

Post Event Report



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JAIPUR**

**FACULTY OF DESIGN
SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN**

Expert Lecture

on

‘History of Indian Landscape’

Hybrid (MS Teams + Offline)

18th October 2022



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1. Introduction of the Event:

The expert lecture on 'History of Indian Landscape' aimed to acquaint students with the concepts and theories during different time periods in India in shaping its settlements and landscapes. It was intended for M. Arch (Landscape) 1st Year students, as part of the subject AR6104: History of Indian Landscape and B. Arch III semester students as part of the subject AR 2108: Landscape Architecture. This will help orient the students towards the nuances in landscape and provide guidance on various subjects as part of the curriculum, to lead their way in understanding Landscape as a Profession.

2. Objectives of the Event:

- To understand the relationships between arts, religion, politics, geography etc. in shaping of Indian settlements and landscape.
- Understand thought processes and environmental values during different time periods in Indian landscape.
- Apply the knowledge systems of Indian landscapes to design in the contemporary world.

3. Beneficiaries of the Event:

- B.Arch Students (2nd Year)
- M.Arch Students (1st Year)

4. Details of the Guests:

Ar. Sandeep B. Menon is a landscape architect with sixteen years of experience in practicing landscape architecture and ecological design. He was a core faculty member at the Kamla Raheja Vidyanidhi Institute for Architecture and Environmental Sciences (KRVA), Mumbai. He holds a Master of Landscape Architecture and a Bachelor of Architecture Degree from the School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi.

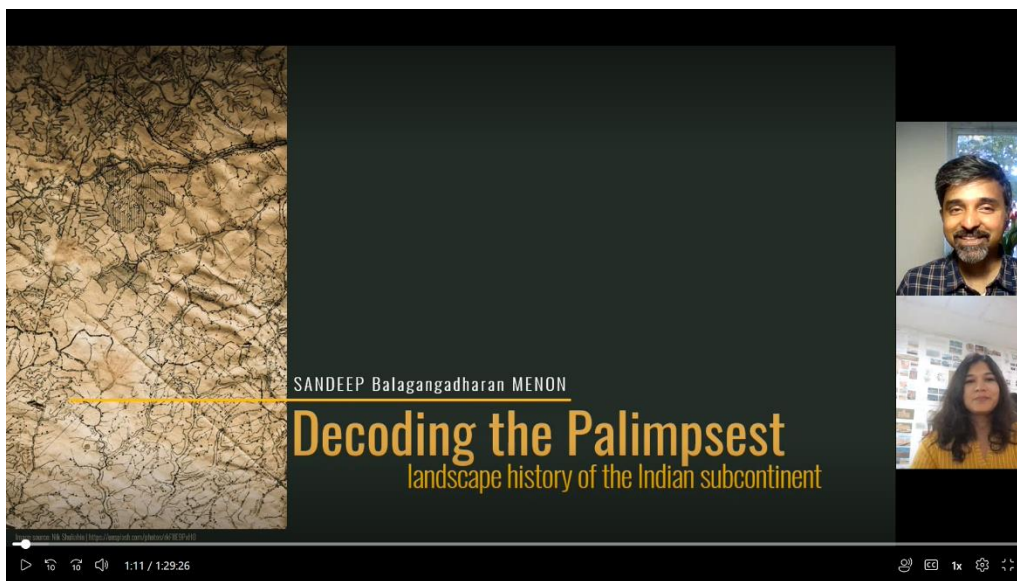
He was the Design Director at Integral Designs International Studio Pvt Ltd, New Delhi. He has worked on landscape design and master planning projects of varying scales in various biogeographies. His work often addresses the ideas of natural processes, local ecology and native planting. He is currently involved in the European Union Erasmus Plus- research project for 'Building Resilient Communities' (BReUCom) and the World Resources Institute (WRI) initiated Research on Urban Mobility in Mumbai. His interests range from ecological urbanism, landscape ecology, socio-ecological resilience, sustainable urban water management, ecological corridors and wetland systems.

5. Brief Description of the event:

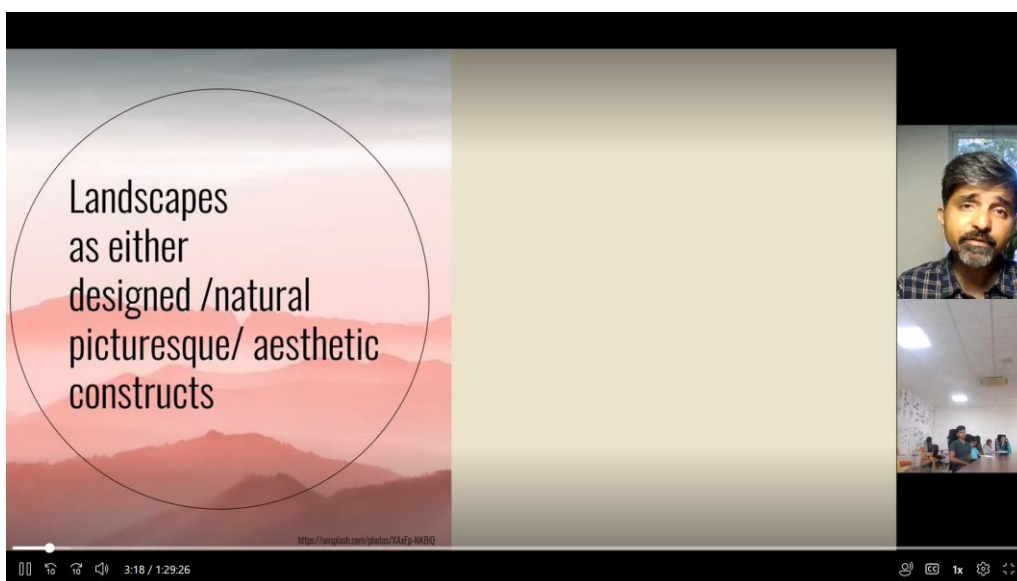
School of Architecture and Design organised an expert lecture on '**Introduction to History of Indian Landscape**' for M. Arch (Landscape) 1st Year students, as part of the subject AR6104: History of

Indian Landscape and B. Arch III semester students as part of the subject AR 2108: Landscape Architecture. The lecture was held in **hybrid mode** (MS Teams + Offline) on **18th October 2022**. The event began with welcoming of the participants, and the guest. Thereafter, the Expert, Ar. Sandeep B. Menon was introduced to all the participants. The lecture was conducted comprehensively by the expert and was very informative. The students enthusiastically participated in the lecture. It helped enhance the students' understanding on Indian knowledge systems with respect to landscape and utilise the concepts to design contemporary landscapes.

6. Photographs and Screenshots of the event:



1. Welcome Address by Ar.Nisha Nelson, Faculty,FoD



2. Lecture by the Expert-Ar.Sandeep B.Menon



3. Students attending the lecture

7. Schedule of the event

Day/ Date	Time	Topic/ Session
Tuesday/ 18-10-2022	2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Welcome Address & Introduction of Expert by Ar. Nisha Nelson, Asst. Prof., SA&D, Manipal University Jaipur.
		Expert Lecture on “ History of Indian Landscape ” by Ar.Sandeep B.Menon, Guest Speaker.
		Vote of Thanks



8. Attendance of the Event:

Attendees –

1. AR.SANDEEP B. MENON, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT -GUEST SPEAKER
2. AR.NISHA NELSON- ASST.PROFESSOR, MUJ
3. KAUSHAL SINGH – STUDENT, M.ARCH
4. ABHIK SAHOO
5. JISHNUVE HRISHI PHUKAN
6. DIVYESH S SHANKLA
7. SAHIB SATNAM CHAGGER
8. KARTIK GEHLOT
9. BHAVESH KHEMKA
10. KHUSHI VIPULKUMAR CHAUDHARI
11. AISHMEEN KAUR
12. ABHINAV KUMAR SINGH
13. AISHWARYA SINGH RATHORE
14. ANJALI ADHIKARI
15. CHIRAG GURNANI
16. RIDDHI PRADIP SORTE
17. RIA RATTAN KOTWAL
18. LEKHKA KUMAWAT
19. NIKHIL SHARMA
20. HARSH SHRIVASTAV
21. SIDDHARTHA OBEROI

9. Feedback of the Event:

The lecture was insightful and helped the M.Arch and B.Arch students understand the evolution of landscapes in Indian history. The expert talk was highly appreciated, and it realized the intent of imparting knowledge of history to address present day issues and apply the same for design solutions.

10. Weblink:

11. Event Coordinators:

Convener:

- **Ar. Nisha Nelson** (Asst. Professor, SA&D)



Ar. Nisha Nelson
Asst. Professor, SA&D