ABSTRACT

The present research work is an attempt of the researcher to make an analytical study of stress among college librarian and library personnel. This research work is divided into six chapters. In this research work, librarian are traditionally working as acquisition, cataloguing, bibliographies, classification, adopted transaction system, dissemination, storage of documents, binding, daily facing staff management, they have lack of organization support, economic problems, they follow better security systems, this huge work also completed by librarian and they have urge to adopt modern technology. Modern technological inventions impact on social changes, these day to day social impact on social changes, yielding huge information or documents. Therefore, librarian also must need to use modern technologies to save time and retrieve information from huge storage. New era also requires providing modern services as internet service, browsing service, digital information, e-journals to the user, it is not possible without using computer or modern technologies. The modern librarians has a very important role to play in the process of communication of information in today's world by using modern technologies/computers and digital tools. The concept and role of librarian is changed to information manager. In this context the role of librarian is of much suffer from already workload. How will these works? when should they go to training of new technologies/computer hardware and software? Librarians not only facing new usage of technological changes and use of computers. Today librarian are suffering from stress.

Currently the library services students, staff and research fellows with text and other modern resources. This condition has over stretched the usage of the facilities and also poses high stress implications on the staff. This can be noticed from the library statistics on the number of users patronizing the library per day, the level of usage of the materials consulted and the number of slips for outside users counted per day.

Today's everyone has is burden or stressful life due to faster life style, technological changes and use of computer also affected to each and every field. employee has various problems to use these technologies. These problems are budget availability, trained staff members, software, technician, technological durability, illiteracy0 of technology. These all technological changes are increased stress and burden on libraries and other personnels at
In the Chapter I, Introduction: Higher Education and Library Work, the researcher has made an attempt to collect the information about Higher Education, the role and development of libraries in Indian colleges. Similarly this chapter consists of the significant information about the origin of reading, meaning and definition of reading, types of reading and Background of Reading Habit. Education is an inseparable part of our human life without which any progress or development of human being is not possible. The role of education is significant in a man’s overall development. The concept of education has been changing from time to time. With the changing concept of Education, the idea of the development of skills of a person in this all-round-development has come forward with the changes in Information Communication Technology.

The Chapter II Methodology. It is entitled as ‘Methodology.’ In this chapter, the researcher has stated the statement of the problem, objectives of his study, hypothesis, need and scope of his research and the statistical data of the Ahmednagar District College librarian and Library Personnel. Then the chapter contains the definitions of research and the types of research methods. For this present research work, the researcher has made use of ‘Survey Method’ to analyze the Analytical study of stress among college librarian and library personnel. The survey method is intended to collect necessary information about the people without understanding all their details. Descriptive Survey and Analytical survey are the two methods of survey. The researcher has selected Analytical Survey Method for his research study. Therefore, the tool of the primary data collection is ‘questionnaire’ adopted by the researcher. The questionnaire prepared for the collection of primary data of stress among college librarian and library personnel includes librarian questionnaire 32 questions and Library personnel 29 question based on two part related with the librarian and library personnel personal information.

In the Chapter III, Importance of College Library. The importance of college library has been discussed in relation with the other aspects of it. College Library is the vital system of higher education for getting more and more
knowledge about those subjects or topics which the user wants. It is said that Library is the soul of college. The researcher has taken a review of the development of libraries in India and has also stated the functions and objectives of college Library. The college Library has several functions which are reader-centric. Then the present chapter contains the types of Library and the facilities available there. These facilities are useful for the user to collect necessary information from the relevant books and journals. Now most of the college libraries are computerized. The computerization of library is quite helpful for access of information to be borrowed from the books of the library. One of the most important objectives of universities is Library. There is a close relationship between the research and the library. At the end of this chapter, the researcher has stated the stress among college library and library personnel.

The Chapter IV Stress : Librarian and Personnel. In this chapter all the information regarding stress its causes, solutions, is covered.

The Chapter V Analysis of Data. Details with ‘Analysis of Data’ collected from the Librarian and library personnel. The researcher has distributed the questionnaire to 126 librarian and library personnel for collecting the required information for his research. There are Ahmednagar districts 14 taluka place namely Ahmednagar, Akole, Karjat, Kopargaon, Jamkhed, Newasa, Pathardi, Parner, Rahata, Rahuri, Shevgaon, Shrigonda, Shrirampur, Sangamner. There are total 126 Arts, Commerce and Science, Law, Engineering, Architecture, Physical Education, Education, Pharmacy colleges., there are out of 126 colleges only 103 librarian and 72 library personnel have given their responses in the questionnaire. The researcher has divided the questionnaire mainly in two part asking those questions about their general information and Stress of librarian and library personnel.

The Chapter VI findings and Suggestions. the findings, suggestions made by the researcher, scope for further research and conclusion. The researcher has come out with concrete findings on the basis of the data collected from the librarian and library personnel through the questionnaire. It is mainly found that most of the librarian and library personnel are under stress. Some suggestions have been stated
at the end of this chapter along with the scope given for further research on this area of research.