

ROLE OF LIBRARY IN HIGHER EDUCATION: A BIRD EYE VIEW

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Abstract:

Education plays an pivotal role in the development of a nation. Education need to be transformed to the tunic of the time and changing dimensions of the world. It offers a great opportunity to critically think upon the economic, social, cultural, moral and spiritual issues faced by the human beings. India, very urgently needs more educated and efficient people to drive our economy forward. There are many Indians in and around the corner who known for their skills and capabilities. To develop India as a Human Resource Hub or to become a prosperous contributor in global economy, India has to qualitatively strengthen education especially higher education with research and development mode.

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Introduction:

India has been a centre fo excellence in the area of higher training due to the truth that historical length. Nalanda, Vikramashila and Takshashila have been few of the oldest well-known universities in India similarly to inside the worldwide and had been the maximum famend seats of better schooling in the course of their time. students' from specific global locations of the area got here to have a look at in those universities. these days India has one in all the largest nerve center in higher training machine. Afterwords, the universities of Calcuta, Bombay and Madras were came in to the existance in 1857, accompanied by the college of Allahabad in 1887. the first attempt to extend a country huge system of education in India came in 1944, with the report of the primary Advisory Board of schooling on put up warfare instructional improvement in India, which endorsed the formation of a college offers Committee, which become formed in 1945 to superise the work of the three critical Universitites of Delhi Banaras and Aligarh. After independence, a complete-fledged Ministry of schooling turned into installation on 19th August1947. In 1952, the Union government determined that each one cases regarding the

allocation of gives-in-useful aid from public fee variety to the relevant Universitites and unique Universities and institutions of better learning might be mentioned the college provides commission (UGC). The UGC became formally mounted in November 1956 as a statutory body of the authorities of India via an Act of Parliament for the coordination, strength of mind and protection of standards of university schooling in India.

Higher Education System in India:

The University Grant Commission of India is not only the lone grant giving agency in the country, but also responsible for coordinating, determining and maintaining the standards in institutions of higher education. Aprt from the UGC here are various professional institutes and providing grants to undergraduate programmes. They are All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Distance Education Council (DEC), Indian Council for Agriculture Research (ICAR), Bar Council of India (BCI), National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), Medical Council of India (MCI), Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), Indian Nursing Council (INC), Dentist Council of India (DCI), Central Council of Homeopathy (CCH) and the Central Council of Indian Medicine (CCIM) are the statutory professional councils of India.

Growth of Higher Education in India :

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Role of Libraries :

The position of the libraries is going on gethrin convert from conventional print media and to virtual in which statistics is being made arranged on the table top of users. The users also require spot information from the metadata to be had on the internet. The duties of the librarian are converting with the time inclusive of traditional staffing pattern for performing unique features inside the libraries. The schooling device is the use of each formal and informal ways for encouraging higher schooling in India in-studying and teaching. Libraries carry out their roles in disseminate records from the time in which records is stored and preserved in the midst of library. Library performs important roles in admirable understanding and facts from books, periodicals, magazines, antique manuscripts, information, articles, requirements, reviews, authorities resolutions and so on. the predominant changes within the libraries seem due to adoption and use of technology. The function of the library can be described within the framework of the university's project and a library development programme. in the phrases of Dr.S.R. Ranganathan, "Libraries are not mere shop houses, they are rich springs from which knowledge flows out to irrigate area of training and culture". The essential position of the unversity library is educational. It have to now not be operated as a mere storehouse of books saved in studying room, but as a strong instrument of education. It emphasised in distinct reviews delivered out by diverse library and educational commissions in India. A college library is mounted with the reason of aiding in successful achivement of the objectives such as teaching, research, book programmes, and so forth. In India the university schooling commission (1948- forty nine) headed via Dr.S.Radhakrishnan describes that teachers ought to have the necessary equipment for coaching reason inside the form of libraries and laboratories as additionally the right kind of students. in line with him, "The library is the heart of the college's work; directly so as regards its research paintings and in a roundabout way as regards its academic work, which derives its life from studies paintings. scientific studies desires a library as well as its laboratories, while for humanistic studies. The library is each library and laboratory in a single.

“The training in better layers of studying and research is especially a query of getting to know a way to deal with the tools, and if the library gear aren't there, how can the students discover ways to use them. Dr. S.R. Ranganathan headed the report of the Library Committee of college presents fee in 1957 that dealt with in detail the role of the university library in educational improvement especailly within the subject of higher training

The above observations can be summarizing in the words as:

- i. The library is the heart of education
- ii. Methods & fashion in education change from generation to generation, but each generation uses the library as a means of realizing its items; hence the library remains the great conservator of learning;
- iii. A quality education is impossible without a quality library;
- iv. A library is vital organ for proper exploitation of our intellectual resources; v. A library is needed for maintenance of free access to ideas, and to the functioning of the untrammeled mi

Aims, Objectives of University Library :

A library is considered as the ‘heart’ of a university and it is the centre of learning for higher education. Each university has a central library attached to it and may have various constituent libraries attached to and it’s different teaching departments or the constituent colleges. The aims and objectives of a library are as below:

1. Library must help in change process that is essential for a developing of growing society.
2. University Library should promote facilities for advanced study and research in education.
3. Library has to give opportunities for professional pupils to improve their knowledge and skill through summer and evening classes, short term courses, seminars and other means.
4. Library has to provide teacher training and guidance in respect to prepare candidates for the Master / Ph.D. in educational degrees of the university and such other disciplines / diplomas in education may be instituted.
5. Library has to conduct research in several branches of education, publish the result of such research and act as an educational inforamtion dissemination centre.
6. Library should help to prepare educational leaders in teaching, research and administration.
7. Library stimulate educational research of high quality, both fundamental and applied, required for the improvement of education.

8. University Library acts a dynamic and high quality academic environment of teaching, research and human services for prospective teachers and leaders in the field of special education.

Conclusion

Facts environment are very tons alive inclusive of libraries in higher schooling and different studies embellishes for the most element we can not make one decision for the destiny however character guidelines want to be made and the conditions need to be recognized For any library to succeed in enforcing understanding control will require a robust leadership and imaginative and prescient from the top administration that can have an effect on the companies knowledge sharing attempt in a superb manner as libraries enter the expertise phase of the twenty first century we should now not take a backseat inside the improvement of know-how control instead and with our expert know-how and stories we need to be inside the motive force's seat.

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