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Dear Friends,

Architecture is constantly evolving - on one end, we're designing a metaverse, while on the other, we're breaking ground with research on traditional sustainable practices. Art practices such as walks, installations, documentaries and records are further infiltrating the boundaries of architecture and serving to strengthen its foundation.

This month, the Council has collaborated with Ethos India to launch the 'Walk for Arcause' campaign. Architect Gita Balakrishnan commenced her journey on foot on 13 February and has covered over 1000kms. Globally, walking has become a widespread contemporary art practice to experience the environment and the body and possibly share from these attained experiences. Sharing knowledge has always been the way forward. In a similar vein, the Pratyasha International Summit aims to promote Indian architectural education worldwide and, in turn, imbibe global practices. The exchange of ideas, innovation, experiences and expertise helps push architecture into uncharted territories, thus expanding its boundaries.

As you read this issue, we hope you're inspired by the Council's efforts and reminded of how easy it is to make a positive difference.

Ar Habeeb Khan

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THE COUNCIL

THIS MONTH

The 76th Meeting

The 76th Meeting of the Council of Architecture was successfully conducted on 26 February 2022 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. 29 Members attended the hybrid meeting physically and 18 attended online.

President's Meet with DG, Service Export Promotion Council

The President, CoA met DG, Service Export Promotion Council on 27 February at the Council's office. The purpose of the meeting was to form a collaboration between the Council of Architecture and Service Export Promotion Council to promote architectural services and to work on strengthening domestic regulations for the local laws in India to be streamlined and strengthened.

President's Interaction

The President, Council of Architecture attended programmes and meetings at various prestigious institutes and organizations to encourage architects and architectural work.

5 March 2022: Chief Guest at the Graduation Ceremony of Avani Institute of Design

10 March 2022: Chief Guest at Nirma University, Ahmedabad to be the part of Annual Fest "Kalp"

11 March 2022: Keynote Speaker at CONSTRUCTION WORLD Design-Build Conclave and Awards, ASAPP Info Global Group

22 March 2022: Panelist for the Webinar at TERI "Guidelines on Water Efficient Measures for Residential Townships."

25 March 2022: Guest of Honour at S.B Patil College of Architecture & Design of opening of student's art gallery and art spaces.

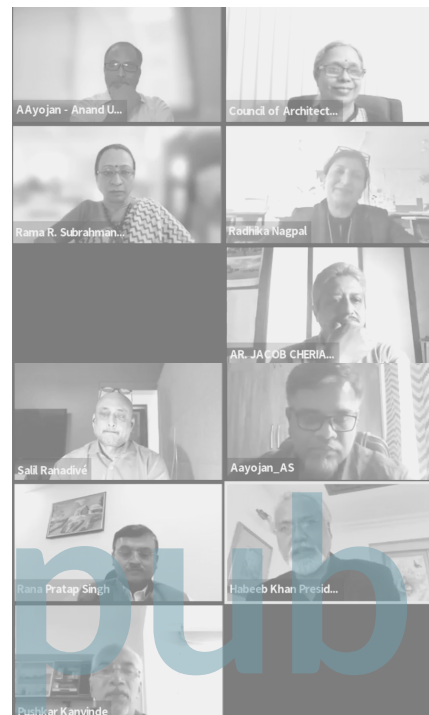
25 March 2022: Chief Guest for the AESA Awards Ceremony, 2021, Pune

Design Competition for COA-TRC Bengaluru

The Council has been allocated two acres of land by the Government of Karnataka at Jnana Bharati Campus of University Bangalore for setting up its Training and Research Centre.

The Council of Architecture has announced an online Open Two-Stage Architectural Design Competition to appoint an architect/a firm of architects to design and conduct periodic supervisions of the building during construction.

The Competition will be conducted strictly as per the guidelines of COA. For more details, please refer to the Competition Dossier which is available on Council's website. Competitors are required to register themselves on the Council's website latest by 07 April 2022 to receive a Unique Identity Code by COA for participation in the competition. So far, Council have received 533 entries from the Architects/Institutions.



Public Juries for Council's Thesis Awards 2021

National Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis and JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year (2 Categories)

Zone 1 Jury was conducted on Tuesday 15 February 2022 by Ar Anup Naik, Bangalore, Ar Shraddha Sejpal, Mumbai and Ar Shantanu Poreddy, Mumbai.

The activities of Zone 1 were coordinated by Sushant School of Art and Architecture, Gurgaon, headed by Dr. Vibhuti Sachdev and Col. Virendra Malik with Ar Sehba Saleem, Ar Tanaya Verma and Ar Pooja Lalit Kumar

Zone 2 Jury was conducted on Monday 14 February 2022 by Ar Biju Kuriakose, Chennai, Ar Leena Kumar, Bangalore and Ar Sathyaprakash Varanashi, Bangalore. The activities of Zone 2 were coordinated by College of Architecture, Sardar Vallabhai Patel Institute of Technology, SVIT Vasad, headed by Ar Sailesh Nair with Ar Preeti Shah, Ar Pallavi Mahida, Ar Prashant Rami and Ar Dhvani Bhavsar.

Zone 3 Jury was conducted on Wednesday 16 February 2022 by Ar Jaisim Krishna Rao, Bangalore, Ar Sandeep Sen, Bangalore and Ar Ujan Ghosh, New Delhi.

The activities of Zone 3 were coordinated by School of Architecture, Urban Development and Planning, Symbiosis Skills and Professional University, Pune headed by Dr Gauri Shiurkar with Ar Kirti Nandode, and Ar Payal Gulhane.

Zone 4 Jury was conducted on Thursday 17 February 2022 by Dr Jaffer AA Khan, Chennai, Ar Jaimini Mehta, Vadodara and Ar Nilakshi Sarma, Guwahati. The activities of Zone 4 were coordinated by Mysore School of

Architecture, Mysore headed by Prof Sapna Shivakumar with Dr Balaji and Ar Seema Navin.

Zone 5 Jury was conducted on Friday 18 February 2022 by Ar Amarja Nimbalkar, Kolhapur, Ar Aziz Rajani, Bangalore and Ar Surya Kakani, Ahmedabad.

The activities of Zone 5 were coordinated by Asian School of Architecture and Design Innovation, Cochin, headed by Dr Pratheek Sudhakaran with Ar Arun Shankar and Ar Santosh Kumar.

The National Jury was conducted on Thursday 24 February 2022 by Ar Jacob Cherian, Cochin, Prof Radhika Nagpal, Chandigarh and Ar Salil Ranadive, Mumbai.

The activities of the National Jury were coordinated by Ayojan School of Architecture And Design Pune, headed by Ar Anand Ukidve with Ar Asif Ahmed Sayed, Ar Fatema Kabir, and Ar Manjusha Ukidve.

The juries of the National Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis and JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year (2 Categories) were conducted by Prof Jayashree Deshpande, Pune, Dr Aneerudha Paul, Mumbai and Dr Rama Subrahmanian, Bangalore, Members of COA Awards Committee.

Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage (3 Categories)

The National Jury of the COA Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage (3 Categories) was conducted on Thursday 10 February 2022 by Dr Nalini Thakur, Chennai, Ar Sashikala Ananth, Kotagiri and Ar Shikha Jain, Jaipur.

The jury was coordinated by Dr Vaishali Latkar, Head of the Department of Architectural Conservation, Sinhagad College of Architecture, Pune with Ar Sonal Chitnis Karanjikar, Conservation Architect and Faculty at Department of Architectural Conservation, Sinhagad College of Architecture, Pune.

The winners of the COA Awards 2021 were declared in an online Awards Declaration Function on Saturday 26 February 2022 at 6.30pm. The function had a large viewership with Hon'ble President, IIA as Chief Guest, Hon'ble President and Vice-President of COA, Executive Committee and Council Members, eminent architects, jury members, professionals, academicians, teachers, and students in architecture from all over the country.

National Awards for Excellence in Post Graduate Thesis in Architecture

The National Jury of the COA Awards for Excellence in Post Graduate Thesis in Architecture 2021 was conducted on Wednesday 9 February 2022 by Ar Partharanjan Das, Kolkata, Ar Utpal Sharma, Ahmedabad and Ar Yatin Pandya, Ahmedabad.

The activities of the National Jury were coordinated by Dayanand Sagar College of Architecture, Bangalore, headed by Dr Rama Subrahmanian with Ar Dominic harper, Ar Srimati Raja and Ar Gopikrishna. The jury was conducted by Prof Aneerudha Paul, Mumbai.

AWARDS+ COMPETITIONS

COA Thesis Awards 2021: Winners

The following award programmes were launched

- Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage 2021
- National Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis 2021 and JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year 2021
- National Awards for Excellence in Post Graduate Thesis in Architecture 2021

Registrations for all categories of all awards were accepted from all zones. Entries were allocated code numbers. Online evaluation of coded entries by panels of jurors is in process.

The activities related to the Awards 2021 in each zone are coordinated by the respective Zonal Centres:

Zone 1: Sushant School of Art & Architecture, Gurgaon

Zone 2: College of Architecture,

Sardar Vallabhai Patel Institute of Technology, At-PO-Vasad, Gujarat

Zone 3: School of Architecture, Symbiosis Skills and Open University, Village Kiwale, Near Pune-Mumbai Expressway, Tal. Haveli, Maharashtra

Zone 4: Mysore School of Architecture, CA-01, University Layout, Lingabudi, Near Dattagalli Ring Road, Mysore

Zone 5: Asian School of Architecture and Design Innovation, Silver Sand Island, Near Vyttila, Cochin, Kerala

COA Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage 2021 Winners at Zonal Jury Category A: Architectural Heritage

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Heritage Documentation on Viqar-UI-Mulk Hall	Mohd Ikhtair Alam	Department of Architecture, Zakir Hussain College of Engineering & Tech. Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh
Water & Heritage : Baavan Kund, Kaliadeh Palace, Ujjain	Asna Siddiqui	Faculty of Architecture and Ekistics, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
VASAD	Krusha Patel	College of Architecture Sardar Vallabhai Patel Institute of Technology, Anand
Dharohar - Patrimony of Udaipur	Kekin Patel	Faculty of Architecture Sarvajanik College of Engineering & Technology, Surat
Fortified Settlement (VIJAYDURG FORT)	Omkar Shinde	Shri V. B. Patil Trust's Appasaheb Birnale College of Architecture, Sangli
Understanding the City: Banaras	Aryaeshu Deokar	Vivekanand Institute of Technology's Padmabhushan Dr.Vasantdada Patil College of Architecture, Pune
Documentation of Pavagada Fort, Tumkur District. Karnataka	Rachana T S	Siddaganga Institute of Technology, Tumkur
Sasan Gram - Orissa	Nithya Niranjana	K S School of Architecture, Bangalore
Architectural heritage documentation of T S K House	Libin babu	Nehru College of Architecture, Palakkad, Kerala
Ranjankudi Fort - Heritage Documentation	R. Narasimman	Ranganathan Architecture College, Coimbatore

COA Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage 2021 Winners at Zonal Jury Category B: Arts & Crafts Related to Buildings

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Udaipur - The Glittering Jewel	Nikhil Ahir	Faculty of Architecture Sarvajanik College of Engineering & Technology, Surat
Decoding Vernacular Idioms embedded in the Traditional Architecture of Lunawada region	Yash Javiya	Parul Institute of Architecture and Research, Vadodara
Khatambandh	Utkarsh Kumar Verma	L. S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai
Utkarsh- Banjara community development, Washim.	Vaishnavi Sathe	Bharati Vidyapeeth College of Architecture, Navi Mumbai
ADROIT	V. Sri Vidya Reddy	Sri Venkateshwara College of Architecture, Hyderabad
Arts and crafts of Tamil Nadu	Supraja	Nitte School of Architecture Planning and Design, Bengaluru
Udaiyalur - Heritage Documentation	Akshitha R.	Ranganathan Architecture College, Coimbatore
Nallur - Heritage Documentation	V. Naveen	Ranganathan Architecture College, Coimbatore

COA Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage 2021 Winners at Zonal Jury Category C: Indigenous Dwellings

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Swadha - Documentation of Chandni Chowk Haveli	Rashi Sharma	Department of Architecture, Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Delhi
Ever Changing Phases of Maratha Architecture - Case of Raste Wada, Wai	Hiral Mistry	Raman Bhakta School Of Architecture, Surat
Documenting traditional Bohra houses of Siddhpur, Gujarat	Mayank Padaliya	Parul Institute of Architecture and Research, Vadodara

Documentation of Patil Wada, Guhagar, Maharashtra.	Srivibhu Viraj Amudalapally	L. S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai
Phulera's Post production: Documenting the fictional	Sarvesh Kambli	Academy Of Architecture, Mumbai
Balachennavalase Halli Thotti Mane	Sanjana S	K. S. School Of Architecture, Bangalore
Indigenous settlement of traditional weaver's community, Tope village, Sambalpur: Weaving threads of continuity.	Shreya Singh	Department of Architecture, Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Sambalpur
Documentation Of The Tribal Village - Thiruchikady	Gautham Sunil	McGAN'S Ooty School of Architecture, The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu
Athirappilly Kadar Tribes Settlement Study	Benito Abraham Joe	Thejus College Of Architecture, Vellarkkad, Thrissur

**COA Students' Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Architectural Heritage 2021
Winners at National Jury
Category A: Architectural Heritage**

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Winner Architectural heritage documentation of T S K House	Libin babu	Nehru College of Architecture, Palakkad Kerala
Runner Up Understanding the City: Banaras	Aryaeshu Deokar	Vivekanand Institute of Technology's Padmabhushan Dr.Vasantdada Patil College of Architecture, Pune

Category B: Arts & Crafts Related to Buildings

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Winner Khatamandh	Utkarsh Kumar Verma	L. S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai
Runner Up Udaipur - The Glittering Jewel	Nikhil Ahir	Faculty of Architecture Sarvajanik College of Engineering & Technology, Surat

Category C: Indigenous Dwellings

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Winner Ever Changing Phases of Maratha Architecture - Case of Raste Wada, Wai	Hiral Mistry	Raman Bhakta School Of Architecture, Surat
Runner Up Documentation of Patil Wada, Guhagar, Maharashtra.	Srivibhu Viraj Amudalapally	L. S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumba
Documenting traditional Bohra houses of Siddhpur, Gujarat	Mayank Padaliya	Parul Institute of Architecture and Research, Vadodara

**COA National Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis 2021 & JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year Award 2021 Zonal Presenters
Category A: Architectural Project**

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Zone 1		
Mopa International Airport	Sameer Ashraf	Faculty of Architecture, Integral university, Lucknow
The Contemporary Expression of Tradition- International Convention Centre at Jodhpur	Ayushi Saxena	School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi
Srinagar museum - Placemaking through re collective identity.	Zainab Bhat	School Of Architecture And Landscaping, College Of Engineering, Katra
Reimagining The Flow: Public Introduction to Dynamic Life of Wastewater Management	Anjum Ansari	Faculty of Architecture And Ekistics Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
Rethinking architecture college - NEP 2020	Sunaina Prabhakar	Chandigarh College of Architecture, Chandigarh
Zone 2		
Rethinking factories : Adaptive reuse of Historic Industrial site of Kozhikode as a social hub	Muhammed K Abdulla	School of Planning and Architecture, Bhopal

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
The Mining Museum- Reuse of an abandoned quarry	Shalini Polra	Faculty Of Architecture M.S.University Of Baroda, Vadodara
Redevelopment of Shahgunj Market Area as a Socioeconomic and Cultural Hub (Aurangabad)	Safiya Raheman	School of Planning and Architecture, Bhopal
Multispecialty Hospital, Bhuj	Doshi Healik Vijayakumar	Institute of Architecture and Planning, Nirma University, Ahmedabad
The Interlace	Nishanth krishna	Faculty of Architecture Centre For Environmental Planning & Technology University, Ahmedabad
Zone 3		
Hyper Resilience and memory	Utkarsh Kumar Verma	L.S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai
Mending The Mills	Dhiraj Sachdeo	VIT's Padmabhushan Dr.Vasantdada
Deciphering Play: Exploring affordances in Social Housing	Serah Yatin	Academy of Architecture, Mumbai
Apparatus of Amusement	Aum Gohil	Academy of Architecture, Mumbai
A Self Sustaining Architecture for Disaster relief, Majuli	Fatema Khurshid	SMEF'S Brick School of Architecture, Pune
Zone 4		
Entrepreneurial Development Park - A hollistic growth environment for enterprises.	Arunabh Kaushik	Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Cuttack
ARAMBHAM	Arya Arun	R.V. College Of Architecture, Bangalore
Minimalism and its emptiness: A contemplative youth centre for the students of Kota, Rajasthan.	UmmeHanny Ilkalwale	School of architecture Karnataka Law Society s Gogte Institute Of Technology Belgaum
Urban Nomad	M.G. Varshitha	BGS School of Architecture & Planning, Bangalore
Cultural Corridor	Suraj Karwasra	K.S.School of Architecture, Bangalore

Zone 5		
Desert Mirage - Reminiscence of Thar Desert Vernacular- Eco- Lodge & Interpretation Centre	Santhosh Narayanan S	MEASI Academy of Architecture, Chennai
Evoking the Sense of Memory in Space	Soundarya Arumugam	C.A.R.E. School of Architecture Centre For Academic Research And Education, Tiruchirappalli
"Chimney enne nokki chirikkunnu" - Redevelopment of calicut tile company, since 1878	Mohammed Anas P	TKM School Of Architecture, Kollam
Architecture for the senses; Learning Centre for Autistic Children	Nandagopal M	SCMS School of Architecture, Ernakulam
Exploring narratives for archaeology museum at pattanam	Richa Babu Katticaren	College Of Architecture, Thiruvananthapuram

Category B: Project addressing concerns within the society

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Zone 1		
Tourist Amenity Centre and Revitalization of its Precinct, Dashashwamedh Ghat, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, India.	Sharan Chatterjee	Faculty of Architecture, Integral University, Lucknow
Re-Thinking for Hunger Through Architecture- An Awareness Centre	Mohammad Sadan Khan	Faculty Of Architecture And Ekistics Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
A Post-Pandemic Public space	Prakriti Vasudeva	Sushant School of Art and Architecture, Gurgaon, Haryana
Architecture for Upliftment: Transformation of Ram Leela Maidan to elevate the Urban Poor Youth	Ashni Jain	Sushant School of Art and Architecture, Gurgaon, Haryana

Janpath streetscape, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	Somesh Panda	Indo Global college of Architecture, Mohali
Zone 2		
Construction and Demolition Materials: A Waste or A Resource?	Abhishek Chintaman Sathe	D.C. Patel School of Architecture, Vallabh Vidyanagar
Adaptive Reuse: Converting an Industrial Site to a Public Area	Ananya Vachher	School of Planning and Architecture, Bhopal
Participatory Housing Approach for Conservation Induced Displacement: Case of Siddi community of Uttar Kannada, Karnataka	Jay Jignesh Kapadia	Faculty Of Architecture Sarvajanik College Of Engineering & Technology, Surat
Growing together - tribal empowerment through architecture	Prachi Sanjaybhai Jariwala	Faculty Of Architecture Sarvajanik College Of Engineering & Technology, Surat
REKNITTING THE RIPPED URBAN REALM BY VIRTUE OF ONTOLOGY IN ARCHITECTURE. A case of pilgrimage complex merging communal essence of Banaras along river Ganga.	Netal Subhash Chandak	Institute of Design Education and Architectural studies (IDEAS), Nagpur
Zone 3		
Disaster Resistant Rural Housing	Kunal Dalvi	Mahatma Education Society's Pillai's HOC College of Architecture
Repurposing Quarries as Public spaces	Tamanna parwani	Pillai College of Architecture, NEW PANVEL
Negotiating Commons	Ashi Chordia	School of Environment and Architecture, Mumbai
An Urban Utopia- An Urban Laboratory to Revive NRC Colony.	Riya Girish Tiwari	Lokmanya Tilak Institute of Architecture & Design, Koperkhairane , Navi Mumbai
ECO-VILLE_ Self Sustainable Community	Karan Machhindra Ahire	Aayojan School of Architecture and Design, Pune

Zone 4		
RECONSTRUCTING CHILDHOOD - Through Learn, Play and Connecting Memories	Ullas M	R.V. College of Architecture, Bangalore
Space for people and Identities- Resilience centre for half widows	Arghajit Mazumdar	Piloo-Mody College Of Architecture Ajay- Binay Institute Of Technology, Cuttack
TALAASH- a covid memorial that allows the community to grieve and come together in solidarity.	Mahek Jain	Mysore School of Architecture, Mysore
An Alternative Primary School, Designing for Inclusive Learning Environment	Mehul Sarkar	Sri Sri University, Cuttack
Empathy in Architecture- Achieving meaningful educational, social, and economic spaces for the Deafblind at Bangalore	Sandra Rex Shifani	School of Architecture Karnataka Law Society's Gogte Institute of Technology, Belgaum
Zone 5		
Punarjeevan: Regeneration of Indigenous tribes in Wayanad.	Alan George Joseph	Avani Institute of Design
A Place to Nowhere People- Urban Nomads	Sharun Christo M	McGans Ooty School of Architecture, The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu
KUMUDH - Flower upcycling innovation hub, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh	Haritha B Nair	School of Architecture Rajiv-Gandhi Institute of Technology, Kottayam
Pratheeksha Bhavanâ: Attapadi Community Development Center	Jerin J Panakkel	College of Architecture Thiruvananthapuram
Redevelopment of Chengalchoola, Thiruvananthapuram	Sareena sirab	School of Architecture MES College Of Engineering, Malappuram

**COA National Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis 2021 & JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year Award
2021 Winners at Zonal Jury
Category A: Architectural Project**

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Zone 1 The Contemporary Expression of Tradition- International Convention Centre at Jodhpur	Ayushi Saxena	School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi
Zone 2 The Mining Museum- Reuse of an abandoned quarry	Shalini Polra	The Maharaja Sayajirao University, Vadodara
Zone 3 Deciphering Play: Exploring affordances in Social Housing	Serah Yatin	Academy of Architecture, Mumbai
Zone 4 Arambham	Arya Arun	R.V. College of Architecture, Bangalore
Zone 5 Exploring narratives for archaeology museum at Pattanam	Richa Babu Katticaren	College of Architecture, Thiruvananthapuram

Category B: Project addressing concerns within the society

Title of Project	Name of Team Leader	Name of College
Zone 1 Architecture for Upliftment: Transformation of Ram Leela Maidan to elevate the Urban Poor Youth	Ashni Jain	Sushant School of Art and Architecture Ansal University, Gurgaon
Zone 2 Construction and Demolition Materials: A Waste or A Resource?	Abhishek Chintaman Sathe	D.C. Patel School of Architecture, Vallabh Vidyanagar
Zone 3 Repurposing Quarries as Public spaces	Tamanna Parwani	Pillai college of Architecture, New Panvel

Zone 4
Reconstructing Childhood - Through Learn, Play and Connecting Memories
Ullas M
R.V. College of Architecture, Bangalore

Zone 5
Punarjeevan: Regeneration of Indigenous tribes in Wayanad.
Alan George Joseph
Avani Institute of Design, Calicut

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Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
The Mining Museum- Reuse of an abandoned quarry	Shalini Polra	The Maharaja Sayajirao University, Vadodara
Deciphering Play: Exploring affordances in Social Housing	Serah Yatin	Academy of Architecture, Mumbai

Category B: Project addressing concerns within the society

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Construction and Demolition Materials: A Waste or A Resource?	Abhishek Chintaman Sathe	D.C. Patel School of Architecture, Vallabh Vidyanagar
Punarjeevan: Regeneration of Indigenous tribes in Wayanad.	Alan George Joseph	Avani Institute of Design, Calicut

JK AYA Best Architecture Student of the Year Award 2021 Winner

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Punarjeevan: Regeneration of Indigenous tribes in Wayanad.	Alan George Joseph	Avani Institute of Design, Calicut

**COA National Awards for Excellence in Post Graduate Thesis in Architecture 2021
Ten National Presenters**

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Reimagining the spatial narratives of the Bhavnath no melo	Surti Srushti	Faculty Of Architecture Sarvajanic College of Engineering & Technology, Surat
Sensing the Invisible: Sensory Urbanism Project	Sreethu P R	R.V. College of Architecture, Bangalore
Civic commons redux - Reactivating the urban voids of Mysore	Shashank P S	School of Planning and Architecture, University of Mysore, Mysore
Urban Regeneration in the historic core of Nashik: Case of Saraf Bazar	Pratik S. Jadhav	Kamala Raheja Vidyanidhi Institute For Architecture & Environmental Studies, Mumbai
Beyond Noise: Urban Sonic Placemaking	Fabya Thaila Chandy Mohammed	College of Architecture, Thiruvananthapuram
Commemorative Landscape At Thane Creek, Mumbai, India	Malini.C.H	School of Architecture, Ms Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore
Exploring Biophilic Approach to Forge Co-existence with Nature and Wildlife in Urban Settings	Vishweshwari Jaysingh Pardeshi	Kamla Raheja Vidyanidhi Institute for Architecture and Environmental Studies, Mumbai
Integration Of Multi Modal Transport Aiding Maha Metro Stations	Sanyukta Shaw	Smt. Manoramabai Mundle College of Architecture, Nagpur
Reinvigorating the city wall- Case of Vijayapura	Khadi Priyanka Vijaykumar	School of Planning and Architecture University of Mysore, Mysore
Analysis Of Embodied And Operational Emissions Of A Building Stock In A Neighbourhood A Case Of Ideal Colony Neighbourhood In Pune	Harshada Pranav Akolkar	Maharshi Karve Stree Shikshan Samstha`s Dr.Bhanuben Nanavati College of Architecture For Women, PUNE

**COA National Awards for Excellence in Post Graduate Thesis in Architecture 2021
Winners at National Jury**

Title of Project	Name of Participant	Name of College
Winner		
Reimagining the spatial narratives of the Bhavnath no melo	Surti Srushti	Faculty Of Architecture Sarvajanic College of Engineering & Technology, Surat
Sensing the Invisible: Sensory Urbanism Project	Sreethu P R	R.V. College of Architecture, Bangalore
Beyond Noise: Urban Sonic Placemaking	Fabya Thaila Chandy Mohammed	College of Architecture, Thiruvananthapuram
Runner Up		
Civic commons redux - Reactivating the urban voids of Mysore	Shashank P S	School of Planning and Architecture, University of Mysore, Mysore
Reinvigorating the city wall- Case of Vijayapura	Khadi Priyanka Vijaykumar	School of Planning and Architecture University of Mysore, Mysore
Urban Regeneration in the historic core of Nashik: Case of Saraf Bazar	Pratik S. Jadhav	Kamala Raheja Vidyanidhi Institute For Architecture & Environmental Studies, Mumbai

RTI Applications received by COA Office
The Council of Architecture has received four RTI's from the general public from 15 February to 20 March 2022 from architects, students, general public and other stakeholders. RTIs received on portal are being addressed on regular basis.

COA Office Under Renovation

The interior renovation at the office space of the Council at India Habitat Centre, Core 6A, First Floor is in progress and will be completed shortly. Visitors are requested to kindly drop in at COA's Office at Core-4A, Ground Floor, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.

Complaints Received Against Architects for Alleged Professional Misconduct from the General Public, Government Agencies and Architects

The Council of Architecture during its 76th Meeting held on 26 February 2022 heard 14 complaints against Architects for alleged professional misconduct filed by general public, government agencies and architects.

Notices issued

The Council of Architecture issued show cause notices to 8 persons for violation of the Architects Act by falsely posing and practicing as Architects and for making unlawful gains during the period between February and March 2022

Renewal of Registration

A total of 3442 Architects have renewed their registration from 15 February 2022 to 23 March 2022.

INSTITUTIONS TRAINING

RESEARCH PROGRAMMES

COA-TRC Pune Activities

COA-TRC Pune conducted the following online training programs for teachers in architecture and professionals:

Name of Programme	Name of Coordinator	Dates
National Online Faculty Development Programme Titled Archi-Nari, a woman's Perspective on Architectural Capacity Building	Ar Jayashree Deshpande, Director, COA TRC Pune	8 to 11 March 2022

COA One Day Online Webinars:-TRC Pune Activities

Name of Programme	Name of Coordinator	Dates
Rethinking Bamboo in Culture through Design	Bamboo Society of India	15 January 2022

COA-TRC Bhopal Activities:

Name of Programme	Name of Coordinator	Dates
Five Days National Online Faculty Development Program on 'Quantitative Methods for Qualitative Research in Architecture & Planning'	Ar Navneet Munoth, Director, COA TRC, Bhopal	7 to 11 March 2022
Symposium on International Women Day	Ar Navneet Munoth, Director, COA TRC, Bhopal	12 March 2022
5 Days National Online Faculty Development Program on 'Sustainable Development Goal IV: Agenda 2030'	Ar Navneet Munoth, Director, COA TRC, Bhopal	21 to 25 March 2022

Upcoming Event of TRCs

Name of Programme	Name of Coordinator	Dates
Constructive Crit - Encapsulating Architectural Evaluation Methods and Outcomes	COA TRC Pune	29th March 2022 to 1st April 2022
Outcome Based Education: Research Methods, Techniques in Architecture and Planning.	COA TRC Bhopal	11th April 2022 to 15th April 2022
SDG11-INDIAN HERITAGE	COA TRC Bhopal	18th April 2022 – 22nd April 2022

Architecture Festival in Rajasthan

Council of Architecture has collaborated with the Indian Institute of Architects-Rajasthan Chapter for the Rajasthan Architecture Festival which will be held from 20 to 22 May 2022 in Jaipur.

Registration, schedules and accommodation details are available on IIA Rajasthan's website.

COA as a Knowledge Partner

Council of Architecture become the Knowledge Partner for the Conference on Urban Village initiated by Ar Anand Khatri.

Applications for Extension of Approval to Architectural Institutions

393 Architectural Institutions imparting B.Arch/M.Arch course have submitted their applications for extension of approval at Council of Architecture for the academic year 2022 to 2023.



COA International Conference on Architectural Education.

To promote Indian Architectural education globally, the Council has decided to organize the 'Pratyasha' International Summit, a Global Architecture conclave, Target Net Zero: Architecture towards a sustainable future with an objective to provide a platform for bringing out research and innovating ideas to shape Architecture for future of built environment, in the context of emerging technologies towards a sustainable future. Indian

Architectural Institutions will showcase their teaching-learning methods and practice at the summit, in turn incorporating best practices from around the world. The summit will bring together eminent architects and academicians in the country to benefit the entire fraternity. One of the major verticals of 'Pratyasha' is 'Samunnati'- an International conference on Architecture Education titled 'Architecture Education in the changing world reviewing and rethinking the way forward' to be conducted in hybrid mode from 24 to 26 August 2022 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.

COLLABORATION + EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES

line-up

PUBLICATIONS+SOCIAL OUTREACH

INITIATIVES

Five Decades of India's Built Environment

Dikshu C Kukreja in dialogue with Durganand Balsavar
Dikshu C. Kukreja is the Managing Principal of CP Kukreja Architects, New Delhi, a premier multidisciplinary architectural and engineering organisation based in Delhi. CPKA is ranked amongst the top 100 architecture firms in the world and top 5 in Asia.

He received his B. Arch as a Gold Medalist from School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi. He attended the prestigious Taliesin Fellowship at Frank Lloyd Wright School of Architecture, USA and received his Masters of Architecture & Urban Design from Harvard University.

Arunima Kukreja graduated in History (Hons) from St. Stephens College, Delhi University, and holding a diploma in environmental law, Arunima is an ardent writer, an interior designer and a philanthropist who heads the CPKA Foundation for Design Excellence which promotes consciousness in design cutting across genres.

Prof Durganand Balsavar represented COAReads in a live-streamed discussion with Ar Dikshu C Kukreja on his book, 'Five Decades of India's Built Environment' on 24 February 2022



On Track: Walk for Arcause

The Council in collaboration with Ethos has launched 'Walk for Arcause', aimed at raising awareness on the role of good design in enriching lives.

Ar Gita Balakrishnan, founder of Ethos, started the 1700 km walk between Kolkata to Delhi on 13 February 2022. Having completed more than 30% of the walk, she has stopped in villages, towns, and cities to understand and identify issues requiring design solutions.

On Woman's Day, COASocial celebrated the power of women and their ability to empower others through a live conversation between Habeeb Khan, President of the Council and Ar Gita Balakrishnan. The session was streamed on COASocial's Facebook page and Youtube Channel.

A Film on Didi Contractor

The Council of Architecture has collaborated with 'The Eco-Logical Foundation' for preparation of 'A Film on Didi Contractor'.

Didi's work in the Kangra Valley of Himachal Pradesh is an expression of sustainable design practices that embodies a deep respect towards nature, honors traditional wisdom of communities living in the area and at the same time addresses contemporary needs of modern lifestyles. Didi was awarded the Nari Shakti Puraskar by the President of India in March 2019 for her work in promoting local skills and innovating new techniques using traditional materials.

The Manual of Architectural Practice in Print

The Council of Architecture has prescribed Manual of Architectural Practice (COA-MAP) which touches upon all aspects of professional practice and guides and advises architects on various professional issues. MAP is the result of collaborative and inclusive efforts of like-minded, eminent practising architects and senior peers whose dedication is evident in the outcome. It comprises five volumes:

Volume 1 - Guidelines for Architectural Practice

Volume 2 - Guidelines for Engagement of Architects and Code for Competitions

Volume 3 - Guidelines for Architectural Contracts

Volume 4 - Guidelines for Architectural Services and Fees

Volume 5 - Guidelines for the Management of Firms

The Council has commenced printing physical copies of the Manual of Architectural Practice which will be available soon.

Fresh Off the Press: Architecture Time Space & People

"Architecture Time Space and People" has been a platform for the architectural fraternity to collaborate, converse and exchange innovation, offbeat and revolutionary ideas, stories and projects since time immemorial.

The Council of Architecture has published its magazine for the March, 2022 in e-format, covering various articles related to Architectural education, profession, building technology and research.

Council's Call for Architectural Photographers

The Council of Architecture is seeking architectural photographers to be featured in its bi-monthly magazine and monthly newsletter. Selected photographs will be displayed as either the cover image, double-page spread, single-page image, or alongside an article.

Photographs must be watermark-free. Credit information should be typed in a separate mail addressed to the Publication Department at publication-coa@gov.in.

Mobile Application for Registered Architects, Institutions and Students

The Council of Architecture is in the process of launching shortly a mobile application for registered architects, students, faculty, and institutions.

The application will provide services related to registration, renewal facilities, and access to the newsletter, 'Council News' and magazine, 'Architecture, Time, Space & People'.



NOTICES

Renewal of Registration

The Renewal Fees of Rs 600 for the calendar year 2022 is due on 01 January 2022 and the last date of payment without fine is be 31 March 2022 or the last working day in the month of March 2022, whichever is earlier, failing which a Restoration Fee of Rs.1000 will be applied w.e.f April 1 2022. All concerned architects are requested to renew their registration by paying the renewal fees in time to avoid the fine. The payment of renewal fees can be made online or offline.

Further, kindly note that the communications on the email or postal address available with the Council, are not getting delivered. Architects are requested to kindly update their address, emails and telephone number, as a matter of urgency, to be incorporated in the next issue of the Directory of Architecture and to receive news, communications, Council News and Architecture, Time, Space & People.

Procedure for Updating Contact Information

The "Email Updation by Architects" is available in E-Services and architects may update their emails after authenticating themselves. Architects may use this utility to update their email address, reset username, password and to access their accounts on the Council website. The revised login credentials shall be emailed to architects on their updated email.

Digital Certificate Application

Council of Architecture is in the process of facilitating online renewal/ extension of validity of registration. Registered architects will receive a certificate of registration via a password protected PDF in their mail.

A physical certificate of registration with the photograph, signature and QR code will be sent to all the registered architects free of cost. The Council has also decided to issue new identity cards to all registered architects.

Architects are requested to update their photographs and signatures (under Dashboard->Architect->Update Photo and Signature) by logging into the COA Portal (www.coa.gov.in), using their username and password.

Dates for NATA 2022 Announced

The Council of Architecture is pleased to announce that the National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) 2022 will be conducted thrice this year. The tests will have two sessions each on 12 June, 3 July and 24 July 2022. As per COA (Minimum Standards of Architectural Education) Regulations, 2020 all candidates need to qualify an Aptitude Test conducted by the Council for admission into 1st Year of 5-year B.Arch degree course at approved architectural institutions in

Public Grievance Submissions Made Easy

The Council of Architecture has enabled on its portal an "Online Public Grievance Cell" for receiving complaints from architects, students, general public and other stakeholders for faster redressal and monitoring of grievances. Complaints received on the portal are being addressed on regular basis.

the country (except at CFTIs which admit students based on JEE Paper 2 through CSAB). The NATA Portal will shortly facilitate student registrations for NATA 2022. The NATA 2022 Brochure with details of registration and important dates will be published on www.nata.in and www.coa.gov.in. The candidates desirous to take admission into 1st year of 5-year B.Arch course are advised to register themselves on the portal.