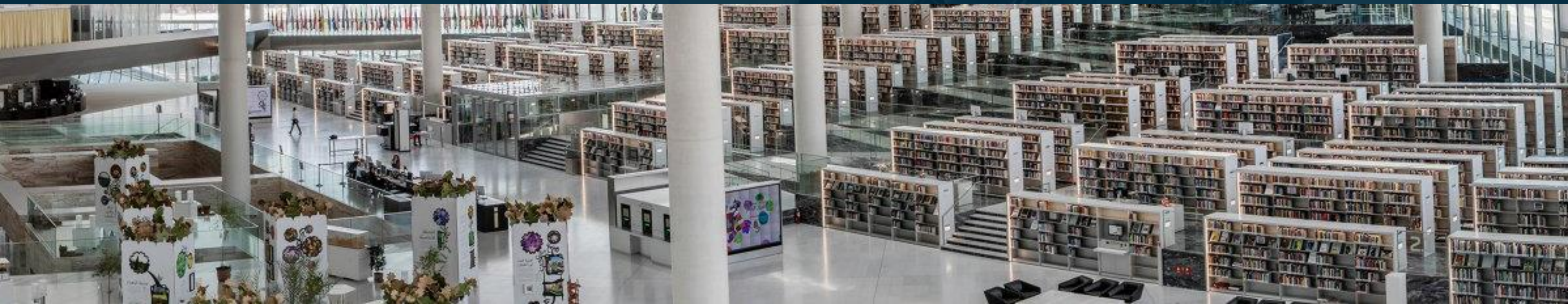
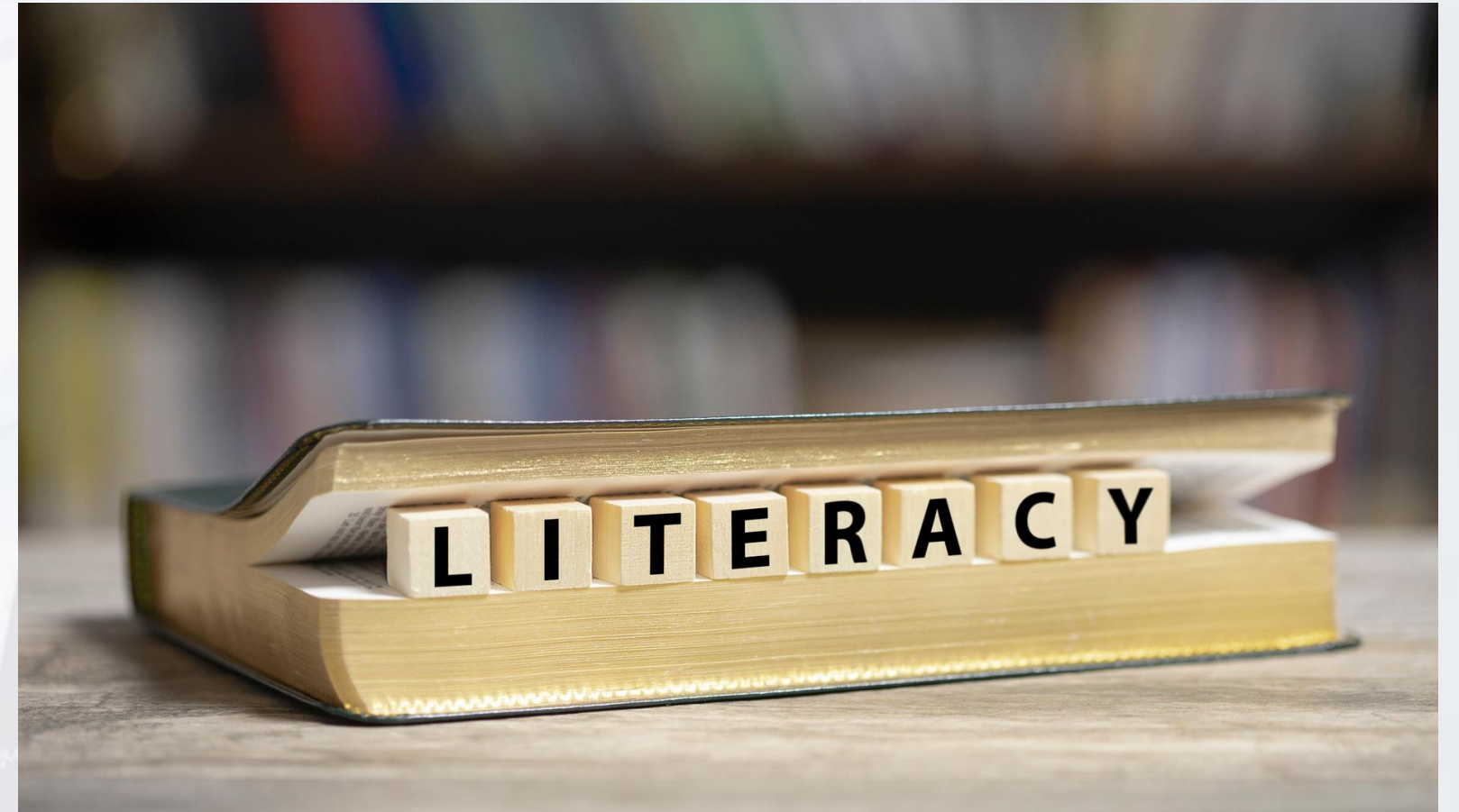


DIGITAL AWARENESS, DIGITAL LITERACY SKILLS, AND DIGITAL PROFICIENCY OF LIBRARIANS IN QATAR NATIONAL LIBRARY

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INTRODUCTION



In today's rapidly evolving digital landscape, libraries are no longer just repositories of physical books; they are dynamic centers of information and technology. The integration of digital platforms has fundamentally transformed library services, making it essential for librarians to embrace digitization not only to enhance access and preservation but also to remain relevant in academic and research environments.



INTRODUCTION



Digital literacy is crucial for improving service delivery and information accessibility Taha (2018), Udem (2019), & Meister (2018). However, research also shows that many librarians lack advanced digital skills, such as those related to cloud technologies and metadata management, limiting their ability to fully harness the benefits of digitization.

OBJECTIVES



Explored the respondents' level of digital awareness in Qatar National Library.



Investigated the respondents' level of digital literacy skill in Qatar National Library



Explored the respondents' level of digital proficiency in Qatar National Library.

OBJECTIVES



Test the relationship between the respondents' levels of digital awareness, digital literacy skills, and digital proficiency.



Proposed an action plan based on the study's findings.

METHODOLOGY



**Descriptive-
Correlational
Method**

44 Librarians in QNL

Survey Questionnaire

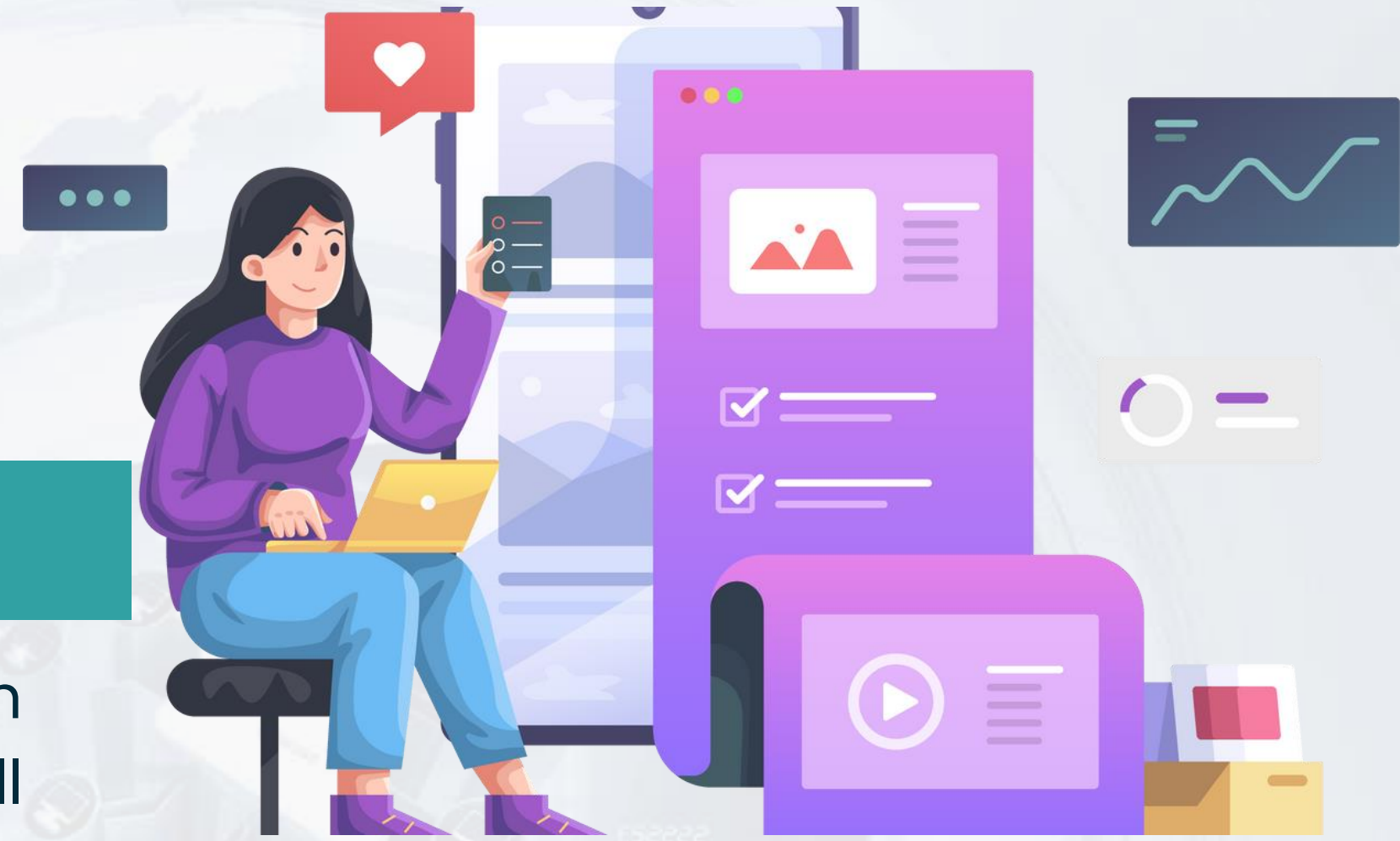
FINDINGS

Respondents' Level of Digital Awareness

Librarians at Qatar National Library possess a very high level of digital awareness, as reflected by the overall average weighted mean of 3.29.

Respondents' Level of Digital Literacy Skills

Librarians at Qatar National Library have a very high level of digital literacy skills, with an overall average weighted mean of 3.29



FINDINGS



Respondents' Level of Digital Proficiency

Librarians at Qatar National Library possess a very high level of digital proficiency, with an overall weighted mean of 3.25.

Relationship between the Respondents' Level of Digital Awareness and Level of Digital Literary Skill

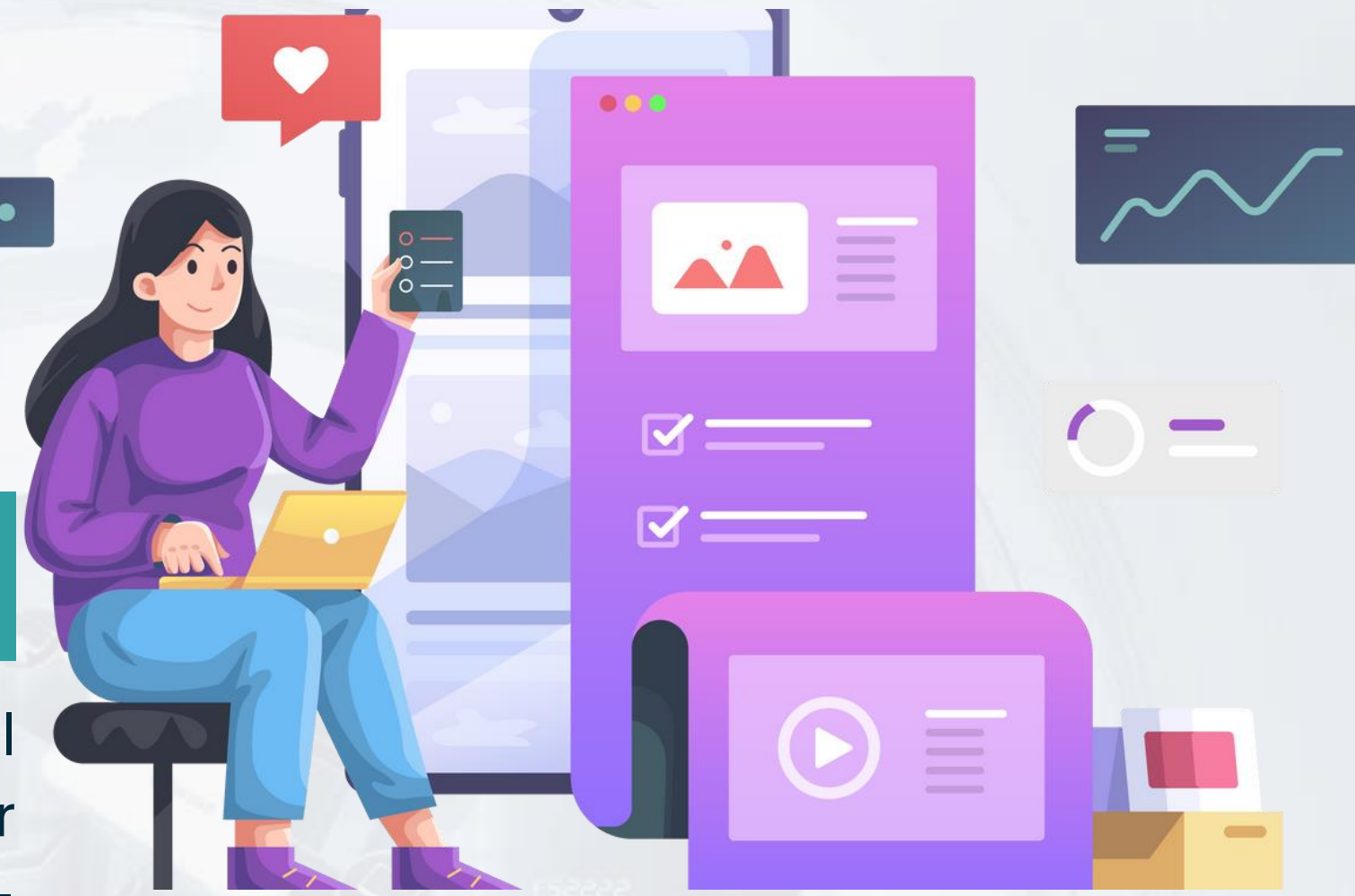
Reveal a strong positive relationship between the respondents' level of digital awareness and their level of digital literacy skills at Qatar National Library, with a Pearson r value of 0.728 and a p -value of 0.000



FINDINGS

Relationship between the Respondents' Level of Digital Literacy Skill and Level of Digital Proficiency

There is a strong positive relationship between the respondents' level of digital literacy skills and their level of digital proficiency at Qatar National Library, as indicated by a Pearson r value of 0.871 and a p -value of 0.000, which is lower than the 0.01 level of significance.

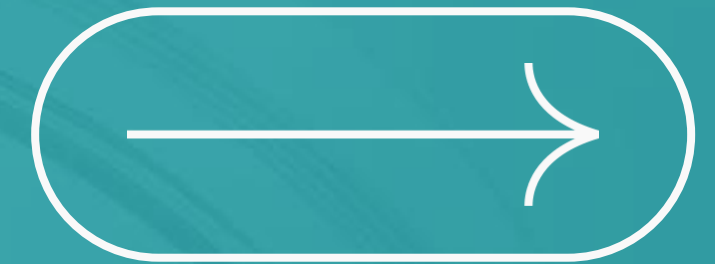


Relationship between the Respondents' Level of Digital Awareness and Level of Digital Proficiency

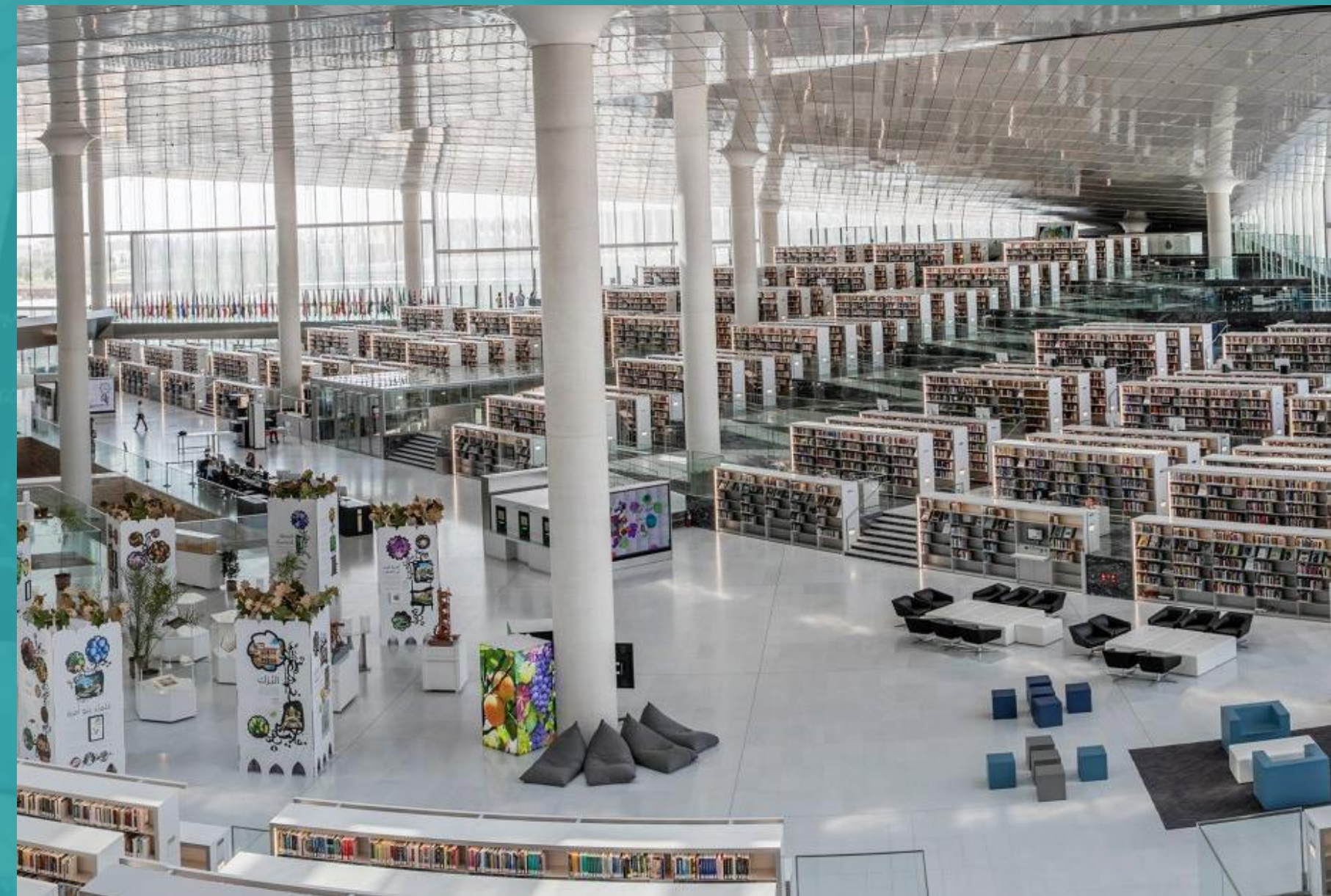
There is a strong positive relationship between the respondents' level of digital awareness and their digital proficiency at Qatar National Library, with a Pearson r value of 0.722 and a p -value of 0.000, indicating a statistically significant relationship.



CONCLUSION



Qatar National Library has effectively embraced digital platforms, with its librarians demonstrating high levels of digital awareness, literacy, and proficiency. The strong connection between these skills ensures they are well-prepared to utilize emerging technologies, highlighting the need for continuous skill development to maintain the library's relevance in the digital age.



RECOMMENDATIONS

- Librarians should participate in seminars and training focused on digitizing print collections
- Librarians should practice digital preservation, electronic messaging, and connectivity skills
- Advanced digital training in areas like metadata, software development, and coding is essential for ensuring librarians can handle more complex technological tasks.
- Librarians should embrace curiosity and fearlessness when it comes to experimenting with new technologies, applications, and tools.



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