

CSA PART II COURSE

COURSE TITLE: CSA HIGHER DIPLOMA IN ARCHITECTURE

DURATION: 3 YEARS - PART TIME - YEAR 1 & YEAR 2 FULL TIME - YEAR 3

TIME: TUESDAYS, FRIDAYS, SATURDAY TO SATURDAYS 8.30AM TO 7.30PM

INTAKE: SEPTEMBER

YEAR 1 (Studio 05) In the Part II Course students are expected to sufficiently mature with a deeper understanding of architecture and are encouraged to enhance their academic skills whilst developing a personal approach to Architectural Design. The design programme includes 3 Design Projects – an integrated approach to the design of Urban Architecture and the Public Realm and Context Generated Architecture which is based on thematic studios and workshops. A Social Housing Project is also conducted during this year. Subjects taught during this year are classified as History/Theory/Society & Culture; Technology, Environment and Professional Practice and includes inter-related disciplines such as Society & Culture (Theory of Architecture, Urban Design, Planning, Sociology, Housing & Community), Technology (Materials & Technology); Environment (Environmental Design & Environmental Policies) and Profession. While studying it's compulsory to receive practical training under a Chartered Architect since it is a part of their curriculum.

The highlight of this year is the Student Exchange Programme on Urban and Social Re-Vitalisation conducted in liaison with architectural students of a foreign university. CSA students in the past have conducted joint programmes with fifth year B.Arch students of the National University of Singapore, the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, USA. the Sarvajanic College of Engineering & Technology in Surat, India & University of the West of England, Bristol, UK., During the short stay (which is not less than two weeks in both countries), the students collaborate with the foreign university for design workshops and field visits and are exposed to different architectural education models. The foreign visits help to broaden the perspective of the local students and are subsidized by the school.

In the event a student exchange has not been possible, CSA students have visited a country of architectural interest. In the past CSA students have visited Turkey, Italy, Egypt, China, Malaysia & Singapore, Spain & South Korea.

CSA PART II - YEAR 1 (STUDIO 05)	CONTACT HOURS	CREDITS
DESIGN	360	3
ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES	**	**
PRACTICAL TRAINING	1520	3
THEORY OF ARCHITECTURE	40	2
URBAN DESIGN	100	2
PLANNING	60	2
SOCIOLOGY	40	2
HOUSING & COMMUNITY	20	*
MATERIALS & TECHNOLOGY I	60	2
ENVIRONMENT	60	2
PROFESSION	60	2
TOTAL CREDITS AT THE END OF 1ST YEAR		20