

XI International Conference

**UNIVERSITY LIBRARY AT A NEW STAGE OF
SOCIAL COMMUNICATIONS DEVELOPMENT**

October 8, 2026 – October 9, 2026

**Topic 2026: "Rethinking Knowledge Ecosystem: Libraries in the Age
of AI and Digital Transformation"**

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Organizers:

- Scientific Library of the Ukrainian State University of Science and Technologies (Ukraine)
- Library of Kaunas University of Technology (Lithuania)
- Library of the University of Perpetual Help System LAGUNA (Philippines)

Strategic partners: – Ukrainian Library Association (Ukraine)
– European Network of Open Education Librarians (SPARC Europe)
– Limited Liability Company "BeeSOFT"

Venue: Ukrainian State University of Science and Technologies (Lazaryana St., 2, Dnipro, Ukraine)

UniLibNSD-2026 will be held online

Why the topic of the conference 2026 is "[Rethinking Knowledge Ecosystem: Libraries in the Age of AI and Digital Transformation](https://conflib.ust.edu.ua/)"

Conference Directions:

Section 1. Strategic partnership.

Section 2. Management, Leadership, and Development of Higher Education Libraries.

Section 3. Development, Preservation, and Management of Library Collections.

Section 4. Library Services in Support of Science, Education, and Research.

Section 5. Libraries and the Openness of Knowledge: Open Access, Open Science, OER.

Section 6. Libraries in the Digital Environment and Social Media.

Section 7. New Roles of Librarians in the Digital Age.

Section 8. Theory, Research, and Innovation in Library Science.

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Abstracts and presentations in Ukrainian or English will be presented **on the conference website**.
Deadline – **01.09.2026 p.** (*conditions* – <https://conflib.ust.edu.ua/>).

High-quality **conference papers** will be published in» the journal after the recommendation of the editorial board "*University Library at a New Stage of Social Communications Development. Conference Proceedings*". *Deadline* – **31.08.2026**. (<https://unilibnsd.ust.edu.ua/>).

The annual journal is indexed in **Scopus**.

Recommendations for authors (including payment) on the conference website (<https://conflib.ust.edu.ua/>).

Scientists and practitioners in the field of library and information science, document science, information, publishing and archival activities, as well as graduate students and doctoral students who intend to try out their research are invited to participate in the conference.

ATTENTION!!! Participation in the conference is free for citizens of Ukraine. However, you can pay an organizational fee if you wish. Part of the received funds will be donated to the "Library Country" charity fund to help librarians affected by russian aggression.

Online lot: • 250 UAH / • 10 EUR

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