



GITAM
UNIVERSITY
(Estd. u/s 3 of UGC Act, 1956)
VISAKHAPATNAM HYDERABAD

**GITAM SCHOOL OF
ARCHITECTURE**

(Approved by Council of Architecture, New Delhi)

Accorded Recognition as 'A' Category University by MHRD, Govt. of India

ADMISSION NOTIFICATION - 2012

B.Arch.

(5 year programme)

Applications are invited from the eligible candidates seeking admission into B.Arch Programme offered by GITAM School of Architecture in Visakhapatnam Campus.

Eligibility Criteria:

A pass in single attempt with first class in 10+2 or equivalent in the years 2011/12 with 60% marks in Mathematics as one of the subject of examinations.

A pass in National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) conducted by Council of Architecture, New Delhi, either in 2011 or 2012. (or) All India Engineering Entrance Examination (AIEEE) (B.Arch) conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)

Filled-in application to be submitted along with a DD for Rs. 600/- drawn in the name of "GITAM University", Payable at Visakhapatnam towards registration fee.

GAT -2012 qualified Candidates are exempted from payment of registration fee

Important Dates:

Date of Issue / Download of Application Forms: 04-01-2012

Last date for receipt of filled-in applications: 31-05-2012

Submission of filled-in application to:

The Director, School of Architecture, GITAM University, Gandhi Nagar Campus, Rushikonda, Visakhapatnam - 530045, Andhra Pradesh, India.

For more details:

Contact No.s: 0891-2840556 (O),
9866449926 (Director)
www.gitam.edu



Test Centre:

GITAM School of Architecture
(AP11) has NATA Test Center

Director



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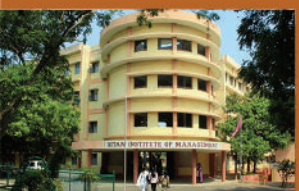
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GITAM UNIVERSITY

GITAM is a premier educational institution in the country having 31 years of track record in teaching and research of global standards. The University is located in two picturesque campuses at Visakhapatnam and Hyderabad spreadover 100 acres each. With a multi disciplinary approach, the University offers 106 programmes at UG, PG and Doctoral levels in - Technology, Science, Pharmacy, Management, International Business and Architecture.

The University provides state-of-the-art infrastructure and well-equipped laboratories together with excellent student support facilities such as modern library, play grounds, hostels, 1000 Mbps bandwidth connectivity etc., The truly cosmopolitan environment in the University campus makes learners across the continent feel absolutely at home.

The University provides a high quality educational experience to students in a diverse learning environment - from classrooms and laboratories to play grounds and campus hostels, all the facilities and amenities are created to meet world class standards. The learner – centered teaching methodology with need based curriculum designed by academic experts prepare GITAM graduates to successfully meet academic or corporate challenges. The stellar research laboratories on the campus provide excellent opportunities for ground - breaking research and consultancy. The academia and industry look up to GITAM University for solutions to problems of the industry and society in several emerging areas.

Recognizing the holistic education the University is imparting, the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India ranked GITAM as 'A' category University among the universities of its kind. The University is accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with 'A' grade.



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Gandhi Nagar Campus, Rushikonda,

Visakhapatnam-530 045, Andhra Pradesh, INDIA.

A University Committed to Excellence

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

GITAM School of Architecture is established with the main objective of providing worldclass education in architecture. The School offers a five year Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch) program duly approved by the Council of Architecture, New Delhi. The basic mission of providing architectural education by the School is to create environment friendly inputs through traditional skills, materials and geographical conditions. The School has developed into a nationally recognised centre of learning for architectural education.

The School's core strengths of academic rigor, focus on teaching – learning, specialization of faculty, handpicking of teaching talent and involvement of leading practicing architects in design teaching, have been endorsed by professionals and academicians alike.

The School is an elite institution with the state-of-the-art infrastructural facilities, modern laboratories and student support services coupled with dedicated and experienced faculty. The skills and expertise imparted by the School enrich the students and help moulding them into creative, innovative and intellectually vibrant architects of the future. Further, the School focuses on research and development in designing the buildings, structures, interiors, etc., by enhancing aesthetic values and reflecting the cultural sensibilities of the society across the globe.

The curriculum addresses principles of design concepts, materials, construction system, planning and visual judgment which are fundamental for development of the creative process in Architecture. The curriculum is thus designed to encompass the core course-work covering foundation knowledge, skills and vocabulary, while upper-level study seeks a broader understanding of architecture by combining theoretical exploration with practical considerations. Field studies help students to understand human activities, behavior and the value of space inside and outside and the details to be incorporated in the design.

The School is the first choice of the students from many States for pursuing quality education in Architecture.



State-of-the-art Infrastructure

The well-planned campus of the School provides ample space for lecture halls, design studios, audio visual seminar halls, staff rooms, departmental library, multi-purpose hall, students' common room (including a separate ladies' common room), hobby workshop and many other facilities exclusively designed for Architecture programs.

Studios

The design studios form the core of design teaching. The School has established modern design studios which are used by the students as a home base for group discussions, design reviews and all other core activities. The studios are equipped with latest drawing boards and storage facilities.

An art studio with all the necessary facilities is well established in the School of Architecture to carry out freehand drawings and develop all related sketching skills. . With the guidance of faculty members, the students create and showcase murals, sculptures and paintings in a built environment in and around the School .



Laboratories / Workshops

Computer lab comprises of state-of-the-art workstations along with high graphic processing capability and related software.

Model making workshop is equipped with all the latest equipment and material.

Photography lab is provided with high definition cameras and lighting system.

Climatology lab is endowed with high-end scientific equipment to calculate and identify the need of climatic changes.

Material Museum displays latest upcoming materials in the market relating to water supply, sanitation, electrical and mechanical fixtures in the field of construction industry.

Audio Visual & Seminar Hall

An air-conditioned Audio Visual & Seminar Hall in the School has 200 seating capacity with the latest LCD projector equipment, which is used to conduct important seminars / workshops and presentation of guest lectures by practicing architects and other professionals in the field of Architecture.





Faculty

The main strength of the university is its dedicated and committed faculty numbering over 670 in various disciplines both at Visakhapatnam and Hyderabad campuses who nurture the budding professionals through effective teaching. ICT based methods are extensively used. Most of the faculty have hands-on experience in industry and research organisations. The faculty have undertaken a number of research projects sponsored by various funding agencies, and also offer consultancy to major industries across the country. In addition to the regular faculty, the university is inviting visiting faculty from industry and research institutes to teach specialized courses.

Tie-ups with Foreign Universities

The University has entered into several tie-ups and collaborations with prestigious institutions in India and abroad. These include tie-ups with West Virginia University (USA), University of Glasgow, SUNY (B), Central Michigan University, University of Nebraska, Burgundy School of Business, Southern Polytechnic State University, etc. The University also has tie-ups with several multi-national corporations - IBM, Ericsson, Oracle, Intelli Group, TCS, HCL, WIPRO - to impart training in IT skills to the students at the university campus.

Central Library:

A fully Air Conditioned central library popularly known as Knowledge Resource Centre is provided with all modern facilities like Internet, Digital Library and E-learning centre. The Library has a rich collection of 11.60 lakh books and e-learning resources, periodicals, national and international journals. It is provided with Info-Net service that facilitates online access to e-books and e-journals.

World Class Data Centre:

GITAM has a Data Centre (Central Computing Facility) housing a Super Computer capable of delivering 1.5 Teraflops (1.5 Trillion Floating Point Operations per second), an enterprise-class Unified Storage of 70 Terabytes (expandable to one petabyte – 1000 terabytes), 60 high-end servers most of which are virtualized with VMware – Enterprise+ with implementation of Cloud Computing. The network at GITAM is a world-class network with 10G backbone and a sophisticated high-end WiFi network covering the entire campuses, both at Visakhapatnam and Hyderabad, which is capable of streaming live and on-demand video lectures to thousands of students. The wired and securely managed Wi-Fi networks together are capable of serving up to 15,000 simultaneous clients. The network is connected to the Internet at a blazing speed of 1Gbps (1000 Mbps).

Campus Amenities:

The day-to-day needs of the student community are well taken care of by the amenities provided on the campus like day care health centre, Union Bank of India and Indian Bank with ATM, Post office, Book Store, Photo Studio, Travel Agency, Beauty Parlor, Sub-Way and Food Courts.

ADMISSION INFORMATION

Candidates seeking admission in B.Arch programme of GITAM School of Architecture, GITAM University are required to be qualified either in NATA, (conducted by Council of Architecture, New Delhi) or AIEEE (B.Arch), (conducted by Central Board of Secondary Education). Admission is based on the rank obtained as per the marks secured in both the qualifying examination and architectural aptitude test.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

1. A pass in 10+2 / 12th examination from a recognized Central / State board or its equivalent either in 2012 or 2011 subject to securing 60% marks in Mathematics as one of the subjects of examination and 1st class or equivalent grade in the qualifying examination in single attempt.
2. A pass in National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) conducted by Council of Architecture (CoA), New Delhi, either in 2011 or 2012. For more details visit "www.nata.in" (or) A pass in All India Engineering Entrance Examination (AIEEE) (B.Arch) conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE). For more details visit "www.aieee.nic.in"

TEST CENTER:

GITAM School of Architecture (AP-11) is an approved NATA TEST CENTER

HOW TO APPLY:

- Applications can be downloaded from GITAM website "www.gitam.edu"
- Applications are available throughout India in Union Bank of India (List of Branches are available on the websites) Indian Bank (List of Branches are available on the websites)

Filled in applications along with attested copies of the following certificates and the prescribed fee of Rs.600/- in the form of DD drawn in favor of 'GITAM University' payable at Visakhapatnam, should reach the Director, GITAM School of Architecture, GITAM UNIVERSITY, Rushikonda, Visakhapatnam-530 045, A.P., India on or before 31st May 2012.

1. Date of Birth extract of SSC / ICSE/CBSE / Matriculation certificate
2. Intermediate / 10+2 certificate
3. NATA Score Card or AIEEE (B.Arch.) Score Card
4. Caste Certificate issued by appropriate authority for claiming reservation under SC/ST
5. Medical Certificate issued by appropriate authority for claiming under PH category

MERIT RANK:

All the candidates who meet the requirements of eligibility criteria will be awarded a rank as per the marks secured in both the qualifying examination and architectural aptitude test which holds the following weightage order.

- Qualifying Examination (10+2 or 12th) : 50% weightage (maximum)
- Architectural Aptitude Test (NATA or AIEEE B.Arch) : 50% weightage (maximum)

FEE STRUCTURE:

Course	Duration	Fees for 1 st year *			2 nd Year Rs.	3 rd Year Rs.	4 th Year Rs.	5 th Year Rs.
		Tuition Fee Rs.	Special Fee Rs.	Total Rs.				
B.Arch.	5 Years	1,61,000/-	15,000/-	1,76,000/-	1,76,000/-	1,76,000/-	1,76,000/-	1,76,000/-

* to be paid at the time of admission counseling

RESERVATION OF SEATS:

Admission to B.Arch program shall be made on the basis of rank awarded as per the marks secured in both the qualifying examination and architectural aptitude test subject to the rule of reservation as applicable to GITAM University.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- Last date of receipt of filled-in applications : 31st May 2012

For further information, please contact **Director, GITAM School of Architecture, GITAM University.**
Tel: (+91-891) 2840556; Fax: (+91-891) 2502249; Email: director_architecture@gitam.edu

INSTRUCTIONS TO FILL THE APPLICATION

- Please fill the application in English. Use CAPITAL LETTERS only.
- Please do not overwrite on the application form.
- The application should be filled properly and legibly by the candidate in his/her own handwriting in blue or black ball pen.
- A recent passport size photograph of good quality should only be affixed. Please do not staple or pin the photograph. Please do not sign or attest the photograph.

1. **Name of the applicant** should be in '**CAPITAL LETTERS**' only. Leave one blank space after each initial or word in the name. For example: for ADDANKI SRINIVASA RAO

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2. **Date of Birth:** For example, if date of birth is 4th February, 1994

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3. **Gender:** Male - M, Female - F
For example, if the candidate is Male.

Male Female

4. **Category:** For example, if the candidate is OC.

OC SC ST PH OTHERS

NOTE: Those who are applying under PH category should submit an attested copy of medical certificate issued on or after 1st January 2012, by a Registered Medical Practitioner, not below the rank of Civil Surgeon stating the nature with percentage of disability. For such applicants a minimum of 40% disability is required subject to the condition that the capability of carrying out all activities related to theory and practical work as applicable to B.Arch. course without any special concessions and exemptions.

5 - 10 Same instructions as item Nos. 1 and 2

11. & 12. If any of the qualifying examination marks (10+2 or 12th) and architectural aptitude test (NATA or AIEEE) scores are not available at the time of making the application, the candidate has to send the above information with a covering letter to the Director, GITAM School of Architecture, GITAM University, immediately after getting the result.

CHECK LIST

- Duly filled in application form along with the prescribed fee of Rs. 600/- (DD should be drawn in favor of GITAM UNIVERSITY, payable at Visakhapatnam).
- Copy of Date of Birth Certificate (SSC/ICSE/CBSE/Matriculation certificate).
- Copy of Intermediate/10+2 certificate.
- Copy of NATA or AIEEE (B.Arch) score card.
- Copy of Caste Certificate issued by appropriate authority for claiming reservation under SC/ST.
- Copy of Medical Certificate issued by appropriate authority for claiming under PH category.



Unique features

- › A top-class University on par with the best in the country
- › Highly qualified and committed faculty
- › Adjunct faculty from industry
- › Visiting faculty from reputed industry and academic institutions
- › Group Personal Accident Insurance for Students
- › Dedicated Training and Placement wing
- › Collaborations with foreign universities and industry majors
- › Near 100% placements with lucrative packages
- › Alumni in prominent positions all over the world

Campus facilities

- › Wi-fi campus with 1000 Mbps internet connectivity
- › World class Data Centre
- › Entrepreneur Development Cell
- › On campus training to students
- › Sophisticated language labs
- › State-of-the-art infrastructure
- › Separate hostel facilities for boys and girls
- › World class sports facilities
- › Highly active NCC and service oriented NSS units
- › 33 Modern Computer labs with over 3500 desktop computers, with licensed softwares
- › Health Centre



PLACEMENT RECORD

The University attaches utmost importance to placement services to the students. A full-fledged Training & Placement wing is established for Architecture students to facilitate career guidance and improve their employability. Placement officers organise pre-placement training by professionals and arrange special coaching in personality development and communication skills.

GITAM enjoys patronage of several multi-national corporations. GITAM's high standards are well-recognized by many MNCs and other Design and Engineering and Architectural firms in various fields across the country drawing them to conduct campus interviews on a large scale.

Campus recruitments have been a regular feature by top companies and research institutes in addition to construction industry. Attractive compensation packages are offered to the graduate students in campus placements.

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