

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Ahmedabad in Gujarat, India is my native place. My family is often had been busy in business of many types. Recently my father is doing business of supplying cotton waste goods. I have spent my childhood in B.M. Institute from KG to 4th standard at Ahmedabad. Having interest and ambition, I have selected to study architecture after 12th science. I am married to Ms. Poonam Solanki in 2015.

Having some interests in photography, musical instruments playing and softwares, I like to spend time with creative end.

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Educational Background

- I have passed my secondary schooling (S.S.C.) with 86 % in 2001, and Higher-Secondary schooling (H.S.C.) with 48 %, from **C.N. Vidyalaya**, Ahmedabad in 2003.
- I have pursued my “Bachelor of Architecture” course from “**Indubhai Parekh School of Architecture**” [IPSA], Rajkot in 2010.
- Architectural Thesis:

Topic - Aashram Design for Meditation with sustainable approach, Chanod, Gujarat

Guide - Prof. Ar. Urvi Desai, Ar. Kartik Shukla

About - With a new eye of time and amaze full surprising expressions and with few questions about spirituality and about the existence of the place ‘Gangnath Aashram’ integrated me with the wonderful work of exploring or in other words —Redefining the Aashram with the help of great souls’ messages and experiences of living ‘dhyanis’ today.

Architectural Studies

Taking interest while studying at “Indubhai Parekh School of Architecture” at Rajkot (Saurashtra University), have explored many workshops and activities at institute, university and in city. While course, I have met many skilled and professional people working hard in the field. With some faculties, we explored number of spaces for their architectural beauty and practical methods to observe. Some optimist and ambitious teachers have set our goals to a height to achieve in a whole lifetime and that was a great part of the institution.

Working in Academics

- Since last two years, at Mody University “College of Architecture and Design” at Lakshmangarh in Rajasthan, I have joined to academics as an assistant professor in architectural studies. With teaching, I also perform some important roles.
 - Subject – Architectural Graphical Techniques
 - Subject - Building Materials and Construction Technology
 - Subject - ArchiCAD soft ware
 - Subject - AutoCAD soft ware
 - Computer lab in charge – Setting up the work method, Software supports and Basic Computer knowledge
 - Laser cutting machine operation and Model making with Laser cutting machine, in Fabrication Lab
 - Graphical creatives with the use of software

Working as Consultant

- Associate architect in project – ‘Nandanvan Bungalow’ (3000 sq.ft.) with Ar. Milind Patel at Ahmedabad
- Dhyan Sadhna Kendra – “Annakshetra” was a project - I worked along with Ms. Poonam Solanki - as a very opportunistic chance to work and experiment with design. Client extremely stood at his widest end to welcome new ideas to us. Exposed bricks and semi open spaces became our areas to explore in the project.
- Design Development of 4 Modern Residential Projects, with Ar. Sapna Thanawala at Mumbai.
- Renovation work of two Toilets at “Dushyantbhai’s Resi.” from design to execution within one and half month, at vastrapur, Ahmedabad
- Renovation Project of Mr. Jigarbhai’s Residence – Designing, Site supervising and material selection with client

- Along with fulltime work, also worked on some projects in part-time with Ar.Hasmukh M. Siddhpura
- With Ar. Gautam Shah on essentially hospital projects at **Gautam Shah & Associates, Ahmedabad.**
 - ILBS Hospital Project at Delhi – Working Drawings, Communication with service agencies, updates on drawings as per sites, Communication on site.
- Worked as a consultant with Ar. Pragnya Purani at **L.J. Purani & Associates**, the core of the firm was government projects and city scape
 - Girls' Hostel at Siddhpur in Gujarat –Architectural design, Working drawings, details
 - Partly worked on : Ritaben's Residence, Urban Health Centre – Jodhpur, Guajrat Vidyapith Hostel & comp lab, Gujarat University's –Toilets of Biochemistry building – Professional Management Studies Building, BOB - Details, AMC Hall, PIU-College and Hospital at Dethli, PIU- Nursing College and Hostel at Siddhpur, PIU- Nursing College and Hostel at Baroda, PIU-College and Hostel Building at Godhra, PIU- OPD Building at Baroda, PIU-Hospital Building at Dahod, PIU-Hospital Valsad, Extension of Memnagar Fire Station
- Assisted **Ar. Milind Patel** at **IORA Studio, Ahmedabad**, the studio is mainly involved in landscape architecture projects.
 - Landscape Design – Design development and 3D visualization in the projects like :Dholka factory, Hotel taj gateway at Gir, DCW, Emerald Park, Sumit Agarwal's Residence, Shilpgram-6, Shilpgram-7, Springdale, Pritiben's Residence, Radheasarva.
 - I had also got an opportunity to work in planning a large plot of a project along with drawing and 3D visualizing of the whole design – Farm House of Mr. P.J. chauderyand, AMC Garden in Ahmedabad
 - House at Tithal – 3D visualization of pitch roofed house
 - An architectural residence project – Pareshbhai's and Daseshbhai's Residence – Working Drawings, Details layouts, Toilet Drawings, Interior drawings, Furniture Drawings
- In internship training I worked on heritage documentation of 'Morvi' old town with photographic medium and narration with 'Paramparic Design Cell' – Ar. Hemen C. Sanghvi.

ARCHITECTURAL SKILLS

- Residential projects – From Design to on site Execution
- Institutions – Designing, BOQ, Working Drawings
- Landscape Designs for Residences, Institutions, Townships, Parks and Gardens
- Aashram Designing – After a thesis on spiritual activities at Aashram, I have been involved in knowing spiritual activities and meditations and wholeness of these kinds of spaces.

KNOWN WORK MEDIUMS & SKILLS

- Manual Designing and Drafting preferred then digital
- Archicad 11-20, Artlantis, AutoCAD 2008-17 are Architectural softwares known thoroughly
- Photoshop and M.S.Office - basics are very clear to work with
- 3D rendering works: have been done with as per architect's requirements I have done almost 15 3D visualization works
- Manual Model making and Model making with Laser cutting machine

Interests:

Photography, exploring places, learning softwares, Spirituality & Meditation