

## Workshop for civil engineers at NITK

**Mangaluru:** The Sustainable Construction and Building Materials (SCBM) Laboratory, department of civil engineering, NITK-Surathkal, hosted a two-day collaborative workshop and capacity building programme on 'Durability and Sustainability of Concrete' from Thursday. The event brings together 11 resource persons from eight leading engineering institutions in India to strengthen research and practice around long-lasting, low-impact concrete.

Presided over by Subhash Chandra Yaragal, deputy director, NITK Surathkal, the workshop targeted a persistent concern in India's construction sector: premature degradation of concrete infrastructure, leading to repeated repairs, reconstruction, and avoidable expenditure. TNN

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