

Course: Bachelor of Library & Information Science (BLISc)

System: Semester

Duration in Years: 1

Programme Objectives (POs):

The program equips students with fundamental principles and practices for managing both traditional and digital resources. It focuses on organizing and disseminating information, understanding diverse user needs, and emphasizing professional ethics and lifelong learning to adapt to evolving information landscapes.

Students of the Bachelor of Library and Information Science (BLISc) program are expected to be equipped with:

- PO1: To provide students with a foundational education in the philosophy of librarianship, including its basic principles, fundamental laws, and professional ethics.
- PO2: To equip students with the skills necessary for effective information and knowledge processing, organization, and retrieval.
- PO3: To train students in the management of Library and Information Centers.
- PO4: To enable students to understand and appreciate the role and impact of Library & Information Centers in a dynamically changing social, cultural, technological, and economic environment.
- PO5: To impart basic knowledge of computers and their applications in Library and Information activities.
- PO6: To give the students an understanding of the basics of Information Science.
- PO7: To equip LIS students with employability skills that enhance their professional competence in the field, focusing on effective communication, critical thinking, and ethical literacy.

Programme Specific Outcomes (PSOs)

On completing Bachelor of Library and Information Science (BLISc) Programme, students shall be able to understand following outcomes:

- PSO1: Articulate the philosophy, fundamental laws, and professional ethics of librarianship, demonstrating a solid understanding of the field's foundational principles and their applications in various library settings.
- PSO2: Develop skills in information and knowledge processing, organization, and retrieval. Students will be proficient in using both traditional cataloging and modern digital tools to manage information effectively in a library setting.
- PSO3: Demonstrate the ability to manage library and information centers efficiently, encompassing human resources, financial management, and collection development within diverse environments.
- PSO4: Understand the changing roles of library and information centers influenced by social, cultural, technological, and economic factors. Students will be prepared to adapt and innovate library services to meet community and user needs effectively.
- PSO5: Become skilled in applying basic computer technology and software tools in library and information activities, enhancing the functionality and accessibility of library services and resources.
- PSO6: Possess foundational knowledge of Information Science, enabling them to understand and apply information theories, practices, and methodologies in the context of library sciences.
- PSO7: To enter the workforce as competent, ethical, and adaptable professionals who can communicate effectively, think critically, and uphold professional standards in LIS.