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New Updates

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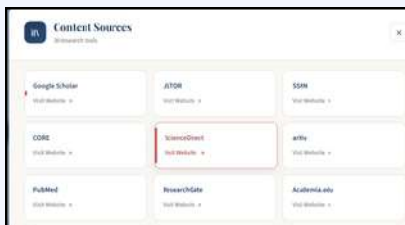
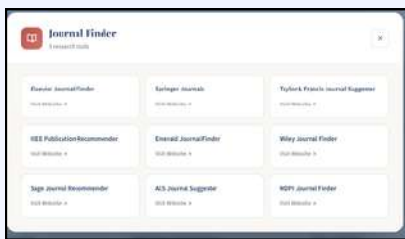
Smart research assistants

Research Tools & Resources Portal

Your one-stop hub for the best free research tools available online — now curated and organized for the Presidency University community!

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- 30 academic databases & libraries for content discovery
- AI-powered research assistants to speed up your literature review



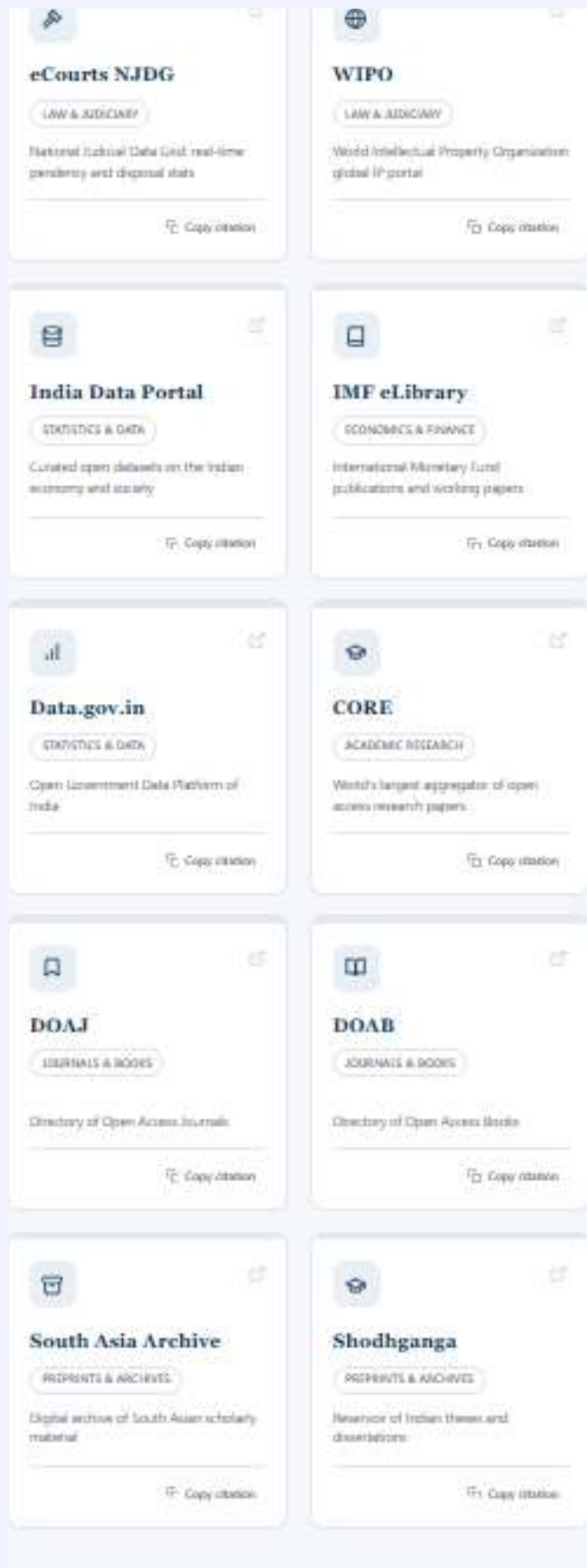
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Why it matters:

- No subscriptions, no paywalls, every resource is open access
- Covers a broad range of disciplines, from academic journals to legal and financial data
- Continuously growing, with new resources added regularly

Have a favorite open-access resource we're missing? The portal includes a simple built-in form to suggest a resource. Just share the name, URL, and category, and our librarians will review it for inclusion.

Know a resource we should add?

Help us grow this collection. Share an open access database with our librarians and we'll review it for inclusion.

[+ Suggest a resource](#)

Journal Finder

How it works:

A researcher submits their paper's abstract, and the tool analyzes it to recommend a ranked list of journals that best match the manuscript's scope and subject.

What each recommendation includes:

- Publisher (e.g., Pacific University Library, Emerald Group Publishing, Library and Information Technology Association)
- ISSN
- Scope: a short summary of what the journal covers
- "Why it fits" is an explanation connecting your specific abstract to that journal's focus area
- Impact Factor (shown when available, e.g., 2.8 for Library Hi Tech)
- Open Access status (Yes / Hybrid / No)
- Scopus Indexed status
- A "Click for More Details" option for deeper submission info

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Discover the right journal for your research.

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Research Update

Research Fellowship

This July 2026 roundup highlights several research funding and fellowship opportunities across Indian and international agencies, spanning social sciences, water security, quantum technology, critical minerals, and diabetes research. Scholars and researchers at various career stages from young researchers to senior fellows have multiple calls for proposals and doctoral fellowships to consider this month, with deadlines ranging from early to end of July.

- ICSSR Yuva Shodh Pratibha Scheme 2026 Agency: ICSSR Deadline: 06 July 2026 Supports young researchers working in social science disciplines.
- ANRF - MAHA Water Program Agency: Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF) Deadline: 10 July 2026 Supports research projects focused on sustainable water management, water security, treatment technologies, and innovative solutions.



- ICSSR Doctoral Fellowships 2026–27 Agency: ICSSR Deadline: 14 July 2026 Provides financial assistance to PhD scholars conducting research across various social science areas.
- ICMR Indo-US Diabetes Research Collaboration 2026 (Expression of Interest) Agency: ICMR Deadline: 15 July 2026 Invites collaborative Indo-US research projects addressing diabetes prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and public health interventions.
- ICSSR Senior Fellowship 2026 Agency: ICSSR Deadline: 21 July 2026 Supports experienced researchers undertaking high-quality research in the social sciences.
- DST-USISTEF Collaborative Projects Critical Minerals & Quantum Technology Agency: Department of Science and Technology (DST) Deadline: 31 July 2026 Supports joint research and innovation between Indian and US institutions in Critical Minerals and Quantum Technology.



Newly Added Journals in Web of Science

Clarivate released its latest Web of Science Core Collection Journal List update on June 15, 2026, and it brings the addition of 28 new titles to the Emerging Sources Citation Index (ESCI). The newly accepted journals cover a wide range of disciplines, including engineering, artificial intelligence, medicine, environmental sciences, agriculture, economics, architecture, psychology, and social sciences.

SERANGGA (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia), SPECIES-INDIA (Discovery Scientific Society), Anales de Investigacion en Arquitectura (Universidad ORT Uruguay), CPSS Transactions on Power Electronics and Applications (China Power Supply Society), Zeszyty Cyrylo-Methodianskie (Wydawnictwo UMCS), Journal of Frailty, Sarcopenia and Falls (Hylonome Publications), Zoonoses (Compuscript).

- Bulletin of Carol I National Defense University (Carol I National Defence University Publishing House), Lexis (Pontificia Universidad Catolica Peru), International Journal of Health, Wellness and Society (Common Ground Research Networks), ACS ES&T Air (American Chemical Society), Kwartalnik Filmowy (Institute of Art, Polish Academy of Sciences), IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Artificial Intelligence (IEEE), Oxford Open Economics (Oxford University Press).
- EJC Skin Cancer (Elsevier), Environmental Research: Energy (IOP Publishing), Contemporary Southeastern Europe (University of Graz), Gynecology and Obstetrics Clinical Medicine (BMJ Publishing Group), Marine Development (Springer Nature), Frontiers of Urban and Rural Planning (Springer Nature), Behavior Analysis: Research and Practice (American Psychological Association).
- Green and Smart Mining Engineering (KeAi Publishing), Food & Medicine Homology (Tsinghua University Press), Medicine Plus (KeAi Publishing), Pharmaceutical Fronts (Georg Thieme Verlag), Biochem (MDPI), Bacteria (MDPI), NPJ Sustainable Agriculture (Springer Nature).

Library News

Congratulations Dr. Sreehari P: PhD Awarded in Library and Information Science

Sreehari P has successfully defended his PhD thesis titled "Accuracy of Citation and References in Library and Information Science Theses Submitted to Universities in Karnataka: A Study," earning his Doctor of Philosophy in Library and Information Science from Presidency University, Bengaluru. The research was carried out under the supervision of Dr. K N Sheshadri, Chief Librarian at Presidency University. The study critically examines citation and referencing accuracy in LIS theses submitted across Karnataka's universities, contributing valuable insights into academic research quality and referencing practices within the discipline. The department extends its heartfelt congratulations to Dr. Sreehari P on this remarkable academic milestone and wishes him continued success in his future research endeavors.



Library Orientations

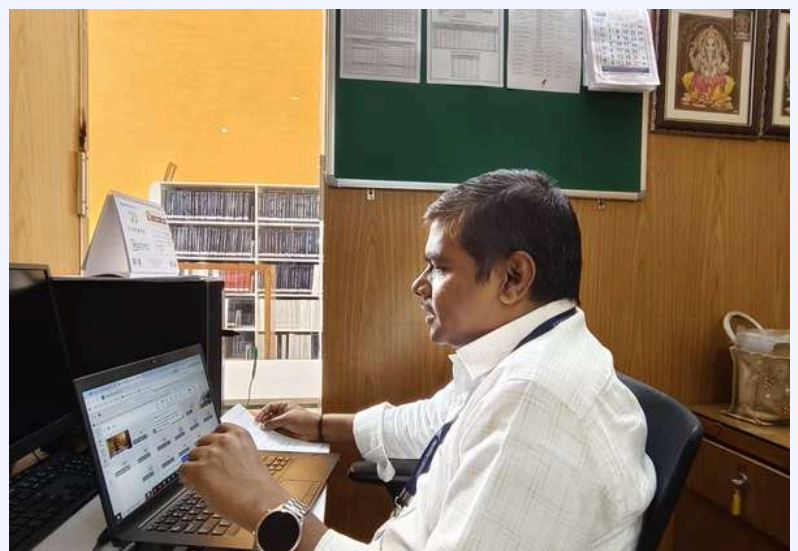


Dr. Shankaranand Hiremath, Deputy Librarian, conducted a Faculty Orientation Program on Library Resources and Access for the faculty members of the School of Commerce (PSOC)."



Dr. K. N. Sheshadri, Chief Librarian, conducted an orientation program on library resources and access for the newly joined students of the School of Information Science on 29th June 2026

Dr. Shankaranand Hiremath, Deputy Librarian, conducted an orientation program on library resources and access for the students of the School of Law (PSOL) on 29th June 2026."



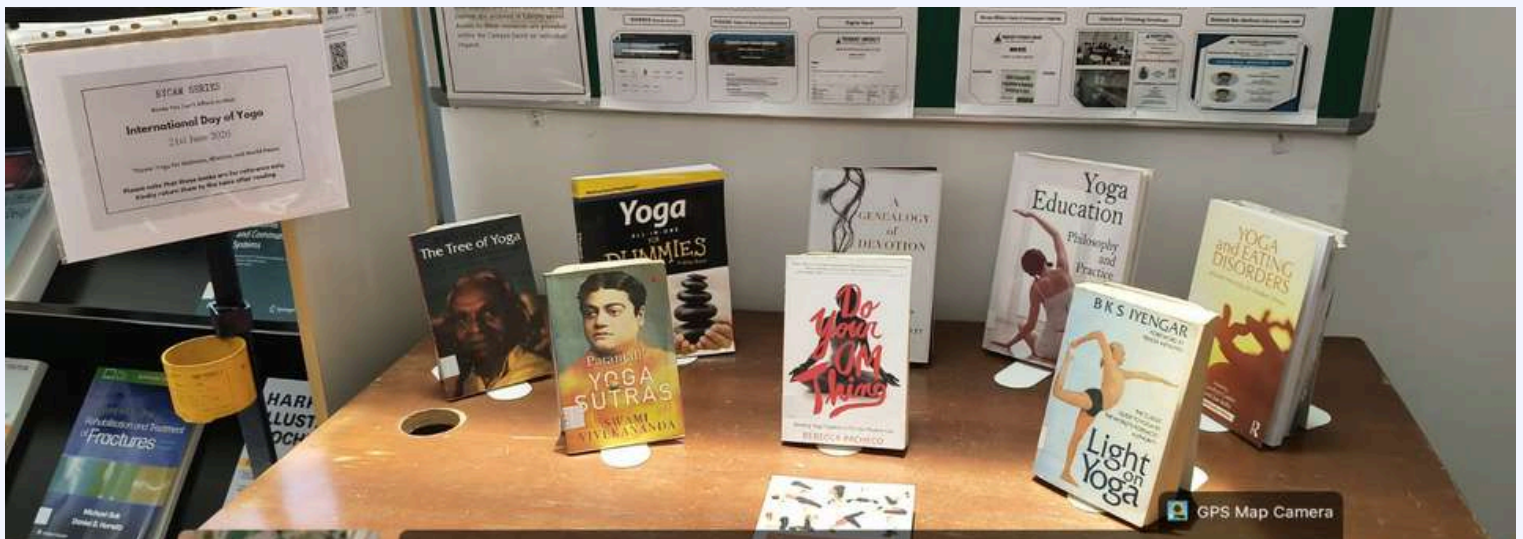
BLISS Series



World Environment Day (05 June 2026)



National Reading Day (19 June 2026)



International Day of Yoga (21 June 2026)

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(20253MGT0016)
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(20233MAT0012)
PSOE

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(PUNIV02486)
PSCSE



Dr. Manikandan M
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PSOE

Library Statistics

May and June 2026	
Library Usage Statistics	
Physical Footfall	9063
OPAC	3453
PULOAR	236
Linked Tree	1086
Digital Stack	128
Book Transaction	2021
Plagiarism Checked	2315
Thesis Uploaded on Shod	1
Article Request Fullfilled	250
E-Book Request Fullfilled	152

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