

## overview

Sushant School of Art and Architecture (SSAA) was established in 1989 by Chiranjiv Charitable Trust, a premier voluntary organization devoted to the cause of education. In the last 25 years, SSAA has established itself as one of the top three architectural institutes in the Indian subcontinent (as per the EUMD India List of Top Architectural Institutes in India by the British Council). 'Bachelor of Planning' is a professional technical course that judiciously trains in various aspects of designing, managing and resolving challenges related to human settlements. The course addresses the growing need for qualified planners.

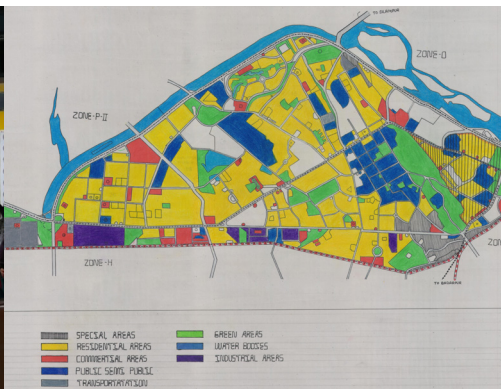
With an insight to physical planning, the graduates emerging as planners are equipped with not only tools for rational comprehensive planning but also participatory & societal development.

(Transit Oriented Development), ITS (Intelligent Transport Systems), SIRs (Special Investment Regions). The students also are required to undertake theory subjects that touch upon various aspects of human and physical development and which ranges widely, for example computer programming, developmental economics, RS (remote sensing), photogrammetry, GIS (geographical information system), project planning, real estate valuation, disaster management, rural development, etc. The final year is spent on specialising on a particular planning aspect through the terminal project in fields like transport planning, housing, infrastructure planning, land use zoning, environmental monitoring, etc. In the later years, live planning projects are encouraged as 'academic exercises'. The students are advised to work with the local administration to prepare or update development plans at various levels.

## faculty

The faculty is a well integrated mix of experienced professionals and academic researchers. Professionals with expertise in diverse sectors from housing, urban planning, heritage, tourism and transportation planning add to the strength of the core team.

The faculty has experience of working on projects both in the national/international arena. The teaching is enriched by various faculty projects both public/ private funded and collaborated with NGOs. The department also collaborates with eminent practitioners in the urban precinct through workshops and seminars, facilitating exposure to current market practices. The current team includes teachers with masters degree in various disciplines including Planning, Ekistics, Infrastructure, Housing, etc.



## school achievements

- Workshop with urbanist Henrik Valeur on 'Urban transition in India'.
- Workshop with Shiv Marwah & Harneet Kaur on planning tools of GIS and Photogrammetry respectively.

## programme structure

The initial years of the course focus on different aspects & types of planning. Students are exposed to different scales of planning i.e neighbourhood, community planning, local area planning, city development planning & regional planning. Contemporary concepts such as smart cities, TOD

## the SSAA advantage

- Global quality education spanning decades
- Trans-disciplinary learning
- Soft skills training for value addition
- Industry-focused contemporary curricula and multiple specializations
- Latest equipment such as Laser cutter and 3D printer
- Excellent library and e-resources
- International collaborations with premium global universities for academic and research activities
- Liberal merit-based scholarships
- Site visits and study tours

## programme requirements

Admissions will be granted purely on the basis of merit, for which the following criteria is applicable

**Eligibility criteria :** 10+2 with  
 Mathematics (min 50% agg.) | 50%  
 + Interview/Portfolio/ Test | 50%