



AASTHA WADHWA

ARCHITECT

PROFILE

Pragmatic yet creative and curious. Two years of experience in the industry; currently pursuing last semester of Masters in Architecture in Architectural design course, CEPT.

I look forward to creating an impact through sensitive and expressive space design, engaging with pure volumes to details. The intersection between the discipline of architectural design and urban design is where my passion lies. I believe these two sectors of design are inseparable.

OBJECTIVE

To seek creative opportunities, interesting people and a good learning environment and bring about a positive change through our collective energies.

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Masters in Architecture in Architectural design course
CEPT University | 2020 - 2022 (currently pursuing last semester)

Bachelor of Architecture - University of Mumbai
L.S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai | 2014 - 2018

STUDIO PROJECTS

Semester 01 - Poetics of construction - Sankalpa

Semester 02 - Ecotone: Ecological recovery of abandoned basalt quarry, Champaner - Sonal Mittal

Semester 03 - Towards a Project of Criticism, Capital Complex, Chandigarh - Kevin Low & Shubhra Rajee

WORK EXPERIENCE

Junior Architect | Sanjay Puri Architects, Mumbai

Jan 2020 – Aug 2020 (8 months)

Project name: Prestige (an institutional project located in Indore)

- Structural & MEP co-ordination and production of architectural details of the administration building.
- Design development of student hostels.

Junior Architect | Studio for Environment and Architecture, Mumbai (SE-Arch)

Aug 2018 – Nov 2019 (1 year 3 months)

Project name: Utalika, the Condoville (a housing project located in Kolkata)

Working across multiple sections of the project, yet primarily the public areas (HIG Clubhouse).

- Design development to preparation of working drawings
- Coordination with various consultants & contractor.
- Reviewing and sampling vendor products.
- Interaction with procurement team for placing orders for furniture, lights and other fixtures.
- Regular visits to site and constant interaction with site team.

Paralleled to this I was also involved in MEP coordination for the towers.

Intern Architect | Creative Yard, Mumbai

Dec 2016 - Apr 2017

Project name: 'The Yellow Chilli' (Sanjeev Kapoor Restaurant), Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Participated in design development, formulated presentation drawings, conceptualising interior designing, preparing mood boards and Working drawings.

PARTICIPATION

- Selected from college to participate in INDIAN DOMESTIC CONTEST ARCHITECTURAL ROOKIE'S AWARD 2016.
- Participated in 56th annual NASA convention 2014, Louis I Kahn Trophy.
- Participated in 57th annual NASA convention 2015, Louis I Kahn Trophy.
- 'Extreme Density' – 5 day workshop on quality housing and urban spaces
- 'Khotachiwadi Imagineries' – 4 day workshop on analysing the heritage village Khotachiwadi, Mumbai.

HONORS

- Best Studio Performance Award (2nd semester), CEPT University.
- Secured overall 2nd rank in B.Arch batch 2013-2018
- Thesis project exhibited at National Awards for excellence in Architectural thesis 2018, NIASA.
- Thesis project exhibited at NASA Student of the year Trophy. [Thesis topic- (Re)Connect: Architecture and the senses]
- Honoured with the Best Student Award for the year 2013-2014
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- NASA - Louis I Kahn trophy 2014 panel shortlisted
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SKILLS

Microsoft Office	● ● ● ● ○	AutoCad (2D)	● ● ● ● ○	Indesign	● ● ● ● ○
Adobe Photoshop	● ● ● ● ○	Adobe illustrator	● ● ○ ○ ○	Sketchup	● ● ○ ○ ○
Rhino	● ● ● ● ○	Grasshopper	● ○ ○ ○ ○	Lumion	● ● ● ○ ○
Climate consultant	● ● ● ● ○	AndrewMarsh	● ● ● ● ○	Calligraphy	● ● ● ● ○
Model making	● ● ● ● ●	Hand drafting	● ● ● ● ●	Architectural writing	● ● ● ● ●