

PROF. K. A. ISAAC MEMORIAL LECTURE ; 3

on

Future of Libraries in the Web-dominated Era

by

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**Department of Library and Information Science
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in association with

**The Alumni Association of the
Department of Library and Information Science**

***Venue:* Department of Library and Information Science, Kerala
University Library Building, Thiruvananthapuram – 34**

Prof. K. A. Isaac, the founder of the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Kerala and a doyen of LIS Profession in the country, was instrumental in moulding the LIS profession in India as a whole and in Kerala in particular. In his capacity as the University Librarian and the Head of the Department for almost a quarter of a century, he had played a crucial role in shaping the profession as well as LIS education here. As a member of many decision making bodies, both at state and national levels, Prof. Isaac could get actively involved in the formulation of LIS policy matters in the country. He is the great *Guru* of a large majority of the LIS professionals in Kerala. Therefore it is indeed appropriate on the part of his students and colleagues to perpetuate his contributions to the profession and to pay homage to him in this third year of his demise.

The Department in association with the Alumni Association (AADLIS) is holding commemoration function in honour of Prof K A Issac on Monday, 3rd November 2008 at 3.30 p m in the Department of Library and Information Science. **Prof. B. Hridayakumari**, former Principal of the College for Women, Trivandrum and a renowned educationist and literary luminary has kindly agreed to preside over the function. **Prof. C. A. Augustine**, **Smt K. K. Lalitha Bai** and **Prof. (Dr.) G. Devarajan**, former colleagues and successors of Prof. Isaac in the Department, will reminisce about Prof. Isaac. **Dr. K. S. Raghavan**, Professor, Documentation Research and Training Centre, Bangalore will deliver The Professor K. A. Isaac Memorial Lecture, on the topic: “**Future of Libraries in the Web-dominated Era**”.

You are cordially invited to attend the function.

Programme

Invocation

Welcome

M. Varghese

*Head of the Dept. of Library & Information
Science & President, AADLIS*

Presidential address

Prof. B. Hridayakumari

*Former Principal, College for Women
Trivandrum*

**Reminiscences about
Prof. Isaac**

Prof. C. A. Augustine

Smt. K. K. Lalitha Bai

Dr. G. Devarajan

**Prof. Isaac Memorial
Lecture**

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Vote of thanks

Sri N. Vijayakumar

Secretary, AADLIS