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**SCHOOL OF
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Building
Creative Minds
for **Tomorrow**

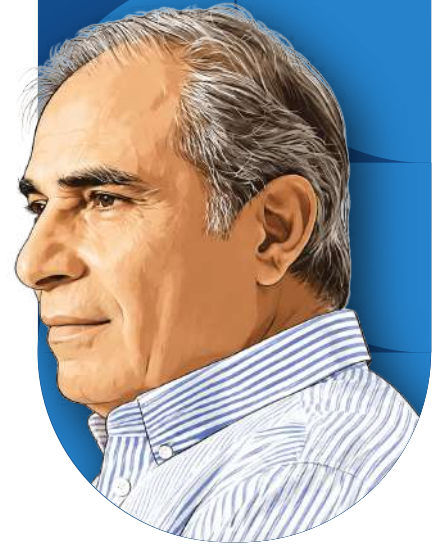
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ADMISSIONS OPEN 2026

Hafeez Contractor School of Architecture

Designing Tomorrow's Horizons

Named after the visionary pioneer of modern Indian architecture, Padma Bhushan Ar. Hafeez Contractor, the Hafeez Contractor School of Architecture at MIT-WPU offers a transformative, five-year Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.) program. Launching its inaugural batch for 2026–31, the school bridges vernacular wisdom with cutting-edge global innovation to train socially responsible, ethical, and globally competent architects. Fully aligned with the strict standards of the Council of Architecture (CoA), our rigorous, studio-based curriculum empowers students to shape the built environment through creative design, technological mastery, and sustainable practices.



We are dedicated to nurturing future-ready architectural leaders and professionals through:

- **Studio-Centric Learning:** Immersive, hands-on learning experiences designed to tackle contemporary, real-world challenges in urbanism, digital fabrication, and sustainable development.
- **Digital Design Mastery:** Mandatory, deep-dive training in BIM (Building Information Modelling), Parametric Design, and Computational Workflows to meet the evolving demands of the profession.
- **Climate Resilience & Sustainability:** Core focus on eco-responsive architecture, net-zero building concepts, and design innovation aimed at tackling climate change.
- **Interdisciplinary Partnerships:** Institutionalised collaboration across engineering, humanities and design streams, paired with robust industry alliances to drive meaningful societal impact.

Key Highlights:



Advanced Digital Design Hub

Hands-on training integrated directly into the design studio using industry software like BIM (Revit/ArchiCAD), AutoCAD, Rhinoceros/Grasshopper, GIS, and Climate Analysis tools.



Hands-On Laboratory Ecosystem

Accelerated experiential learning through specialised on-campus spaces including a Climatology Lab, Surveying Lab, Material Museum, and Advanced Studios.



Integrated Professional Practice

A mandatory 6–12 month corporate internship, live projects paired with regular direct mentorship from a robust panel of top-tier practising architects.



Strategic Industry Partnerships

Structured academic collaboration with national level professional bodies, and academic institutes for student exchange programs, internships, and live projects.



Excellent Workshop Facilities

Accelerated prototype development through state-of-the-art on-campus workshop facilities equipped for woodworking, metal working, and 3D printing.

Programme Offered

Undergraduate
Programme

**Bachelor of
Architecture
(B.Arch.)**



Duration:
5 years



Fees:
3,75,000 PA*

*NOTE: As a special '**Golden Batch**' initiative, students receive a **₹75,000 annual scholarship** for this programme, reducing the fee to **₹3,00,000 per annum for the 5-year duration** (applicable only to the inaugural cohort).

For more information and detailed programme outlines,
visit: www.mitwpu.edu.in



Eligibility Criteria & Selection Process

Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.)

Eligibility Criteria

No candidate shall be admitted to Architecture course unless she/he has passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with Physics and Mathematics as compulsory subjects along with either Chemistry or Biology or Technical Vocational subject or Computer Science or Information Technology or Informatics Practices or Engineering Graphics or Business Studies with at least 45% marks in aggregate or passed 10+3 Diploma Examination with Mathematics as compulsory subject with at least 45% marks in aggregate.

Selection Process

Admissions (National and International) are based on the scores of JEE 2026 (B. Arch.), NATA 2026 conducted by the Council of Architecture and marks obtained by the candidate in the qualifying examination, along with a 500-word Statement of Purpose (SOP) written by the candidate and a portfolio of the candidate's creative work.

Scholarships: Empowering Bright Futures

MIT-WPU is awarding 2000+ scholarships to its meritorious students for the academic year 2026-27. These scholarships are based on the student's academic performance in national and state-level entrance exams, as well as internal tests conducted by MIT-WPU (MIT-WPU CET).

The categories of Merit Scholarships* are detailed below:

- Dr. Vishwanath Karad Merit Scholarship
- MIT-WPU Merit Scholarship
- Scholarships to Elite Sportspersons

*Terms and conditions:

- All Scholarships are awarded on a First-Come, First-Served basis.
- All Scholarships are awarded as fee adjustments.
- To maintain the scholarship throughout the programme, students must maintain a minimum academic score of 8 CGPA across all semesters, attendance of at least 80%, and a clean disciplinary record.



For more information, Scan QR code or visit <https://mitwpu.edu.in/scholarships>

Placement Support @ MIT-WPU

The dedicated Placement Cell, which is the Centre for Industry-Academia Partnerships (CIAP) at MIT-WPU, opens doors to multiple career opportunities for graduates. With a consistent track record of high placements, the cell connects students with prestigious firms, providing career guidance and preparing them for the professional arena. Complementing this, the 6 month or one semester internship in the 9th semester of the program, integrates classroom knowledge with hands-on experience. This mandatory programme propels students into professional ecosystems, providing practical insights crucial for their careers.



University Collaborations

MIT-WPU continues to foster, strengthen, and sustain global relationships. We extend intercultural networks for our students and strive towards global leadership. The initiatives include student and faculty exchange programmes, summer and winter programmes, research associations, and international immersions. We also offer semester-abroad programmes, project mentorship, extra credit programmes, and enriching intercultural activities. MIT-WPU has built partnerships with over 40 universities, including Deakin University, Macquarie University, Monash University, University of Vermont, Eastern Michigan University, and Virginia Commonwealth University, among others.



Life @ MIT-WPU



Hostel

MIT-WPU offers fully equipped, cutting-edge hostel facilities to students, both on and off-campus, ensuring a comfortable and secure living environment. Students can choose between twin-sharing and triple-sharing rooms, all of which come with unlimited high-speed Wi-Fi and housekeeping services. Our hostels are overseen by full-time wardens, equipped with CCTV monitoring, and feature biometric-enabled entrances to prioritise safety.

- Modern, well-equipped, with nutritious food, housekeeping, and high-speed internet facilities
- Transport facilities
- 24x7 security on campus (biometric-enabled entrances) and 24x7 availability of wardens
- Fully equipped gym, gaming area, hangout zones, & reading room



Degree++ Courses

LEARNING BEYOND CLASSROOM

A carefully curated set of experiential learning courses designed to foster the holistic development of our students.

FIRST YEAR

Co-Creation

Ability to work in multi-disciplinary teams on real world complex problems.

SECOND YEAR

Research, Innovation, Design, and Entrepreneurship (R.I.D.E)

Pathway to innovation and entrepreneurship

Rural Immersion

Understand the problems of Bharat and employ technical skills to benefit society.

Life Transformation Center

Journey of reflection and self-discovery

THIRD YEAR

National Immersion Programme

Exposure to and appreciation of academic, cultural and regional diversity

Democracy, Leadership Governance & Public Policy

Contribute to society using critical thinking and by embracing different viewpoints



About MIT-WPU

With a rich legacy of 43+ years in fostering world-class academic excellence and over 100,000 alumni across the globe, MIT-WPU is one of the premier centres of higher learning in India. Today, over 25,000 students from diverse backgrounds across the world are experiencing a 'life-transforming curriculum' across a multitude of professional academic programmes. Currently, students are pursuing education in over 150 programmes at MIT World Peace University. Located in the picturesque city of Pune, the MIT-WPU campus is surrounded by key civic infrastructure and sprawls over 65 acres of lush green campus.



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