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## Second Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2016 History of Architecture - II

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

**Note: 1. Answer ONE full questions from each Module.  
2. Draw relevant sketches wherever necessary.**

### MODULE - 1

- 1 Discuss Buddhist principles of architecture with respect to the Stupa of Sanchi. Elaborate on the construction and the history of the same. (20 Marks)

OR

- 2 Write short notes on :
- Chaitya at Karle.
  - Viharas.
  - Ashoka Stumba.
  - Jaina cities.

(20 Marks)

### MODULE - 2

- 3 Discuss the Dravidian temple structure. Explain the construction and architecture of the Temple of Bhitargoan. (20 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. What are the characteristic features of the Pallava temples? (04 Marks)  
b. Describe in detail the Rathas of Mahabalipuram. (16 Marks)

### MODULE - 3

- 5 What are the salient features of the Hoysala style of architecture? Discuss the temple of Somnathpur with neat sketches. (20 Marks)

OR

- 6 Write short notes on :
- Kalinga style of architecture.
  - A typical Orissan temple.
  - Temple of Belur.
  - Srirangam temple town.

(20 Marks)

### MODULE - 4

- 7 Why were sun temples built? Explain it with any one example. (20 Marks)

OR

- 8 Draw and describe the Khandariya Mahadev Temple of Khajarao. (20 Marks)

### MODULE - 5

- 9 What is the contribution of the Chola's to Dravidian Architecture? Explain it with the example of the Brahadeshwara temple. (20 Marks)

OR

- 10 Why was the Vijaynagar Dynasty important in terms of architecture? Explain it using any one structure in the City of Hampi. (20 Marks)

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