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To,
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Subject: Feedback and suggestions regarding Architecture (B. Arch and M. Arch) Curriculum 2019

Respected Sir,

SPPU has revised the Architecture syllabus (B. Arch and M. Arch) and we are currently following the 2019 pattern. Feedback was sought from the teaching faculty regarding the syllabus and given below is the feedback received and some of the suggestions that have been suggested.

On behalf of the faculty of BNCA we would like the Board of Studies to take these suggestions positively and consider the same when the new syllabus is prepared.

Suggestions regarding the curriculum

More hands-on learning to be incorporated

Landscape architecture subject syllabus is too vast to be covered in one single semester.

A leaning towards the practical side of architecture will be more suitable for helping students join the profession.

There should be written examination for Urban Studies subject.

First year AGD can be revised. It could be a mix of previous and new syllabus.

Curriculum could focus more on formative/progressive assessment than term end evaluation

4th year syllabus is quite precise but the other years syllabus calls for upgradation

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The duration given for AGD -Architectural Graphics and Drawing syllabus is reduced to 1 year which is insufficient in terms of practice time that is required for student in order to understand and apply it in other subjects. Even time management in completion of drawing is very basic that student need to learn . If AGD is distributed to 4 semesters it can help student to learn drawing language appropriately. This duration shall be utilized to develop skills of sketching and drafting.

It needs to be now updated with latest technics and methodology and to be more focused on Architectural scope only.

Curriculum should test practical applications, encourage research based learning, promote hands on training

To orient the students a little more towards exposure of market study .

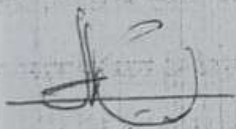
The curriculum is giving only introduction to topics, in depth study of topics is missing as many subjects don't have examination that leads to ignorance by students

The curriculum is less suited for the current trends and practices in the professional industry.

Curriculum should offer more flexibility for defining outcome of the Design based subjects. It should also offer flexibility for swapping the design curriculum of semesters of one academic year.

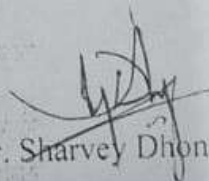
In brief, the suggestions were based on specific subject related modifications as well as the overall syllabus which could be made more practice oriented focussing on new technology, trends and practices in the industry.

Thanking you,



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