About the Central Library

The Central Library of the University was established in 2010 at the Temporary Campus in Government B.Ed College, Narnaul and shifted to the present location in August 2013. It is air-conditioned building equipped with all the latest ICT facilities. It is one of the liveliest place on the campus providing a safe, comfortable and friendly environment that enables learning and advancement of knowledge. It has the provision of a separate reading hall.

Central Library is having 23856 volumes in various subjects of knowledge to serve the academic community of the University. We have advanced our web activities with the subscription of 8500+ high quality e-Journals being made available through E-ShodhSindhu consortium to teachers, students and research scholars. The Library also promotes Open Access e-resources. University Library endeavors to further improve all its efforts to facilitate right information to the right users at the right time.

Mission and Vision

**Vision:** To develop enlightened citizenship of a knowledge society for peace and prosperity of individuals, nation and the world, through promotion of innovation, creative endeavors, and scholarly inquiry.

**Mission:** To serve as a beacon of change, through multi-disciplinary learning, for creation of knowledge community, by building a strong character and nurturing a value-based transparent work ethics, promoting creative and critical thinking for holistic development and self–sustenance for the people of India. The
University seeks to achieve this objective by cultivating an environment of excellence in teaching, research and innovation in pure and applied areas of learning.

**Library Hours**

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<td>Library</td>
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<td>Monday to Friday</td>
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<td>E-Lab</td>
<td>Monday to Friday</td>
<td>09:00 am to 05:30 pm</td>
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<tr>
<td>Conference Hall</td>
<td>Monday to Friday</td>
<td>09:00 am to 10:00 pm</td>
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The Central Library operates 362 days a year, remaining closed only on the three national holidays, i.e. Republic Day, Independence Day and Gandhi Jayanti.

**Library Membership**

The membership is provided to all the bonafide students, faculty and staff of Central University of Haryana. Library staff may be contacted to avail membership.

**Print Collection**


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**Digital Access**

**A. Access through e-Shodh Sindhu**

The Central University of Haryana is a prominent member of e-Shodh Sindhu consortium. University gets access to 8500+ scholarly journals through this consortium. Access is provided through IP access authentication, enabling the availability on 24x7x365 basis. As the whole campus is Wi-Fi enabled,
resources could be accessed by the users without any barrier of space and time. Here is the list of 14 online databases (8500+ e-journals) made available through E-Shodh Sindhu at Central University of Haryana:

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<td>Annual Reviews (43 titles)</td>
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<td>Cambridge University Press (224 titles)</td>
<td><a href="https://www.cambridge.org/core">https://www.cambridge.org/core</a></td>
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<td>Economic &amp; Political Weekly</td>
<td><a href="http://www.epw.in">http://www.epw.in</a></td>
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<td>Emerald (133 titles)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.emeraldinsight.com">http://www.emeraldinsight.com</a></td>
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<td>Institute for studies in Industrial Development (125 titles)</td>
<td><a href="http://isid.org.in">http://isid.org.in</a></td>
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<td>J-Gate</td>
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<td>JSTOR (2500+ titles)</td>
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<td>Nature</td>
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<td>Oxford University Press (262 titles)</td>
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<td>Project Muse (600 titles)</td>
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<td>ScienceDirect</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.tandfonline.com">http://www.tandfonline.com</a></td>
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<td>Wiley-Blackwell (908 titles)</td>
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B. National Science Digital Library (NSDL)

National Science Digital Library (NSDL) (http://nsdl.niscair.res.in/jspui/) aims at providing comprehensive S&T information to students of science, engineering and technology in the country. It is a Tenth Five Year Plan Network Project of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR). NSDL is the only source of its kind that provides curriculum based content to address the information needs of the undergraduate students of science. The content creation and development for NSDL has gone through rigorous procedures to make the quality content available for the students. Authored by eminent teachers and validated by renowned faculty in Indian universities and colleges, NSDL envisages to bring finest content to the students. The discussion forum has been provided for interactions amongst NSDL users. The list of e-Content available in NSDL is given below:

- Agriculture [62]
- Library Science [23]
- Anthropology [21]
- Mathematics [10]
- Biochemistry [67]
- Microbiology [59]
- Biology [7]
- NISCAIR Popular Science Books [16]
- Botany [50]
- Pharmacy [66]
- Chemistry [39]
- Physics [9]
- Ecology & Environmental Sciences [18]
- Polymer Science [10]
- Geology [6]
- Space Research [1]
- Horticulture [10]
- Statistics [34]
- Industrial Chemistry [2]
- Zoology [69]

C. National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning
NPTEL (http://nptel.ac.in/) stands for National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning which is an initiative by seven Indian Institutes of Technology (IIT Bombay, Delhi, Guwahati, Kanpur, Kharagpur, Madras and Roorkee) and Indian Institute of Science (IISc) for creating course contents in engineering and science. NPTEL originated as a project from many deliberations between IITs, Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) and Carnegie Mellon University (CMU) during the years 1999-2003. A proposal was jointly put forward by five IITs (Bombay, Delhi, Kanpur, Kharagpur and Madras) and IISc for creating contents for 100 courses as web based supplements and 100 complete video courses, for forty hours duration per course. Web supplements were expected to cover materials that could be delivered in approximately forty hours. Initially, five engineering branches (Civil, Computer Science, Electrical, Electronics and Communication and Mechanical) and core science programmes were chosen. Contents for the above courses were based on the model curriculum suggested by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) and the major affiliating Universities in India.

D. e-PG Pathshala

e-PG Pathshala – (http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/) - MHRD, under its National Mission on Education through ICT (NME-ICT), has assigned work to the UGC for development of e-content in 77 subjects at postgraduate level. The content and its quality is the key component of education system. Under this initiative, high quality, curriculum-based, interactive content of different subjects across all relevant disciplines, is being developed.

E. The Judgments Information System

The Judgments Information system consists of the Judgments of the Supreme Court of India and several High Courts. In case of the Supreme Court, all reported Judgments which are published in SCR Journal, since its inception in 1950, are available. The Judgments reported in SCR till 1993 also have head-notes. The judgments reported in SCR in 1994 and later have only text of judgments without head-notes.

F. Open Access Journals and Books

Besides the above mentioned sources being provided by Government of India and Its subsidiaries, CUH provides access to a vast number of open access books and journals such as Directory of Open Access Journals (https://doaj.org/), Registry of Indian Open Access Journals: A-Z List (http://oajse.com/rioaj_a-z_list.html), Directory of Open Access Books (http://www.doabooks.org/), OAPEN (www.oapen.org), Open Science (openscience.com) etc.
University Repository

Amarkosha
The Central library has designed and developed ‘Amarkosha’ as the University Repository. This open access repository has been developed to collect, preserve and disseminate the research output (theses & dissertations, research papers, reports, etc.) of Central University of Haryana.

Gyan Pravah
A repository named ‘Gyan Pravah’ has been developed. This repository will offer offline e-learning resources which will be collected from IGNOU, CEC, NCERT, NITTTR and other regional sources.

Library Spaces

E- Library
The Central Library is offering the facility of browsing internet to its bonafide members. It is equipped with 24 computer terminals having Internet connection. The E-Library is open from 9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. on working days.

Reading Hall
The Central Library has a reading hall with the seating capacity for 50 students at a time. The students can enjoy reading the current newspapers and magazines in both Hindi and English language. The Reading Hall is open from 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. on all days except three national holidays Jan 26, Aug 15, and Oct 2 every year for all bonafide members of the central library.

Stack Area
Text Books, Reference Books, Thesis and Dissertations on different subjects are available in stack area of the central library. Students and faculty can take the advantage of borrowing or referencing.

Conference Hall
The Conference Hall of Central Library is air conditioned with the seating capacity of 20 at a time. It is kept open from 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. on all days except three national holidays January 26, August 15, and October 2 every year.

Library Services

Book Lending Service
The members of the central library are encouraged to borrow books from the library as per the limits set by the library committee. The lending system is fully automated through barcode implementation.

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**Plagiarism Check Service**

In order to maintain the academic and research ethics, PG, M.Phil and Ph.D. researchers are required to undergo plagiarism check of their Thesis and Dissertations through Plagiarism software named “Urkund”.

**Reference Service**

The library members can refer to variety of reference books of all the relevant disciplines available in the library.

**Library Catalog Service**

The Library is fully automated with e-Granthalaya software developed by NIC. The central library catalogue is available online and enabled with LMS which allow cataloging of diverse resources such as books, journals, articles, slides, maps, audio/video, clippings, serial publications, software and so on. OPAC enables searching through cluster like Accession number, Author, Keyword, Subject, and Title.

**Reprographic Services**

Students can avail the service of photocopying library materials on nominal charges at Photocopy Shop. Also, Lamination of cards and certificates; Binding of Thesis and books may be done through this service at nominal rates. The service is available from 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. on all working days.

**Training/Orientation Programme**

Library Orientation programs are offered to all the students and researchers to make the users aware about the library services and sources. The Central Library will hold training sessions on Plagiarism software, Citation Software, and other useful software as per the need of the faculty.
A. Issue/Return data

There is continuous increase in the loan of reading material from the Library. The actual data since the starting of automated circulation is given in Figure 1.

![Issue - Return Statistics](image)

Figure 1.

B. Book Collection

Collection of the Library is gradually being updated since its inception. Year-wise growth is given in figure 2, below.

![Book Collection](image)

Figure 2.
Library Visitors
There is tremendous increase in the visit to the library as depicted by the figure 3 below.

Figure 3

Library IT Infrastructure:

The Central Library has sound IT infrastructure with 32 computers, 4 printers, and a server.
Dr. Vinod Kumar Singh
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