

**SVKM's NARSEE MONJEE COLLEGE OF COMMERCE &
ECONOMICS**

Library Report 2010-2011

Library modernization -

- From this academic year we have started automated circulation of books to students with the help of barcodes and the SOUL 2.0 software.
- For this purpose all library books and students identity cards and Library Reader's tickets were barcoded.
- For automated circulation of books with the help of barcodes we have also purchased two barcode scanners.

Book-Bank Scheme:

- ☐ In the book-bank scheme sixty four books were issued to twelve students from the Student's Aid Fund, out of which three students were from junior college.

Staff achievements –

- The proposal for Minor research project on 'Children's libraries in Mumbai: a study suggesting a plan for development of children's libraries' of Mrs. Vaishali Dawar, Librarian is approved by UGC and sanctioned Rs. 90,000/- for the same.
- Mrs. Vaishali Dawar went as subject expert for interviews at Putuck-Gala College of Commerce and Management, Valiya College, Nalanda Dance Research Centre
- Mr. Sachin Garate, Assistant Librarian presented paper titled 'Comparison between Paid Online Journals and Open Access Journals' in the 2nd International Symposium on 'Emerging Trends and Technologies

in Libraries and Information Services' from 3rd June to 5th June 2010 at Jaypee University of Information Technology, Waknaghat (Solan).

Stock of Library-

During the academic year 2010-11 till the end of December 2010, 1211 new books costing Rs.313460.00 were added to the previous library collection of 53856 gross total numbers of books. Library subscribed 99 journals and magazines (91 national & 8 international), out of which 3 journals were newly subscribed. We had subscribed for the institutional membership of British Council Library, American Centre Library, Indian Commerce Association and Maharashtra Economic Development Council.

Use of E-journals -

E-journals databases were eagerly used by many students and teachers, the facility provided by NMIMS University library to our college library. The details of these e-journals databases were provided to teachers and students, through their e-mail ids, so that they can use it by directly clicking on the URLs of these databases. Besides the subscribed databases EBSCO, PROQUEST, EMERALD, etc. the free online e-journals like ICAST, DOAJ & Indianjournals details were also provided to the students and teachers through e-mail.

Services to Ex-students -

During this year the certified copies of syllabus were issued to 22 students going abroad for further studies. Nearly 120 ex-students made a good use of the comfortable and centrally air-conditioned reading room of the library for their CA final examination studies.