

Goa University

The Discipline of Biotechnology, School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology

Report on

A Three-day workshop on ORNAMENTAL FISH KEEPING, INDUCED BREEDING AND MARINE ENTREPRENEURSHIP

 $8^{th}-10^{th}$ February 2024, 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. at Faculty Block E, Goa University

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	A Three-day workshop on ORNAMENTAL FISH KEEPING, INDUCED BREEDING AND MARINE ENTREPRENEURSHIP 8th – 10th February 2024, 10:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.					
2. Date and Time						
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Physical and To make a second					
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	The Discipline of Biotechnology, School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology					
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	Nil					
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	1. Dr. Hrishikesh Pawar, Scientist (Fisheries), Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Goa Lecture and hands-on training on aquarium fabrication & installation. 2. Ms. Gabriella D'Cruz, Marine Conservationist and Founder - The Good Ocean. Interactive session on "Seaweed futures: Challenges and opportunities of new seaweed businesses in India" 3. Dr. Charan Ravi Scientist (ICAR- National Bureau of Fish Genetic Resources, Kochi) Hands-on: Induced ornamental fish breeding					

	4. Dr. Ashwin Rai (Proprietor, APR Tropical Fish Private Limited; and Aquatic Biosystems Ornamental Fish Farm, Mangalore) Lecture: Ornamental Fish Farming in India – An exciting opportunity for Entrepreneurship 5. Mr. Sahil Thakur, Proprietor Thakur aquatics Lecture: Ornamental Fish handling and disease control.
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	02
8. Number of Student attended / participated	51
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	OPT LIZELLE LATABLEAURO
10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	To foster a scientific mindset among the participants and provide them with essential skills in the exciting realms of "ornamental fish keeping, induced breeding and marine entrepreneurship' with hands on training for aquarium fabrication and installation, ornamental fish breeding and culture, induced fish breeding, cryopreservation of fish eggs and live fish feed preparation.
11. Description of the Program/activity/event	The workshop started on 8th February 2024, with the inauguration ceremony by the Chief guest, hon'ble Vice chancellor of our University, Senior Prof. Harilal B Menon. During the inauguration ceremony, Sir mentioned about the importance of the workshop as part of NEP curriculum for enhancement of the skills among students and participants. Dr. Hrishikesh Pawar, shed light on the global and national trend in ornamental fishkeeping. He stressed on the importance of the field and said that such hobby's popularity has been steadily increasing over the years, driven by factors such as growing interest in aquascaping, advancements in aquarium technology, and the therapeutic benefits of pet ownership. Ms. Gabriella D'Cruz Conducted and Interactive session on "Seaweed futures: Challenges and opportunities of new

about the types of seaweed in world, India and Goa. Dr. Charan Ravi delivered a lecture on why breeding is induced in aquaculture. He also explained the science behind induced breeding with respect to hormones. He gave a detailed information about methods of spawning. on February 9th, 2024, Hands-on training session on Egg collection and transfer was conducted by Dr. Charan Ravi. Mr. Sahil Thakur, Proprietor Thakur aquatics, talked about Ornamental Fish handling and disease control. He elaborated on ornamental fishes and their growth requirements, categories of fish with respect to water layers within the tank, combinations of fishes that are acceptable or not acceptable in an aquarium. He also explained about male to female ratio of oviparous and viviparous fishes, different diseases and their causes, preventive measures and common medications." 12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Participants received Hands-on training on how to inject fish for induction. The participants understood the evolving landscape of aquaculture and the potential avenues for further growth and innovation. Participants received hands-on training in the cryopreservation technique for collected milt. The knowledge and exciting experience gained by the participants from this workshop benefited them to gain skill on ornamental fish keeping and motivated them to venture and become entrepreneur in the field. Enclosure: Brochure, Geo-tag photos, Attendance of students/faculty/external

participants.

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13. Enclosures with report















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