Ph. D. COURSEWORK IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (PHDLIS)

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

RLI-013 : OPEN ACCESS AND SCHOLARLY COMMUNICATION

Time : 3 Hours   *Maximum Marks : 100*

Note : *Attempt **all** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Illustrate your answers with suitable examples and diagrams wherever necessary. Write the relevant question number before writing the answer.*

1. Discuss the philosophy of open access highlighting its evolution, approaches and benefits.

Or

Explain the roles of various stakeholders in promoting open access.

2. What is an open access journal ? State the criteria for an open access journal to be included in the Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ). Discuss the benefits of open source journal system.

Or

Present a business plan for publishing an open access journal.

3. Define an open access content management system. State its functions. Discuss in brief the activities of the fundamental groups of an open access content management system.

Or

Explain the concept and importance of interoperability in open access content management system.

4. 'The Dublin Core Metadata Element Set (DCMES) is a small set of resource description categories which is notably different from many other metadata schemes due to easy use and inter-operability.' Elucidate the statement.

Or

Discuss the metadata policy issues for organising open access resources.

5. Write short notes on any *four* of the following in not more than **300** words each.

   (a) Open Education Resources (OER)

   (b) Altmetrics

   (c) SUSHI counter

   (d) Open science

   (e) Data curation

   (f) Open Researcher and Contributor ID