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Third Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2023 History of Architecture - III

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Elaborate on the emergence of Islamic Architecture in 11th century in India. Give the General characteristics of the Indian Islamic style, taking example of the Qutub Minar at Delhi. (10 Marks)
- b. Sketch the layout plan of Quuroat-ul-Islam mosque, Old Delhi and explain the arrangement of various structures and enlargement. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. With the help of neat sketches, explain and highlight the antique features of Khiski Masjid, in terms of planning and aesthetics. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the planning of an Islamic city, taking Feroz Shah Kotla, as an example. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Comment on the architectural features of the provincial style at Jaunpur. Also elaborate on the architecture of Atala Masjid with detailed sketches. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain with neat sketches, the Golgumbaz at Bijapur. (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Write notes on : (any 2)
- (i) Adina Masjid, Pandua.
- (ii) Bara Shona Masjid.
- (iii) Ibrahim Rauza, Bijapur (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the purpose and architectural features of Vars in Gujarat, with examples of Adalaj ni_var and Rani_ni_Var of Gujarat. (10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Discuss the principles of planning used in Fatehpur Sikri. Explain any one structure in detail, with neat sketches. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the unique features of Jama Masjid at Gulbarga. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Write notes on (any 2) :
- (i) The architecture of Madarassa of Mond, Gawan.
- (ii) Buland Darwaza.
- (iii) Tomb of Salim Chisti. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the concept of "Char-Bagh" with the help of Humayun's tomb. (10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Taj Mahal, Agra is considered a complete architectural experience. Justify this statement by discussing features of the same. (10 Marks)
- b. What are the features of the early Celomial architecture of the Indian Subcontinent? (10 Marks)

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.

OR

- 8 a. Write notes on (any 2) :
- (i) Mughal gardens.
 - (ii) Tomb of Itmad ud daula.
 - (iii) Serzi Travel shelters.
- b. Explain the characteristics of early British forts in Indian Subcontinent.

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Module-5

- 9 a. With suitable examples, explain the design approach and due consideration taken by the British Architects, While designing the Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi. (10 Marks)
- b. Write notes on (any 2) :
- (i) Victoria Terminus (CSMT) Mumbai.
 - (ii) SE Cathedral, Goa.
 - (iii) Mysore palace and Vicinty

(10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Explain the Colonial architecture of India by taking example of the administrative buildings, Railway station of Mysore or Mumbai (SMT). (05 Marks)
- b. Describe the layout and architectural features of Lutyen's Delhi. (05 Marks)
- c. With suitable examples and sketches, explain the architectural design features of a typical French house of Pondi cherry. (10 Marks)
