# BHARATI VIDYAPEETH COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE, NAVI MUMBAI

## Seminar and Workshop team

Report-Academic Year 2023-24

## 1. Mind Management & Positive Thinking

Date of Event - 07.06.2023 - 08.06.2023

Day of Event – Wednesday-Thursday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students - 100

Resource Person - Dr. Aakash Wankhede(Good Life Healing Centre)

#### Details of the event

The objective for this seminar was to develop soft skills and basic requirements in the corporate so that they become dynamic in time of their skill set. It was conducted in collaboration with Good Life Healing Centre. The seminar highlighted the need for Mindfulness which is the ability to be present and aware of your thoughts, feelings, and actions in any situation.



## 2. Clutter to Clarity- Art of Living

Date of Event – 20.06.2023

Day of Event – Tuesday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students - 80

Resource Person - Mr. Rashmin Pulikar(Art of Living)

#### Details of the event

The objective for this seminar was to develop soft skills and help students to finally clear those stubborn clutters in their life for a clean start, with a wealth of space for one's freedom and happiness to grow. It was conducted in collaboration with Art of Living. The seminar highlighted the understanding of the three core causes of clutter and how they directly manifest in specific rooms and forms of clutter. Use practical and actionable exercises to clear out clutter hot spots. To reclaim personal space for the thoughts, things, and people in one's life.



#### 3. International Yoga Day

Date of Event - 21.06.2023

Day of Event – Wednesday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

No. of attending students - 80

Resource Person - Shiv Ganesh Yoga

#### Details of the event

International Yoga Day is celebrated on June 21 every year in BVCOA with a motive of spreading awareness about the Vedic practice, yoga and meditation.





## 4. Proper Waste Management -Zero Waste Management -Need of the time -Composting.-Used plastic waste management

Date of Event - 30.06.2023

Day of Event – Friday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

No. of attending students – 120

Resource Person - Vrushali Magdum, Priyanka Kadam Jadhav, Rahul Nirbhavane

#### Details of the event

The objective for this seminar was to highlight the need for waste management. One of the primary benefits of waste management lies in its ability to minimise the environmental impact of human activities. Proper waste disposal and recycling reduce the amount of waste that ends up in landfills or incinerators, thereby decreasing greenhouse gas emissions and air pollution.

## 5. Future education prospects for final year architecture and interior design students

Date of Event - 01.07.2023

Day of Event – Saturday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

No. of attending students – 40

Resource Person - Jonathan Moore(Envision Overseas Education Consultants & University of Arts London)

#### Details of the event

The seminar taught students to get the necessary inspiration about how to function in their careers, potential educational prospects and grow as successful industry professionals. Jonathan Moore shared his insights on various aspects pertaining to architecture education in the current times.



## 6. Guru Purnima Day Celebration- Art of Living

Date of Event – 03.07.2023

Day of Event – Monday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 20

Resource Person - Aparna Chillara(Art of Living)

#### Details of the event

The objective of the program was to help teachers be stress-free as well as gain insights into handling students, and communicate with them in a better way.



## 7. Prospects of Higher Studies Abroad

Date of Event - 26.07.2023

Day of Event – Wednesday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

No. of attending students – 80

Resource Person - Edwise Overseas(Mr. Tom)

#### Details of the event

The seminar taught students to get the necessary inspiration about how to function in their careers, potential educational prospects and grow as successful industry professionals. Mr. Tom shared his insights on various aspects pertaining to architecture education in the current times.



## 8. Concept Development: Organic Design and its application in Interiors

Date of Event - 10.08.2023

Day of Event – Thursday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 120

Resource Person - Ar. Mahesh Naik

#### Details of the event

Architect Mahesh Naik's projects are based on organic architecture, which believes in creating structures that grow from nature and blend with it. He stressed the need for displaying skilled craftsmanship and structural ingenuity.



## 9. Bridging the Gap between Profession and Academics

Date of Event - 05.09.2023

Day of Event – Tuesday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 120

Resource Person - Ar. Dinesh Yadav, Ar. Ninad Vaidya, Ar. Vikas Padalkar, Ar. Omkar Bhagat(IIA)

#### Details of the event

The objective of this session was to have two clear goals for the students -1) preparing students for doing respectable justice to the profession and 2) seeking and suggesting improvements, turnarounds and new horizons for the profession.



## 10. Financial Literacy and Awareness Camp by RBI

Date of Event - 15.09.2023

Day of Event – Friday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 100

**Resource Person - RBI** 

#### Details of the event

The ability to make well-informed financial decisions is one of the biggest advantages of financial literacy for people. Making smarter judgments is made possible by financial literacy, which helps people to comprehend how their financial actions affect their overall financial health.





## 11. How to be a Student?

Date of Event - 15.09.2023

Day of Event – Friday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 100

Resource Person - Ar. Santosh Sathpathy

#### Details of the event

A lecture on different methodologies required to be adopted by the students to become a successful student. By sharing their expertise, the goal was to empower students with the knowledge and skills necessary for success.



## 12. Financial Awareness Seminar for Staff (Teaching & Non Teaching)

Date of Event - 12.10.2023

Day of Event – Thursday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

Resource Person - Mr. Saurabh Mane (CASI Global)

#### Details of the event

One of the most significant benefits of financial literacy is that it empowers individuals to make informed decisions about their finances. Financial literacy enables individuals to understand the impact of their financial decisions on their overall financial health, enabling them to make better-informed decisions.



## 13. ArcGIS for Architecture (for Faculty)

Date of Event - 06.11.2023

Day of Event – Monday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

Resource Person - Mr. Sunil Anand Bhavar

#### Details of the event

ArcGIS allows designers to couple the creation of design solutions with an awareness of the social and environmental impact these will have on the surrounding area. ArcGIS Urban is a web-based solution that applies GIS technology to urban planning. With ArcGIS Urban, you can: Create and compare design scenarios.



## 14. Portfolio Guidance Seminar

Date of Event – 04.12.2023

Day of Event – Monday

Approx. Time – 1.5 hrs

No. of attending students – 100

Resource Person - Ms. Kate Scully(Envision Overseas Education Consultants & University of Arts London)

#### Details of the event

The lecture focused on scholarship opportunities for Indian Students, activities involved during recruitment process and exploring the creative industries and current job trends in art and design industry.



## **15. Introduction to Computer Software**

Date of Event – 21.12.2023

Day of Event – Thursday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 100

Resource Person - Ms. Sonali patil(Cadd Centre, Kharghar)

#### Details of the event

The objective of this seminar is to introduce students to the digital realm of design and innovation in architecture.



## **16. Architecting Your Professional Journey**

Date of Event – 22.12.2023

Day of Event – Friday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

No. of attending students – 100

Resource Person - Ar. Tejas Deshmukh

#### Details of the event

This session was conducted to guide students, future architects to get insights into planning a career in India vs overseas, the existing opportunities and challenges.



## 17. Alumni Talk

Date of Event – 31.01.2024

Day of Event – Wednesday

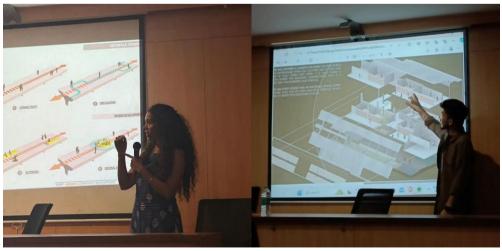
Approx. Time – 1 hrs

Resource Person - Ar. Dhruv Parikh, Ar. Vaishnavi Sathe

#### Details of the event

Alumni were invited to present their thesis dissertation work appreciated in COA Awards. Ar. Dhruv Parikh talked about exploring "the learning expanse"- an architectural masterpiece that merges education and design in an awe-inspiring way. Ar. Vaishnavi Sathe explored the discovery of how architecture can be a force for positive change in marginalised communities through "Utkarsh-Banjara Community Development".





## 18. Pidilite- Hobby Workshop

Date of Event – 01.02.2024

Day of Event – Thursday

Approx. Time – 2 hrs

Resource Person - Rutika Suryvanshi, Neha Dewangan

#### Details of the event

Founded by Pidlite Industries, India's only arts, crafts, and hobby retailer chain, Hobby Workshop empowers enthusiasts nationwide through encouragement and training in various arts and crafts.



## **19. Higher Studies**

Date of Event – 02.02.2024

Day of Event – Friday

Approx. Time – 1 hr

Resource Person - Ar. Barbara Klinkhammer

#### Details of the event

The purpose of the seminar was to provide students with the inspiration they needed to succeed in their occupations, future educational opportunities, and as successful professionals in the business. Ms. Barbara offered her opinions on a range of topics related to modern architectural education.

