RESUME

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Date of Birth	:	16-07-1975
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ACADEMIC PROFILE			
Examination	**University**	**Month and Year of Degree awarded**	**Subject**
B.Sc.	Kuvempu University	April 1998	Chemistry, Zoology, Sericulture
B.Ed.	Kuvempu University	August 1999	Chemistry, Biology
M.Sc.	Kuvempu University	June 2002	Library and Information Science
NET	UGC	June 2002	Library and Information Science
Ph.D	Kuvempu University	May 2011	Library and Information Science

Current Pay Scale and Grade Pay:

- 1,44,200 to 2,18,200
- AGP-10,000/-

Area of Research Specialization:

Community Information Services, Scientometric Studies, IPR, Application of IT in Libraries, Designing of Subject Portals

Teaching Experience:

- **11.10.2005: Assistant Professor** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta.
- **11.10.2011 (AGP 7000): Assistant Professor** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta.
- **11.10.2015 (AGP 8000): Assistant Professor** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta.
- **11.10.2019 (AGP 9000): Associate Professor** in Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta.
- **11.10..2020 to till date: Professor in** Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta.

Administrative Experience:

1. BOAE member of PG for the year 2013
2. Assistant Director, Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board, Kuvempu University
3. Faculty member of Science for the period of 2008-2011
4. Academic advisory council members for School of Physical Science for the year 2009-2010
5. Member of Organizing Secretary for One week National Workshop on "KOHA and E-lib" organized by DLIS, Kuvempu University during 16th to 21st March 2011.
6. Worked as a affiliation committee member and visited 22 colleges between 2005 to till date
7. Member (BOE, UG/PG)
8. Member (BOS)
9. Member (Admission Reforms Committee)
10. Member (Affiliation committee)
11. Member Research Centre affiliation committee
12. Member (Faculty of Science)
13. Practical coordinator (UG)
14. Deputy Director (IQAC)
15. Deputy Registrar (Academic section)
16. coordinator (SWAYAM)
17. Stock verification

Citation Details and Profiles in Databases:

Citations	:	169
h-index	:	6
i10 index	:	5
Google Scholar ID	:	HDEXGEcAAAAJ
Vidwan-ID	:	81843
SCOPUS ID	:	56563018600
IRINS Profile	:	https://kuvempu.irins.org/profile/81843

Research Guidance:

- Number of Ph.D degree awarded   -   07
- Number of Ph.D students working   -   06
- Number of Ph.D. theses Adjudicated -   04
- Number of M.L.I.Sc. project work/ dissertations guided   - 32

Research Project Completed:

1. A minor research project on "Community Information Services (CIS): A Study on Information Needs of Rural Community in Bhadravathi (Tq)' sponsored by Kuvempu University during 2011-12. Sanctioned amount Rs.55,000/-

Awards:

1. Received **Indian Library Association (ILA)** award for young LIS professionals for best research paper presented and published in 58th all India Library Conference at Karnatak University, Dharwad, Karnataka during February 24-27, 2013
2. Received **Certificate of Excellence award in recognition of exemplary contributions in Library and Information Science** by Karnataka State SC/ST library professional association ®, in International Conference ETFL-2015, on January 30-31st 2015

Membership in Professional Bodies

1. Indian Association of Teachers in Library and Information Science (IATLIS)
2. Indian Library Association (ILA)
3. Karnataka Library Association (KALA)
4. CALIBER

Conference/Seminars Organized:

1. **Member of Organizing Committee**-Two day Workshop on Career, Counseling and Personality Development for the Post-Graduate students of Kuvempu University, organized by The career and counseling cell, Kuvempu University, on 4-5th 2012.
2. **Member of Organizing Committee**-National seminar of Toolkit to accelerate Research, organized by DLIS, Kuvempu university on march 22-23, 2019.
3. **Member of Organizing Committee**-8th KSCLA National conference organized by DLIS, Kuvempu University during 16-17, 2018
4. **Member of Organizing Committee**-One day national level seminar on "Extension and outreach library services to build-up academic excellence" in DLIS, Kuvempu University at 3rd December 2011.
5. **Member of Organizing Committee**-National Seminar on Content management in digital era: opportunities and challenges organized by Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University during 12-13th 2010.

Journal Editorial Member:

1. Editorial Member to the journal IJIDT

Books Edited:

1. Information Processing & Retrieval (Practical) Part - B: Cataloguing of Non-Book Material
2. Edited proceedings of the 8th KSCLA National conference organized by DLIS, Kuvempu University on February 16-17, 2018.
3. Prepared Self-Instructional material (SIM) for BLISc. And MLISc. Distance education courses in Information Processing Retrieval-Cataloguing-(Theory)

Workshop Organized:

1. Organizing Committee Member: Five days workshop on "CDS/ISIS and WINISIS" for college librarians during 15th to 19th March 2002.
2. Organizing Committee Member: Five days national workshop on "D-Space and WINISIS" during 4th to 8th January 2006.

Refresher/Orientation Course:

1. U.G.C. Sponsored Refresher Course in "Library and Information Science" during 28.11.2007 to 18.12.2007.
2. UGC - Academic Staff College, University of Hyderabad, Orientation Course in Library and Information Science during 19.05.2011 to 15.06.2011.
3. UGC - Academic Staff College, Refresher Course in Library and Information Science during 27.12.2013 to 16.01.2014.
4. UGC Sponsored, short term course in Research Methodology organized by Karnatak University Dharwad, during 22.10.2018 to 28.10.2018.

Special Lectures/Invited Talk Delivered:

1. Delivered invited talk for Ph.D. students on "Research Publication Ethics"
2. Internet : An effective tool for learning, Government First grade college, Koppa, Karnataka, 8th April 2015.
3. Lecture delivered on "Current trends in Library and information science". Three day faculty development program on Library automation and E—resources management organized by PES College of Engineering, Mandya, Karnataka on 14-16th March, 2013
4. Lecture delivered on a theme " Internet, Website, OPAC, Wikipedia and hands on practice with ICT". Training program for Public librarians of Shivamogga jurisdiction organized by District City Central library on 14-16th July 2012
5. Lecture delivered in workshop organized by District City Central Library, Shivamogga on the topic 'Cataloguing and its uses' during 16th February 2005.
6. Lecture delivered in KSOU, BLISc and MLISc courses in Mysore, Dharwad

Workshop and Training Course Attended:

1. UGC sponsored One week Workshop on Mathematics of Machine learning and Data Sciences with applications, Organized by Department of PG studies and Research in Computer Science, Kuvempu University on 18-24 March 2021.
2. Two day National level Workshop on " Developing MOOC through SWAYAM" organized by Kuvempu University, Karnataka, on 8-9th January 2019.
3. Two-day Workshop on preparation of Self Instructional Material [SIM] organized by Directorate of Distance Education, Kuvempu University in collaboration with the DEC of IGNOU, New Delhi during 23rd to 24th April 2011.
4. One day workshop on Self-Instructional materials (SIMs), organized by Tumkur University, Karnataka, on 24tj January 2017.
5. National Workshop on "KOHA and E-lib" organized by Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University during 16th to 21st March 2011.
6. UGC Sponsored Two days training program on Computer Concepts, Operating Systems and Internet organized by Instrumentation Maintenance Facility centre (IMF), Kuvempu University, from 03rd to 04th December 2009.
7. National Symposium on Open Access and Building Institutional Repository (NSOABIR) organized by ICAST, National Aerospace Laboratories, Bangalore during 21st -23rd January 2009.
8. National workshop on LIS Education in Digital Era, organized by Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, Central Library during 13 -15 June 2007.

9. Three Day Workshop on preparation of Self-Instructional Material organized by Directorate of Distance Education, Kuvempu University in collaboration with the DEC of IGNOU, New Delhi during 18th-20th September 2006, Jnanashyadri, Shivamogga

10. Participated in the workshop on " D-SPACE and WINISIS" organized by the Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University, during Jan 4th to 8th 2006.

List of Journal Publications:

1. A study on customer satisfaction towards Newspaper with special reference to daily Kannada Newspaper in Chickmagalur district. **Journal of information and Computational Science**. V 12 (2), February 2022.

2. Utilization of Library and Information Services by Faculty Members: A Case Study of Pre-university Colleges in Shivamogga District, Karnataka. **Kelpro Bulletin**, 35(2). 47-59. (2021).

3. Usage pattern of Library Resources and Services by the Students and Faculty Members of B.Ed Colleges Affiliated to Kuvempu University. **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)**. 6540. (2021)

4. Knowledge and use of electronic information resources by Post graduate students of Engineering students of Karnataka state: A study. **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal),** (2021).

5. User Satisfaction of Library Resources and Services: A Survey of Pre-University College Teachers in Karnataka, India, **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal),** no. 4747. (2020).

6. Indian Institute of Management Libraries web OPAC's: an evaluative study. **Journal of Indian Library Association**, (2021)

7. Indian Institute of Management Libraries Web OPAC's and available search features: a checklist-based approach. **International Journal of Library and Information Studies**, Vol. 10 (1), (2020)

8. Marketing Research in India: A Scientometrics Study. **Webology**, (2020).

9. Collection development policies in B. Ed college libraries affiliated to Kuvempu University: a study. **International Journal of Library and Information Studies**, Vol. 9 (4), (2019).

10. User Perception of Library Resources and Services Utilized by Teachers of Pre-University Colleges: A Study. **International Journal of Library & Information Studies**, 10(4), 122-129. (2020).

11. Perception and Usage of Health Information Sources and Services among the Urban Community Users of Public Libraries: A Case Study of Bhadravathi, **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)**, (2019).

12. Indian Research Information Network System (IRINS): An Overview, **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal),** (2019).

13. Medicine Research in India: A Scientometric Assessment of Publications during 2009–2018. **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal),** (2019).

14. Pharmacology and Pharmacy Research in India: A Scientometric Study, **Journal of Pharmacy Practice and Community Medicine**, (2019).

15. Use of Library Services and Facilities by Teachers of Pre-University Colleges in Shivamogga District: A Study, Karnataka, India. **Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal),** no. 2367,(2019).

16. Examination expertise sharing in Engineering and Technology: using INFLIBNET-Vidwan database. **International Journal of Library and Information Studies**, V.78-83, (2018).

17. Growth of Literature and Measures of Scientific Productivity of Indian Chemical Science Research during 2002-2016, **Journal of Advanced Chemical Science**,(2018).

18. Perception towards AICTE prescribed E- resources: A study of Post Graduate Students of Malnad college of Engineering, Hassan, **Karnataka International Journal of Library & Information Studies**, 8(2), 122-129. (2018).

19. Bradford's Law: Identification of the core journals in the field of India Chemical Science literature. **International Journal of Information Dissemination and Technology**, 8(2), 2018).

20. Availability and Use of information sources and services by teachers of Pre-University colleges in Shivamogga District: a study. **Library Philosophy and Practice**. (2018)

21. Defining chemical science Research: conclusions from a critical review of the literature, **International Journal of Information, Library & Society**, (2018).

22. Assessment of Chemical Science research output using Scientometrics indicators. **Asian Journal of Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Sciences**, 2 (2), (2017).

23. Mapping of Indian Biomedicine Research: A Scientometric Analysis of Research Output During 2012-2016, **International Journal of Current Advanced Research**, (2017).

24. Mapping of Chemical Science Research in India during 2005-2014. **International Journal of Information Dissemination and Technology**, 7(1), (2017)

25. Remote Sensing Research in India: An Analysis of Publications output during 2011-2015, **International Journal of Library and Information Studies**,(2017).

26. Scientometric Dimensions of Chemical Engineering Research in India with Reference to Web of Science Citation Database, **Review of Research Journal**, (2017).

27. Scientometric Profile of Dentistry, Oral Surgery & Medicine Research in India with reference to Web of Science (WoS) citation database during 2007 -2016, **International Journal of Research in Library Science**,(2017).

28. Scientific Productivity of Oceanography Literature: A Scientometric Analysis, **Fisheries and Oceanography Open Access Journal**, (2017).

29. ICT Skills for LIS Professional in the Digital Environment, **International Journal of Research in Library Science**,(2016).

30. Citation Analysis of Annals of Library and Information Studies: (2007-2010).**International Journal of Library and Information Studies**, (2016).

31. Analysis of National Conference Proceedings: A Bibliometric Study, **Journal of advances in Library and Information Science**, (2016).

32. Assessment of Chemical Engineering Research output Using Scientometric Indicators: A Comparative Study of India and South Korea During 2011-2015, **Journal of Advances in Library and Information Science**,(2016).

33. Effective Use of E-Resources Consortia for Indian Universities: New Challenges, **South Indian Journal of Library and Information Science**, (2016).

34. Webology Journal: A Bibliometric Study, **Indian Streams Research Journal**, 2016

35. Scientometric study of the Research performance on Fishery: Th**e** Indian perspective. **Journal of Advances in Library and information science**, 5 (2), (2016).

36. Scientometric Dimensions of Crystallography Research in India: A study based on Web of Science Database, **E-Library Science Research Journal**, (2016).

37. E-Library and Information Services in India in the Digital Age, **South Indian Journal of Library and Information Science**, (2015)

38. Mapping of Ebola Disease Literature with Reference to Web of Science Citation Database: A Scientometrics Study, **South Indian Journal of Library and Information Science**,(2015)

39. Best Achievement in Academic Library Systems in India, **International Journal of Library and Information Studies**,(2015).

40. Role of E-resources in Growth and Development of Higher Education in India, **South Indian Journal of Library and Information Science**,(2015).

41. Digital Library Service and Facilities in Karnataka State University Libraries: A Study, **South Indian Journal of Library and Information Science**,(2015).

42. Bradford's Zone to LIS Publications Published in Collection Building Journal from 2009-2012: A Citation Study, **Collection Building**, (2015).

43. Bradford's Zone to LIS Publications Published in Library Management Journal from 2010-2012: A Citation Study, **Library Philosophy and Practice**,(2014).

44. Community Information Services: A Study on Information Needs of Rural Community in Shivamogga District, **SRELS Journal of Information Management**, (2014).

45. Citation analysis of doctoral theses in Zoology submitted to Kuvempu University, India: A case study, **International Journal of Library and Information Science**, Vol.5(6), pp. 192-202, July 2013.

46. Community Information Needs: A Case Study of HolehonnurHobli. **SRELS Journal of Information Management,** Vol.45 (2), June 2008, p 225-234.

47. Use of information sources and services in library of Agriculture science college, Shivamogga: a case study. **Annals of Library and Information studies**, V 56, (2), June 2009, p63-68.

48. Use pattern of Industrial Journals: a case study of KIADB employees. **International Journal of Information Dissemination (IJID),** Paper accepted Ref. No.: MMU/IJIDT/031

1. ***Use of Information Resources and Services by Teachers of Pre-University colleges in Shivamogga: a study.*** Paper published in 9th KSCLA National conference on Library in the life of the user, organized by Tumkur University during 1-2 March 2019.

2. ***Bio-Bibliometric study on Prof. B.S. Biradar's contributions to LIS*** . Paper published in proceedings of the 8th KSCLA National conference organized by DLIS, Kuvempu University during 16-17, 2018.

3. ***Paper published in two day national level conference on "PROFUSE 2017"*** organized by Mangalore University on 27-28th April 2017.

4. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar International conference on 21-23rd July 2017, GKVK, Bengaluru.

5. ***The role of Information Literacy in Higher education.*** Paper presented in two national conference on 'Facets of information Literacy' organized by Karnataka State Women's University, Vijayapura, Karnataka on 18-19th November 2016.

6. ***Usage of Library Wi-Fi service: a case study of Kuvempu University,*** International Conference on ETFL, Organized by Karnataka SC/ST library professional association on 30-31st January 2015, Gulbarga.

7. ***Digital library initiatives at Higher education and research institutions in India.*** International Conference on Paradigms of Digital library, E-resources, Open access and Information and Media Literacy, Organized by Karnataka State College Library Association, on 2015, Bangalore.

8. ***Challenges before LIS professionals in Internet era.*** Two-day conference on "Changing faces of Libraries in Digital Era organized by Karnataka State Women's University, Vijayapura on March 6-7, 2014.

9. ***Mobile alerting service for Commerce PG students of Kuvempu University: a case study***, paper presented in 58th ILA International conference Organized by DLIS, Karnatak University, Dharwad, during 24th to 27th February 2013.

10. ***Face book as a knowledge sharing tool.*** Paper presented in 2nd National conference on Scientometrics and Knowledge management. Organized by Prof. S.S. Basavanal library, Karnatak University in association with institute of Scientometrics, during 20th and 21st April 2013.

11. ***Application of Web 2.0 technologies in libraries and information centres.*** Paper presented in National Conference on Inspiring Library services (NCILS). Organized by Sree Siddhartha Pre University College, Tumkur, during 12-13th July 2013.

12. ***Digital Preservation: Key issues and strategies.*** Two day national seminar on Impact of Information Technology on Library services organized by Sahydri Arts and Commerce College in association with Karnataka State College Library Association, Karnataka on December 27-28 2013.

13. ***Role of Public Libraries in Promoting E-Governance.*** Paper presented in National conference on "Re-inventing and restructuring of public library system in India" organized by Karnataka State SC/ST Library professionals' association, Bangalore. During 28th of July 2012.

14. ***Community Information Kiosks (CIK's): Simply brilliant, brilliantly simple.*** Paper presented in National conference on "Re-inventing and restructuring of public library system

in India" organized by Karnataka State SC/ST Library professionals' association, Bangalore. During 28th of July 2012.

15. **Role of Library professionals in adopting Knowledge Management in Academic libraries.** Paper presented in National Conference on "Empowering Libraries for Lifelong Learning Skills" organized by Gulbarga Division College Library Association, Gulbarga during 17th -18th of August 2012.

16. **Best practices in College libraries with special reference to information services**. Paper published in Proceedings of the National Conference on Managing College Libraries: Issues and Trends, Organized By JSS College Of Arts, Commerce And Science, Ooty Road, Mysore during December 16-17, 2011.

17. National Conference on Global Climate Change: Perspectives and Challenges, organized by Dept. of Environmental Science, Kuvempu University during 23rd to 24th March 2011.

18. **"Designing and Development of Biochemistry Subject Portal using Bluevoda Web Building Software: a practical approach."** Paper presented in 8th International CALIBER 2011 organized by Goa University and INFLIBNET Centre, Ahmadabad during 2 to 4 March, 2011.

19. **"Federated Search and Discovery Tools".** Paper presented in 8th International CALIBER 2011, organized by Goa University and INFLIBNET Centre, Ahmadabad during 2 to 4 March, 2011.

20. Attended the Colloquium on "Higher Education in 12th Five Year Plan organized by Karnataka State Higher Education Council and Centre for Educational and Social Studies, held at Central College, Bangalore during 23rd December 2011.

21. Assimilating Recent Development of ICT in Education organized by Dept. of Education, Kuvempu University during 8th and 9th October 2010 (Session Rapporteur)

22. **"LIS Curriculum and Market Expectation: a study with special reference to LIS Curriculum".** Paper presented in XXVII IATLIS 2010 National Conference organized by Pune University, Pune, during 17-19th November 2010.

23. **Design and development of institutional repository using D-space @BVB.** Paper presented in National Seminar on Content management in digital era: opportunities and challenges organized by Dept. of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University during 12-13th 2010.

24. Participated in National Seminar on Webometrics, Informetrics and Scientometrics (WIS), Organized by Karnatak University, Dharwad during 21st to 22 December 2009.

25. **Promoting library and information services using Weblog.** Paper presented in State level Seminar on Challenges to Academic Librarians in the Emerging Technological Environment, organized by Kamala Nehru Memorial National College for women, Shivamogga, during October 31, 2009.

26. **Impact and Implementation of Information Communication Technology (ICT) in Libraries.** Paper presented in National conference on Library and Information Technology: Driving Management Education organized by National School of Business, New Delhi during 26-27 February 2009.

27. **'Web portals and forums: Powerful tools for providing web based library services.'** Paper presented in 23rd National Seminar of IASLIC on Library Profession in Search of a New Paradigm organized by Bose institute, Kolkata during 10– 13 December, 2008.

28. ***"Designing of Community Information System using Google Page Creator".*** Paper presented in International Conference on Knowledge for all: Role of libraries and information centres organized by TISS, Mumbai during 12th -15th November 2008.

29. ***Samudayadatta Sarvajanika Granthalayagalu: Ondu Chinthane.*** Paper presented in State level Public Library Conference", organized by Karnataka Vidyavardaka Sangha, Dharawad, during 26th to 29th July 19-20, 2008.

30. ***Web logs a New Horizon in Library Sphere.*** Paper presented in 6th International CALIBER conference organized by INFLIBNET, Ahmedabad during Feb. 28-29 and March 1, 2008.

31. ***Integrated Community Information System (ICIS) in Public Libraries: Need and Components.*** Paper presented in 53rd All India Library Conference of Indian Library Association, organized by Osmania University, Hyderabad, during December 13-16, 2007.

32. ***LIS Curriculum with special reference to CBCS.*** Paper presented in XXIV IATLIS National Conference organized by Dept of LIS, Karnatak University, Dharawad, during 19th to 21st November 2007.

33. ***Community Information System and Social Issues.*** Paper presented in National Conference on Public Libraries as Community Information Centres. Organized by Dept. of Public Libraries, Karnataka during 6th to 8th June 2007.

I hereby declare that all the statements made above are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date:

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