

## **Profile**

Sonam Rigzin, graduate from Degree College Kullu, HPU Shimla 2007. I completed my Master in Library and Information Science (MLISc) from Panjab University, Chandigarh, in 2010 and PGDLAN from from Panjab University, Chandigarh, in 2011. There after qualified UGC NET In 2012. I have more than ten years of professional experience- working in academic libraries.

Currently, I am working as an Assistant Librarian at Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Mohali and continue to do in this capacity. I began my career as a Professional Assistant (Contract) from IISER Mohali in 2011 and worked in this capacity until 2015. In 2015, I got an opportunity to work at Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi as a professional assistant and served in this role till March 2023.

Throughout my career, I have been privileged to be part of organizing committees of two successful event's, i.e., "11<sup>th</sup> INDEST-AICTE Consortia Meet at IISER Mohali 2015", "ETD 2015: 18th International Symposium on Electronic Theses and Dissertations" JNU, New Delhi.

My research interests include library and information science education, user studies, collection development, and New trends and tools in the library field. I have published three papers in peer-reviewed journals and several articles in conference proceedings.

## **Published Paper in Journals:**

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