



VISVA-BHARATI CENTRAL LIBRARY

(Visva-Bharati Library Network)

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Notice

Faculty members / Officers/ Scholars/ Students: Activating LSDiscovery

VBLN in 24x7- anywhere, any VB Library Member, Anytime, anynetwork, any device

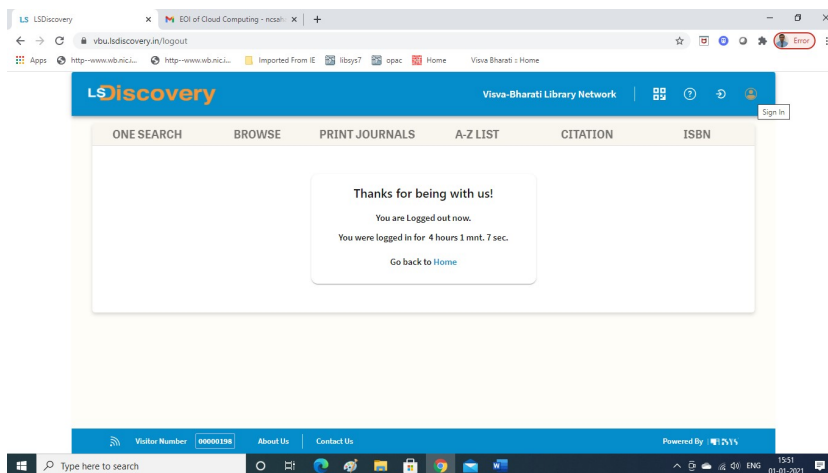
This is to let you know that, Visva-Bharati Library Network is now using LSDiscovery (in place of Open Athens) to access resources of VBLN through single interface and cloud computing. Any member of VBLN having Library card number may browse library resources from their location by using mobile/laptop/desktop through any network. Basically, it is remote access and discovery services with added features. Login into LSDiscovery, one may check Individual Account (Transaction status); browse print, digitized & electronic resources; download full-text of the procured/subscribed resources.

Simple way to login: URL: <https://vbu.lsdiscovery.in/>

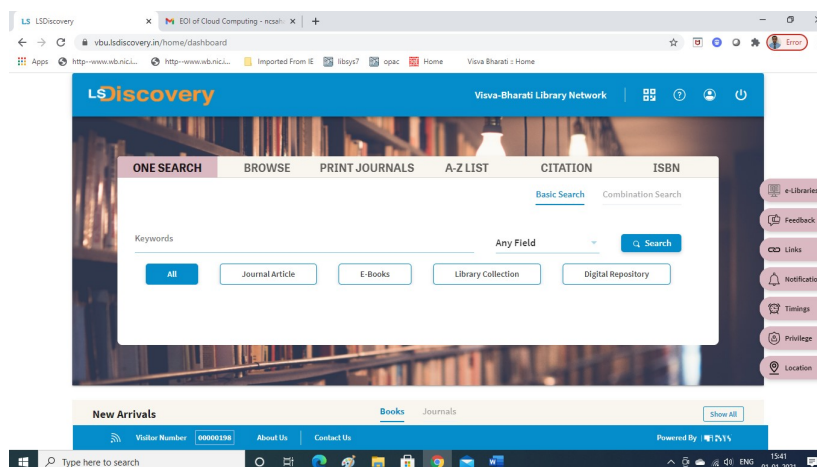
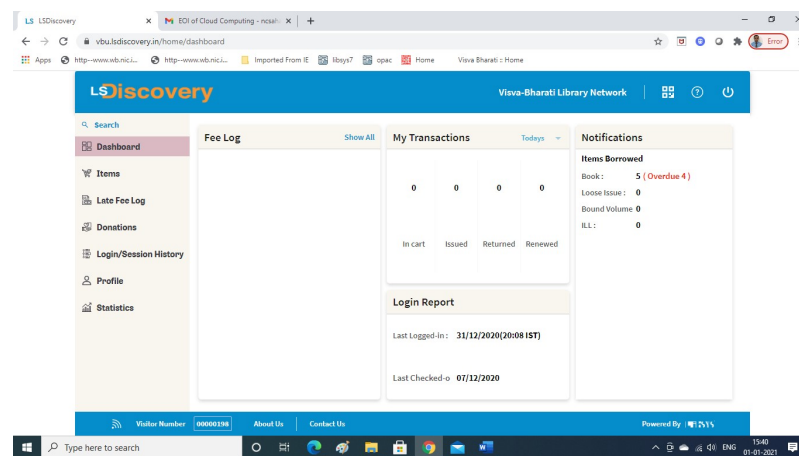
Click **Login** at the last icon of the righthand corner

ID: VB Library card number as noted in the Library Card

Password: vbu123 (after entering in the account, through profile one can change his/her own password)



The facility is under experiment and will be functional in full fledge with all resources on and from First week of April. With this LibSys10-cloud platform, a single window for all resources like; OPAC (for print collections), E-resources (Books, Journals and Archives), digitized resources and Institutional Repository (Syllabus, Question Papers, Publications, etc.), of VBLN and Open Access Educational Resources will be searchable & accessible independently 24x7 from anywhere by using any network and device too with individual 'Login ID' & 'Password'. Further, the **Open Athens (Remote access and discovery) services is no more accessible from 01 April 2021**, as the same service/facility will be available in more simple and easier through LSDiscovery to all level of VB fraternity having library card (membership). Digital Library Link: <https://vbudspace.lsdiscovery.in/xmlui/>



Mandatory Conditions: Once any one login, it will be automatically assumed that he or she is agreed to abide the following conditions;

- The User ID and password being set up for me facilitating remote access (through LSDiscovery) to online subscribed resources (for publisher wise list – click ‘elibrary’ in the right hand side panel) by the Viswa- Bharati Library network is non-shareable and non-transferable to others (knowingly or unknowingly) as it is deemed to be violation of the licence agreements signed by Visva-Bharati with the respective online resources.
- The usage by individual will be monitored by the service provider as well as VB and if any misuse (including systematic/machine-aided downloading) is noticed the facility will be withdrawn and concern library member have to pay monetary compensation, if any, claimed by resource provider as well as ready to accept the legal proceedings.
- The downloaded resources will be used only for academic/research purpose following fair-use-doctrine and not for any commercial purpose. Otherwise, the ID holder will be responsible for any misuse.

For any clarification/assistance feel free to contact with Sri Ramprasad Mazumdar, Information Scientist through mail: ramprasad.mazumdar@visva-bharati.ac.in or mazumdar_ram@yahoo.co.in

The VB fraternity is requested to login their account and access the valuable resources of VB library from **anywhere, anytime, from any network and by any device.**

Opinion/remarks/recommendation is most welcome to develop the platform more and more firendly.

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