

## Facilities

### Request for Resource/s

- Scholars can suggest books related to their research areas to be added to the collection
- Requests for ILL and DDS can be made when a resource is not available in RC and is essential

### Space

- Cubicles on the first-floor reading room are marked for Research Scholars.
- Collab Zone, B Wing RC for discussion and group study.
- RC Lounge can be used by scholars with prior submission.
- RC Preview Room for special lectures, talks, discussions, or meetings, by prior booking.

### Other Facilities

- Uploading theses to Shodhganga
- Updating researcher profile with co-author network, metrics, etc.
- Maintaining research publications in IR
- Publishing DAU research Output regularly
- Generating various metrics and research data as needed

## Contacts

- [librarian@dau.ac.in](mailto:librarian@dau.ac.in) - for all kinds of queries, suggestions & Feedback.
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# Research Support Services



RC Website



Catalogue  
(OPAC)



DAU e-Library  
(Refread)



Subscribed  
Databases



Institutional  
Repository



IRINS,  
DAU



PressReader  
(Online  
Newspapers &  
Magazines)



RC PRIMER  
(Mini  
introduction of  
Databases)



RC Frame  
(Compilation  
of useful  
e-resources)



RC Linktree  
(Single click  
access to all  
resources)

The Resource Centre (RC) is a hub for library, information and research support services at the University. As a creative and innovative partner in supporting teaching, learning, scholarship and research, RC provides access to a fast-growing collection of print and digital resources, scholarly databases and a range of specialised **Research Support Services (RSS)** through its resources, facilities and services.

## Resources

### Physical Collection

- Books (Reference Books, Standards & manuals etc.)
- Magazines
- Theses and Dissertations
- Bound Volumes of Print Journals and Magazines
- Newspapers
- CD/ DVDs & Audio Visuals
- Kindle E-book Readers

### Electronic Resources

(E-Books, Journal Articles, Magazines, Newspapers, and many other scholarly content)

- ACM Open
- APS E-Journals Collection
- Bloomsbury Design Library
- IEL Online Library
- EPWRF India Time Series
- JSTOR Archives
- Nature
- PressReader (Online Newspapers and Magazines)
- Project MUSE
- ScienceDirect  
(Comp. Sc., Mathematics, Physics & astronomy)
- Springer CS eBooks + Series
- Springer Journals  
(Engineering + Computer Science)

## RSS Tools

### RC Online Catalogue

- Online catalogue can be accessed both on and off campus at <https://opac.daiict.ac.in/>
- By logging in with email ID, one can place a hold on a book, suggest purchasing a book, check account details, renew and save searches, etc.

### Access to Subscribed Databases

- Subscribed e-resources can be accessed at <https://rc.daiict.ac.in/e-journals/>
- Personal login to each database will help in creating own research data library

### Tools for Research Enhancement

- **Grammarly** - Writing and grammar enhancement tool
- **Overleaf** - Collaborative online LaTeX writing and publishing platform
- **Turnitin** - Plagiarism detection and academic integrity solution

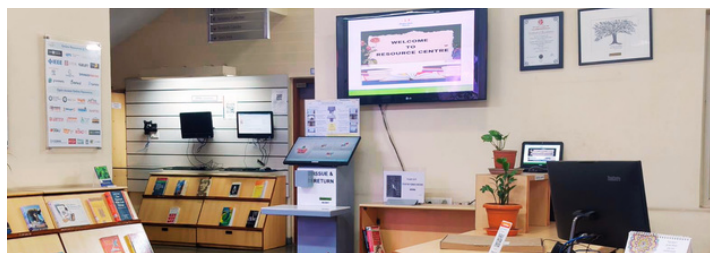
### DAU E-Library

- **Refread** - Resource aggregator to all subscribed e-resources and several Open Access Resources.
- Logging into Refread through University domain email ID will enable users to get **remote access (off-campus access)** to all subscribed resources.

### Institutional Repository

It collects, organizes, preserves, provides access to, and promotes dissemination of scholarly output of the DAU Community. IR can be accessed at:

<https://ir.daiict.ac.in/home>



## Services

- **Borrowing of Reading Materials:** Users are entitled to borrow books, reference books, magazines & Kindle reader as per user categories
- **Reference and Information Service** - supports literature search and provides information related to upcoming conferences, seminars & events, etc.
- **Document Delivery Service (DDS)** - Service extended for online resources that are not a part of university subscription or not accessible to DAU members
- **Inter Library Loan (ILL)** - Service extended for physical books that are not available in the RC collection
- **Current Awareness Service**
  - **RC Reckoner (Weekly Update)**- Resource Spotlight and RC Cues sections
  - **RC Post (Quarterly Newsletter)** - Contains information related to various resources that is useful & RC activities.
- **New Arrival of Books**
- **Resource Compilation**
  - **Resource Guide** - RC prepares guides for specific topics that carry information related to resources available in RC
  - **RC Frame**- Compilation of e-resources available in RC or Open Access (OA)
  - **RC PRIMER**- A mini introduction series for all subscribed and open access resources that carries links and acts as a guide to user support
- **Information Literacy Sessions** - Sessions for Literature Search, Research Life Cycle, Reference Management Tools, and other related topics
- **Orientation, Workshops, Training Sessions** - for subscribed databases and useful Open Access platforms, specific facilities and services provided by RC to researchers
- **Research Support Services @ RC, available through INFLIBNET Centre** - ShodhChakra and many more.