

(Visva-Bharati Library Network)

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To Head of the Department/ Centre Santiniketan / Sriniketan, Visva-Bharati

Sub: Renewal of Journals for the Year 2022

This is to inform you that, Visva-Bhaarti Library is going finalized the list of journals to be subscribed for the year 2022. For the fact, you are requested to send point wise response as noted below on or before **7th October 2021** to enable us to proceed further;

- 1. **New Journals:** In case you want to subscribe any new journals for VB, the requisition (through HOD) with details (title of the journals, publishers, subscription fees, etc. etc.) may be sent before the date noted above. This may please be noted, subscription to new journals will be considered only if fund is available after ordering the existing subscriptions/journals.
 - 2. **Existing subscription:** If you wish to discontinue to subscribe any journals [Vide Current Journals-2021 (Print+ Online) http://visva-bharati-library.in/images/pdf/Current Journals-2021.pdf] do inform accordingly.
- 3. **In case we are not receiving any response** from your side within the date, then it will be assumed that you are intend to continue the subscription of existing journals and undersigned may proceed accordingly based on availability of fund.
- 4. Considering the current trends, it is preferred to subscribe E-journals instead of procuring print journals which is also encourage by UGC. This is also required to provide data for any ranking and accreditation to concern bodies/ agencies like NAAC, NIRF and others. So, HOD may also recommend for the same which will be taken into consideration in place of print journals and based on fund availability.

Hope you will be kind enough to consider this on priority and send response accordingly.

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- **NB:** 1) The list of requisition of journals send by HoD will be compared by the library with the list of titles available in the ESS. If the title(s) is/are available through the ESS for VB, then the Library will not subscribe the same.
 - 2) Notification along with list of Current Journals is available in the WhatsApp group and communicated through mail too. For any clarification, please send mail to koushik.ghosh@visva-bharati.ac.in