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Tools for Research

Library Training Sessions on Research Skills

Digital and Information Literacy are integral skills as much of the information we access is in digital format. It is the ability to use digital technology and tools to locate, evaluate, use and create information.

Library offers following training programmes to develop the capacity of students and scholars in research skills.

1. **Current Awareness: Keeping your research Up-to-date using Web 2.0 tools** : RSS Feeds, Setting up subject interest alerts in databases, Citation Alerts, Conference Alerts, Publisher's eTOC services. Networking with Professionals in the same research area (Academica.edu, Researcher ID). Increasing your productivity by making the most of web 2.0

2. **Effective Literature Searching for your research (Pogramme Specific)** : Explore bibliographic databases, subject secific databases, e-journals, Data Sets and library catalogue to pool all resources needed for your Project work/Thesis.

3. **Citing and Referencing Guide: Introduction** Introduction to Citing and Referencing, Citing Web resources, Referencing Styles: Harvard, APA, Chicago Manual Styles

4. **Student Guide to Plagiarism:** Accessing Urkund, Submitting work to Urkund, Urkund originality Reports, Interpreting Urkund Originality Report, Further Links and resources

5. **Writing for Publication: Getting Started** Publication Types, Identify journals for publishing, Impact factor and H Index Peer Review/Referee process, Citation Databases: Web of Science, JCCC

6. **Getting Noticed: The databases that help you choose where to publish**

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