# A training session report on

# Analytical Instrumental Techniques

Under STUTI program funded by DST



In association with Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar (Project Management Unit)



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Prof. (Mrs.) Vijay Devra Coordinator

## **Summary**

The goal of this training session is to provide a hands-on training on 'Analytical Instrumental Techniques' which involves various aspects of FTIR and Uv-Vis Spectrophotometer among students, faculty, scientists and industry professionals through a week-long training workshop. The workshop was conducted in the Department of Chemistry, Janki Devi Bajaj Government Girls College Kota from 5<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023 comprised of lectures and hands-on training sessions. This initiative is funded by Department of Science & Technology under the program STUTI (Synergistic Training Program Utilizing the Scientific and Technological Infrastructure). This training program was focused on '*providing an exposure towards aspects of analysing biological samples through the medium of hands-on session as well as provide an interactive session with eh expert of the subject*'.

## Introduction

Department of Chemistry, Janki Devi Bajaj Government Girls College Kota conducted 7-day long hands-on training program on 'Analytical Instrumental Techniques' in its campus for participants from various backgrounds such as Post Graduates, Faculties, Scientists, Research Fellows, Ph.D. Fellows and Industry persons were invited (Annex-1). The following workshop's activities took place from 5<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023 (Annex-2 & 3). This report provides a quick overview of both the lecture and technical sessions.

# • Lecture Sessions:

Prof. YK Vijay (Professor, Physics, IIS University, Ex. director of CDPE University of Rajasthan Jaipur) inaugurated the session through a brief introduction on DST STUTI program and its promotion of S&T infrastructure. On the day one, Prof. YK Vijay discussed various experimental/instrumental techniques to the participants that. In another session, Dr. Manishkumar K Singh (Sr. Project Associate, IIT Gandhinagar. STUTI PMU) gave a talk on various schemes offered by the DST for higher education, especially for the women's scientist. On the second day of the program, Prof. Y K Vijay delivered an interactive lecture on Quantum sciences followed by various topics such as, Vander wall force, dipole interaction, Bohr model, Raman Effect etc., through a demonstration models. Dr. NK Acharya (Assistant Professor, Physics, M.S. University Baroda) delivered session on Band Gap analysis through direct and indirect method using spectrophotometer. Dr. N.K. Acharya also delivered lecture on Advance Materials Characterization. Mr. Sravan Vijay and Mr. Swapan Mohanty (Lab India Pvt. Ltd.), gave a lecture on detailed lecture on spectroscopy and other advance techniques on the day four and five. On the day five, a lecture was delivered by Ms. Princy Denis Varghese (Technical Superintendent, SAIF/CRNTS Center, IIT Bombay) on co-relations to samples characterized by SEM-EDS and FTIR techniques. Dr. A. R. Renjith (Oxford Instruments, India) showed fundamental aspects of the SEM-EBSD techniques for critical analysis. On the sixth day, Prof. Vibhuti Rai (Professor, Geology, University of Lucknow and DST PURSE-Coordinator) discussed absorption and emission spectroscopy. Prof. Rai also mentioned few important case studies that covers FTIR analysis on gemstones for determination of gemstone quality. **Dr. Gupta** led the session on Characterization Techniques by High power Liquid Chromatographic techniques followed by an interactive and problem solving session.

# • <u>Technical Session</u>

**Mr. Sravan Vijay** and **Mr. Swapan Mohanty** (Lab India Pvt. Ltd.) demonstrated working principle of Uv visible spectroscopy and Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy (FTIR). The team from Lab India personnel's guided the women participants during the hands-on session. **Sachin Chugh** (Lab India Pvt. Ltd.) shared the concepts of basic instrumentation information regarding FTIR and NMR setup. **Nilesh Chauhan** (Sr. Manager, Lab India Pvt. Ltd.) demonstrated the operations of spectrophotometer and showed troubleshooting of the instruments. On the day five, all the participants were taken for a visit to an Agricultural Research Center, Umeddganj Kota, where they were shown different equipment related to Trichoderma and biochemistry laboratories for analysis of the samples. Seventh day was followed by an interactive and problem solving session followed by a valedictory session.

## **Outcomes of the Workshop**

The STUTI workshop attracted participants from 18 different institutes (Figure 1). About 37 participants enrolled and attended the 'Analytical Instrumental Techniques'. The goal of this training event was to bring together participants from many disciplines and raise awareness of the institute's research facilities. Throughout the sessions, participants asked major questions regarding theoretical and practical aspects of FTIR, NMR, Uv-Visible Spectrophotometer, Relationship between SEM-EDS and EBSD techniques. Finally, the feedback from the participants was considered in the evaluation of the workshop (Annex 4). The majority of the participants were pleased with the training session and suggested that more workshops be held in the future. Few participants suggested organizing such a workshop/training session on more troubleshooting techniques of data collection.



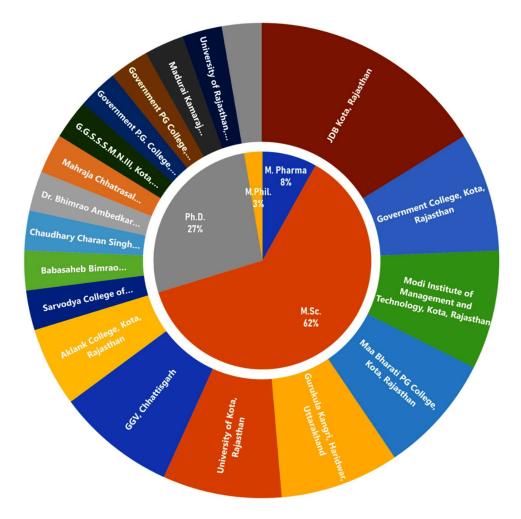


Figure 1. Participants registered workshop from different institutes.

## Annexure 1: Brochure for the program.

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Interested Participants must Register and only selected candidates would be invited for workshop. For selected candidates Registration fees, local travel, boarding & lodging will be covered by Janki Devi Bajaj Government Girls college Kota, Rajasthan.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Minimum qualification: Post Graduation (Science) or B. Tech. (Technology).
  Professor/Scientist/Post doc-fellows/Ph.D.
- fellows/Industry person who are actively
- involved in R & D Not more than 3 participants from one institution.

#### **Contents of the workshop**

#### Day 1: session | &||

- Inauguration, Introduction & Welcome note \* ٠ Lecture: Research support schemes for women researchers
- by DST
- Visit to Institute laboratory and other facilities
- Day 2 : session I &II
- Lecture: Basics of FTIR analysis and its working.
- Hands on: Sample Preparation for FTIR analysis.
- ... Laboratory Visit
- Day 3 : session I &II
- ٠ Lecture: Related case studies involved in employment of SEM and FTIR samples as combined tool towards analysis of the samples
- Lecture: Data Collection & Processing.
- Hands on: Instruction/operation to FTIR instrumentation. Hands on: System Check & Basic instructions.
- Day 4: session I &II
- Lecture: Case studies utilizing FTIR and HR-TEM for analysis ٠ of the samples.
- Lecture: Structure refinement with FTIR analysis
- Hands on: Participants samples testing
  Day 5 : session | &II
- Lecture: Basics of U.V. Visible Spectroscopy. \*
- Lecture: Applications in Chemistry & Nanotechnology Visit to: Krishi Vighan Kendra.
- Day 6: session | &|| \*
- Lecture: Direct & Indirect bandgap analysis using spectrophotometer.
- Hands on: Pallet preparation & set up a measurement
- Hands on: Fast scan Vs Matrix scan.
- Day 7: session I &II
- Interactive & Problem solving session. ٠
- Valedictory.

7 days long hands-on training supported by Department of Science & Technology (DST) under STUTI (Synergistic Training Program Utilizing the Scientific & Technological Infrastructure) program In association with Organized by

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on

#### 'Analytical Instrumental Techniques'

From 5<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Interested participants should register using the following link

https://forms.gle/RCRCyPCvTbsopyQVA

#### Registration deadline- 30th May 2023.

Shortlisted candidates will be intimated by e-mail latest by 31st May 2023. For any queries: Contact: 7597747381 -OR- Mail: jdbseminar@gmail.com



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#### **Overview of STUTI & Objectives of Workshop**

DST welcomes to all participants for the workshop on" Analytical instrumental Techniques" organized under STUTI. STUTI program envisions hands on training & sensitization of the state of art equipment's as well as towards sharing while ensuring transparent access to S &T facilities. Department of Science & Technology has identified IIT Gandhinagar as the project management unit ( PMU) & Janki Devi Bajaj Government Girls college Kota as Coordinator for the workshop.

This workshop is aimed to provide an insight into the basic principles and operations of spectroscopic techniques such as UV-Visible, IR spectroscopy are focused. Expert lectures are also arranged from the personnel's of industry and academics. Expert talk will provide our vision for the use of spectrophotometric techniques beyond simple structure determination. Participants would have an opportunity to interact and discuss their research problems and solutions Other techniques such as FTIR,NMR, Electron Microscopy techniques with case studies will also be discussed.

5th June 2023	8.30 am	Registration		9.00 am	Session-I		9.00 am	Session-I
	9.00 am	Inaugural Session	1000	10.30 am	Tea Break		10.30 am	Tea Break
	10.30 am	Tea Break	6th	11.00am	Expert Talk		11.00am	Expert Talk
	11.00am	Session-I	June	12.30 pm	Lunch		12.30 pm	Lunch
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	14.00 pm	Session-II		15.30 pm	Tea Break		15.30 pm	Tea Break
	15.30 pm	Tea Break		16.00 pm	Lab Visit		16.00 pm	Discussion
	16.00 pm	Campus Visit		9.00 am	Session-I		9.00 am	Session-I
	9.00 am	Session-I		10.30 am	Tea Break		10.30 am	Tea Break
	10.30 am	Tea Break	9th	11.00am	Expert Talk		11.00am	Expert Talk
8th	11.00am	Expert Talk		12.30 pm	Lunch		12.30 pm	Lunch
	12.30 pm	Lunch	June	14.00 pm	Visit to Krishi Vigyan Kendra		14.00 pm	Session-II
June 2023	14.00 pm	Session-II	2023	15.30 pm			15.30 pm	Tea Break
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# Annexure 2: List of registered participants for the workshop.

Annexure 3: Schedule date and activities during the workshop.

5th June 2023, Day 1			
Inauguration, Introduction & Welcome note			
Lecture: Research support schemes for women researchers by DST			
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Hands on: Fast scan Vs Matrix scan.			
11th June 2023, Day 7			
Interactive & Problem solving session.			
Valedictory.			

# Annexure 4: Feedback summary

S.No.	Content	Rating
1	Overall grading of the Programme with reference to relevance of course, module/content etc.	100% rated above 8 points
2	Overall grading of the facilities provided by the institute, i.e., Hostel, Mess, Class Rooms, Transport/infrastructure etc.	96% rated above 8 points
3	Overall grading of the faculty members conducting the training	94% rated above 8 points
4	How do you rate the overall training methodology	97% rated above 8 points
5	How far the field visit is relevant and related to your research study	89% rated above 8 points
6	Usefulness of this training in your current role	90% rated above 8 points
7	Usefulness of this training in future work/job you may handle	92% rated above 8 points
8	How far have you benefitted from interaction with the fellow participants of the training	97% rated above 8 points
9	How far the course material supplied relevant and related to the training curriculum	92% rated above 8 points
10	Overall grading of the process of training	95% rated above 8 points
11	Your recommendation to your peers/ colleagues for the training Programme	98% rated above 8 points