

Editorial

We now release the second issue of this volume of the **International Journal of Information Studies**. This issue has the below described papers.

In the first paper on “**Information Needs and Seeking Behaviour of Engineering College Faculty in Digital Era-A Study**” the author *Sasikala* has studied the information needs and information seeking behaviour of the engineering and technology faculty members of some selected institutions. The main intention of this study is to analyse the types of information sources used by the faculty members, their preferred information formats, the importance of and reasons for using certain information sources and the use of various formal, informal and electronic information sources.

In the next paper on “**Transformation of Public Libraries and the Rural Society**” the authors have presented the formation of a public major library and studied the construction by drawing an example of a major public library in South India. To do the analysis, the authors took extensive data and interpreted it. Finally they have given some outline for the few improvements.

In the third paper on “**Utilization of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) in Public Library Services in India**” the authors have studied the ICT and its impact on library and information services. In this work the authors have addressed the satisfaction level of users regarding library services, online database services and infrastructure facilities.

We will bring more papers in the forthcoming issues.

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