

Workshop on Fabrication of glassware

The Department of PG Studies and Research in Chemistry, under the banner CONCHEM, the department association, had organized an insightful preliminary workshop on Fabrication of glassware on 20 April 2023. The resource person was Sri A. Rajendran, a specialized glassblower from the Department of Chemistry, Mangalore University. Ms. Bindhya M G from I MSc Organic Chemistry gave a brief introduction of the guest followed by an introductory note on how beneficial this workshop is to the students, by Dr. Vishwanatha P, Dean, PG Studies and Head of the Department. Sri Rajendran familiarized the audience on handling of different kinds of glass apparatus and their nature. He took over a variety of tasks such as capillary formation, smoothening of sharp cut edges of broken glass apparatus so as to reuse it and fabrication of bent tubes, T-joints etc. using different glass blowing techniques.

