







Decoding the Gut Microbiome: Experimental Tools and Analytical Techniques

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Sponsored Five-Day National Workshop

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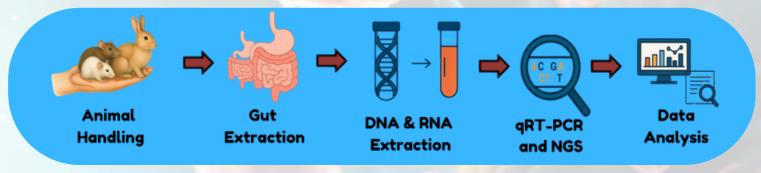
In Association with

SRM-DBT Platform for Advanced Life Sciences Technologies.

09 - 13, February 2026

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

The five-day workshop is designed to provide participants with hands-on experience and theoretical insights into experimental and analytical techniques used in gut microbiome research. Attendees will gain practical training in animal handling, metagenomic and transcriptomic analysis, molecular techniques, and bioinformatics approaches for microbiome data analysis.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WORKSHOP

Day 1: Animal handling (Rat, Mice, & Zebrafish), Gut extraction & preservation.

Day 2: Metagenomic DNA & RNA isolation & QC of samples.

Day 3: cDNA Synthesis and Real-time PCR.

Day 4: Library preparation & next-generation sequencing.

Day 5: Gut microbiome data analysis & functional-pathway prediction.

Registration fee details

Post Graduates – Rs. 2500

Research Scholars - Rs. 3000

Scientists and Faculty Members - Rs. 3500

Healthcare and Industry Professionals – Rs. 4000

Important dates

Registration starts: 2nd January, 2026 Registration closes: 2nd February, 2026

Number of seats available is 25 and therefore selection will be based on merit and first-come first-serve basis.

























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