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Sixth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, July/August 2022
Contemporary Architecture

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions.
2. Illustrate with relevant sketches.

- 1 Highlight the design approach of Le Corbusier with the help of examples in Chandigarh and Ahmedabad. (20 Marks)
- 2 a. How was "Open to sky" idea adopted as design element in Charles Correa's designs? Explain the same through relevant examples. (10 Marks)
b. "Design is nothing but a humble understanding of materials". Discuss how works of B.V. Doshi adopts this philosophy with relevant examples. (10 Marks)
- 3 Explain the salient design features and approaches of any two architects:
a. Achyut Kanvinde
b. Raj Rewal
c. Anant Raje
d. Uttam Jain (20 Marks)
- 4 Summarise the contribution of architect Laurie Braker to Indian contemporary architecture with examples and sketches. (20 Marks)
- 5 a. "Concepts differentiate architecture from mere building" elaborate on the same with relevant works of architect Bernald Tschumi. (10 Marks)
b. The Moore house designed by Charles Moore is regarded as acumination of multiple events, discuss the same with relevant examples of his works. (10 Marks)
- 6 Explain the following buildings with respect to Architect Frank Gehry :
a. Aerospace Museum, Santa Monica. (10 Marks)
b. Guggenheim Museum, Bilbao. (10 Marks)
- 7 Explain the design approach of Zaha Hadid taking examples of Peak Club, Hong Kong and IBA Housing Block, West Berlin. (20 Marks)
- 8 Write shorts on the following with relevant sketches:
a. Works of architect Geoffery Bawa.
b. Biomimicry in architecture. (20 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.