



DESIGN CITY-SCAPES WITH ARCHITECTURE ENABLE SUSTAINABLE LIVING WITH GITAM



GITAM SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE
VISAKHAPATNAM, HYDERABAD.



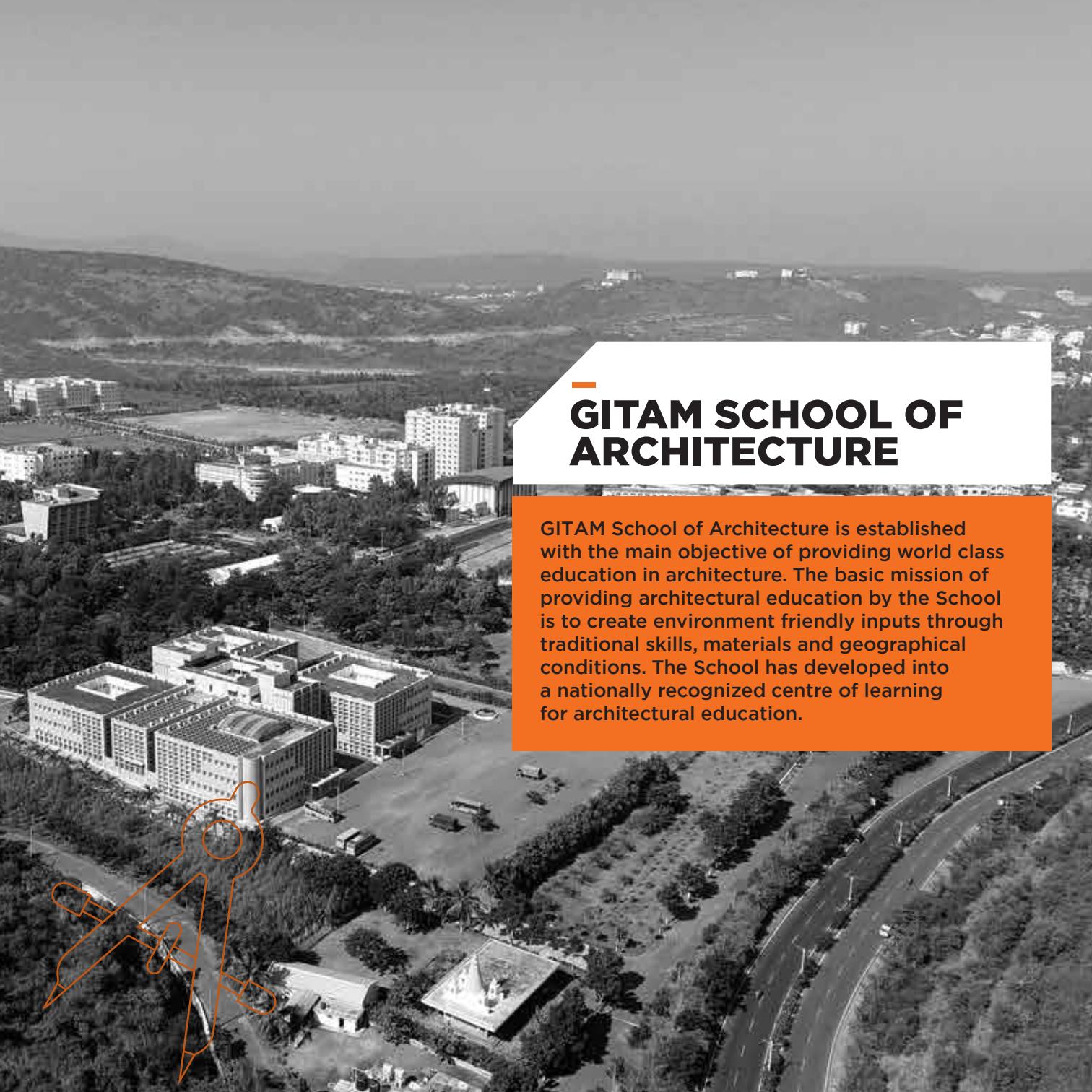
GITAM
(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)

Approved by Council of Architecture



BORN OF GANDHIAN SCHOOL OF THOUGHT

Gandhi Institute of Technology and Management, popularly known as GITAM, was founded in 1980 by an inspired group of eminent intellectuals and industrialists of Andhra Pradesh led by Dr. M. V. V. S. Murthi, former Member of Parliament and popular philanthropist. The vision of MAHATMA, the Father of the Nation was to see India as a socially and economically resurgent country and he looked upon education as an important means to teach our younger generation the value of doing good and using one's education for the betterment of the world around him. Gandhiji's view of education was not narrow or sectarian. He envisaged universities as institutions of higher learning that transcend all linguistic, racial and other barriers. GITAM is committed to imbibe his values and abide by his philosophy.



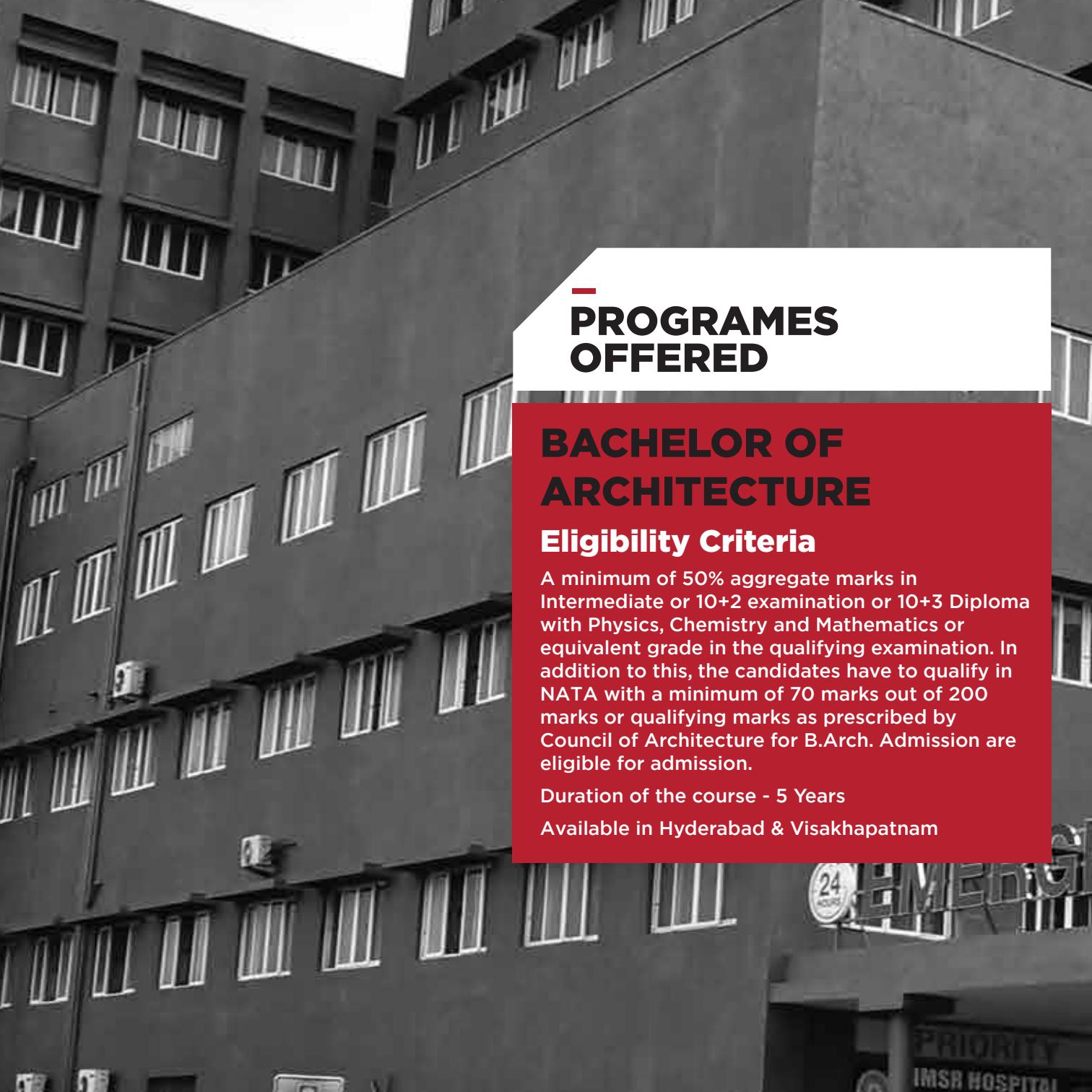
GITAM SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

GITAM School of Architecture is established with the main objective of providing world class education in architecture. The basic mission of providing architectural education by the School is to create environment friendly inputs through traditional skills, materials and geographical conditions. The School has developed into a nationally recognized centre of learning for architectural education.



— ARCHITECTURE PROGRAMS

Architecture is where science meets art. It is visualising, planning and then executing intricate designs that can come from developing the necessary technical and designing skills. GITAM ensures that all students learn to be practical as well as expressive with this course to contribute the best to the construction industry.



PROGRAMES OFFERED

BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE

Eligibility Criteria

A minimum of 50% aggregate marks in Intermediate or 10+2 examination or 10+3 Diploma with Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics or equivalent grade in the qualifying examination. In addition to this, the candidates have to qualify in NATA with a minimum of 70 marks out of 200 marks or qualifying marks as prescribed by Council of Architecture for B.Arch. Admission are eligible for admission.

Duration of the course - 5 Years

Available in Hyderabad & Visakhapatnam



M.ARCH. (SUSTAINABLE ARCHITECTURE)

Eligibility Criteria

A Pass in Bachelor of Architecture degree from a recognized university with a minimum of 50% marks or equivalent grade and score obtained in GAT (PG Architecture) - 2022.

Duration of the course - 2 Years

Available only in Visakhapatnam



GIMSR

Indoor sports

Architecture

Cricket stadium

Administration

INFRASTRUCTURE

Art Studio

Art studio calls upon the zeal for study to play a significant role in the creation which occurs in a studio space. It is more or less artful to the degree that the student is committed to the continuing education in architecture discipline. Academic curricula categorise studio classes in order to prepare students for the rigors of building sets of skills which require a continuity of practice in order to achieve growth and mastery of their artistic expression. A versatile and creative mind will embrace the opportunity of such practice to innovate and experiment, which develops uniquely individual qualities of each student's expression. GSA maintains an art studio space above the level of a mere production facility or workshop.

Climatology Lab

Understanding climate has always been crucial to designing of buildings. In order to acquaint students to various concepts of climate analysis and to familiarise them to human thermal comfort in architecture, a state-of-the-art climatology lab with high end scientific equipment has been established.

Computer Lab

GSA is having two separate computer labs for both B.Arch and M.Arch programs equipped with high-end workstations with relevant software for architecture. The computer facility in GSA is used by students and faculty for education, research and public service activities.

Construction Yard

Not restricted only to the classroom learning process, a construction yard is available at GSA to get the hands-on experience and opportunity for the students to experiment with different building materials and construction techniques.



Exhibition Hall

Exhibition hall is equipped with display and pinup boards to exhibit the students' academic works. These exhibits are open for public during special occasions to enhance the exposure of the architecture program.

Material Museum

GSA maintains up-to-date materials related to construction, building services like water supply and sanitation, plumbing, electrical and mechanical fittings and fixtures. This helps the student in better understanding the concepts taught in the class. Students do market surveys and collect different materials which help in understanding the day-to-day developments in construction industry.

Model Making Workshop

Model making helps the students to study aspects of an architectural design and to communicate their conceptual design ideas. Depending on the student requirement models can be made from a variety of materials, including blocks, paper, and wood, and at a variety of scales. At GSA, the model making lab is equipped with latest equipment and material.

Photography Lab

The photography lab is to instruct and educate the students on the medium of photography both technically and artistically, as well as to assist the academic staff with all photography-related work involved in their lectures and research. At GSA, Photography lab is equipped with high-definition cameras, and associated equipment.

Department Library

GITAM School of Architecture has its own well-established library exclusively for the benefit of the students & faculty.



GITAM is YourDost

In today's day and age, with technology and globalisation taking over, many things have been heard, but unspoken of. Stress, pressure, anxiety and depression have turned out to be the bottle necks in our lives. Realising same, the Directorate of Student Life at GITAM, has proudly collaborated with a Mental Health and Emotional Wellness platform, YourDOST. The platform provides counselling sessions to the entire GITAM community.

With its launch in the month of October, 2020, the journey with YourDOST has been rewarding and fruitful. During its launch, a total number of 418 users, used the wellness platform taking up a total of 618 counselling sessions. With a gradual growth, the total number users went up to 1504 taking up a total of 2002 counselling sessions.

Udaan

An Initiative of the Directorate of Student life – Udaan, is a mental health and emotional wellness platform created for the entire GITAM Community. Its main purpose is to enable and create a safe space where individuals are comfortable to express their concerns, seek help, feel relieved, alive and most important - liberated from various shackles of life that creates barriers in reaching their potentials.

Few of the achievements:

- Human library
- Events on mental health and nutrition
- Events on mental health and dance therapy
- Reverse classrooms
- Safe spaces across campus and online
- A short-film on mental health

Sports facilities

At GITAM, we believe that Sports is one of the key components in enhancing the Campus life experience of students. Its a great tool to address students' physical and mental health, social and personal development, in parallel with intellectual and academic developments. GITAM intends to be a leading enabler in sport-based development, and towards that end, will offer engagement opportunities to students to access high quality playing facilities which in turn will contribute to a positive and healthy sports culture within the University. The time-tested way of establishing a competitive sports culture is by introducing Student athletes through an effective Sports Quota system. The vision for Student-athletes in GITAM is to provide deserving students a chance to get quality education in conjunction with pursuing their athletic dreams.

DIGITAL LEARNING

coursera

GITAM has collaborated with Coursera to give free access to its students to more than 7000 courses to all its students. Students can get certified for respective courses once they complete these courses.

moodle

Moodle is the world's most popular learning management system (LMS). Moodle has a rich repository of plugins that enable the user community to expand the functionality. The platform was adopted at GITAM to provide faculty with features such as dynamic quiz, interactive content, adaptive lessons, gamification, competency-based education, mobile learning, etc. to enable pedagogical innovation.

grammarly

Grammarly is a global, AI assisted, writing platform that helps users communicate with impact. It scans documents/ texts for spelling errors, grammatical errors, and even suggests changes to sentence structure. Over 40 million+ scholars, students, and researchers worldwide use Grammarly. GITAM now has an annual license for the software, and it is available for our faculty, staff, and students across all 3 campuses.

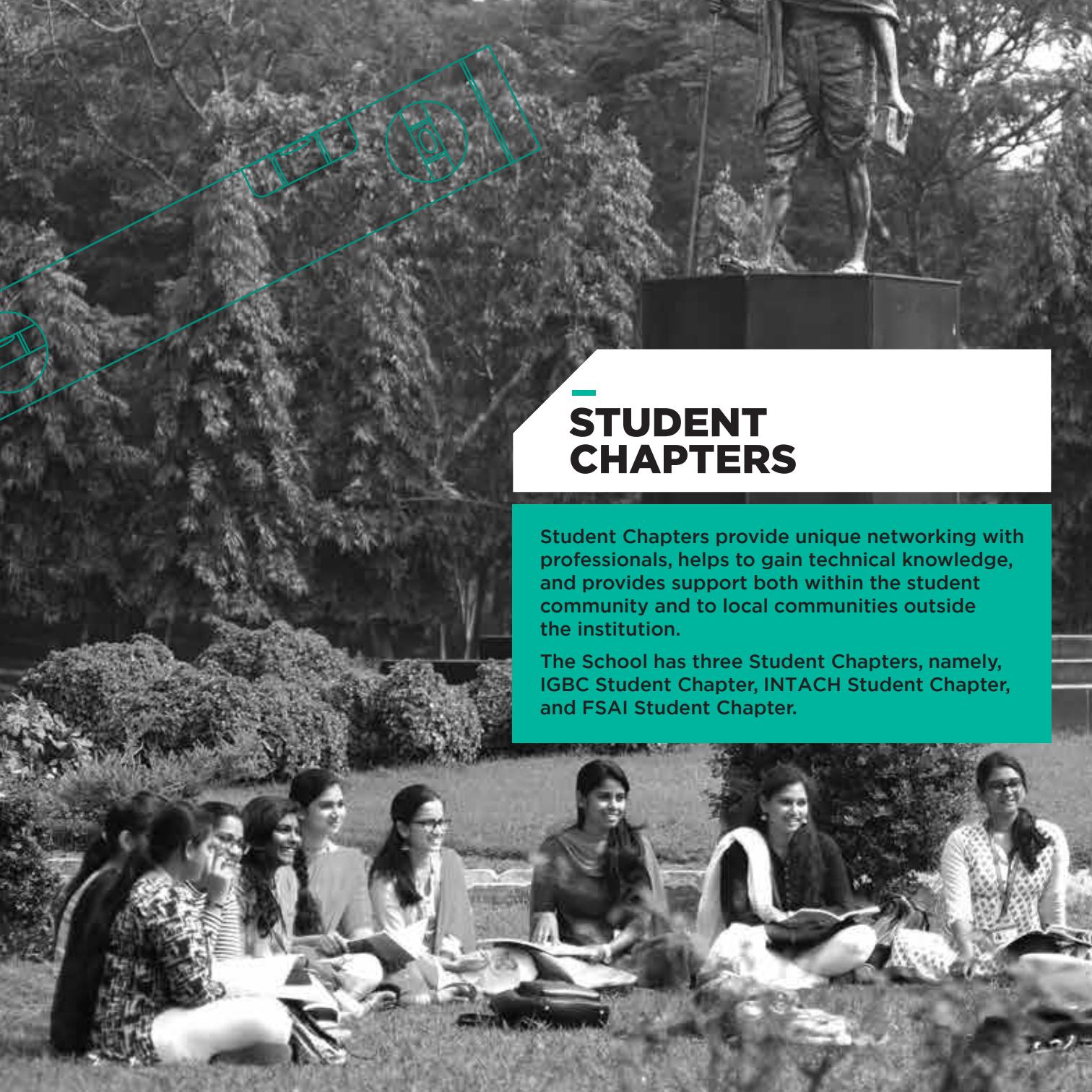




LIFE AT GITAM SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

GITAM is a culturally vibrant, socially dynamic and truly cosmopolitan university where you will meet people from all walks of life. Students have the chance to develop their skills in the best possible way by taking part in a multitude of extra-curricular activities that allows them to understand themselves better and develop into adults that are truly ready to take on the world. GITAM gives each and every student the right opportunities to better themselves and imparts the right values so they can use their education to drive impact and be valuable and contributing members of society.

The students of GITAM School of Architecture have won several awards and recognitions in many aspects. They participated and won in many inter-college competitions at the zonal and national levels. They also won prizes from prestigious councils such as COA, GRIHA, and IGBC.



STUDENT CHAPTERS

Student Chapters provide unique networking with professionals, helps to gain technical knowledge, and provides support both within the student community and to local communities outside the institution.

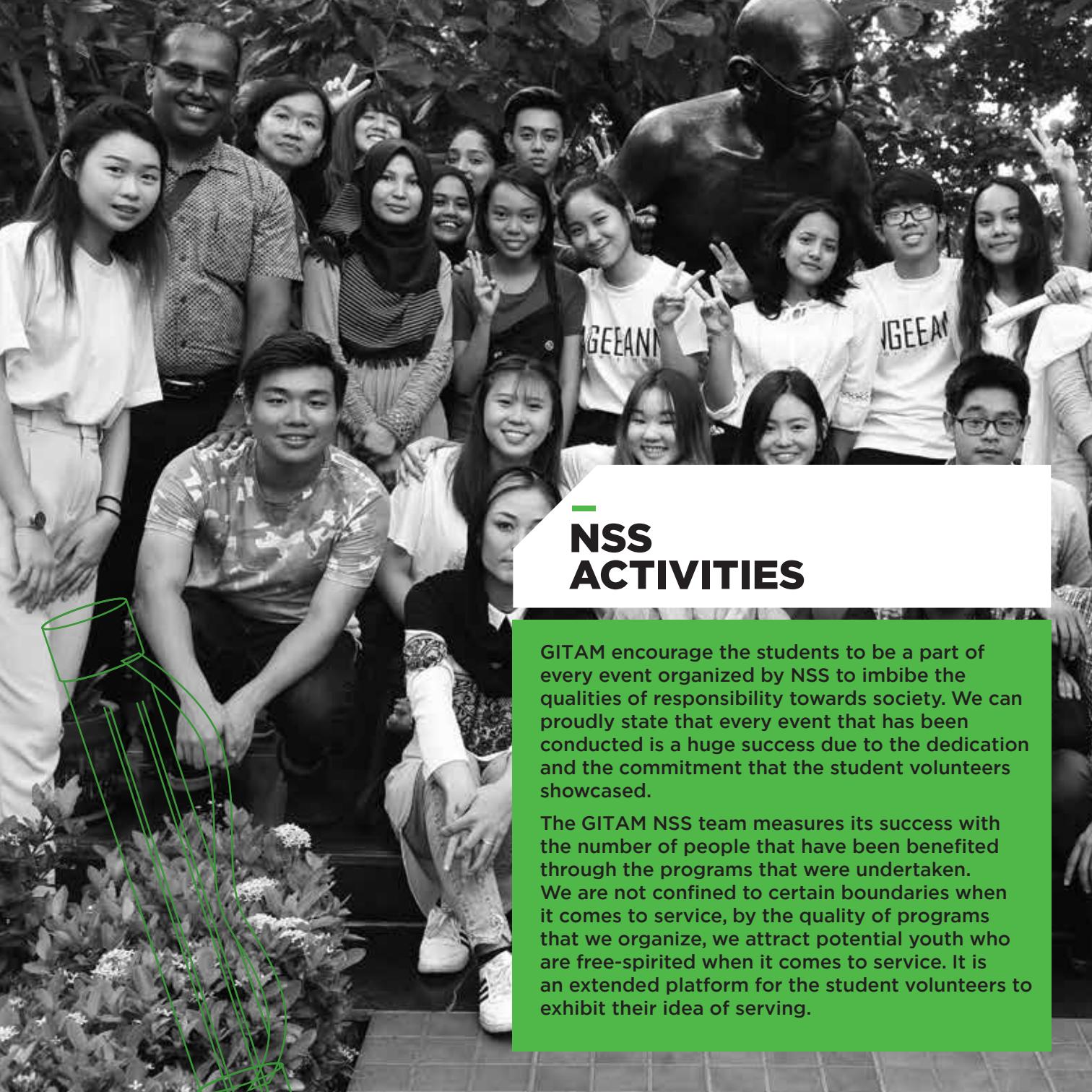
The School has three Student Chapters, namely, IGBC Student Chapter, INTACH Student Chapter, and FSAI Student Chapter.



LITERARY, CULTURAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Cultural, literary and social activities play a huge role in student development, making them well-rounded adults who play a huge part in the society around them.





NSS ACTIVITIES

GITAM encourage the students to be a part of every event organized by NSS to imbibe the qualities of responsibility towards society. We can proudly state that every event that has been conducted is a huge success due to the dedication and the commitment that the student volunteers showcased.

The GITAM NSS team measures its success with the number of people that have been benefited through the programs that were undertaken. We are not confined to certain boundaries when it comes to service, by the quality of programs that we organize, we attract potential youth who are free-spirited when it comes to service. It is an extended platform for the student volunteers to exhibit their idea of serving.

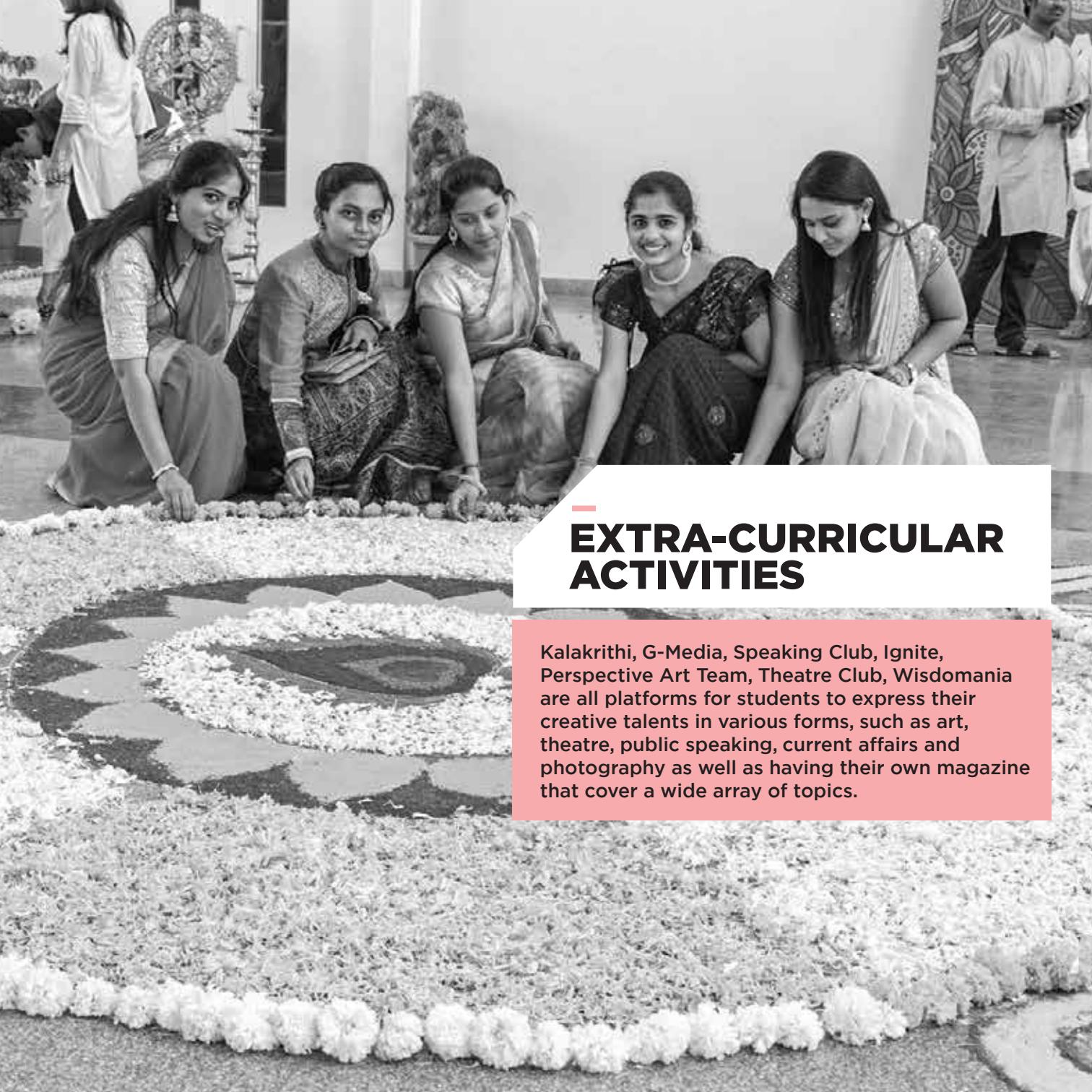


STUDENT INITIATIVES, CLUBS AND FORUMS



Student initiatives, clubs and forums such as GITAM Centre for Incubation and Entrepreneurship Developments (GCIED), GITAM (Deemed to be) University for Science and Activity Centre (GUSAC), Rotaract Club of GITAM (RACG), G-Studio, National Cadet Corps, GITAM National Service Scheme, Charaiveti, Disha, Engineers without Borders (EWB), Innovation Centre, PR & Media cell, Street cause.

These are available to students so that they can focus on things that interest them. With a wide variety of options students are never short of choice.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Kalakrithi, G-Media, Speaking Club, Ignite, Perspective Art Team, Theatre Club, Wisdomania are all platforms for students to express their creative talents in various forms, such as art, theatre, public speaking, current affairs and photography as well as having their own magazine that cover a wide array of topics.



HOSTELS

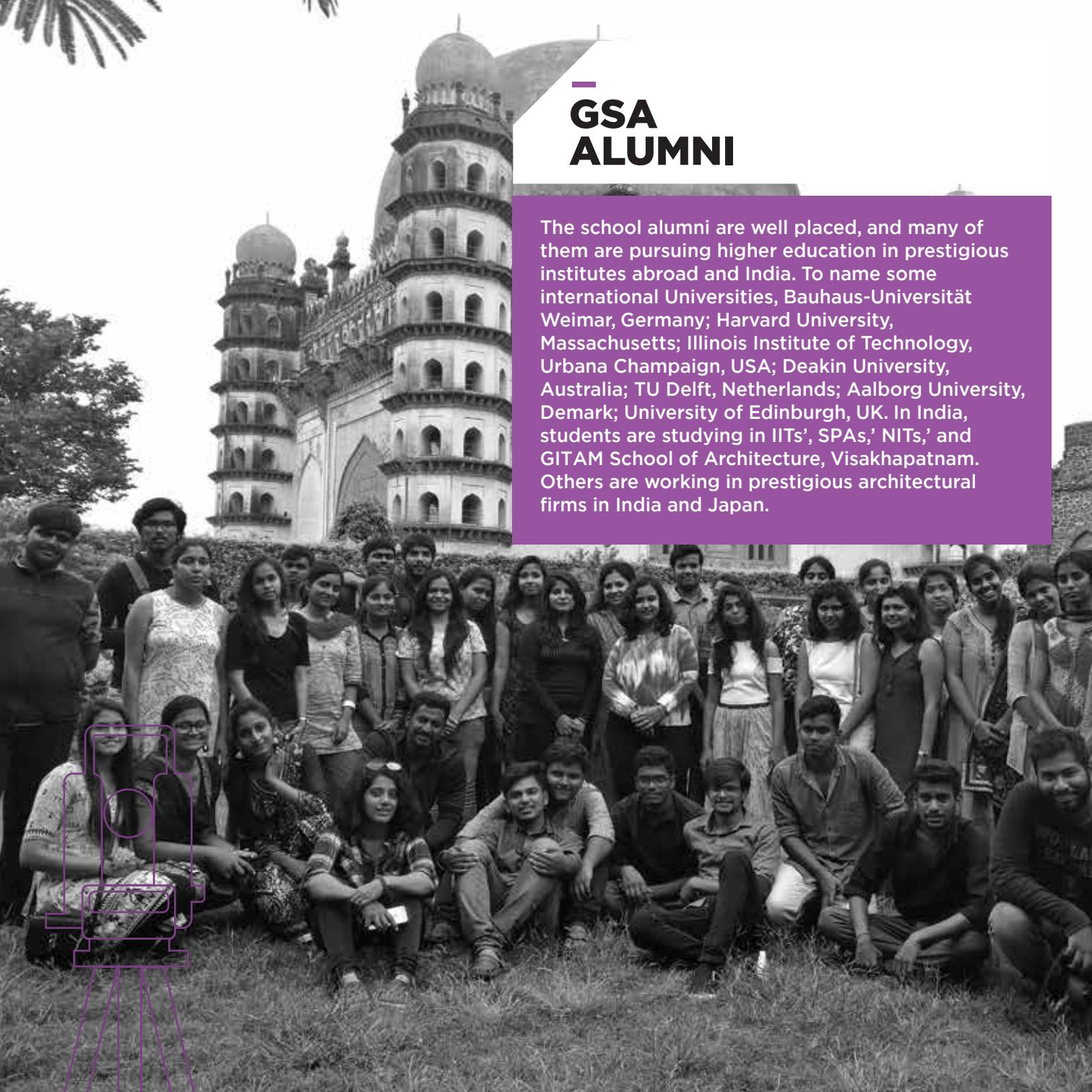
Many students choose to stay in our hostels and we provide them with everything they require. Dining, emergency services, recreation centres and a whole host of other essentials necessary for a student's well-being. Round-the-clock security and surveillance is available for the safety of students. If anything is to go wrong, they can always come to us for guidance and help.



STUDY TOURS

Under the aegis of the Learning and Documentation Cell of the School, students study and document buildings of historical value and architectural importance in India and abroad. Apart from North India and the South India study tours, students have also visited Cambodia, Thailand, Malaysia, Singapore, U.A.E, Egypt, and Turkey.





GSA ALUMNI

The school alumni are well placed, and many of them are pursuing higher education in prestigious institutes abroad and India. To name some international Universities, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar, Germany; Harvard University, Massachusetts; Illinois Institute of Technology, Urbana Champaign, USA; Deakin University, Australia; TU Delft, Netherlands; Aalborg University, Demark; University of Edinburgh, UK. In India, students are studying in IITs', SPAs,' NITs,' and GITAM School of Architecture, Visakhapatnam. Others are working in prestigious architectural firms in India and Japan.

SCHOLARSHIPS

GITAM offers a wide range of scholarships to students with high scores in their qualifying examinations. Scholarships to the tune of Rs.30 crores (approx. US\$ 4 million) are allotted each year to encourage scholastic achievement, and help students with financial challenges focus on academic excellence. This apart, our students can also avail scholarships from AICTE. Under this, 8 of our students were awarded PMSS Scholarships, and 260 of our PG students were awarded AICTE scholarships.

Our scholarships include -

Merit Scholarships are offered to students who excel in the GITAM Admission Test (GAT) or other National/ State entrance tests.

Sports Scholarships are offered to students who excel in sports enabling them to pursue academics along with their passion for sports.

Need-based Scholarships are offered to students facing financial challenges, helping them to pursue and complete their education. The income of both parents is taken into consideration as a qualifier for this.

B.Arch

Scholarship Percentage	NATA 2022 Score
100%	≥ 160
75%	≥ 140 & < 160
50%	≥ 130 & < 140
25%	≥ 120 & < 130
15%	≥ 100 & < 120

M.Arch

Scholarship Percentage	GAT 2022 Score	GATE Percentile
100%	≥ 190	≥ 95
75%	≥ 180 & < 190	≥ 90 & < 95
50%	≥ 160 & < 180	≥ 80 & < 90
25%	≥ 140 & < 160	≥ 70 & < 80
15%	≥ 120 & < 140	≥ 60 & < 70



GCGC AND PLACEMENTS

GITAM Career Guidance Centre (GCGC) is an organisational wing at GITAM (Deemed to be University), dedicated solely to guide students towards the career paths that they are best suited for, by providing professional counsel, training and assistance. GCGC helps the students be industry ready by combining classroom education with career-specific training.

The objectives of the centre are to:

- Provide training for development of integrated personality.
- Provide employable skills to all students.
- Develop innovative entrepreneurs and dynamic leaders for the nation.
- Achieve 100% gainful placement.

The centre functions under the guidance of the Principal of each institute. The training and placement officer is assisted by assistant training officer. A senior faculty member from each department coordinates the activities of the centre with the active involvement of student coordinators.

100+ MNCs and corporates visited
55,000+ alumni across the globe
35+ start-ups from GITAM students
30,000+ students placed



Northeastern
University

VENTURE DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (INNOVATION CELL)

Year on year, the number of students graduating in India, increasingly outnumber the jobs that are available. The most promising way to secure a bright future in such a landscape is through entrepreneurship. Keeping this in mind, The Venture Development Centre (Innovation Cell) has been set up under GITAM (deemed to be) University Institute for Development of Entrepreneurship (GUIDE). The cell's main aim is to nurture students into being job creators instead of job seekers.

To benefit from their globally renowned expertise in venture development, GITAM has partnered with Northeastern University, Boston, to establish a Venture Development Centre on campus. They have specially designed entrepreneurship programmes that guide students in a very hands-on manner. This ensures that by the time a student graduates, they have developed a clear user-centric thought process. Some may even have well thought-out ideas for a start-up.

VDC hosts various entrepreneurial activities in the campus so that students can mull over their ideas and develop them into functional business plans under proper guidance. This ensures they are properly mentored and have the necessary exposure to ensure that they can pitch well to investors for funding.

The innovation cell runs hand in hand with the E-cell that is a student run club for creating awareness about entrepreneurship among students, faculty and staff. The club is divided into various action groups and they function together to provide a holistic and well-rounded exposure to the students.

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