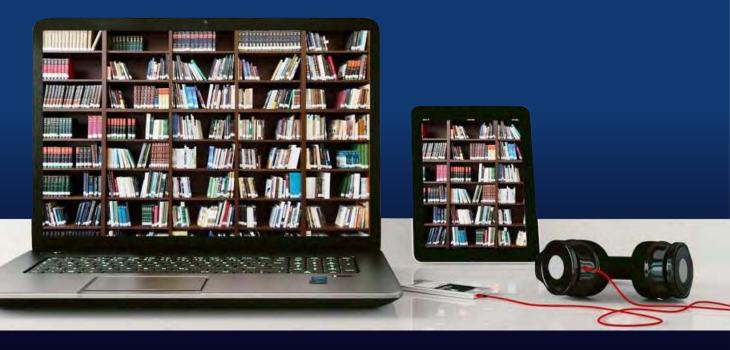


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OVERVIEW JGU DIGITAL LIBRARY THE LIFELINE FOR ONLINE LEARNING

JGU's Global Library plays a key role in online as well as in-campus learning. As members of the JGU community, JGU students will have access to one of the best libraries in India, with a world-class collection of digital and print resources and services. About 90% of the Global Library's resources are in the electronic form.

JGU's rapidly growing digital collection presently consists of about 31,000 electronic journals, 250,000 e-books, 1,200 online law reports, and 40,000 e-learning resources including case studies, multimedia, e-textbooks and interactive self-learning platforms, supplemented with a variety of tools to support research and scholarship. This includes perpetually owned, subscribed and open access resources.

31,000 Electronic Journals

250,000 E-Books

1,200 Online Law Reports 40,000 E-learning Resources





The following chart provides a glimpse of library resources in various broad disciplines:

| | E-Journals | E-Books | E- Textbooks | Print Books | Business Cases | Multimedia |
|---|--|---------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|------------|
| Law | 7085 (Including 1200 Law Reports) | 27580 | 782 | 11909 | 105 | 250 |
| Business & Banking | 1469 | 15574 | 103 | 7406 | 35364 | 20 |
| Humanities, Art & Architecture | 7855 | 4138 | 23 | 5115 | 10 | 250 |
| Political Science & International Relations | 1912 | 14799 | 105 | 8214 | 938 | 200 |
| Journalism (Media & Communications) | 773 | 878 | 4 | 370 | 73 | 50 |
| Environment & Sustainability | 286 | 2779 | 6 | 220 | 9 | 170 |
| Literature | 1793 | 19281 | 22 | 4132 | - | 50 |
| Other Social Sciences | 7546 | 78786 | 144 | 16719 | 2667 | 300 |
| Other Disciplines | 2968 | 103135 | 186 | 5389 | 452 | 450 |

Major Digital Resources in Various Broad Disciplines



Law Resources

JGU's Digital Law Library is perhaps the most well-equipped library in India, with an array of Indian and foreign resources, providing access to primary and secondary legal material. Our offerings far exceed the requirements of various accreditation bodies such as the Bar Council of India. In addition to General Legal Resources such as LexisNexis, Westlaw, AIR, SCC Online, Manupatra, and Hein Online, the Global Library subscribes to a wide range of specialised resources in Arbitration, International Law, Corporate Law, Taxation Law, Competition Law, Trade Law, Maritime Law and many other legal streams. These resources collectively cover case law from about 1,200 law reports of Indian and Foreign Jurisdictions, Statutes, Law Review articles, Treatises, Legal Dictionaries, Commentaries, historic documents, and news, etc; and are supported by powerful tools for discovery and analysis.





Business & Economics Resources

EBSCO Business Source Premier is an aggregator database providing access to thousands of journals, e-books, course materials, business cases and other material in the disciplines of business, economics and allied subjects. The Global Library also subscribes to a number of statistical databases from CMIE, IMF, EPWRF and company database, Ace-Analyzer. Several schools at JGU use case studies in their pedagogy. Business Case resources from Harvard Business School and Case Centre are at the core of teaching courses in business, economics, banking and other disciplines.

E-journals in Humanities, Social Sciences and other Disciplines

E-journal collections—including archival volumes from almost all major publishers such as Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Taylor & Francis, Duke University Press, and Sage—form the core of the Global Library's ejournals collection in Humanities and Social Sciences. Project Muse and JSTOR, two of the largest online databases, provide access to journal archives from world-renowned libraries in all disciplines.





Magazines, Newspapers & Newswires

In addition to Press Reader, an aggregator platform for over 5,000 digital magazines and newspapers in India and abroad, the Global Library has taken group subscriptions to several newspapers such as The New York Times and The Wall Street Journal. The E-newspaper page on the Library website also lists several freely accessible digital newspapers.



E-books Resources

Over 2.5 lakh carefully selected e-books from major publishers such as Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Bloomsbury Hart, Edward Elgar, Taylor & Francis, Thomson Reuter, Lexis Nexis, Wiley, etc. are available to the JGU community. Our acquisition policy prefers e-books over print books wherever possible. The Global Library has also established access to two major e-book aggregator platforms, EBSCO Collection Manager and Proquest, on which one can browse over 4 million e-books and make online recommendation for instant ordering and access for the JGU community.



How to Access & Use JGU Digital Library Remotely

The Global Library's website (http://library.jgu.edu.in) contains hundreds of pages of information. Most of the online resources can be accessed from the Digital Resources Page.

When on the campus, students can access all the Digital Resources using the University's IP access licenses, and do not require any credentials. However, remote access will require log-in to a Remote Access platform, using JGU Outlook credentials. No separate credentials are needed. One can start accessing JGU Digital Library immediately after receiving the JGU Outlook Credentials from the IT Department.



The Global Library's online catalogue can be searched from anywhere in the world to find e-books and print books. One can either search individual resources from the Digital Library Page (from within the Campus), or RemoteLog Page (for outside the Campus), as the case may be. For searching multiple databases from a single search interface, one of the two resource discovery services, J-Gate or EBSCO Discovery Service, can be used. Many of the resources subscribed by the Global Library can also be searched directly on Google.

Online Course Materials



Availability of the course material is crucial to an effective online learning experience. The Global Library endeavours to make available learning material to every JGU student in an online mode without any hindrance. For this purpose, the Faculty Support team of the library works closely with the faculty to identify relevant course material well before the start of each semester, and arranges licenses for the newly required e-textbooks from various publishers. The Global Library so far has purchased licenses for about 1,500 e-textbooks. Once the course material is arranged, the links are shared with the concerned faculty and consolidated access is provided from a searchable/browsable Course Material Page on the library website. Instructors who opt to use the Global Library administered Learning Management System, Elearning@JGU, can also provide links to the online course material through the respective LMS Course site.

In exceptional cases, when the main text or additional readings are not available



in electronic form, or when only single-user e-books versions (e.g., Kindle or Vital Source) are available, the Global Library negotiates special discounted pricing for JGU students. Respective course instructors are equipped to use or circulate other learning material such as movies from the library to their classes.

The Global Library has now embarked on a drive to increase the share of selflearning interactive resources from commercial publishers, as well as global elearning platforms such as Coursera, Edex, Future Learn, CALI and others. This will not only encourage students to improve their online learning experience, but also provide more time for interactions and learning beyond curriculum. The Global Library has already taken 1,000 student licenses for courses on Computer Assisted Legal Instruction (CALI), USA for the JGLS students.

ELearning@JGU is the Learning Management System administered by the Global Library and powered by open-source Moodle. Over 2,600 students were registered in 129 courses being run by 97 instructors on Elearning@JGU during the Spring 2021 semester. ELearning@JGU integrates access to course material with plagiarism check, offers standard features for tracking learning progress, as well as instructor-student and student-student interactions.



Support to Student Research



Resources for Research Data Management

The Global Library manages procurement and deployment of a variety of tools for data collection, quantitative and qualitative analyses, and the management and curation of research data. IBM SPSS, IBM Amos, Isee Stella, Atlas-ti, N-Vivo, Stata IC, and Survey Monkey are some of the tools that are extensively used by researchers at JGU.

Referencing and Writing Resources

The Global Library staff actively guide and assist in literature search and preparation of bibliographies, especially for Masters and Doctoral students. Research students can use licensed Endnote or open source Mendeley for organising their references and bibliographies.

Academic Integrity System

The University subscribes to the anti-plagiarism service Turnitin (http://turnitin.com) which is managed by the Library. Students have access to this service through their respective instructor's account, who will check their assignments using Turnitin, through an online submission process or manual submission. Research scholars can access Turnitin for checking their research publications either through their supervisor or the Global Library.

Library Guides, Resource Guides & Information Literacy Workshops

The Global Library has prepared a number of user guides to help use the various library services and collections efficiently. A number of Research Guides on various subjects also have been developed by the library staff, outlining resources in the library as well available elsewhere. Research Guides can be useful in in-depth research on the subject, particularly for Research Scholars.

In addition to intensive virtual orientation programmes and remote guided tours in the beginning of the new academic year, the Global Library also organises training programmes (Information Literacy Workshops) on important eresources, and teaching and research tools managed by the library from time to time. The library staff regularly gives presentation on databases, and teaching and research tools subscribed by the Global Library in virtual classrooms.

Student Research

JGU encourages its students to participate in various research opportunities that are available in the University, either as a part of, or independent of their academic programme; and to publish scholarly research in journals, etc. Global Library maintains a digital archive of all research publications and compiles citation analysis. All publications submitted in the JGU Digital Archive are harvested by Google Scholar, Academia and Research Gate, thereby increasing the visibility and citation of the article.

Access to Network Libraries' Resources

The Global Library is a member of the Developing Library Network (DELNET), which offers access to over 6,000 libraries in India and neighbouring countries. DELNET's Union Catalogue is available at http://delnet.in. If a particular book or journal is not available in the Global Library, users can borrow books from other libraries on inter-library loan, or request an article from other network libraries.



Abhigamya: The Inclusive and Accessible Library

The Global Library has an exclusive section, Abhigamya or Accessible Library, for members of the JGU community with special needs. Abhigamya is equipped with devices and software to convert written text to digital braille and audio books, or vice versa. The service can be used even for online learning and any library material can be converted into digital braille. Students will however be required to arrange their own digital braille reading/writing devices. Global Library's Digital Resource acquisition policy mandates that digital resources should be compliant with accessibility standards, and work closely with the publishers to improve accessibility features.

Virtual Internship Opportunities in the Global Library

For those who are interested in working in the library, towards their obligation under financial aid or fee concession awarded by JGU, the Global Library offers the twin benefits of working and learning. Working in the library not only helps to familiarise students with the books and other resources but also sharpen research skills. Virtual Internship with the Global Library provides exciting opportunities to work on preparation of bibliographies, state-of-the-art reports, research reviews, information bulletins such as JGU Law Library Notes, business readings, research guides with curation of databases, user guides and self-learning modules using open source course development software.





Access to the Campus Library

At this time, access to the campus and library is restricted. We are eager, however, to extend the services of the campus library as soon as possible. A print collection of over 60,000 volumes awaits to be explored. Students will be able to avail 24x7 reading rooms and reprography services in the Global Library. The Global Library is fully automated with state-of-the-art infrastructure and has very liberal library hours. In addition to over 500 seats in various reading rooms and reference library, students can also use reading rooms in the respective student housing. We have reorganised our physical collections and spaces to ensure strict compliance with all Covid-19 protocols and to provide a safe learning environment.

24X7 Helpline

Keeping in view the complexities and varied level of information skills, the Global Library provides 24X7 assistance to students in the use of the Digital Resources. A number of training videos, user guides and FAQs are available in the Global Library website.

Virtual Reference Librarian is a chat bot that appears on all pages of the library website and can be used to chat live 24X7.

One can also make a phone call or contact through email. Live call assistance can be sought by making a call on MS Team application and sharing the screen.

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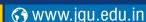








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