

firm PROFILE

Anagram Architects is a young and vibrant design consultancy firm established in 2001 in New Delhi as a partnership between graduates from the School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi. Over the past seven years, we have provided design consultancy and allied services on a number of Architectural and Interior Design projects including offices, factories, residences and housing units. We have also undertaken numerous projects in Scenography (sets for Television, Feature Films and Theatre), Architectural Renovations and Conversions, Exhibition Design and Graphic Design. Recently, we have entered the realm of infrastructure planning and urban intervention providing consultancy services to State Govt. of Tripura, IL&FS Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited, Railway Land Development Authority (RLDA) and Jharkhand Infrastructure Development

studio METHODOLOGY

Our varied portfolio reflects our passion to get involved in different fields and scales of design. We believe this non-restrictive approach invigorates and enriches our practice and opens up exciting possibilities within a larger design domain. The approach adopted by our firm is based on the following tracks which we believe apply to each project we undertake regardless of its size and nature.

SENSITIVITY

To both the context and the brief (of tangible and intangible requirements) through a highly investigative design process.

INNOVATION

In construction technology, material and design detailing with a view to provide resource efficient solutions through intensive research into traditional and non-conventional practices.

PROFESSIONALISM

In terms of commitment to deliverables, operational clarity, timelines, procedural support, quality and specifications.

firm PARTNERS

MADHAV RAMAN

PRINCIPAL DESIGNER

B.Arch. (School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi), 2001
COA Registration No.: **CA/2003/32089**

VAIBHAV DIMRI

PRINCIPAL DESIGNER

B.Arch. (School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi), 2001
COA Registration No.: **CA/2001/28248**

studio DETAILS

WORKGROUP

The design studio has a total staff of ten, including seven architects, one engineer and two support staff

Studio Capabilities: Design, modeling, drafting, detailing and specifications, budget/change order tracking.

On site Capabilities: Quality Inspection of materials and works, on site detailing.

SERVICES OFFERED

Architectural design

Infrastructural planning

Urban design

Master-planning

Interior design incl. furniture design and fixture design

allied CONSULTANTS

We have the ability to add professional consultants to the project team as required , including structural design, landscape design,HVAC, Firefighting, electricals, plumbing, sewerage, lighting, design, environmental design, estimation and surveying and other disciplines.

honours & PUBLICITY

AWARDS

Hindware Archidesign Awards 2006

Best Office/ Institutional Building (North India)
Best Application of Lighting in a Project (All India)

World Emerging Architecture Awards 2007 (organised by The Architectural Review, London)

Honourable Mention

Cityscape Architectural Awards 2008, Dubai

Highly Commended - Commercial category
Highly Commended - Tourism, Travel and Transport category
Highly Commended - Best Environmental Award category

BRICK AWARDS 2008 (organised by The Brick Development Association, London)

Winner - Worldwide Brick

IAD Awards 2008

Runners Up – Architect of the Year (Residential)

ARCHI-BAU AWARDS 2009 (organised by The Archi-Europe Group, Belgium)

Prize of the jury - Facade Award

Architecture+Design & Spectrum Foundation Architecture Awards 2009

Commendation Trophy - The Young Enthused Architect Award
Special Mention - The Institutional Architecture Award for Design Development of Institutional / Office Buildings

London International Creative Competition 2009

Honourable Mention

Brick Award 2010 (organized by Wienerberger)

2nd prize

Aga Khan Award for Architecture 2010 (organised by The Aga Khan Foundation)

nominated

Cityscape Architectural Awards 2010, Dubai

Highly Commended - Leisure Future category
Highly Commended - Residential Future category

SAIE Selection Contest 10

1st prize in the category Brick/Architects

COMPETITIONS

Revitalisation of Banganga Crematorium, Mumbai.(2003) One of the three winning entries
All India Competition organised by the Rotary Club of Mumbai

"Notions of a Nation"-An architectural icon for contemporary India(2007) Finalists
International Competition organized by Tata Steel and Indian Architect and Builder

Museum for Shaheed Bhagat Singh at Katkar Kalan Finalists

National Institute of Fashion Technology at Kangra, Himachal Pradesh Shortlisted

Design for children Participation

International Competition for a health clinic sponsored by www.fightforthechildren.org and
Architecture for Humanity, Seattle.

EXHIBITIONS

“Future 30” exhibition held as part of the 4th International Architecture Biennale at Rotterdam (IABR) in 24th September 09 - 10th January 2010, Chabot Museum in Rotterdam.

Installation at Habitat Summit, September 2009.

Exhibition with NASVI at Urban Mobility India Conference and Expo 2009, December 2009.

+91 RESIDENCES exhibition and publication curated and produced by InCITE, Bangalore.

Part of the steering committee for the recently concluded inaugural Habitat Summit at the India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

WEBSITES

ARCHDAILY

<http://www.archdaily.com/58519/south-asian-human-rights-documentation-centre-anagram-architects/>
<http://www.archdaily.com/59236/gairola-house-anagram-architects/>

EUROPACONCORSI

<http://europaconcorsi.com/projects/27070-Sahrdc-south-Asian-Human-Rights-Documentation-Centre->

MATERIA

[http://www.materia.nl/583.0.html?&tx_ttnews\[tt_news\]=158&tx_ttnews\[backPid\]=532&cHash=4c0d797452](http://www.materia.nl/583.0.html?&tx_ttnews[tt_news]=158&tx_ttnews[backPid]=532&cHash=4c0d797452)

Wallpaper* - “Architects Directory 2009”

<http://www.wallpaper.com/directory/architects/2009/anagram-architects/1670>

Indian by Design

<http://indianbydesign.wordpress.com/2008/08/04/just-found-anagrams-facade/>

Daily Dose of Architecture

<http://archidose.blogspot.com/2008/11/ae10-porous-masonry-walls.html>

Brick Blog

<http://brickmasonry.blogspot.com/2009/03/anagram-architects-south-asian-human.html>

Ouno Design

<http://blog.ounodesign.com/2009/01/21/brick-screen-wall-new-delhi-by-anagram-architects/>

AEC world expo

<http://www.aecworldexpo.com/projects/residential/gairola-house>

LECTURES

Design Studio at School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi Visiting faculty since August 2006

The Spring Lecture Series at Royal Institute of British Architects, London, presented lecture on our practice (Feb. 2008)

THE PECHA KUCHA NIGHT, New Delhi Presented (March 2009)

DELHIBERATIONS – 080 TRANSFORM at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi Org. by InCite , Bangalore, presented lecture on our practice (July 2009)

Mid-term appraisal of the 11th 5 Year plan org. by the Planning Commission, presented lecture (Nov. 2009)

Open LECTURE SERIES - themed, 'architecture: processes' at Sushant School of Art and Architecture in, presented lecture (Sept. 2009)

PUBLICATIONS

PERIODICALS:

Indian Architect and Builder (Feb. 2006, July 2007 & July 2009) pub: Jasubhai Media Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai

Archidesign Perspective (Jan. 2007) pub: M I C Media Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi

The Architectural Review (Dec. 2007) pub: Emap Construct, London

HINGE (Cover of Feb. 2008) pub: Hinge Marketing Ltd., Hong Kong

Brick Bulletin (Winter 2008) pub: www.brick.org.uk

Wallpaper* - "Architects Directory 2009" top 30 emerging architectural practices from across the world (only Indian firm ever to be featured in the Directory) pub: The Wallpaper* Group, IPC Media Ltd.

PLATFORM (Nov-Dec 2009) pub: SK.H. Media Pvt. Ltd.

Architecture update (May 2009) pub: Economic Research India Ltd., Mumbai

Home review (Oct. 2009, Aug. 2010) pub: Marvel Infomedia Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai

Design today (Jan. 2010) pub: The India Today Group Pvt. Ltd.

Architecture+Design (Feb. 2010) pub: Media Transasia Pvt. Ltd.

Green by Design (July 2010) pub: Marvel Infomedia Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai

Buildotech (June 2010) pub: Virtual Info Systems Pvt. Ltd.

BOOKS:

Atlas of 21st Century World Architecture (2008) pub: Phaidon Press, London

TELEVISION

Featured on **CNN-IBN** and **Times Now** as guests to comment on design issues

Featured on **NDTV Good Times** as Designers on Home Improvement show – "SCOPE FOR IMPROVEMENT/ KAMARA DE KE DEKHO"

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