GURU KASHI UNIVERSITY

Master of Library and Information Science

Session: 2024-25

Department of Library and Information Science

GRADUATE OUTCOMES OF THE PROGRAMME

This program focuses on understanding the lifecycle and value of information for societal development. It equips students with skills for information management, the ability to assess user needs in various contexts, the capacity to provide digital literacy and information services, and the competence to contribute to the knowledge economy in diverse cultural settings, both locally and globally.

PROGRAMME LEARNING OUTCOMES: After completing the programme, the learner will be able to:

1. Demonstrate comprehensive knowledge and understanding of major concepts, principles, theories and laws of Library and Information Science.

2. Think critically for solving various problems pertaining to the management of libraries and information centers and their services.

3. Systematically analyze subjects of documents to classify them properly, and to assign subject headings for quality access to information resources.

4. Understand and classify simple, compound and complex subjects using standard classification systems; describe bibliographically all types of documents using coeval metadata standards.

5. Demonstrate the ability to identify ethical issues of library profession in providing library and Information services.

6. Understand the concepts of information and communication technology applications to libraries and information centers for processing and accessing information locally and globally.

Programme Structure

		Semester- I				
Course Code	**Course Title**	**Course Type**	**L**	**T**	**P**	**Credits**
OMLB114	Information Storage and Retrieval	Core	4	0	0	4
OMLB101	Research Methods and Statistical Techniques	Core	4	0	0	4
OMLB119	Advance Information and Communication Technology (Theory)	Ability Enhancement	2	0	0	2
OMLB120	Advance Information and Communication Technology (Practice)	Technical Skills	0	0	4	2
OMLB115	Knowledge Organisation Universal Decimal Classification (Practice)	Skill based	2	0	0	2
OMLB121	Seminar	Skill based	0	0	4	2
Discipline Elective-I (Any one of the following)						
OMLB103	Information and Literature Survey in Social Sciences	Discipline Elective-I	3	0	0	3
OMLB118	Information and Literature Survey in Natural Sciences					
Discipline Elective-II (Any one of the following)						
OMLB106	Academic Library System	Discipline Elective-II	3	0	0	3
OMLB107	Special Library System					
Total			**18**	**0**	**8**	**22**

Semester-II						
Course Code	**Course Title**	**Course Type**	**L**	**T**	**P**	**Credits**
OMLB201	Information Analysis, Consolidation & Repackaging	Core	4	0	0	4
OMLB218	Digital Libraries & Networking (Theory)	Core	4	0	0	4
OMLB217	Information Use and User Studies	Compulsory Foundation	2	0	0	2
OMLB210	Knowledge Organisation: Cataloguing: Non-Book Material (Practice)	Skill based	2	0	0	2
OMLB211	Digital Libraries & Networking (Practice)	Technical Skills	0	0	4	2
OMLB212	Media and Information Literacy	Value added Course	2	0	0	2
OMLB213	Promoting Use of Libraries and Reading Habits in Community	MD	2	0	0	2
Discipline Elective-III (Any one of the following)						
OMLB214	Engineering and Technology Information Systems and Services	Discipline Elective -I	3	0	0	3
OMLB215	Health Information Systems and Services					
MOOC						
OMLB299	XXX	MOOC	Not offered			
Total						**21**
Grand Total						