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## THE TRIBUNE

## WORKSHOP AT JC BOSE UNIVERSITY

Faridabad: A week-long national e-workshop on hands-on training and practise in computational chemistry organised by the Department of Chemistry of JC Bose University of Science and Technology YMCA here began on Friday. The workshop was inaugurated by Vice-Chancellor Dinesh Kumar. The VC mentioned the importance of computational chemistry and the use of hands-on training and practise workshop in the present scenario. Director of Dr BR Ambedkar NIT, Jalandhar, Prof Lalit Kumar Awasthi was the chief guest of the inaugural session and motivated faculty and students to develop quality skills of computer and learn numerical methods to tackle current challenges of energy and environment. Prof Balsubramanian Sundaram from JNCASR, Bengaluru, delivered a keynote lecture on molecular modelling. Registrar Dr Sunil Kumar Garg extended his support for the workshop to provide a unique and exciting opportunity for the scholars in the field of computational chemistry tools to learn from home. Dean of Faculty of Sciences Prof Ashutosh Dixit asked the students to benefit from the workshop to overcome the loss of practical training during the lockdown and get proficiency in computational chemistry skills.

