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### 2022-2023

#### Name of the Department/Society: Department of Zoology, MHRFDC Name of the Event: Laboratory Safety and Hands-On Training Date of the Event: 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023

In scientific learning, laboratories are the real learning environment where students get to see the extension of theoretical knowledge and develop deeper understanding. By doing hands on experiment, student retains a concept taught in class. Thus, Keep and management of these labs is a must for student learning. Laboratory staff is an integral component of these labs, without whom neither the lab will be managed, nor the experiments can be run smoothly. In view of this, a one-day Workshop 'Laboratory Safety and Hands-On Training " was organised for laboratory staff was organized on 23 June 2023 by the Department of Zoology under the aegis of Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre, A Centre of MOE, Govt. of India under PMMMNMTT Scheme with 18 participants.

Workshop began with welcome address and introductory remarks by workshop coordinators, Dr. Anita Thakur and Dr. Beena Bhandari from Department of Zoology.

Dr. Beena Bhandari introduced the first speaker, Dr. Kaveri Chakrabarty, Associate Professor, Department of Zoology, who talked about the importance of safety measures in undergraduate laboratories and compliance to follow to reduce the risk of injury and exposure, minimize environmental damage and decrease the risk of property loss.

Dr. Anita Thakur introduced the second speaker, Dr. Tejveer Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, who along with theoretical concept gave a hands-on training on molecular biology technique: gel electrophoresis. All the participants learnt the principle of electrophoresis and participated in gel making process and loaded DNA in the cast gel by themselves.

Dr. Beena Bhandari introduced the next speaker, Dr Mansi Verma, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, who talked about microscopes usage and maintenance, one of the early instruments that is used by students as they enter the lab. She talked about parts of microscope with emphasis on important components responsible for image formation and microscope setting to view the slide and cleaning and maintenance of microscopes. Participants understood the concept and focused the slide under the microscope.

Dr. Mansi Verma, introduced the last speaker of the workshop, Dr. Yasha Yadav, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, who talked about the illustrious model



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system, Drosophila and made participants well versed with its long history of being a model organism till date and why. She showed them how it can be easily cultured in laboratory

and different phases of its life cycle can be identified and isolated for experiments. Participants appreciated this lecture and under microscope identified its different stages.

Overall, a good and enthusiastic participation was observed from the participants. Feedback for the workshop was also collected. Certificates were distributed at the end of session.

Dr. Anita Thakur gave vote of thanks to resource persons, MHFDC, and all the participants of the workshop.





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Attendance Sheet		
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1	Mr. Bhupesh Thakur	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
2	Mrs. Chetna Kapoor	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
3	Mr. Anil Kumar	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
4	Mr. Zahid Ali	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
5	Mr. Santosh	University of Delhi
	Mr. Rakesh Kumar	Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
6	Pandey	University of Delhi
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7	Mr. Saurabh Rana	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
8	Mr Chandresh Gautam	University of Delhi
		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
9	Mr. Anil Kumar	University of Delhi
10		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
10	Mr. Abhishek Bisht	University of Delhi
11		Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
11	Mrs Neha Pandey	University of Delhi
10	Ma Canada Dana	Department of Zoology, Hansraj College,
12	Mr. Ganesh Ram	University of Delhi
13	Mr Ashwani	Department of Zoology, Hansraj College, University of Delhi
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14	Mr. Nitin	University of Delhi
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15	Mr. Sonu	University of Delhi
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16	Manral	University of Delhi
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