

Curriculum Vita



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Registrations Memberships

Council of Architecture, Registration #CA/80/5719	Since 1980
Indian Institute of Architects, Fellow # F-6349	Since 1983
Indian Society of Technical Education, Life Member	
Vastuvidyapratisthanam, Calicut, Life Member	
Life Member – INTACH	

Education

High School	1967
Bareilly, U.P. Board – Madhyamik Shiksha Parishad	
Intermediate Science	1969
Bareilly, U.P. Board – Madhyamik Shiksha Parishad	
Bachelor of Science (Chemistry)	1972
Maharaja’s College, Ernakulam, Cochin	
Bachelor of Architecture (Hons.)	1979
Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, West Bengal	
Ph.D. in Architecture	2010
Department of Architecture and Planning	
Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, West Bengal	
Ph.D. Work on:	
Identifying and Establishing Linkages in Architecture: Traditional to Modern	
Guide: Prof. Dr. Uttam K. Banerjee, I.I.T. Kharagpur	

Personal

Age: 69 years Date of Birth: 16 November 1953
Married to Radhika, Interior Designer, Children: Two sons
Language comprehension – Spoken, Reading, Writing:
Hindi, English, Malayalam, Marathi, Bengali
Hobbies: Sketching, Writing, Photography, Traveling, Music, Lecture –
Presentations

Teaching Appointments	Professor Design Chair, MITSOA, MITADT University, Pune	2021 –
	Professor and Head of Department, MES School of Architecture, Kuttippuram (Calicut University)	2001 – 06
	Dept. of Architecture and Regional Planning, I.I.T. Kharagpur (Research Scholar and Visiting Faculty)	2000–2001
	Pillais' College of Architecture, New Panvel, Maharashtra (Reader and Principal) (University of Mumbai)	1992–2000
	Bharati Vidyapeeth's College of Architecture, Navi Mumbai (Visiting Faculty)	1993–2000
	Sir J.J. College of Architecture, Mumbai (Lecturer, Reader)	1987–1992
	Other Academic Appointments	Expert Teacher Trainer and Online Architecture Test Content Developer for Council of Architecture at NIASA , Pune
	Visiting Expert on Architecture, M.Arch. and Research Work at Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, Pune	2006
	Visiting Expert on Architecture and B.Arch. and M.Arch. Thesis at Faculty of Architecture, M.I.T., Manipal	2005–present
	Visiting Expert on Architecture and B.Arch. Thesis at B.V.B. College of Engineering, Hubli	2003 2005–07
	Visiting Expert on Architecture, B.Arch. Thesis and Board of Studies at Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai	2005– 09
	Visiting Expert on Architecture and B.Arch. Thesis at University School of Design, Mysore	2007–12
	Visiting Expert on Architecture and Board of Studies at Karpagam University's School of Architecture, Coimbatore	2009–16
	Visiting Professor at CARE School of Architecture, Trichy	2010–2018
Development	Mahatma Education Society's Pillais' College of Architecture, New Panvel Founder Principal	1992–2000
	ARCHIEFUNDA – Journal on Architecture for Saraswatham Publishers, Thane Editor, Content Developer	1999
	www.archiestudiatiaks.in a website on Traditional Indian Architecture	
Honors & Awards	Best Teacher Award in Kerala State By Indian Institute of Architects Kerala Chapter	2003
Memberships Organizations	Member, Board of Studies– Architecture, Sri Sankara University, Kalady	2005

	Member, Under Graduate Board of Studies Council of Architecture, India	2004–2012
	Member, Board of Studies– Architecture, Calicut University	2006–2007
	Chairman, Board of Studies– Architecture, Calicut University	2004–2006
	Fellow Member, Indian Institute of Architects	2003–present
	Associate Member, Indian Institute of Architects	1983– 2003
	Coordinator– South Zone, INSDAG 2006 National Student Award Competition for Innovative Use of Steel in Architecture	2005–06
University Teaching Examinership	University of Mumbai Colleges:	1987–2000
	Sir J.J. College of Architecture, Mumbai, Pillais’ College of Architecture, New Panvel and Bharati Vidyapeeth’s College of Architecture, Navi Mumbai	
	Subjects: Architectural Graphics, Basic Design, Building Construction, Architectural Design, Sociology, History of Architecture	
	Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur:	2000–2001
	Subjects; Basic Design, Visual Arts, Architectural Design	
	Calicut University:	2001–2006
	M.E.S. School of Architecture, Kuttippuram	
	Subjects: Architectural Design. B.Arch. Thesis, Solar Architecture, Vastu Vidya, High Rise Buildings, Building Services – HVAC, Basic Design, Architectural Graphics	
	School of Planning and Architecture, Vijaywada: B.Arch. Thesis Jury	2013
	CARE School of Architecture, Tiruchirapalli – Basic Design, Design	2013 onwards
	Karpagam University, Coimbatore – Professional Practice	2013–14
	Manipal University – Ph.D. Examiner	2014
	Viswesaraya Technical University, Belgavi – Ph.D. Examiner	2015
Invited Lectures	“Future of Architecture”, Lecture at ZoNASA, D.Y. Patil College of Architecture, Navi Mumbai	1998
	“Basic Design, Aesthetics and Architecture”, Lecture, School of Architecture , NDMVP Samaj, Nashik, Maharashtra	2002
	“Theory of Design and Aesthetics in Architecture”, Lecture at Q.I.P. on Visual Communication and Architecture at Bharati Vidyapeeth’s College of Architecture, Pune	2003
	“Architectural Documentation Systems”, Lecture at Q.I.P. on Heritage at T.K.M. College of Engineering, Kollam, Kerala	2004
	“Design Workshop” for Third Year B.Arch.,Dept. of Architecture, N.I.T.	2004

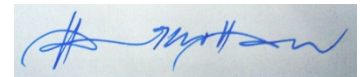
Trichy	
“Design Workshop” for Third Year B.Arch., Dept. of Architecture, I.I.T. Kharagpur	2004
“Aesthetics and Architecture”, Lecture at Q.I.P. on Architecture, Dept. of Architecture, N.I.T. Calicut	2004
“Traditional Construction Studies”, Lecture at Dakshina Chitra, Chennai	2005
“Conduct of B.Arch. Thesis” – Four part lecture workshop at Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai	2006
“Structural Systems in Steel”, Lecture, Department of Architecture, Sathyabama Deemed University, Chennai	2006
“ Modern Architecture”, Lecture at Faculty of Architecture, M.I.T. Manipal	2006
“ Conservation of Traditional Buildings”, Lecture at Dept. of Architecture, B.V.B. College of Engineering, Hubli	2006
“Architectural Graphics” Workshop for teachers of architecture at NIASA– National Institute for Advanced Studies in Architecture, Pune	2006
“Heat, Light and Wind in Architectural Design”, Lecture at annual convention of Nirmithi Kendra, Kerala at Trichur	2006
“Sustainability and Traditional Systems”, Speaker at IIA NATCON2009 at Nagpur	2009
“Appropriate Architecture – Between Need and Greed” at IIA Trichy Center conference 2010 on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti	2010
“Teaching in the Design Studio – Analysis, Synthesis, Evaluation” at AICTE Teacher Training Program, SRM University, Chennai	2010
“Woman – Her Own Space” – Workshop in women’s college of architecture– MMCA, Nagpur	2010
“Digital Art & Design” – AICTE Workshop Resource Person at I.I.T. Kharagpur	2011
“Design and Money Management” – Manipal School of Architecture & Planning	2011
“How to do PhD” – BNCA College of Architecture, Pune	2012
“Sustainable Alternatives” – SVS School of Architecture, Coimbatore, Symposium of Schools of Architecture of the Region	2012
“Structure and Architecture” – at Atelier 2013, Prahaar school of Architecture, Coimbatore	2013
“Heritage Value” – MAM School of Architecture, Tiruchirapalli	2013
“Learning from Traditions” – at MAHE, Dubai Campus	2013
“Be the Architect of Your Destiny” – Times of India Symposium at Kolkata	2013
“Architects Live Between Mind and Fingertips” – Bishop Jerome College, Kollam	2013
“To Do or Not To Do – Architectural Practice” – LT College, Koparkhairane	2013
“Design Development – Concept to representation” – Ranganathan College, Coimbatore	2013
“Sustainability from Traditions in India” – CII–IGBC Green Buildings Conference–2013 at Chennai	2013

	“Geometry, Structure and Architecture” - Atyanta 2014 ZoNASA at Hindusthan University, Chennai	2014
	“Monsoon and Architecture” - Indubhai Parekh School of Architecture, Rajkot	2014
	“Building Renovation and Restoration” - Lecture at Laurie Baker Institute of Habitat Studies, Thiruvananthapuram	2014
	“Waste Management for Sustainable Development” - Lecture for Civil Engineering students at NSS College of Engineering, Palakkad	2014
	“Workshop on Vernacular Systems” at VNIT, Nagpur	2015
	Design Workshop at BITS Mesra RAK Campus, UAE	2016
	“Architectural Representation - Hand to Mouse” - Workshop session at Bharati Vidyapeeth College of Architecture, Navi Mumbai	2016
Conferences Organized	“Morphos” - Workshop on Structural Systems Sir J.J. College of Architecture, Mumbai	1989
	“The Balancing Act” - Workshop on Structures Pillais’ College of Architecture, New Panvel	1992
	“Freedom Within” - ZoNASA of 17 colleges of architecture, West Zone at Pillais’ College of Architecture, New Panvel	1998
	“Vastuvidya 99”- National Seminar at Navi Mumbai, in collaboration with Vastuvidyapratisthaanam, Calicut	1999
	“Vastuvidya 2000” - National Seminar Publication Editor at I.I. T. Kharagpur, in collaboration with Vastuvidyapratisthaanam, Calicut	2000
	“Paithrukam” - National Seminar on Heritage Conservation and Cultural Continuity at Thrissur	2002
	“Paithrukam”-National Seminar- Aesthetics in Indian Architecture, Thrissur	2004
	“Vanishing Identities” - I.I.A. Kerala Chapter Convention 2010, Thrissur	2010
	“Landscape in Transition” -I.I.A. Thrissur Center Convention 2011, Thrissur	2011
	“Residence Next” -I.I.A. Thrissur Center Convention 2012, Thrissur	2012
Thesis Guidance	B.Arch. Thesis guidance in University of Mumbai, Calicut University, M.I.T. Manipal, USD Mysore, N.I.T. Calicut, Karpagam University Coimbatore	1997- 2013
	M.Arch. Thesis Guidance and Jury at CEPT Ahmedabad	2012
	M.Arch. Thesis Jury at University of Mumbai	2014
	Ph.D. Jury at Manipal University	2014
Papers Presented	“Relevance of Study of Vastuvidya in Modern Architecture Curriculum” Vastuvidya 98 - National Seminar by Vasuvidyapratisthaanam at Salem	1998
	“ Need for Continuity of Traditional Studies in Architecture”	2000

Seminar by IGNC A Delhi organized at REC, Calicut	
“ Life of a Temple” Paper presented at National Seminar organized by Sukritindra Oriental Research Institute, Kochi	2001
“ Need for Continuity of Traditional Systems of Design”, Paper presented at Seminar for architecture faculty at I.I.T. Roorkee	2003
“ Heritage Awareness among School Children”, Cochin Corporation & INTACH	2004
“Traditional Systems of Design and Ecology” paper presented at “Prithvi 2005” at Trivandrum	2005
“Heritage of Kerala” presented at Conference by Regional Museum of Natural History, Mysore at Cochin Corporation Town Hall	2006

Architectural Work

Residences at Thrissur, Palakkad, Trivandrum, Allappuzha, Aluva	2002–present
Orion Resorts, Vagamon	2007
Conservation and Preservation of Ancestral Home at Anthikkad	2005
Vallathol Vidyapeetham Performance Center, Edappal	2004
Gandhi Orthopaedic Hospital, Panvel, Maharashtra,	1999
Mahatma Education Society’s Composite College Complex, New Panvel	1996–99
Architecture, Management, Engineering Campus,	
Residences and Apartment at Ernakulam, Aluva and Guruvayoor	1993–97
Member, Sir J.J. College of Architecture Consultancy Cell, Mumbai	1987–92
Industrial Buildings for Mukand Ltd. At Kalwe, Thane	1984–94
Associate Architect, M/S Shivaji Patil & Associates, Mumbai	1983–2000
Deputy Project Manager– Constructions	1979–83
Foreign Buildings Operations, U.S. Embassy, New Delhi	



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