

Dr. Krishna Khairnar, Scientist & Head, EE&PM Division, CSIR-NEERI and Dr. Nidheesh P. V., Scientist-F, CSIR-NEERI delivered scientific lectures on 24 September 2026 during the three-day 'Grant Writing and Research Methodology Workshop' at Gajra Raja Medical College (GRMC), Gwalior.

Dr. Khairnar delivered the inaugural scientific talk, "Scientific Grant Writing in the 21st Century: Funding Landscape, Emerging Opportunities and Essential Skills for Researchers," highlighting key skills for developing strong research proposals and accessing emerging funding opportunities.

Dr. Nidheesh delivered a lecture on "Preparing Winning Research Proposals at the Environment–Health Nexus: Strategies for Funding Success." He discussed potential research areas linking environment and health and key principles for competitive proposals, including impactful research questions, clear objectives, appropriate methodologies, alignment with funding priorities, and effective communication of research significance and impact.

The workshop, organised by GRMC-Multidisciplinary Research Unit (MRU) in collaboration with ICMR Collaborating Centre of Excellence (ICMR-CCoE), CSIR-NEERI; Department of Health Research (DHR); and Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) aims to strengthen research capacity, promote multidisciplinary collaboration and support high-quality, evidence-based health research.







