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**Mahatma Gandhi-Doerenkamp Centre (MGDC)
for Alternatives to Use of Animals in Life Science Education
and**

**Gandhi-Gruber-Doerenkamp Chair for Alternatives in Life
Science Education and *in vitro* Toxicology
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NATIONAL WORKSHOPS ON 'METHODS IN *IN VITRO* TOXICOLOGY'

MGDC is organizing three national level workshops in a series on '**Methods in *in vitro* toxicology**', at its *in vitro* Toxicology Lab.

First : 2–11 October 2010
Second : 24 December 2010 to 2 January 2011
Third : 14–23 March 2011

Focus on *in vitro* toxicological techniques

The broad areas to be covered on various sessions include: demonstrations as well as hands-on training of the various fundamental *in vitro* toxicological techniques, including basic practices in animal cell culture, and culminating in molecular targets in *in vitro* toxicology.

Participants

(1) Faculty of universities/colleges; (2) Technicians/scientists in industries/institutes; (3) Research scholars.

The dates may be chosen by the applicants, to their convenience. Enrollment will be limited to 20 participants for each workshop. These workshops will be a regular affair; hence, those who are not selected in the first instance will be considered for the workshops in the future.

Registration fee

Rs 5000 for fellowship holders and salaried persons, and Rs 3000 for non-stipendiary scholars.

The participants will have to bear the cost of travel, accommodation and food. However, food and accommodation can be arranged on request, for which the approximate cost will be Rs 3000 per participant.

How to apply

Interested candidates should send the application enclosing a brief CV and a write-up as to how the training will be useful in research/career, to mgdcaua@yahoo.in (or) directormgdc@bdu.ac.in.

Deadline for registration

October workshop : on or before **15 September 2010**
December workshop : on or before **15 November 2010**
March workshop : on or before **15 February 2011**

Further details can be had from the website: www.bdu.ac.in/mgdc