(Course Structure)
2-Years Integrated Course of
Master of Library & Information Science
(M.Lib.I.Sc.)

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Course Structure of Two Years Master of Library and Information Science Programme (M. Lib. I. Sc.)

Master of Library and Information Science(M. Lib. I. Sc.) program is of four semesters and requires one to achieve 86 credits through the various Discipline Specific Core Courses (CORE), Open Courses, Inter-Disciplinary Electives (IDE) / Multi-Disciplinary Electives (MDE), and Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) / Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)/Value Added Courses (VAC) demonstrated as below:

Courses/Sem	Sem-1 (Credits)	Sem-2 (Credits)	Sem-3 (Credits)	Sem-4 (Credits)	Total
Discipline-Specific Core Courses	16	12	16	16	60
Open Courses OR Interdisciplinary / Multidisciplinary Elective Courses (IDC/MDE)	-	8	4	4	16
Ability / Skill Enhancement Courses (AEC/SEC)	4	-	2	2	08
Value Added Courses (VAC)		2	-		02
	20	22	22	22	86

EXIT OPTIONS AND AWARD OF DEGREE

Upon successful completion of four semesters, the student shall be awarded **Master of Library and Information Science** (M. Lib. I. Sc.) Degree. However, if a student who successfully completes the first and second semesters and intends to exist just after completing two semesters, or even after the course of study during the subsequent semesters for any reason, shall get a **Bachelor of Library and Information Science** (B. Lib. I. Sc.) Degree.

Lateral Entry Admission

If any students possessing One Year Bachelor Degree in Library and Information Science (B. Lib. I. Sc./B. Lib. Sc.) and wish to join Gautam Buddha University, Master of Library and Information Science Programme may be given lateral entry admission in the Third Semester of the Programme and will be given Master of Library and Information Science (M. Lib. I. Sc.) Degree.

First Semester

Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	L	T	P	Total Marks	Credits
LIS-PG-C101	Foundations of Library and Information Science	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C102	Information Sources and Services	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C103	Information and Communication Technology Application	Core	2	-	4	100	4
LIS-PG-C104	Knowledge Organization and Arrangement: Library Classification (Theory & Practice)	Core	2	-	4	100	4
	Ability / Skill (ASE)						
LIS-PG-E105	Communication and Soft Skills*	ASE/SEC	4	-	0	25	4
					Total Credits		20

*The students may opt through MOOCs (IGNOU) / Department

Second Semester

Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	L	T	P	Total Marks	Credits
LIS-PG-C201	Library Management and Operations	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C202	Library Automation and Networking(Theory & Practice)	Core	2	-	4	100	4
LIS-PG-C203	Knowledge Organization and Description: Library Cataloguing (Theory & Practice)	Core	2	-	4	100	4
Any Two from the Inter-Disciplinary/Multidisciplinary Electives							
LIS-PG-E204	Marketing of Library and Information Services#	IDE	4	-	-	100	4
LIS-PG-E205	Buddhist Information, Archive, and Museum#	IDE	4		-	100	4
LIS-PG-E206	Information, Media and Data Literacy#	IDE	4	-	-	100	4
	VAC						
LIS-PG-V207	Cyber Security$	VAC	2		0	50	2
					Total Credits		22

#IDE Shall be announced by the department at the start of the semester based on faculty availability.

$Through MOOCs / Department / Inter-Departmental

Third Semester

Course Code	Description	Course Type	L	T	P	Total Marks	Credits
LIS-PG-C301	Knowledge Management and Information Systems	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C302	Digital Library Development (Theory & Practice)	Core	2	-	4	100	4
LIS-PG-C303	Information Storage and Retrieval	Core	4	-	-	100	4
LIS-PG-C304	Database and Content Organisation System (Theory & Practice)	Core	2		4	100	4
	Ability (AEC)/ Skill (SEC)						
LIS-PG-E305	Bibliometrics, Informetrics, and Scientometrics	AEC	2	-		50	2
Any One from the Inter-Disciplinary/Multidisciplinary Electives							
LIS-PG-E306	Open Access and Scholarly Publishing	IDE	4		0	100	4
LIS-PG-O307	Preservation and Conservation of Library Materials@	OC	4		0	100	4
	Skill Enhancement Course						
LIS-PG-NC308	Library Internship	NC			Internship Record		
				Total Credits			**22**

@ Through MOOCs / Department

Fourth Semester

Course No	Description	Course Type	L	T	P	Total Marks	Credits
LIS-PG-C401	Research Methodology in Library and Information Science	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C402	Electronic Resource Management	Core	4	-	0	100	4
LIS-PG-C403	Dissertation	Core	8	-	-	200	8
Any One from the Inter Disciplinary/Multidisciplinary Electives							
LIS-PG-O404	Intellectual Property Rights%	OC	4	-	-	100	4
LIS-PG-E405	Library Entrepreneurship	DE	4	-	0	100	4
	AEC/SEC (Any one)						
LIS-PG-E406	Research Data Management	IDE	2	-	0	50	2
LIS-PG-E407	Indian Traditional Knowledge System	VAC	2	-	0	50	2
Total Credits						**22**	

Through MOOCs/Department. Decided by the department at the start of the semester
C-Core; **E**-Elective; **O**-Open; **V**-Value Added