

CBCS SCHEME



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Fifth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, Dec.2023/Jan.2024

History of Architecture – V

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Explain the characteristics and background of Renaissance architecture. (10 Marks)
- b. Discuss St. Andrea Mantua by Renaissance architect Leon Batista Alberti. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. What are the architectural features and significance of the dome of St. Peter's Basilica, designed by Michelangelo? (10 Marks)
- b. What are the key architectural elements and historical significance of St. Paul's Cathedral in London, designed by Sir Christopher Wren? (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 What were the social, economical, cultural and political changes during the industrial revolution that impacted and changed the architecture in the 18th century? (20 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain the salient features of Art Nouveau movement with the help of an architectural example. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the Chicago School and the rise of the early sky-scrapers with the help of any one example. (10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Summarize the contribution of Bauhaus school of thought. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain "Less is More" with any one example. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 Explain with any two examples the contribution of Frank Lloyd Wright in field of architecture. (20 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain the works of Brazilian Architect Oscar Niemeyer with the help of any one architectural example. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the works of Buckminster Fuller with the help of an example. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 What is international style? Explain with the help of a project by Av. Phillip Johnson. (20 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Elaborate the concept of 'Brutalism' with the help of neat sketches. (10 Marks)
- b. Briefly describe the constructivist movement. (10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Explain the contribution of En. Gustav Eiffel with the help of any one example. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the contribution of En. Pierre Luigi Nervi with the help of any one example. (10 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.