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Session on Endnote Saturday 7th Jan 2017

To meet the support needs of enthusiastic researchers/ users at the University of Management and Technology in Lahore, LRC organized a tutorial on Endnote for UMT research scholars in the means of research support services on Thursday 7th January, 2016. The session title was "How to cite and use references in research paper (End Note Training)". Mr. Nusrat Ali (Library Officer) was the trainer. He started with the brief introduction and importance of citation and referencing. After that he started training on End note.

EndNote is used by libraries all over the world to teach people about discovering, accessing and evaluating information in networked computer environments. **Mr. Nusrat Ali** told the students how they can manage their references and import them in their research papers and thesis using End note software. The session was one hour long. The feedback was 100%. These sessions are being appreciated by students as well as faculty members.

The main objectives of this training was to

- * Create, open and close a library (a collection of references).
- * Create a new reference, edit a reference, and search within EndNote for references.

* Find and delete duplicate references.

* Format references and bibliographies to fit different journal styles.

* Import references from databases such as PubMed and Scopus.

* Use connection files within EndNote to search PubMed, PsycINFO, Web of Science, and other databases.

* Use EndNote with Microsoft Word to insert references in a manuscript.



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Special Points of Interest

- Finding and managing references.
- Create libraries of references
- •Download large sets of references at one time.
- Generate bibliographies

One day Tour of Faiz Ghar

126/F Model Town Lahore Wednesday 25th Jan 2017

LRC has arranged a tour to Faiz Ghar 126/F Model Town Lahore on Wednesday 25th Jan 2017. Faiz Ghar is a project of the Faiz Foundation Trust, set up for the promotion of the progressive and humanistic ideas of Faiz Ahmed Faiz (1911-1984). Faiz Foundation Trust set up the Faiz Ghar in Model Town, Lahore, the place where Faiz lived his last years and which is his last resting place.

The purpose of this visit



was to familiarize the learners with memorabilia and other ma-

terials related to Faiz are on display at the Faiz Ghar. * Letters, manuscripts, marriage certificate, educational degrees, etc. * Photographs of Faiz of different periods, occasions, groups, etc

* Articles of daily use of Faiz Books, magazines and other printed materials are available for display in the library, which was set up through a generous grant from the Government of Punjab.



Session on Plagiarism

Tuesday 31 January 2017 at 3:30pm

In considering whether our institution should teach information literacy skills, who should do the teaching and whether funding and staff should be allocated for this purpose, it is important to consider the ways students will benefit from this training to determine the level of investment to be made in information literacy.

Keeping in view the importance of this LRC has arranged a session on Plagiarism on Tuesday 31 January 2017 at 3:30pm in Resource Person **Jamshaid Wazir Zafar (**Library Officer) started with the brief introduction and importance of Plagiarism. Then he discussed how to



avoid plagiarism and what skills are needed to be enhanced such as creative writing and proper planning of paper.

He also gave some important tips to students which may help those producing good papers. This session was one our long.

Student feedback was taken after the session. Students were very thank full and said that these sessions have cleared many queries related to writing of research papers and thesis.



Writing of Research Paper and Process of Publication



Publishing a research paper in a journal or conference is an important activity within the academic community. LRC session on **"Writing of Research Paper and Process of Publication"** was arranged on Thursday, February 2, 2017 by Rafiq Awan and Tahir Mustafa in 2S-48.

Through seminar Chief Library



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Officer Muhammad Rafiq Awan and Tahir Mustafa shared their deep insight and in-depth analysis on the subject matter. They also purposefully updated the audience with current and emerging trends in academic publishing. They laid emphasis on the steps involved in the journal publishing cycle. Further they shared their experiences regarding this seminar, the Pakistani academic writers suffer a lot on account of this deficiency. They are commonly faced with the difficulty of getting published in prestigious journals in the world. They assign the reason of their failure to academic hegemony or imperialism. Whereas the key factor that keeps them at the back step is the lack of their understanding and the skill how to evaluate theirs and others' views and interact with their readership.

Publishing a research paper in a journal or conference is an important activity within the academic community. It allows you to network with other scholars and to further refine your ideas and research. Academic journals are probably the most common place for scholars to publish their research. Find the most suitable academic journal for your topic and writing style so you can tailor your research paper easily and increase its chance of being published.

At the end of the session feedback was very appreciative and positive. Students were very thank full and said that these sessions have cleared many queries related to writing of research papers and thesis.





Information Searching Through Online Sources February 8, 2017



Learning to do library and webbased information research is an important part of information competency. These abilities are increasingly important in our networked, information-rich society and can be applied in research work, as well as in one's personal and professional life.

The second session was conducted by **Mr. Muhammad**

Rafiq Awan (Chief Library officer) and Prof. Dr. Ahmed Mian Hanan on "Information searching Through Online Sources". Session was started with the introduction of different online sources which are using in UMT Learning resource Centre.





They gave some important tips to students which may help those producing good papers and effective searching methodologies were identified and practically explained with reference to specific databases in order to develop the participants understanding and searching skills. This session was one our long.



Intelligent use of Information Resources February 11, 2017



LRC mission is provide information literacy instruction and training based upon the needs of students, faculty, and staff as well as promotes effective use of library resources and technology. The workshop on "Intelligent use of Information resources" has organized by Mr. Jamshaid Wazeer Zafar (Library Officer) on



February 11, 2017 in Department of Computer Science. The aim of this session was to able the participants, To utilize various techniques and strategies to meet the users differences. To promote life-long learning by the teaching of concepts over skills. Session was ended with the token of appreciation.







Workshop on Turnittin

Wednesday, 22 February, 2017

Training workshop on "Turnitin" was held on Wednesday, 22 February, 2017 in LRC Digital Commons. There were 15 participants. **Resource Person "Mr Nusrat Ali"** started the session with introduction of Plagiarism and discussed how plagiarism can be avoided. Faculty members participated in the discussion and a Q&A session held at the end. The training on "Turnitin" started at 15:00. He introduced the "Turnitin" Web and briefly described its importance for higher education. Later he started demonstrating the use of Turnitin. At the end Positive feedback was provided by the participants

Content of the Workshop:

- Introduction
- How to create an account
- Introduction to Turnitin tools
- Usage of Turnitin for Classes
- Usage of Turnitin for Assignments
- Plagiarism check Procedure

Learning objectives

- Understand how to avoid accidental and patchwork Plagiarism.
- Understand why you need your in-text citations and your Works Cited.
- Understand how to construct your in-text citations and your Works Cited.



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