be opened in a new tab or window.*

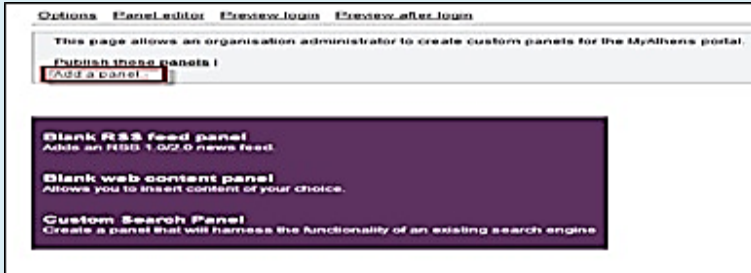
**Preferences:** - Here you can set;

- the default page your users will see when then access MyAthens - the panel page, or the resource list.
- Users can override this setting within MyAthens
- Whether or not users can change the email address associated with their account on the MyAccount tab of MyAthens
- The logo that will appear in the top centre of the page once they've signed in
- Image can be up to 100 x 100 pixels as png, jpeg or gif.
- Image appears on a white background
- Which present panels are available and visible to users by default when they first sign in to MyAthens.

The submit button is at the bottom of the page. Changes will be visible in MyAthens the next time a user signs in. If they are already signed in, they will have to sign out and back in again to see the changes.

**Panel editor: -**

There are three types of panel you can add: an RSS feed, a web content panel and a custom search panel. For any of them, click on the add a panel link at the top of the page

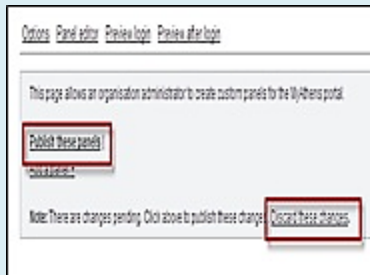


**Common items: -**

On all the panel types, you can decide whether or not they can be closed by the users. You will not be able to prevent them moving or collapsing the panels though.

The panels can be set to appear before or after sign in. Appearing before sign in requires that the user is recognised by MyAthens as probably being one of yours either by a significant number of users from an IP address all being yours, or by the user searching for your organisation on the MyAthens sign in page.

Once you have made your additions or edits, use the publish these panels or discard these changes links at the top of the page.



**RSS feed panel: -** Simply paste the feed URL in the box, decide how many items to display and click update.

**Web content panel: -** Start by entering the title, tooltip and description fields and then click on the update button before continuing.



You can then use the edit content button to activate a rich text editor on the left.

You can add images and hyperlinks using the buttons at the bottom.

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**Custom search panel (advanced): -**

Most search engines work in a similar way - they form a URL based on your search terms that is sent to their back end. These are typically made up of a search address, a query string and some other parameters such as:  
 https://www.searchengine.example/search?q=cute+kittens&parameter1=something&parameter2=somethingelse

In the example, the search string is "cute" and "kittens" with a couple of parameters after each '&'. You can see something similar if you go to your favourite search engine and have a look at the URL after you click on search.

To set this up in a panel, you need to know (either by talking to the service provider, or de-constructing a URL) the following information:

- \* Search engine URL
- \* Submit button value (if there is one)
- \* Get or Post submission
- \* Any parameters, and their order if relevant

Enter those details, submit, publish and test.



**Previews: -**

Allow you to see how your new panels will look in action. Changes to the logo may take a few moments to be reflected in the preview pages.

**Usage Statistics of Remote Access during the One-year July,2016 to June,2017: -****1. According to Resource usage: -**

Resource title	Total Accesses
ACS Publications (transfer)	4
Adam Matthew Digital Ltd(transfer)	1
AIP. (usage)	37
American Chemical Society (ACS). (usage)	41
American Physical Society. (usage)	14
American Psychological Association (transfer)	1
Annual Reviews. (usage)	26
ArtStor. (usage)	17
Atypon Systems: Annual Reviews (transfer)	3
BioOne (transfer)	2
CABI (transfer)	2
Cambridge Core. (usage)	41
Cambridge University Press (transfer)	25
CRCnetBASE (transfer)	2
EBSCO Information Services (transfer)	184
Elsevier Products (transfer)	906
Emerald Insight (transfer)	41
HighWire Press (transfer)	166
https://journals.sagepub.com/shibboleth (transfer)	140
https://www.scitation.org/shibboleth (transfer)	5
https://www.wageningenacademic.com/shibboleth (transfer)	1
IEEE Xplore. (usage)	8

Resource title	Total Accesses
IEEE XploreDigital Library (transfer)	3
Indian Journals. (usage)	90
Indiastat.com. (usage)	73
Ingenta (transfer)	4
Ingram MyiLibrary (transfer)	1
Institute of Physics Publishing (transfer)	22
JSTOR (transfer)	985
McGraw-Hill eBook Library (transfer)	2
McGraw-Hill Medical (transfer)	1
Nature - Macmillan Science and Education (transfer)	39
Project MUSE. (usage)	3
ProQuest & Chadwyck-Healey databases (transfer)	41
Publishing Technology (transfer)	2
Royal Marsden Manual Online, Blackwell Reference Online, UCL Hospitals Injectable Medicine Guide (transfer)	3
Royal Society of Chemistry Publications Online (transfer)	14
SAGE Knowledge (transfer)	5
Springer (transfer)	356
Taylor & Francis eBooks (transfer)	7
Taylor & Francis Online (transfer)	261
Thomson Reuters Web of Science (transfer)	2
Web of Knowledge. (usage)	54
Wiley Online Library (transfer)	330
<b>Total</b>	<b>3965</b>

**2. According to Accounts Management: -**

Email sent	711	Account created	84
Failed login (expired)	93	Transfers to federated resource	3620
Failed login (password)	380	Account activated	79
Account deleted	4	Email address changed	2
Password changed	169	Failed login (locked)	10
Account expired	153	Account modified	115
Successful login	2483	Transfers to resource	651
Account deactivated	5		



**For taking individual Account:** You need to make an e-mail request to the Deputy Librarian ([ncsaha.72@gmail.com](mailto:ncsaha.72@gmail.com)) along with an ID, some mandatory pieces of information and an undertaking (given below). Send the 'Undertaking' in the email request as text message in the mail box (but NOT as attachment). Access will be granted for a limited period but as many times as required the same will be extended subject to one line of request through mail. It's open only to Faculty, Officers, Library Staff and Research Scholars. On creation of an account, you will receive an e-mail asking you to activate the same and also create a password. On logging into OpenAthens, click on 'My Athens' and start the search. Two search facilities viz., a) Discovery Service Search and b) Individual Database Search are provided. [British Council Library will require ID and password. Collect them by clicking here (from Intranet/ within the campus): <http://14.139.211.2/>]

#### UNDERTAKING for obtaining Remote Access Account by the

1. I, ....., understand that the User ID and Password being set up for me facilitating remote access (through OpenAthens) to online subscribed resources by the Visva-Bharati Library Network is non-sharable and non-transferable to others (knowingly or unknowingly) as it is deemed to be violation of the license agreements signed by Visva-Bharati with the respective online resource providers. 2. I understand that my usage will be monitored by the service provider as well as VB and if any misuse (including systematic/machine-aided downloading) is noticed, the facility will be withdrawn. And I agree to pay monetary compensation, if any, claimed by the resource provider.

3. I propose the following User ID: .....

4. Personal Details:

- |                                  |                        |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| a) Name:                         | b) Library Card no.    |
| c) Department:                   | d) Position:           |
| e) Phone no.                     | f) E-mail ID:          |
| g) VB ID No (for Employee only): | h) Residential Address |

(Sri Ram Prasad Mazumder)

## Some Recent Library Activities / Developments

- **E-demo Programme:** Three Demo Programme on 'E-resources' and Indian Citation Index have been organized during the month;
  - 'E-resources of Oxford University Press (OUP)' by OUP and 'Indian Citation Index' Jointly by Diva Enterprise Pvt. Ltd. & Globe Publication Pvt. Ltd. Kolakta on 04 August. Total 23 participants attended the programme.
  - 'Sage Research Methods Online (SRMO)' by Sage Publications and 'JGate Plus' by Informatics 24 August. Total 23 participants attended the programme.
  - 'Emerald University Collection' by Emerald on 29 August. Total 13 participants attended the programme
- **Library Orientation Programme:**

**Central Library:** As requested by Head of the Dept. the following Programme organized by the Central Library:

  - a) Dept. of Indo-Tibetan Studies (twice) 05 and 12 August. The total 20 and 18 UG students attended the programme respectively.
  - b) Dept. of Physical Education on 18 August. The total 68 BPEd students including two faculties attended the programme.
  - c) Dept. of Social Work, PSV on 26 August. The total 59 newly admitted BSW and MSW students including two faculties attended the programme.
- **Bhavana Library and Centers:**
  - a) **Siksha Bhavana Library:** Organize Library Orientation Programme on 21 August. Total 92 newly admitted UG & PG students and six faculty members were attended the programme. The programme started at 11.45am with opening Song followed by introductory speech by Prof. N. Banerjee, Prof.-in-Charge, University Library. Dr. Nimai Chand Saha demonstrate about the ways and means of using Resources & Services of VBLN followed by demonstration by Resources & Services of Siksha Bhavana Library by Dr. Sanat Bhattacharya. Programme ended with a closing song at 1.45pm.

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- b) **Center for Journalism and Mass Communication:** Organized a Library Orientation Programme at the Center on 25 August, Dr. N. C. Saha demonstrate about the ways and means of using Resources & Services of VBLN in the programme followed by an introduction by Prof. B. Loho Chowdhury, In-charge, CJMC. Total 39 newly admitted students were attended the programme.
- **Exhibition and Celebration of Important Days** at Reference Section, Central Library: Organized three special exhibitions of books and allied materials including quotations and photographs to celebrate;
- 125<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan who happens to be the Father of Library Science in India on 12 August.
  - 71<sup>st</sup> Independence Day on 15 August 26, 2017
  - 107<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mother Teresa on 25 August 26, 2017
- **Exhibition Books Hindi Bhavana Library:** Organized a Book Exhibition on ‘Tulsidas Sahitya’ on the occasion of Tulsi Jayanti on 01 August 2017. Visitors both VB Fraternity (mostly from Hindi Bhavana) and the invited guests for seminar on the day at Bhavana had an opportunity to browse all types of Tulsi Sahitya books in the exhibition. The said exhibition had been extended for next one day on the request of the visitors and faculties from the Bhavana.
- **Article Delivery Services:**  
During the month 04 no of soft copies of the articles have been collected and delivered through mail as requested by the academics/scholars in and out of Visva-Bharati.

➤ **New Additions (Books) during June 2017**

**Central Library**

Number of Books received as Gift : 03 (Acc. No. G9335 - G9397)

**Cheena Bhavana Library**

Number of books received as Gift : 02 (CG4650 - CG4651)

**Hindi Bhavana Library**

Number of books received as Gift : 07 (HG197 - HG203)

**PSB Library**

Number of books received as Gift : 33\*

*\*devoted to different topics of agriculture from son Partha Protim Majumdar and daughter-in-law Sucharita Majumdar of ex-principal of PSB Prof. S. K. Majumdar. The books will certainly enrich collection of the library and students will be benefitted out of it. The entire PSB community express their gratitude to the family members for this generous donation.*

➤ **Personalia:**

**Dr. Partha Pratim Ray**, Deputy Librarian has been assigned with the responsibility of teaching Course no. PGS 501: Library and Information Sciences of M.Sc. (Ag) for the academic session 2017-18.

**Sri Ajay Kumar Sharma**, Assistant Librarian and In-charge Cheena Bhavana Library has designed and hosted website of Visva-Bharati Co-operative Credit Society Limited (<http://vbccsl.org/index.php>) which was launched on 18 August 2017 by Hon'able Vice-Chancellor (Offg.), Professor Swapan Kumar Datta on the eve of the inaugural session of the International Conference on ‘Vision of Rabindranath Tagore on Co-operative Society & Community Development’ held at Lipika Auditorium during 18-19 August 2017.

**Dr. Koushik Ghosh**, Assistant Librarian, Central Library acted as a Joint Convener in the International Seminar on Vision of Rabindranath Tagore on Co-operative Society and Community Development on dated 18th – 19th August, 2017, jointly Organized by Visva-Bharati Co-operative Credit Society Ltd and in association with Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension (REC), Visva-Bharati at Santiniketan. He has also presented two papers titled “Role of library as a Community Development with special reference to Tagore” and “Community Information Service with special reference to Ruppur Gram Panchayat: a study” in the event.

**Sri Atanu Kumar Sinha**, Professional Assistant, PSV Library acted as Joint Convener of the International Seminar on Vision of Rabindranath Tagore on Co-operative Society and Community Development, jointly organised by Visva-Bharati Co-operative Credit Society Ltd. and Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension (REC) held on 18th-19th August, 2017. He has also presented a paper titled Role of Information for Community Development: A Survey in the Tribal Villages of Birbhum District of West Bengal (Abstract 102) in the said event.

## New Arrivals (Books and Periodicals)

[Books](#)(click)

[Journals](#) (click)

### Conferences / Seminars / Workshops in Library & Information Science

1. TERI is organizing this Workshop on "Digital Marketing and Role of Social Media to Build Smart Libraries 2.0" during 8-10 November 2017 " at TERI, IHC, New Delhi. For more information <http://www.teriin.org/events/smart-library>. For Offline Registration, kindly send the duly filled form to the Workshop Coordinator at [reetas@teri.res.in](mailto:reetas@teri.res.in)
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference of Asian Libraries, ICAL-2017 Expanding Digital Footprints: Role of Libraries & Information Centres (Thursday-Saturday, October, 26-28, 2017) Jointly Organized by Dr. Zakir Husain Library, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi & Asian Library Association, New Delhi Venue: Auditorium, Faculty of Engineering, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-110025, India from more information [Conference%20Brochure%20%281%29.pdf](#)
3. A two days National Workshop will be held at Debraj Roy College, Golaghat on 8th & 9th September. For any query regarding the workshop may be mailed to [drcollege.library@gmail.com](mailto:drcollege.library@gmail.com). For more information <https://goo.gl/nWUJD1>
4. The Department of Library and Information Science and Gautam Buddha Central Library, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow is organizing the 63rd Annual Conference of Indian Library Association-2017 Three-Day International Conference on Sustainable Development of Library and Information Science Profession (ICS DLP-2017) during 23rd -25th, November 2017 at Atal Bihari Vajpayee Auditorium, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University (A Central University), Vidya Vihar, Rae Bareilly Road, Lucknow-226025,(U.P.) India. For more information please visit us: <https://sites.google.com/site/ila63rdconference/>.  
Email: [ila63lucknow@gmail.com](mailto:ila63lucknow@gmail.com), [mpsinghldis@gmail.com](mailto:mpsinghldis@gmail.com)



Librarians' Day Celebration on 12<sup>th</sup> August and Special Exhibition & book display on the occasion of 125<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan Ayer

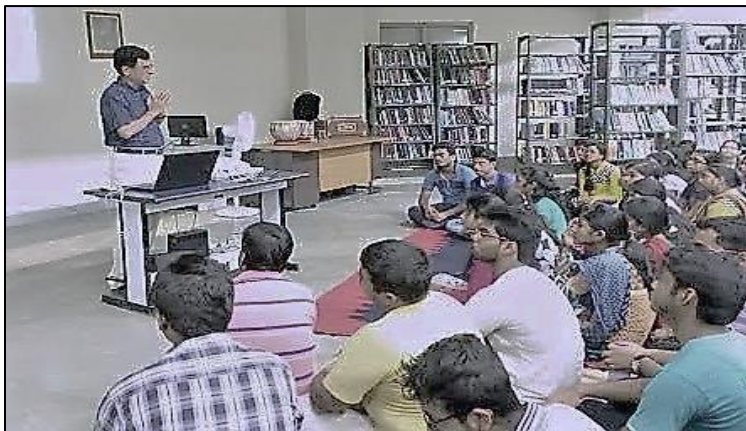




Newly admitted students from Dept. of Physical Education after attending LOP on 18<sup>th</sup> August



Book Exhibition on 'Tulsidas Sahitya' at Hindi Bhavana Library



Library orientation programme at Siksha Bhavana Library on 22<sup>nd</sup> August



Rush on the circulation counter during new library card registration



Raksha Bandhan at Central Library with library staffs and students on 8<sup>th</sup> August

