ILS: ICS LIBRARY SYSTEM

Administrator Manual of Operations

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IMPORTANT:

It's best that you download/save a copy of this Manual of Operations for your future reference.

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1 Logging in

HowTo:

- 1. Enter the URL icslibsystem/admin/login. (Remember this link.)
- 2. Enter your user name and password then click the **Log In** button.

2 ADDING A LIBRARY MATERIAL

HowTo:

- 1. Choose the Add a Material from your sidebar.
- 2. Fill up the form with correct and valid information.
- 3. Click the **Add** button.

3 ADDING MULTIPLE MATERIALS

HowTo:

- 1. Choose the **Add a Material** from your sidebar.
- 2. Click the **Add Multiple Materials** button.
- 3. Upload a .csv file with valid information. (The system will automatically check if the information in your file already exists in the system's database.) It follows a strict format:
 - Material Id, ISBN, Title, Course, Availability, Accessibility, Type, Year, Edition, Requirement/s, Quantity, Author/s (First Name, Middle Name, Last Name)
 - **Rules** in typing the appropriate values are displayed on the page.

Example:

CS150-A56, 1567890234, Matrix Computation, CMSC 150, 0, 3, Book, 2003, 3, 0, 1, John, Jude, Doe

4. Click the **Insert to Database** button.

4 UPDATING/EDITING A LIBRARY MATERIAL

HowTo:

- 1. Click the **View All Materials** link from your sidebar.
- 2. Search for the material you wish to edit.
- 3. Select the white **Edit** button from the Action column.
- 4. Apply your wanted changes on the said material, and click the **Update** button.

5 DELETING A LIBRARY MATERIAL

HowTo:

- 1. Click the View All Materials link from your sidebar.
- 2. Search for the material you wish to delete.
- 3. Click the red 'X' button from the Action column. (Please be reminded that deleting a material is irreversible and permanent.)

6 Notifying a Borrower

HowTo:

- 1. Click the **Reserved Materials** from your sidebar.
- 2. Once a reservation is ready to be claimed, click the **megaphone** icon from the Action column to notify the borrower.

7 HANDLING CLAIMED/RETURNED LIBRARY MATERIAL

HowTo:

If a reserved library material has been claimed:

- 1. Choose the **Reserved books** from your sidebar panel.
- Search for the library material that has been claimed.
- 3. Click the **rightmost** button from the Action column to update the status of the library material.

If a borrowed library material has been returned:

- 1. Choose the **Borrowed books** from your sidebar panel.
- 2. Search for the library material that has been returned.
- 3. Click the **check** button from the Action column to update the status of the library material.

8 SPECIAL FEATURE: GENERATE INVENTORY REPORT

HowTo:

- 1. Choose the **Overview** from your sidebar.
- 2. Click the **Generate Report** button.

9 SPECIAL FEATURE: VIEW SYSTEM LOG

HowTo:

- 1. Click the gears icon from your dashboard's header to go to the **Settings**.
- 2. Click the View system log button.