



## Workshop held on entrepreneurship

**Lucknow (PNS):** A workshop on 'Entrepreneurship: Creativity Meets Opportunity' was organised at the School of Management Sciences in association with TEQIP-III and Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University, Lucknow.

The workshop, organised in the 7th edition of Dr Kalam Startup Parikrama, was inaugurated by UP's Director, Planning, Dr Anand Mishra.

Abhishek Nandan and Saurabh Singh, consultants of the event, informed the gathering about the relevance of the workshop and the benefits that the entrepreneurs would gain from it. Co-founder of a

private company, Lata Rastogi, delivered the keynote address. She recalled her journey as an entrepreneur and how she overcame all the hurdles. She said the new entrepreneurs were lucky to be associated with institutions that were providing them platform to add wings to their dreams. She said talents should be exploited within their states and not be left to be drained to other states. Director, SMS, Lucknow, Prof (Dr) Manoj Mehrotra, said that entrepreneurs should work for the country and assist in government's Make in India vision.

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Technical University will organise 40 Parikrama workshops and the selected entrepreneurs will get opportunity to meet real time investors who will guide them on establishing their ventures in assistance with the technical university. The Sir CV Raman Centre for Research and Innovation has already been established under which many research projects have been formed. They include Android controlled pick and place robotic arm vehicle, micro hydro turbine, solar power charge controller etc. that were displayed at the project gallery in the workshop.