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Academic Qualifications

M. Arch. Urban Regeneration, 2014, CGPA 7.86
Faculty of Architecture & Ekistics, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

B. Arch., 2010, CPI 6.81
Faculty of Architecture & Ekistics, Jamia Millia Islamia

Short Term Courses

Landscape Architecture and Site Planning – Basic Fundamentals
Faculty Development Program, NPTEL – AICTE, February – April 2021

Contemporary Architecture and Design
Faculty Development Program, NPTEL – AICTE, September – November 2020

Principles and Applications of Building Science
Faculty Development Program, NPTEL – AICTE, September – October 2021

Persian Language Course – Level 1 and 2
Cultural House of the Islamic Republic of Iran, New Delhi, January – September 2021

Work Experience

Academics

Associate Professor
School of Architecture and Planning, IUST, Awantipora, J&K,
March 2022 – February 2023, May 2023 – Present

Assistant Professor
School of Architecture and Planning, IUST, Awantipora, J&K,
January 2021 – March 2022

School of Architecture – Kashmir, Higher Education Department, Safapora, Ganderbal, J&K
June 2017 – December 2020

Accurate Institute of Architecture and Planning, Greater Noida
August 2012 – September 2013

Visiting Faculty

National Institute of Fashion Technology, Rangreth
July – December 2021 and July – December 2019

Government Polytechnic College, Baramulla, Kashmir
April – May 2015 and September – October 2015

Industry

Architect

Mi'mar Design Studios, Srinagar
January 2015 – Present

Akshay Kaul and Associates, New Delhi
June 2015 – April 2016

S. Ghosh and Associates, Hauz Khas, New Delhi
June 2009 – July 2012 and October 2013 – December 2014

Consultant Architect

Awwal Infra Developers Private Limited, Budgam
April 2017 – March 2018

M/S Alliance Constructions, Srinagar
January 2016 – June 2017

Skytech Engineers, Srinagar
January 2015 – January 2017

Professional Roles / Academic Responsibilities

Member, Board of Studies

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Member, Board of Studies

School of Architecture – Kashmir, Safapora, Ganderbal

Member, Expert Committee to Examine the Access Audit Checklist

On the directions of Hon'ble High Court, Srinagar

Nodal Officer, Public Relations

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Coordinator, Internal Quality Assurance Cell

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Coordinator, Outreach

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Coordinator, Conferences, Seminars and Workshops

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Coordinator, Curriculum Development Committee

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Coordinator, Study Tours

Department of Architecture, IUST, Awantipora

Projects

National Institute for Aviation Training and Management

Gondia, Near Birsai Airport, Nagpur
S. Ghosh and Associates

India International Centre, Conference Block Extension

New Delhi
S. Ghosh and Associates

Corporate Tower for Jindal Steel and Power Limited

Raigarh, Chhattisgarh
S. Ghosh and Associates

Township for Jindal Steel and Power Limited

Angul, Orissa
S. Ghosh and Associates

Integrated Terminal for International Airport

Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
S. Ghosh and Associates

Club House, IREO Uptown Group Housing

Gurgaon
S. Ghosh and Associates

Restoration and Landscape of Pratap Park

Srinagar, J&K

Mausoleum of Gani Kashmiri

Srinagar, J&K

Mausoleum of Mir Syed Mohammad Maqsood An-Naqvi Al-Bukhari

Kreeri, Pattan, J&K

Research

Char Chinar Collective, July 2020 – Present; *Principal Investigator*

A collective research initiative towards the study of architecture, urbanism and ecological practices of Kashmir

Collaborations

Zoon Dubb Collective, June 2016 – June 2017

An effort with Architect Manvi Chawla to organize and conduct Heritage Tours of the Old City of Srinagar

Akshay Kaul and Associates, 2015-2016

A post flood survey of the Kashmir valley to find causes and mitigative measures for prevention of flood damages.

Iqtedar Alam, Researcher, University of Cambridge, UK:

Mapping the Hydrological Systems of Kashmir Valley during the 14th – 16th Century Sultanate Period. (Ongoing)

Manu Mahajan, Associate Professor, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi:

An international collaboration researching in crafts and architecture of Kashmir Valley. (Forthcoming)

Publications

Vanishing Alpine Meadows: Developmental Pressures of Tourism

February 2018, ISBN – 9788192031514

Book Chapter, Book Titled: Environmental Remediation and Rejuvenation – Principles, Processes and Practices

Gated Communities

October 2020, ISBN – 9788194821144

Book Chapter, Book Titled: Urban Development – Philosophies, Principles and Practices

Revitalization and Integration of Downtown Srinagar

Accepted for Publication

Book Chapter, Book Titled: Regeneration of Srinagar

Presentations / Invited Talks

Vanishing Alpine Meadows: Developmental Pressures of Tourism

22-23 February, 2018; Presentation

6th National Seminar – Architecture for Masses, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

Traditions of Architecture in Kashmir: Assessment of a Vernacular Residential Structure

18-20 October, 2022; Presentation

3-Day International Conference on Culture, Heritage and Spirituality of Kashmir: Retrospect and Prospect, IUST, Awantipora, Kashmir

Disaster Resilience of Traditional Architecture in Kashmir

24-25 June, 2022; Lecture

Building Centre Srinagar

Workshops & Seminars

Expert Lecture Series

March 2021, Department of Architecture, IUST

Organized and Coordinated

Exploration of Cultural Resources of Kashmir, One-Day Seminar

December 2021, Department of Architecture, IUST

Organized

Tactile Placemaking Intervention Event

In collaboration with Srinagar Smart City Limited

October 2021, Department of Architecture, IUST

Coordinated

Building Materials in Architecture, 3-Day Workshop

March 2022, Department of Architecture, IUST

Organized and Moderated

Orientation Programs on Architecture Education for Various educational Institutes in Kashmir

2021, 2022, 2023

Organized, Coordinated and Conducted

Revisiting Srinagar – A Critical Approach to Smart City, One-Day Workshop under the ambit of G20 Presidency addressing the SDG-11 of Sustainable Cities and Communities
September 2023, Department of Architecture, IUST
Organized and Moderated

Energy Efficient and Seismically Safe Prototype House of Kashmir, One-Day Workshop
October 2023, Department of Architecture, IUST
Organized and Moderated

Portfolio Building, One-Day Workshop
November 2023, Department of Architecture, IUST
Organized

Heritage Walk for the students of Mantaqui Memorial Waqf Hr Sec School
November 2023, Department of Architecture, IUST
Organized and Conducted

Interactive Session with General Manager, Srinagar Smart City Limited
May, 2022
Organized and Moderated

Software Skills

Revit Architecture
AutoCAD
Adobe Photoshop
Sketch-up
MS Office

Declaration

I hereby declare that the above-mentioned information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Qazi Qamar Iqbal Qari)
12.12.2023