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## INFORMATION LITERACY: ESSENTIAL SKILL FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

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## **ABSTRACT**

Information literacy really a revolutionary approach in higher education that is being felt at the general education curriculum level or simply an important outgrowth of traditional library instruction and resource-based learning that has achieved sporadic successes due to better marketing, technological prevalence, and acceptance by certain accreditation agencies and campus administrators.

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