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Sixth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, Dec.2023/Jan.2024 Contemporary Architecture

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Elaborate on the design ideology of Le- Corbusier and its impact upon architecture in modern India with reference to how works in Chandigarh. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain with the help neat illustration the design of Ahmadavad ni Gufa by B.V. Doshi. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Write briefly about the architecture of IIM Ahmedabad by Louis Kahn. Provide appropriate sketches. (10 Marks)
- b. Elaborate on the design philosophy of Charles Correa with one example. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 With a note on any two architects mentioned below and state clearly through relevant examples their contributions in contemporary architecture of India.
 - i) Uttam Jain
 - ii) Anantha Raje
 - iii) Raj Rewal. (20 Marks)

OR

- 4 Laurie Baker is known as a "Poor man's architect". Justify the same through relevant examples. elaborate on how he propogate cost effective building methods through his practice. (20 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 Discuss design philosophy of any one of the following architects with help of one of their important works:
 - a. Richard Meier
 - b. Bernard Tschumi. (20 Marks)

OR

- 6 Discuss how architect Frank Gehry responds to the context in the design of Guggenheim Museum, Bilbao. (20 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain the ideology of Santiago Calatrava with one example. (10 Marks)
- b. Elaborate on the creation of Post – Modern Architecture as a failure of Modern Architecture from 1950's. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Sketch and explain the Pompidou centre by Renzo Piano. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain with, how to design of Portland Building reflect the postmodern philosophy of Michael Graves. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Explain the concept of Daniel Libeskind's Jewish Museum, Berlin. (10 Marks)
b. Why is Bernard Tschumi labeled as a Deconstructionist? Explain with one example (10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Explain the elements of Guggenheim museum, Bilbao by Frank Gehry. (10 Marks)
b. Explain the ideology of Zaha Hadid with one example. (10 Marks)

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