

Conference and Meeting Highlights

10th National Conference on Recent Advances in Information Technology (READIT-2016) July 13-14, 2016



Dr. M. Sai Baba, Convener, READIT & Director, RMG, Dr. Sundeep Oberoi, Global Head, Enterprise Security and Risk Management, TCS, Dr. G. Amarendra, Director, MSG & MMG and Shri E. Soundararajan, SIRD during the release of souvenir at the inaugural function of READIT-2016

The 10th Biennial National Conference on Recent Advances in Information Technology (READIT) was organized by SIRD, IGCAR in association with the Kalpakkam chapter of Madras Library Association (MALA) during July 13-14, 2016 at Sarabhai Auditorium, IGCAR, Kalpakkam, with the theme of 'Information Access in Digital Era'. More than two hundred and sixty delegates including librarians from academic and public domain, Information Technology professionals and research scholars attended the conference.

The conference was inaugurated on July 13, 2016. Dr. M. Sai Baba, Convener, READIT and Director, RMG delivered the welcome address. The ceremony was chaired and presided over by Dr. G. Amarendra, Director, MSG and MMG, IGCAR. In his keynote lecture, he highlighted transition of libraries from static to dynamic and emphasized the need for relevant information access

The chief guest of the conference Dr. Sundeep Oberoi, Global Head, Enterprise Security and Risk Management, Tata Consultancy Services, delivered the keynote address and highlighted the issues in information access in digital era. A souvenir was released by the chief guest. Shri E. Soundararajan, SIRD, Organizing Secretary, READIT proposed the vote of thanks. Dr. Amarendra inaugurated the exhibition of stalls by various vendors representing information science, information technology and library science.

The conference incorporated invited talks by domain experts in information science and technology, oral/poster presentations by research scholars and professionals. Intensive technical discussions on various aspects of Information Sharing, Big data, Cloud computing, Digital content creation, Infrastructure & access methods, Information science in IT and semantic web for knowledge



Dr. Arun Kumar Bhaduri, Distinguished Scientist and Director, IGCAR and colleagues of our Centre with the participants