



Gad and Birgit Rausing Library

Annual Report 2021

Training and Workshops

Free online workshop on academic publishing

The Library, in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission (HEC) of Pakistan, conducted a workshop on academic publishing for the effective dissemination of new information and knowledge. Many scholars, including early career researchers, do not fully understand the different stages involved in the publishing process. Information of each of these stages is invaluable for

academics and researchers wishing to publish and maximize their work's impact. This session aimed to introduce and provide insightful information on the fundamental steps that span the entire publishing process. Some of the main topics covered are what is the publishing process, choosing the right journal, the submission process, pre-printing your research, and the steps and details of peer review.

Workshop on legal research methods

The Library conducted a workshop on "Searching Law Resources and Legal Research Methods" with the Shaikh Ahmad Hassan School of Law to brief participants on the Library's law resources and

services for its faculty, staff, and students. The purpose of the session was to get them familiarised with e-databases enhance searching skills and their usage.

Research Support

American Physical Society Collection

The Library is excited to announce access to the American Physical Society (APS) for the LUMS community. APS is a nonprofit organization working to advance and diffuse the knowledge of physics through its outstanding research journals, scientific meetings, education, outreach, advocacy, and international activities. APS publications serve

the international physics community with peer-reviewed research journals, news, and commentary about the latest research published in the Physical Review journals, news about and for members, information about physics and its place in the world, and blogs covering science policy, as well as fun and educational science news.

1159 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

900+ e-resources disseminated

Training and Workshops

Research skills enhancement session

Research skills enhancement session on Combating Plagiarism was conducted by the Library online. The main topics covered in the session were what constitutes plagiarism? How to detect plagiarism using Turnitin software? How to avoid plagiarism through paraphrasing, summarising, quoting, proper referencing, and the consequences of plagiarism.



ProQuest online workshop

The Library, in collaboration with HEC, conducted a workshop on boosting your knowledge with ProQuest Dissertations and Theses Global Database ProQuest Business Premium Collection Database. It also highlighted how to discover HEC resources using the Summon discovery search engine, take

research to the next level using the RefWorks reference management tool, and get the necessary knowledge to maximize your chance for your paper to get accepted in academic journals. The aim of this session was to give an introduction and provide insightful information on the fundamental stages.

Research Support

Faculty Opinions Collection

The Library is excited to announce access to Faculty Opinions, an expert guide to literature that comprehensively and systematically highlights the most interesting articles published in Biology and Medicine based on over 8000 leading international

scientists, medics, and clinicians. This service is highly customizable and helps individuals identify key articles, especially in adjacent fields to their own.

1833 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

800 + e-resources disseminated

Research Support

Oxford Bibliographies Collection

The Library is excited to announce access to the Oxford Bibliographies developed cooperatively with scholars and librarians worldwide. Oxford Bibliographies offers exclusive, authoritative research guides across various subject areas.

Combining the best features of an annotated bibliography and a high-level encyclopedia, this cutting-edge resource directs researchers to the best available scholarship across a wide variety of subjects.

Library annual report launched

The Library plays a vital role in promoting research culture in the university. Information professionals in the Library provide high-level services to meet even higher research standards, especially through innovative technological use. In its Annual Report, the Library also presented the events, training,

workshops, and library usage statistics of the passing year. Students and faculty are always appreciative of the library environment and its services for the community and acknowledge the commitment and dedication of the library staff.



Research Support

7756

similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

900 +

e-resources generated



Research Support

6880

similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

3000 +

e-resources disseminated

Library clearance process

The library staff is active and vigilant while doing the clearance of students. The students need to get clearance from all departments, including the Library. The library clearance process involves receiving all library materials from the students, fine

calculations, etc. Our professional staff performs this activity very smoothly with coordination from other departments and the students, even during the disruption of the pandemic.



Research Support

846

similarity reports and
plagiarism detection
certificates

2000 +

e-resources
disseminated

Delegations

PEC visited the Library

Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) delegation visited the Library and was briefed about the sources, services, and facilities. Dr. Tariq Jadoon

led the panel, and the delegation members were quite satisfied with the collection and the print and subscribed resources.



Training and Workshops

Wiley's Workshop

The Library, in collaboration with Wiley's research team, conducted an online workshop for early-career researchers in Pakistan. The workshop was helpful for researchers who want to publish their

papers/research in an academic journal. The one-hour workshop included a question and answered session with an expert speaker.

800 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates

800 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates



Delegations

Orientation Sessions for New Classes

The Library conducted six online and physical orientation sessions for new students at LUMS. These sessions provide information about the resources, services, facilities, and systems of the

Library. The Library also marketed its resources and services through attractive print and online brochures via email to the LUMS community.

Research Support

800 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

1800 + e-resources disseminated

Training and Workshops

Workshop on legal research methods

The Library conducted a workshop on "Improve Legal Research Skill with Eastlaw.pk and LexisUni" with the Shaikh Ahmad Hassan School of Law to brief its faculty and students about law resources

and services available. The purpose of the session was to get them familiarised with e-databases; enhance searching skills and their usage.

Research Support

750 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

1200+ e-resources disseminated



Training and Workshops

Research skills enhancement session

A research skills enhancement session on Combating Plagiarism was also conducted at the Suleman Dawood School of Business.



Research skills enhancement session with Researcher

The Library conducted a research skills enhancement session with the Syed Ahsan Ali and Syed Maratib Ali School of Education on "Manage Your Research with EndNote". The main topics covered in the session were Using EndNote to

import citations from e-databases, developing a personal library of references, searching through Endnote, generating in-text references and bibliographies, and how to use cite while writing.

Research Support

650 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates

1000+ e-resources disseminated

Training and Workshops

Research skills enhancement session with Faculty and Staff

The Library conducted a research skills enhancement sessions with LUMS faculty on "Plagiarism detection software."



Research Support:

Increasing Turnitin accounts

The Library plays a vital role in promoting research culture in the university. It initiated the request to increase Turnitin accounts for the LUMS community.

In collaboration with IST, the Library acquired double the accounts with Turnitin capacity to meet the research need of the LUMS community.

Research Support

2104 similarity reports and plagiarism detection certificates generated

9302 + e-resources disseminated





