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Summary for Project NSIS

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Developing Information, Research and Digital Skills for Business, Innovation and Entrepreneurship in India, Sri Lanka and Nepal

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About the NSIS Project

The NSIS project is designed to enhance the capacity of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in India (IN), Sri Lanka (LK), and Nepal (NP) by strengthening the competencies and skills of Library and Information Specialist (IS) staff. It provides HEIs in India (IN), Sri Lanka (LK) and Nepal (NP) increased and specialist information support to Research, Business, and Innovation in the regions that they serve. The NSIS Online Curriculum will improve and increase the level of competencies and skills of Library and Information Specialist staff in the HEI's in the project from IN, LK, and NP. NSIS will enhance and build on the skills of staff in these universities, so as to strengthen their abilities to provide quality, relevant supports to business, researchers and local enterprise in the Regions. To achieve this, the project focuses on:

- Developing a Library and IS staff development strategy improving standards, range, and quality of library services.
- Enhancing the digital, transferable, and lifelong learning skills of Library and IS staff.
- Strengthening university engagement with businesses researchers to foster innovation, entrepreneurship, and knowledge-sharing.
- Creating the NSIS Modular Curriculum, a specialized training program that offers modern IS, Information Literacy, and key transferable skills tailored to the needs of businesses and researchers.

10 curricular modules are being developed offering content and supporting resources.

Module 1: Developing your study skills

Module 2: Libraries, Digital and Information

Module 3: Business and Management Research

Module 4: Developing your Academic and Business Writing

Module 5: Getting Published in an Online Environment

Module 6: Essential transferable soft skills for the workplace

Module 7: Intellectual Property (IP) and Copyright

Module 8: Innovation & Research Commercialisation

Module 9: Employability & Career Development in a Changing World

Module10: Key Leadership and Management skills for Career success

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