

**About the Place :** Chandigarh, Mohali and Panchkula form what is locally known as the 'Tricity'. Chandigarh, the first planned city of independent India, was neatly divided into numbered sectors. The sector scheme of Chandigarh extends into Mohali (subsequently named Sahibzada Ajit Singh (SAS) Nagar). Mohali boasts of a major cricket ground, the PCA stadium where many international matches are held. Rock Garden, Sukhna Lake, Le Corbusier Centre are some of top attractions of City.

**Weather :** Weather during first week of April will be around 25 to 30 °C during day time and 19-20°C in Night.

**Travel Information :** IISER Mohali is situated in Sahibzada Ajit Singh (SAS) Nagar, which is located next to the city of Chandigarh. Chandigarh is well connected to Delhi and Mumbai by air, and to Delhi by train. If you plan to travel to Chandigarh by train, then Shatabdi express would be a good choice. IISER Mohali is 12kms away from Chandigarh Railway Station and 07 kms from Chandigarh International Airport. IISER Mohali is located on left side of main road at the Intersection of road goes to Chandigarh and International Airport while traveling from Airport.

**Tourism Information :** Chandigarh is the gateway to a large section of the Himalayas and the province of Punjab. The most remarkable being Sanghol, which is an hour's drive from Chandigarh. There are many places worth seeing are Kasauli, Shimla, Kullu, Manali, Mcleodganj, Dalhousie, Khajjiar, Parwanoo, Kufri in Himachal Pradesh and Golden Temple and Jallianwala Bagh in Amritsar, the Indian - Pakistan Border in Wagah, which is 225km away from Chandigarh.

In case you plan to visit some of these tourist attractions before or after the Conference, you may kindly inform us in advance so that necessary arrangements can be made. However, the expenses have to be met by the participants.

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**Keynote Speaker**



**Dee Magnoni** is the President of Special Libraries Association (SLA), USA. She is the Research Library Director at Los Alamos National Laboratory.

**Invited Speakers**



**Prof. Dr. Hildrun Kretschmer** is Founder and Co-ordinator of the Global Interdisciplinary Research Network COLLNET: since 2000 as well as Editor of the COLLNET Journal.



**Prof. Jean-Charles LAMIREL** is Professor at Maitre de Conferences, Habilité a Diriger des Recherches Université de Strasbourg, France.



**Ms. SHIRLEY INGLES-CRUZ** is the Head Librarian of the Commission on Appointments, Congress of the Philippines. She is the 2014 President of the SLA-Asian Chapter.



**Labibah Zain** is at LIS Department of Sunan Kalijaga State Islamic University (UIN Sunan Kalijaga Yogyakarta Indonesia), Vice Director of Association of Indonesian Islamic Library University, President Elect-SLA Asian Chapter.



**Dr. Mohsen Haji Zeinolabedini** is Assistant Professor in Shahid Beheshti University at Velenjak, Tehran, I.R.Iran



**Dr. Yue Chen** is a Professor of S&T Management and the Vice Dean in the Institute of Science of Science and S&T Management at Dalian University of Technology, China.



**Theo Kretschmer** is Master in Education Theory and he is working since 2000 as the Science manager of the COLLNET-Center and as COLLNET conference manager.



**Dr. Bernd Markscheffel** is Akademischer Rat at the Department at Technische Universität Ilmenau, Germany.



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**About Special Libraries Association (SLA), USA :** The Special Libraries Association, USA established in 1909 (more than 107 years old) is one of the largest professional non-profit association across Globe with approximately 9,000 members in 83 countries with 58 chapters and 25 divisions. For further details Please visit <http://www.sla.org>

**About Asian chapter, SLA :** The Asian chapter of SLA is one of the fastest growing chapters with members from around the Asia and world. It has over 150 members from India, Indonesia, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Myanmar, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam, Australia, UK, and USA. For further details Please visit <http://www.Asia.sla.org>

**About SLP :** The Society for Library Professionals (SLP) was established on 3 January 2008 under the Societies Registration Act 1860. The role of this Society is to achieve high standard of Librarianship in India. This will be achieved by the development of strong linkages among libraries and information centres across the globe; promotion of the library and information science profession in India by fostering collaboration with national and international agencies; and for intellectual development and education exchange of its members. For further details please visit <http://www.slp.org.in/>

**About Library and Information Professional Summit (LIPS) :** In order to promote the library and information science profession in India by fostering collaboration with national and international agencies, SLP has organized First and second Library and Information Professionals Summit (LIPS) at Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi in 2012 and 2013, Third LIPS was held at South Campus, University of Delhi in 2014, Fourth LIPS was held at National Law University, Delhi in 2014 and Fifth was held at Ambedkar University, Delhi in 2015.

**Host Institute :** Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Mohali is one of the Seven Institutes established across India by the Ministry of Human Resource Development ( MHRD), Govt of India with autonomus status as Institutions of national importance. These are new premier institutions with the aim to create world class institutes devoted only to education and research in frontier areas of science broadly on the lines of the "Indian Institute of Science (IISc.), Bangalore. On series , IISER Kolkata and IISER Pune were established in 2006, IISER Mohali was established in 2007, IISER Bhopal and IISER Thiruvananthapuram , IISER Tirupati in 2015 and IISER Brahmapur in 2016. IISER Mohali is completing ten years in 2017 and many BS-MS Five years Integrated and PhD and Post Doctoral students were passed out with skill of cutting edge research. IISER Mohali is celebrating a decade in 'Pursuit of Knowledge' ( 2007-2017).

**IISER Mohali Library :** The Library of IISER Mohali is epitomizes the spirit of the institute, i.e., the pursuit of knowledge. The library design of Institute offers an opportunity to transform the library's role on campus from a provider of information to a facilitator of learning under the theme 'LEARNING COMMONS'. Apart from rich collection of Print and electronic resources in



Science with state of the art technology and world class infrastructure, the library spaces are created for creative and innovative exchange of scholarly information. It is a place for peaceful learning, collective voice reading thereby encouraging students to discover, create and collaborate with peers in a space that inspires them to be more productive , creative and successful. With its pleasant ambience, services and resources, the library creates an effective and informal space to attract the general readers too.

#### Objectives of Event :

- To understand and discuss, how libraries are taking shape to translate its existence from traditional to creative and Innovative to welcome its Readers
- Opportunity to discuss and deliberate on the emerging trends and technologies in libraries
- Provide a platform for sharing of their experiences, exchange of ideas, knowledge and skills for excellence in meeting challenges facing by modern Library Target Audience from India and Overseas
- Library and Information Science Professionals
- Information Technology Professionals
- Knowledge Management Professionals
- E-learning communities
- Library Consultants /Managers /Corporate Professionals
- Students and faculty of Library and Information Science
- Publishers and Content Providers

**Event Structure :** The conference program will include Keynote Address on Theme, invited Talks by Eminent Professionals from India and abroad, papers Presentations and poster Presentations by Contributors, product presentations by Publisher / Content Provider, panel discussions by Experts and an exhibition of Information Products and Services etc.

#### Themes & Sub-themes :

- Re- envision of Library Spaces in Changing Perspective
- Designing of Library Spaces as "Learning Commons."
- Library Spaces and services: User requirement in new generation
- Dramatic Redesigns of Existing Spaces
- Maker spaces and Maker Movement in Library Spaces
- Collection Development and Management in Electronic Age
- Best Policies and Practices: Learning Lessons in Collection Development
- Digital Library Consortia: Challenges and Future Perspectives
- Digital Paradigm: Access, Ownership, and Control
- Digital Resources: Preservation, Management, and Cultivation
- Digital Collections: Redefining Policies, Negotiation Skills, Best Practices in License Agreement
- Digital Repositories: Development, Preservation, and challenges
- Emerging & Innovative Technology Applications in Libraries
- Research Trends in Library and Information Science
- Technology Disaster and Recovery Planning/Management
- Mobile, Web & Semantic Technology Application in Libraries
- Search Strategies, Techniques in Intelligent Information Retrieval
- Library Security Tools, Technologies, and implementations
- Open Access: New trends in publishing Scholarly Communications

- Research Tools, Techniques, and Methodologies
- Social media, Cloud computing applications in libraries
- Content Management Systems
- Research Data Management
- Discovery and Remote access Tools & Services in Libraries
- Plagiarism tools, IPR, Copyright & Copy left in the Digital Age
- Open Access Publishing: Creative Common License
- Open Source software application in Libraries
- Digital Rights Management
- Analytics /Big Data opportunities for library professionals
- E-Learning - Altmetrics, User case studies in Digital Age
- Library Outreach, Marketing, and Advocacy in digital age
- Human Resource Development & Management in digital Age
- Skill Development and Competency Management
- Digital Governance: Role of Libraries
- Modern Librarianship and Ethics
- Role of Librarian and Libraries in Institutional Rankings
- Challenges in Managing Modern Libraries
- Performance Measurement and Competitiveness
- Ownership, Partnership, and Collaborations of Libraries in digital environment
- Electronic Vs Print and Online Book Stores Vs Traditional Book Shops

#### Call for Papers and Posters :

Please Send in your original research papers on research Surveys, Case Studies or action Plan rather than theoretical explanations on any of the sub-themes or covering topics relevant to the main theme of the conference to [visakhi@iisermohali.ac.in](mailto:visakhi@iisermohali.ac.in) with CC to [slp.lib@gmail.com](mailto:slp.lib@gmail.com). The selected papers will be published as edited book with ISBN number in print or digital format.

#### Schedule of Conference :

Submission of Final Paper : 15 February 2017  
 Intimation for acceptance of paper or changes required if any : 15 March 2017  
 Last Date for Registration : 30 April 2017

#### Registration Fee :

(Includes Conference Kit and food during conference days)

Indian Delegates	Rs. 2000/-
LIS Students/ SLA Members/ Accompanied Person/ Retired Professionals	Rs. 1500/-
International Participants	US\$ 100

For payment details please refer the Registration Form available on [slp.org.in/lips2017](http://slp.org.in/lips2017)

**Accommodation :** Accommodation will be provided in the Institute Guest House. Guest House is equipped with Air Conditioning, Wifi, TV ( Some Rooms), Reading Table, seating arrangements and also self Tea/Coffee Kit etc.,

#### Charges per day :

- Suit with double Bed : Rs. 2000/-
  - Standard Room with double Bed : Rs. 1000/-
  - Standard Room on Sharing : Rs. 500/-
- Accommodation charges may be paid in the form of Demand Draft in favour of 'Registrar, IISER Mohali payable at Canara Bank, Mohali.