

Position: Vice-Chancellor

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Education Detail

Education Level	Board / University	Institute / School / College	Marks	CGPA	Year
PhD	SPA, New Delhi	School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi	0.00	0.00	2013
Subjects / Specialization: Architectural Regionalism for the ecological region of Mumbai					
Post Graduation	Institute of Town Planners, New Delhi	Institute of Town Planners, New Delhi	60.30	0.00	2003
Subjects / Specialization: M. Plann: - Urban & Regional Planning					
Post Graduation	Anna Malai University	Anna Malai University	79.25	0.00	2013
Subjects / Specialization: MBA: HR- Self & Crisis Management					
Post Graduation	Anna Malai University	Anna Malai University	85.00	0.00	2011
Subjects / Specialization: M.SC.- Value Education & Spirituality					
Graduation	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, Maharashtra	MIT Aurangabad	58.70	0.00	1994
Subjects / Specialization: Architecture					

Work Experience (Total: 33Y 10M)

#	Organization	Designation	From	To	Duration
1	Manipal University Jaipur	Professor & Dean, Student welfare, admissions & sports	Jan 2025	Mar 2026	1Y 2M
2	Manipal University Jaipur	Professor & Dean, Faculty of Design.	Nov 2021	Dec 2025	4Y 1M
3	Manipal University Jaipur	Professor & Director, School of Architecture & Design	Jul 2016	Nov 2021	5Y 4M
4	Manipal University Jaipur	Professor & Head, School of Architecture & Design	Jul 2012	Jul 2016	3Y 11M
5	MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University	Head of Department	May 2003	Oct 2004	1Y 4M
6	MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University	Associate Professor	Feb 2004	Jul 2012	8Y 4M
7	MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University	Lecturer/Assistant Professor	Aug 1994	Feb 2004	9Y 5M

Research Publication

#	Title	Journal	Year
1	Balancing Sustainability and Inclusivity in Public Open Spaces: An Environmental Perspective Contribution	Proceedings of the International Conference on Sustainable Computing, Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering (LNEE,volume 1530)	Feb-2026
2	A systematic literature review on inclusive public open spaces: Accessibility standards and universal design principles	Urban science	May-2025
3	Water, Wheels and Wisdom: Reviving The Aurangabad Panchakki	Journal of Cultural Heritage Management and Sustainable Development	Jul-2025
4	Performance of PTFE based Adaptive Building Facades for Climate Resilience: A Simulation Driven Analysis	International Journal of Engineering, Science and Information Technology	Jul-2025
5	Examination of Key Landscape Characteristics and Evaluation Tools for Assessing the Impact of Higher Education Campus Landscapes on Students' Wellbeing	Multidisciplinary Reviews	Sep-2025
6	User Behavioral Patterns in Inclusive Public Open Space: A Case from Indian Towns	Cities & Health	Nov-2025
7	Simulation based Investigation of ETFE and Autoheal Polymers for Energy Efficiency and Thermal Comfort in Adaptive Building Envelopes	International Journal of Applied Mathematics	Sep-2025
8	Sustainable Construction: The Use of Cork Material in the Building Industry	Materials for Renewable and Sustainable Energy	Aug-2024
9	Thermal Study of Roof Shapes and Materials in Hot Dry Climates: Insights from Rajasthan, India	ISVS Online Journal	Dec-2023
10	Assessment of Urban Growth and Ecological Sustainability: Study of Mumbai, India	ISVS Online Journal	Oct-2023
11	Opportunities & Challenges of Hempcrete as a Building Material for Construction: An Overview	Materials Today: Proceedings	Jun-2022
12	Opportunities and Challenges of Using Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology in Architecture: An Overview	Materials Today: Proceedings	Jul-2022
13	'Bamboo as a sustainable material in the construction industry	Proceedings of the International Conference CRMSC-2021, Materials Today: Proceedings.	Mar-2021
14	Campus Design of Universities: An Overview	Journal of Design & Built Environment	Dec-2021
15	Future Cities: Envisioning Human Dimensions	International Journal of Advance & Innovative Research	Oct-2018

Published Books / Chapters

#	Book Title	Publisher	Institution
1	Stepwells of India: Confluence of Communities - Sampravaah	Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India	All institutions can refer
2	Responsible Pedagogies in Architecture: Combating Climate Change	Cambridge Scholars Publishing, UK	All architectural institutions can refer
3	The Future of the Creative Industries: A Global Perspective	Cambridge Scholars Publishing, UK	All Architecture, Planning, Design construction industries, Creative industries can refer
4	Understanding Community Waste Management through Service-Learning Experiences from the Manipal University Jaipur K4C Hub, India- Bbok Chapter	Brill	All universities can refer
5	Community Engagement in Higher Education: book chapter	Routledge India	All universities can refer
6	Women as Pivotal actors in achieving the sustainable development goals: Article - magazine	W20 Compendium	All universities can refer
7	Bamboo: A versatile & Sustainable Material to combat Climate Change	Indian Building Congress	All institutions can refer
8	Environment Friendly Architecture: article	Interior Design Magazine	All institutions can refer

Administrative Experience (Total: 79Y 5M)

#	Post	Institution	From	To	Duration
1	Dean-Student Welfare, Admissions & Sports: i am still serving but application format is asking for leaving date, so put the date	Manipal University Jaipur	Jan 2025	Mar 2026	1Y 2M
2	Member, Board of Studies, Department of User Experience & interaction Design- continuing till date	Manipal University Jaipur	May 2024	Mar 2026	1Y 10M
3	Dean of Faculty of Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Nov 2021	Dec 2024	3Y 1M
4	Chairman, Faculty Board of Faculty of Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Oct 2021	Dec 2024	3Y 2M
5	Director, School of Architecture & Design,	Manipal University Jaipur	Jul 2016	Nov 2021	5Y 4M
6	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Interior Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Oct 2015	May 2022	6Y 7M
7	Chairman, Board of Studies, School of Architecture & Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Jul 2015	Jan 2022	6Y 6M
8	Member of Academic Council- continuing till date	Manipal University Jaipur	Sep 2014	Mar 2026	11Y 6M
9	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Fine Arts	Manipal University Jaipur	May 2014	May 2023	9Y 0M
10	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Planning	Manipal University Jaipur	Feb 2013	Jun 2018	5Y 4M
11	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Fashion Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Feb 2013	Jun 2016	3Y 4M
12	Member, Board of Studies, School of Architecture & Design- continuing till date	Manipal University Jaipur	Jul 2012	Mar 2026	13Y 8M
13	Head of School, School of Architecture & Design	Manipal University Jaipur	Jul 2012	Jan 2016	3Y 6M
14	Head of Department, Department of Architecture	MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University	May 2003	Oct 2004	1Y 5M
15	Member, Board of Studies, Dept. of Architecture	MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University	May 2002	May 2004	2Y 0M
16	Member of Executive Council	Indian Institute of Architects, Aurangabad, Maharashtra	Aug 2001	Aug 2003	2Y 0M

Major Research

#	Project Title	Value	Agency	From	To	Duration
1	Bridging Knowledge Cultures: The knowledge for Change Global Consortium on training of Community	3000 dollars	Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council, Canada	Mar 2020	Mar 2022	2Y 0M
2	Research on Stepwells of India	Rs.4,00,000	Ministry of Culture, Government of India	Oct 2023	Dec 2023	0Y 2M
3	Biodiversity Fellowship- Supervisor	Rs.60000	Department of Science & Technology, Rajasthan	Dec 2019	Dec 2020	1Y 0M

International Experience

#	Organization / Body	Experience
1	International Council on Monuments & Sites	Expert Member – Climate Change and Heritage
2	Universiti Teknologi Malaysia	Moderator – 13th International Congress of Asian Planning Schools
3	UNESCO	Mentor Training – Community Based Participatory Research
4	University of Victoria, Canada	Guest Lecture – Community Engagement in Urban Renewal Process
5	IUCN World Heritage Programme	Member of Research-Practice Team, Jaipur – World Heritage Leadership Heritage Place Lab Initiative
6	ASHRAE Headquarters, Atlanta GA, US	Student Activity Chair – ASHRAE Chapter Leadership Academy Training
7	International Council on Monuments & Sites	Expert Member – Sustainable Development Goals Working Group (SDGWG)
8	ASHRAE Headquarters, Atlanta GA, US	Leadership Programme – ASHRAE Chapter Leadership Academy Training
9	ARCASIA Architects Regional Council Asia	As an expert represented India on Architectural Education in 2025

Leadership Experience

#	Brief Description
1	Dean, Student Welfare, Admissions & Sports, responsible for student welfare administration, admissions support, and sports-related leadership functions at Manipal University Jaipur.
2	Dean of Faculty, Faculty of Design, Manipal University Jaipur, responsible for academic and administrative leadership of the Faculty of Design.
3	Director, School of Architecture & Design, Manipal University Jaipur, responsible for institutional and academic leadership of the School of Architecture & Design
4	Head of School, School of Architecture & Design, Manipal University Jaipur, responsible for academic administration and leadership of the school.
5	Head of Department, MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, responsible for departmental academic and administrative leadership.
6	Rector of Girls Hostel, MIT Aurangabad, Chief Superintendent for exams, Chief Coordinator for annual social gathering, General Secretary, Alumni association, MIT

Statutory Authorities

#	Institution	Statutory Forum	From	To
1	Manipal University Jaipur	Chairman, Board of Studies, School of Architecture & Design	Jul 2015	Jan 2022
2	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University / MIT, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Architecture	May 2002	May 2004
3	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, School of Architecture & Design - continuing till date	Jul 2012	Mar 2026
4	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Fashion Design	Feb 2013	Jun 2016
5	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Planning	Feb 2013	Jun 2018
6	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Fine Arts	May 2014	May 2023
7	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Interior Design	Jan 2015	May 2022
8	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Board of Studies, Department of User Experience & Interaction Design - continuing till date	May 2024	Mar 2026
9	Manipal University Jaipur	Chairman, Faculty Board, Faculty of Design	Oct 2021	Dec 2024
10	Manipal University Jaipur	Member, Academic Council - continuing till date	Sep 2014	Mar 2026
11	Indian Institute of Architects, Aurangabad, Maharashtra	Member, Executive Council	Aug 2001	Aug 2003
12	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar	Senate Member	Jan 2001	Jan 2006

Quality Assurance Experience

#	Area	Institution	From	To	Achievements
1	Academic Leadership and Institutional Administration- still serving	Manipal University Jaipur	Jul 2012	Mar 2026	Served as Professor and Former Dean, Faculty of Design. Also held key leadership positions including Head, School of Architecture & Design; Director-In-Charge, School of Architecture & Design; Chairperson, Board of Studies in Architecture; and Member, Aca
2	Departmental Leadership and Academic Administration	MIT, Aurangabad	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	Served as Head of Department of Architecture, Co-ordinator for P.G. Programme, Chief Superintendent of Examination, Rector of Girls' Hostel, In-charge of Student Council, General Secretary of Alumni Association, and Chief Co-ordinator for Annual Social Ga
3	Academic Governance and Statutory Responsibilities- still serving in MUJ	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University & Manipal University Jaipur	Aug 1994	Mar 2023	Served as Senate Member, Member of Adhoc Board of Studies in Architecture and Textile Design, Member of Academic Council, and Chairperson of Board of Studies in Architecture. Contributed to curriculum development, academic regulation, and university gover
4	Research Guidance and International Research Collaboration	MIT Aurangabad, Manipal University Jaipur / UNESCO K4C Consortium / University of Canada	Aug 1994	Mar 2023	Guided 10 postgraduate theses and 8 Ph.D. scholars, with 3 Ph.D. completions. Served as Supervisor for UNESCO Knowledge for Change Consortium, IAESTE students, and DST biodiversity fellowship. Completed a research project as Co-PI with the University of C
5	Urban Planning and Development Planning	MIT, Aurangabad	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	Served as Team Leader for City Development Plans of Akot and Amrawati. Demonstrated expertise in urban planning, development strategy, and city-level planning initiatives.
6	Heritage Conservation	MIT, Aurangabad	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	Served as Team Leader for conservation of four forts of Maharashtra, namely Paranda Fort, Naldurg Fort, Ausa Fort, and Mahur Fort. Demonstrated leadership in heritage conservation and cultural resource management
7	Green Buildings and Energy Efficiency	MIT, Aurangabad	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	Worked as team member in energy audits for major public buildings including Mantralaya Mumbai, Government Administrative Building Mumbai, High Court Aurangabad, and High Court Nagpur. Also contributed to green building projects including Marathwada Autocl
8	Bamboo Advocacy and Standards Development- still continuing	Manipal University Jaipur	Aug 2012	Mar 2026	Founding Member of India Bamboo Forum, Expert Member for Bureau of Indian Standards for Bamboo Handbook, and Expert Member on NITI Aayog subgroup on Bamboo. Demonstrated leadership in bamboo advocacy, standards formulation, and sustainable materials promo
9	Architectural Practice and Design Leadership	Consultancy Cell of MIT, Aurangabad , & Independent Professional Practice	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	Worked as Architect and Team Leader for multiple architectural and planning projects including ISKCON temples at Shri Ganganagar and Jhunjhunu, City Palace Jaipur garden, Institute of Sericulture at Takli, hostel buildings at MIT Aurangabad, MIT Polytechn
10	Professional and Institutional Leadership in Architecture & Design & Planning Education	Manipal University Jaipur / MIT Aurangabad	Aug 1994	Mar 2026	Demonstrated over 30 years of professional experience, 30 years of undergraduate teaching, 20 years of postgraduate teaching, and 20 years of research experience. Recognised through multiple national and international awards for excellence in architecture
11	Expert : still continuing	NAAC- National Assessment and Accreditation Council	Jul 2024	Mar 2026	Inspected many universities/institutions for NAAC accreditation

PhD Student Guided

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Youth Development Experience

#	Activity	Institution	Achievements	From	To	Duration
1	Rector, Girls Hostel	MIT Aurangabad	Served as Rector of the Girls’ Hostel for a long duration, contributing to student welfare, residential supervision, discipline, mentoring, and overall support for young students’ development.	Aug 1994	Jul 2012	17Y 10M
2	Supervisor for IAESTE Students - still continuing	Manipal University Jaipur	Supervised students under IAESTE, supporting academic guidance, international exposure, mentoring, and youth capacity building.	Jan 2014	Mar 2026	12Y 2M
3	General Secretary, Alumni Association	MIT, Aurangabad	Served as General Secretary of the Alumni Association, fostering alumni-student linkage, mentorship opportunities, and institutional networking beneficial to student growth and youth development.	Aug 2003	Aug 2008	5Y 0M
4	Student Welfare and Holistic Student Development- continuing till date	Manipal University Jaipur	Leading student welfare and support systems for nearly 18,000 students at Manipal University Jaipur; revised the DoT and Scholarship Policies; and initiated measures to strengthen students’ emotional well-being and holistic development.	Jan 2025	Mar 2026	1Y 2M