



DIGITAL LIBRARIES - AN OVERVIEW



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ABSTRACT

Digital Libraries are being created today for diverse communities and in different fields e.g. education, science, culture, development, health, governance and so on. This new phenomenon is designed to bring a paradigm shift in the ways we create access and use digital content. The design and development of digital libraries depend on computer, communication and other technical skills and the dream of successful digital libraries leading to a global digital environment can only be

fulfilled when sufficient practitioners have the skills to design, build and manage them it is also essential reading for students, staff and researchers who need to get a good gaps of issues and development in their fields digital library facilities are in academic libraries to keep their users abreast of global development.

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