

Workshop on Microscopy for Life Sciences (January 9, 10, 11 2012)

Evaluation Results

Category	Avg(Min-Max)Count
Light Microscopy	
I found it directly useful to me	4.68(3-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.8(4-5)25
TEM	
I found it directly useful to me	4(2-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.4(3-5)25
SEM - Theory	
I found it directly useful to me	3.9(2-5)25
I enjoyed this session	3.8(3-5)25
SEM - Applications	
I found it directly useful to me	4(2-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.2(3-5)25
Fluorescence & Confocal Microscopy	
I found it directly useful to me	4.4(2-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.64(3-5)25
Image Analysis	
I found it directly useful to me	3.5(1-5)25
I enjoyed this session	3.6(1-5)25
SPM	
I found it directly useful to me	3.5(3-5)24
I enjoyed this session	3.3(2-5)24
Demo of Confocal Microscopy	
I found it directly useful to me	4.2(2-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.2(3-5)25
Demo of SEM	
I found it directly useful to me	4.8(3-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.8(3-5)25
Demo of TEM	
I found it directly useful to me	4.8(3-5)25
I enjoyed this session	4.8(3-5)25

1 = Bad
2 = Below average
3 = Average
4 = Very good
5 = Excellent

Category	Avg(Min-Max)Count
Facilities	
Venture Center Training Room	4.84(4-5)25
Venture Center Cafeteria	4.68(4-5)25
Food	4.64(4-5)25
Organization of the event	
Was the workshop registration timely & efficient?	4.8(3-5)25
Was Venture Center admin staff courteous & helpful ?	4.88(4-5)25
Overall Rating	4.75(4-5)24

Comments	1	Very good. Overall the workshop was great and quite fascinating. Everyone were very friendly.
	2	The demo on SEM & TEM was really interesting.
	3	It was a very good workshop with respect to academics and knowledge.
	4	All lectures are very good for us.
	5	Workshop is very good, gives knowledge of microscopy techniques that can be used in our research
	6	Workshop was very informative. Got my basics cleared. Learned new techniques.
	7	Kindly reduce the demo timing or split them in 2-3 slots.
	8	All the lectures and practical's were very good. I really got to know what a microscope actually is. Thanks for organizing such workshops and hope will also organize such kind of workshops further.
	9	I found workshop is very fascinating. Every member involved in workshop was every helpful. I would like to visit Venture Center again. Thank you.
	10	The workshop was very helpful for us to know more about microscopy and I am really thankful to all the teachers.
	11	Some topics could have been explained in more detail. Maybe due to lack of time, some topics were hurried through so not understood very well. More practical sessions would be useful.
	12	All sessions are excellent & all lectures are very much interesting.
	13	Thank you very much to Venture Center for providing such a good opportunity. This session is very good & knowledgeable. I wish that in future you again organize such workshops on other different techniques which is used in life science research.
	14	This workshop was excellent and knowledgeable. I learned so many things during this 3 day workshop on Microscopy for life sciences. Being a microbiologists it was very helpful to me. From this I improved so many things. For pass out students and those not working anywhere fees should be less.
	15	The workshop is very good. I liked the way by whom they were giving their views. I learned so many thing by it, who is very useful for me in future.
	16	Awesome style of teaching by Dr. B.B Nath & Dr. A Basu. Nath's sir session were the most interesting followed by A. Basu sir & Dr. Nishigandha Naik. The Demo of microscopy were complete in all senses & will be very useful to us in our future. I hope that this workshop is going to be at International or National level next time.
	17	I really enjoyed this workshop on microscopy. It really improved my skills on tackling the various types of microscopes.
	18	The workshop overall was very knowledgeable and useful. Concepts were explained in simple manner with good examples. "Fantastic Workshop"
	19	Overall the workshop was very informative and interesting. I liked the workshop and enjoyed it.
	20	As practical's its good. We expect more information on TEM. SEM was good. Improve application areas information for SEM. Practically got less knowledge for Fluorescence & Confocal microscopy. Image analysis was not useful for me. I expect more info with practical AFM, SPM operation. Demo on Confocal microscopy, SEM & TEM was good.

How do you think can these workshops be improved further?	1	They are perfectly good.
	2	You can please add (or likely to hear) your Venture Center facility towards students or entrepreneurs.
	3	There should be one talk which summarize and compare all the techniques.
	4	Probably by slight broadening of scope i.e. not too much concentration in Bio e.g. 1 hr lecture w.r.t polymers&/or metals/ceramics will be helpful.
	5	Timelines need to be followed . Balance between theory & demo can be achieved in better way.
	6	The workshop was in itself very good, well organized. The workshops can be better if still speakers from diff national, well known institutes are organized and the practical sessions are held for more time, so that each one of them can get an advantage of the workshop. Also, students get further opportunities from this workshops.
	7	If you could keep the workshop less intensive.
	8	I don't think so any further improvement is required.
	9	The number of participants could be lesser or the workshop could be longer to accommodate smaller groups at a time, specially for demo. More hands on training on the instruments.
	10	More time. This was too intense ! Esp. 2nd day. Good choice of speakers. Make a network/group for further workshops/updated information distribution.
	11	I don't think so .
	12	It is very good but it can be improved further by increasing practical session, because practically we learn easily.

13	It can be improved and should conduct for whole week.
14	It can be improved conduct for more than 5 days.
15	More handling to the students should have been provided after the demo was done on non-working instruments.
16	During demonstration, handling should be permitted to the students.
17	Accommodation for students at Venture Center. By sending email to students & teachers.
18	It would be better if you could arrange some speakers from plant sciences too.
19	The instrument which shown in workshop, these instrument can be handled by student.
20	The workshop was organized very well.
21	Provide practical's or handling of instruments. Give practical information more to as commercial level.

How did you hear about this event?	No. of participants
Info from colleague	2
Info from college	4
Through website	2
From Faculty	1
Email	3
Advertisement in newspaper	13

Would you like to hear about similar events in the future?	Yes	25
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