

#### **REPORT**

# **International Conference Between the Lines 3.0**

# Contemporary Redefined: Paradigms, Practices, and Pedagogies

Organized by

School of Architecture, REVA University, Bengaluru, India 07<sup>th</sup> and 08<sup>th</sup> June 2024

## 07th July 2024:

*Venue – Online (MS Teams), School of Architecture, REVA University, Bangalore First day Keynote addressed by:* 

- 1. Shama Pawar Conservation expert, INTACH Anegudi Chapter
- 2. Lorens Holm Professor from University of Dundee

No. of presentations: 10 No. of participants: 30

### 08th June 2024:

*Venue – Online (MS Teams), School of Architecture, REVA University, Bangalore Second day Keynote addressed by:* 

- 1. Dr. Shakti Sign Chauhan Scientist from IWST, Bengaluru
- 2. Er. Rathnashree, from Lead Consultants, Bengaluru
- 3. Ar. Ram Raju from IIA Karnataka chapter

No. of presentations: 13 No. of participants: 33

Faculty Coordinators – Ar. Krithika, Ar. Suruchi, Ar. Vaishali, Dr. G Saisanath

As part of reaching out to the academicians, researchers, and professionals, School of Architecture has been conducting international conferences under the umbrella series of Between the Lines (BTL). Having successfully conducted two international conferences, BTL 3.0 is the third event that aims to connect, engage, and collaborate with institutions of repute and peer organizations by providing a platform to share and disseminate research outputs and novel teaching and learning practices. In this regard, under BTL 3.0, an Online International Conference titled "Contemporary Redefined: Paradigms, Practices, & Pedagogies" has been scheduled on 07<sup>th</sup> and 08<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Given the interdisciplinary nature of Architecture, a two-day conference comprising of four themes has been planned with six keynote speakers from the reputed institutes and organizations with whom School of Architecture has an active Memorandum of Understanding (MoU). Following is the preamble and the structure of the program as envisaged and realized:

#### **Preamble**

The world is experiencing numerous challenges in the form of climate change, environmental degradation, pandemics, and many unexpected transformative forces, which demand reshaping and reimagining of spaces and structures. There is a demand for cities to become more responsive. Architecture and urban Planning have become eloquent in global and local



set-ups with numerous technological developments ranging from culture and heritage of urban settings to changes in urban fabric and urban education.

If coding is the word that describes the present epoch of digitalization, decoding represents a pause, a pause to reflect and understand the direction we are heading, not only as individuals assisted by extra (artificial) intelligence but also as a civilization that is coming to terms with the processes of planet earth and beyond.

The presence of various structures realised through varying architectural styles indicates parallel presence of forms, functions, finances, and fears - representing the present age dynamics and directions. This contemporaneity is the essence of multiplicity in architecture, embedded through development goals, cultural practices, environment and heritage concerns, artistic and algorithmic notions, and adaptive and pedagogy principles.

This conference is an effort to create a platform that enables the discussion of the various facets of architecture and planning that are in the processes of coding and decoding. We intend to generate a rich debate and dialogue between the participants and produce a lively atmosphere of ideas, interpretations, and introspections to be carried back.

#### Structure of the program

The two days international conference is structured into four themes. Three key speakers on day one (07<sup>th</sup> June 204) and three keynote speakers on day two (08<sup>th</sup> June 2024).

- Theme 1: Treading the timelines: The place of Culture & Heritage within the contemporary
  - Vernacular architecture
  - Spatial notions in architecture
  - Everyday heritage
  - Virtual heritage
- Theme 2: Reimagining urbanscapes: Present and future state of the cities
  - Future of sustainable cities
  - Virtual reality and Augmented reality
  - Self-sustenance
  - Renewable architecture
- Theme 3: Creating the Contemporary: The Global and the Local
  - Contemporary Art and Architecture
  - The Glocal in architecture
  - Star architect and the local architect
  - Algorithms and the contemporary
- Theme 4: Adaptive Architecture as a response to change
  - Form, Function, and Strength
  - Structure and function in architecture
  - Technology and building materials
  - Architect, Historian, and the Machine



#### Objective of the program

The International Conference has been conducted with the objectives that are encompassed under meaningfulness, engaging, and outcome oriented approach.

Even though the International Conference was planned and organized as an offline event, due to certain unexpected situations the event was conducted online. However, the response from the scholars, academicians, and practicing architects was highly positive, since the entire structure of the program was planned to be meaningful for the participants and the School. This was achieved by carefully identifying the topics and the experts, who delivered their keynote address with relevant and current information that is most pertinent for the architecture fraternity.

The event was engaging given the interactive nature of the keynote addresses and the research presentations moderated by experts relevant to the themes identified. The moderators engaged the sessions diligently between the presenters and participants with thought provoking suggestions, questions, and discussions.

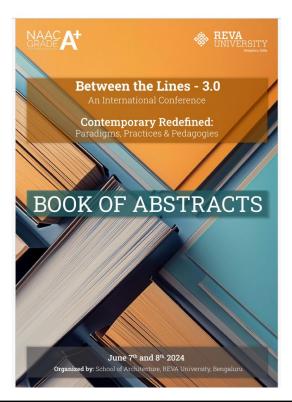
The outcome of the event is enhancement of the knowledge for the participants, sensitization towards the various topics that are being explored by the scholars and academicians, reaching out to the architecture fraternity by School of Architecture, and most importantly this event was a platform to engage meaningfully with the participants so that not only the outreach of the School is achieved by engaging and charting a path for collaborative works with the keynote speakers (since majority of them are from the organizations with whom School of Architecture has an active MoU), but also networking with participants that has opened channels for potential interactions and possible collaborations.

In the light of the above points, the Online International Conference conducted on 07<sup>th</sup> and 08<sup>th</sup> June 2024 was meaningful, engaging, and outcome oriented.

**Snippets of the program:** 



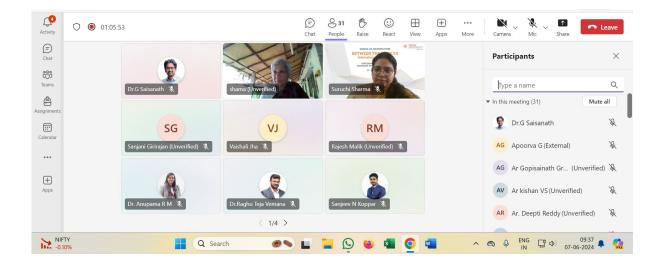




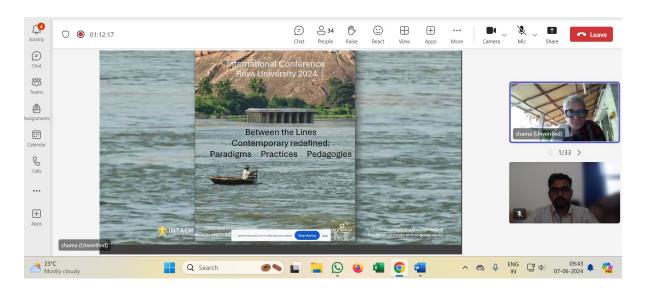
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		An International Conference on Architecture and Urban Planning 2024								
		Contemporary Redefined: Paradigm, Practice & Pedagogy								
		Venue: MS Teams - Online Platform								
	09:00 AM - 09:3	0 AM	Inauguration and Introduction to the Conference							
09:30 AM - 10:15 AM			Keynote Address by Ms. Shama Pawar including Q&A							
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM			Q&A Session							
10:30AM - 10:45 AM			Break							
Schedule of Events										
Sno.	Date	Time	Session Chair	Participant Name	Topic					
1		10:45 AM - 01:20 PM Session - I	Prof.Dr. M N Chandrashekar, B. Arch, MURP, MS (NYU), Ph.D Dean & Professor SJB School of Architecture & Planning	Ar.Apoorva G	Role of Public Spaces in the Public Life of the Walled City of Bidar					
2				Ar. Praneetha P Jagdale	Echoes of tradition, Visions of Modernity : Navigating culture and heritage in Contemporart Architecture					
3				Ar. Sridevi Changali, Ar. Rosie Paul, Sivatmika J, Sanjani Girirajan	Heritage Management and Conservation in Dynamic Urban Contexts					
4				Ar. Nikitha Madhavan and Ar. Preksha Udupa	Heritage Architecture as a Catalyst in the Realm of Performing Arts					
5				Ar. Prithiviraj M ,Ar. Anil Kumar Chilakapati	Assessing the Imageability of Historic Tourist City, Thiruvananthapuram Through Photographic Survey: Exploring Visual Appeal and Transformation					
6	DAY 1 - 7th of June	01:20 PM - 02:00 PM	Lunch Break							
7		02:00 PM - 02:45 PM	Address of Keynote Speaker Dr. Lorens Holm							
8	]	02:00 PM- 04:00 PM Session - II	Prof. Ar. Rajini Itham Principal, NITTE school of Architecture	Ar. Sandeep	The Role of Memory in Historical Urban Spaces, Case: Mapping the lost Walled city of Nagpur					
9				Ar,Soujanya Nadig, Ar. Shreyasi Pal	Urban Heritage Diamorphosis Transformation of Kapaleeshwara Temple Precincts, Mylapore					
10				Ar. Surbahon Rajkumar	Traditional Urabanism : A study of Spatial Interactions					
11				Ar. Kirti Parvati	"Reimagining the Lake Communities- A Case of Sarakki Lake, Bengaluru, India"					
13				Ms. Ayushi roy	Reconnecting roots , Recreating mohalla at Kashmir					
14			Thankyou Address							

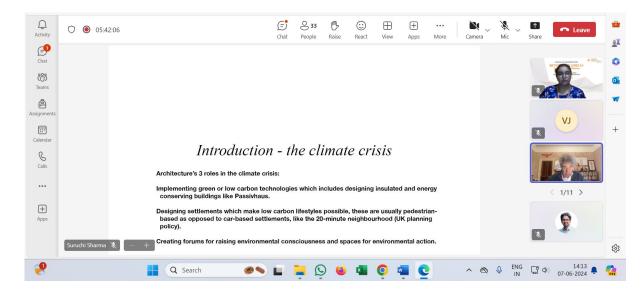


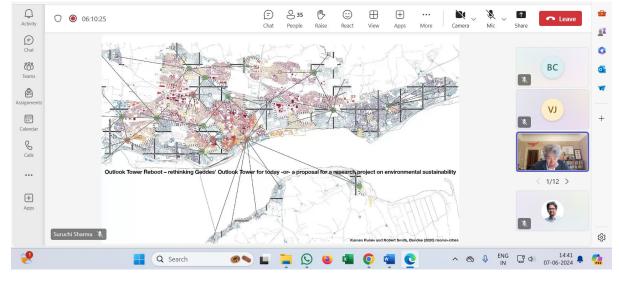
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1		09:00 AM - 10:15 AM		Addressing to the gathering and Address of Keynote Speaker Dr. Shakti Singh Chauhan						
2		10:15 AM - 11:10 AM Session - I	Dr. Parampreet Kaur, Associate Professor, Head of Institution, Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity Univeristy Chhattisgarh.	Ms. Daketi Kavya Bhanu	Approaching Sustainable Cities: Understanding Urban Context for Comprehensive Development					
3				Ar. Rajesh Malik	Impact of new building materials and technologies on the evolution of World Architecture in the 21st century.					
4				Ar. Sharia Durrani	Towards Sustainable water management on Campus, Case study on Reva University					
5	7	11:15 am - 11:45 am		Keynote Address by M. Selvarasu						
6		11:45 AM - 1:30 PM Session - II	Dr. Parampreet Kaur, Associate Professor, Head of Institution Ammy School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University Chharttagarh	Ar. Nithya, Ar. Piyush Pandya, Ar. Somani Goswami	Integrated Hubs for India's Work-Life Challenges					
7				Ar.Vrushali Dhamne and Ar.Shivkumar Ranbhor	Early design stage assessment of adaptability and resilience indicators to prevent premature end of life of a building.					
8				Ar. Atul Krishnan	Exploring the Interdisciplinary Landscape of Metaverse Research, Towards Efficient Integration into Urban Fabric					
9	Day 2 - 8th of June			Ar Ramsha Midhat	A REVIVALIST'S MODERN INDIA OF TOMORROW					
11	June			Lunch Break						
12		1:30pm - 2:00 pm		Keynote Address by Mr. Ramaraju G.						
13		02:00 PM - 04:20 PM Session -		Ar. Veena Bhat	Waters of Change: Unveiling the Politics of Restoration at Kempambudhi Lake, Bengaluru					
14	1			Ar.Gayathri S Shivakumar,	Examining Sustainable Building Materials from the perspective of Vernacular Architecture -					
15	7			Ar. Anjali C	ACROSS THE LANDSCAPE: Transformation of Artistic traditions through Migration					
16	7			Ar. Gopi G	Synthesis of Spatial Perception and Flexibility: Fusing Sensory Experience and Adaptive Strategies in Architectural Design					
17	7			Ar. Amip	The assessment of the traditional style of houses of Uttrakhand adapting to the contemporary world					
18				Ms. Garnisha	ENHANCING BUILDING CONSTRUCTION WITH COWDUNG ASH IN LIME STABILIZED RAMMED EARTH					
19	]			Thankyou note and End of session						





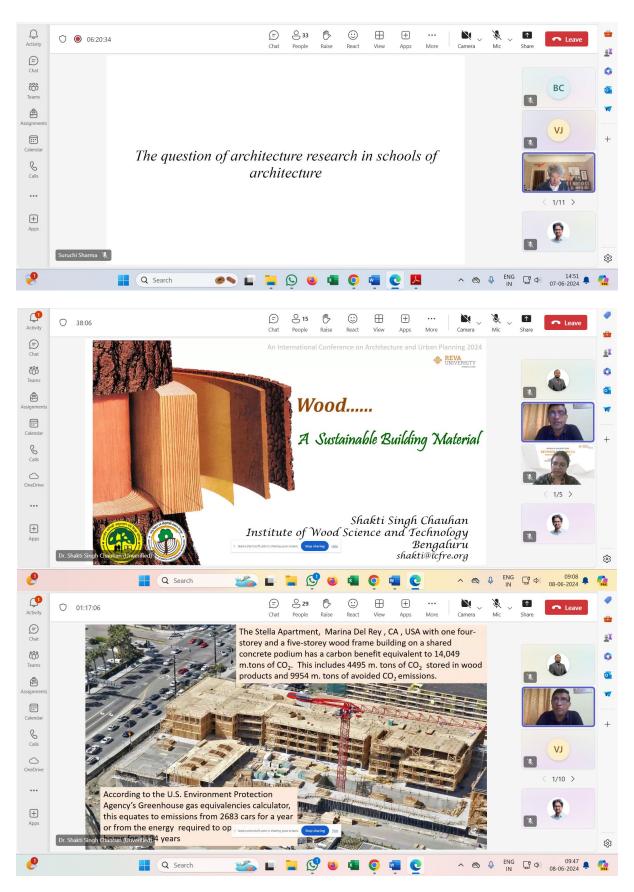






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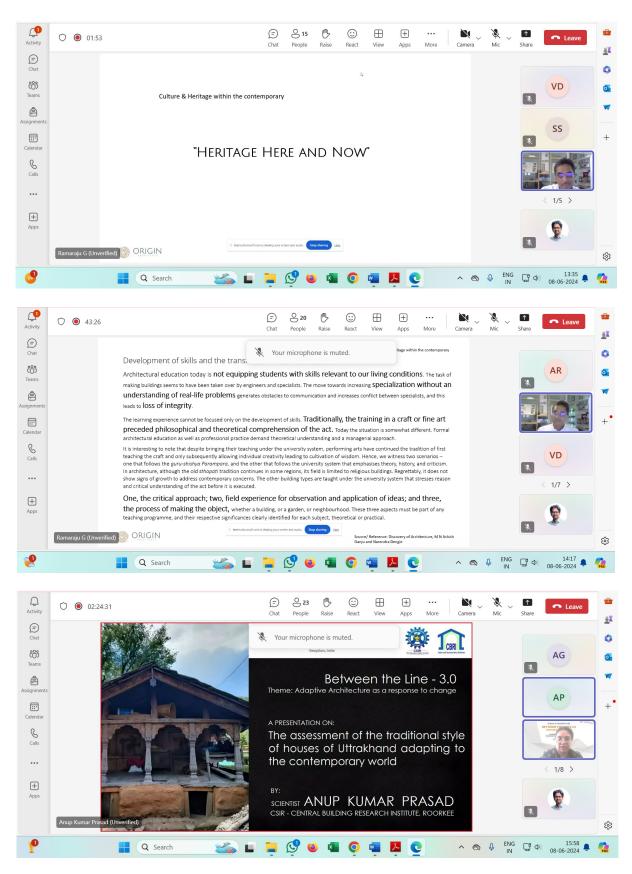




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