

2025
SRMUJ
4th Semester Examination
Integrated MLIS
Library and Information Science
LIS-401
Open Knowledge System

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer *any two* of the following questions

5×2

- a) Explain the concept of open access with specific reference to education and research.
- b) What is open data? Mention any three initiatives regarding open data. 2+3
- c) State briefly of open access initiative of NISCAIR.
- d) Briefly describe SHERPA.

2. Answer *any three* of the following questions

10×3

- a) Illustrate the key points of the global declarations and policy statements associated with the open access movement.
- b) Define open access? Explore different routes of open access publishing. 2+8
- c) Elaborate the functions of Creative Commons. Explain the 5'R in OER. 5+5
- d) Briefly describe about the open access advocacy organization and their initiatives to promote open access.
- e) Illustrate the key points of NIH Public Access Policy.