

CHHATRAPATI SHAHU JI MAHARAJ UNIVERSITY, KANPUR

(A State University Accredited with NAAC A++ Grade)

UGC Category-1 University | Established 1966

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE

(School of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences)

ADMISSION BROCHURE:

"Building Careers in the Age of Information & Technology"

1. ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The Department of Library & Information Science at CSJMU is a modern center of academic excellence. We don't just teach how to manage books; we teach how to manage **Knowledge**. Located within our **NAAC A++ accredited campus**, our students gain hands-on experience with the latest digital automated systems, preparing them for high-demand roles in educational institutions, research labs, and the corporate world.

2. PROGRAM OBJECTIVES & SCOPE

Our department is dedicated to meeting the global information requirements of the 21st century by producing professionals who are not only technically proficient but also service-oriented. Our core objectives are to:

- Develop **Digital Literacy & Technical Skills** by training students in advanced library software, automated systems, and digital database management.
- Master **Information Management Skills** to organize, retrieve, and disseminate vast amounts of data efficiently.
- Bridge the **Gap between Traditional Values & Modern Technology** needed in the contemporary information and digital workforce.
- Foster **Research & Inquiry Skills** into information behavior, user needs, and advanced metadata standards.

3. AREA OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT

The curriculum is specifically designed to equip students with hands-on expertise in the following areas:

- **Library Automation & IT:** Complete mastery over automated library systems and IT tools for daily operations.

- **Digital Data Management:** Organizing, curating, and protecting huge amounts of digital information.
 - **Practical Work & Immersive Learning:** Textbook knowledge is reinforced through intense practical sessions and field visits.
 - **Career Readiness:** Equipping students with the communication and administrative skills required to run modern knowledge centers.
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4. WORLD-CLASS SMART FACILITIES

- **Automated Library System:** Experience a "Smart Library" where books are managed using advanced wireless sensors (RFID).
 - **Self-Service Kiosks:** Touch-screen stations for borrowing or returning books without waiting in line.
 - **Digital Entry Gates:** Modern, automated gates that track visitor traffic in real-time.
 - **High-Tech Computing Lab:** Dedicated space for library software training and digital archiving.
 - **Seamless Wi-Fi:** 24/7 high-speed internet access to millions of online journals and e-books.
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5. CAREER PATHWAYS: EVERYWHERE THERE IS A LIBRARY, WE ARE NEEDED!

A qualification in Library & Information Science opens doors to a profession that powers the world's knowledge. Due to an endless demand, our students find excellent placement in:

- **Educational Institutions:** All Schools, Colleges, and Universities (Both Government & Private).
 - **Research & Technical Labs:** Leading national research labs (like CSIR, DRDO) and specialized archives.
 - **Government Sector:** National and public libraries and information bureaus.
 - **Corporate Sector:** Multinational Companies, Media Houses, and Law Firms requiring massive database management.
 - **Heritage Sector:** Specialized museums, cultural centers, and digitization projects.
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6. ACADEMIC PROGRAMS & ELIGIBILITY

Program	Duration	Total Seats	Eligibility
B.Lib.I.Sc	1 Year (2 Sem)	40	Graduation (40% for Gen / 35% for SC/ST)
M.Lib.I.Sc	1 Year (2 Sem)	40	B.Lib.I.Sc. (40% for Gen / 35% for SC/ST)
Ph.D.	As per UGC NORMS	-	As per UGC NORMS

7. MEET OUR EXPERT FACULTY

- **Prof. (Dr.) Ashish K Srivastava- UGC -NET, Ph.D, MCA** (University Librarian & Coordinator)
- **Dr. Shweta Pandey** (Deputy Librarian)-UGC-NET, Ph.D, PGDCA
- **Dr. Ravi Shukla** (Asst. Librarian)- UGC-NET, Ph.D, PGDCA
- **Miss. Smita Gupta** (Asst. Professor)- UGC-NET
- **Mrs. Deepmala Nigam** (Asst. Professor)- UGC-NET

8. HOW TO APPLY?

Registration is 100% Online. Seats are limited and filled on a **Merit / First-Come-First-Serve** basis.

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