Paya Pate

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EDUCATION

Bachelors of Architecture,
Sir J. J. College of Architecture,
University of Mumbai, India
Aug '01 - May '06
Design Thesis: Rejuvenation &
Revitalization of Basalt stone quarries
in Mumbai

SKILL SET

Operating platforms: Windows,OS X

Design: AutoCAD, Rhinoceros, Sketchup, Indesign, Photoshop,

Illustrator

Utilities: Windows Office

<u>AFFILIATIONS</u>
Council of Architecture, India;
CA/2011/51635

SKILLS & STRENGTHS

- Master Planning, Architecture design & Interior design Leading projects from Concept to Execution.
- Efficient in integrating Architecture, Structure, Building Systems and Site Management.
- Proficient coordination with clients, consultants, contractors & vendors.
- Driving for collaborative working environments with design as the main focus & managing internal teams of 15-20 people at a time.
- Ability to move across building typologies and scales seamlessly and delivering projects within set timelines.
- Proficient at budgetary proposals, design-detail specifications and certifications of bills.
- Competent to work in a fast paced environment with shifting priorities.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Independent, Mumbai | Sept' 2023 - Present

- Consulting Architect and Interior Designer of Multi-family apartments
- Systems Organization of Architectural firms; Feasibilty Reports; Competition projects

RMA Architects (Founder - Rahul Mehrotra), Mumbai | Principal Architect since July 2014 | Sept' 2011 - Aug '2023

- Architectural Design, Detailing and Execution of Institutional, Healthcare, Residential, Workplaces & Conservation projects Select projects:
- Library, Canteen & Plaza at CEPT University, Ahmedabad (30,000 sqft; 9,000 sqft & 1.7 Acres resp.)
- School of Arts and Sciences, Ahmedabad University (2,10,000 sqft)
- Restoration & Adaptive Reuse of Amrut Mody School of Management, Ahmedabad University (33,000 sqft)
- JSW School of Public Policy, IIM-A , Ahmedabad (56,000 sqft)
- Eye Hospital, Palitana (23,000 sqft)
- Crematorium at Worli, Mumbai (67,000sqft)
- Administration offices for Oil Refinery, Raipur (21,700 sqft)
- Re-use and refurbishment of industrial shed to offices for A.T.E. enterprises, Pune (11,500 sqft)
- Multi-family apartment building, Delhi (16,150 sqft)
- Portal house, Goa (16,000 sqft)
- Holiday home within Courtyards, Alibaug (38,000 sqft)
- Master planning Select projects :
 - Management Development Center for JSW, Vasind (92,000 sqft)
 - University for Jain monks, Palitana (2,50,000 sqft)
 - Sardar Patel Stadium, Ahmedabad with World Monuments Fund (2,50,000 sqft)
- Interiors Select projects :
 - Studio for Architectural Practice, Mumbai (1,800 sqft)
 - Swati Snacks Restaurant, Mumbai (2,000 sqft)
- Research on Indian traditional materials & crafts to adapt to modern methodologies.
- Created catalog details, updated and expanded building materials' bank for interoffice use.
- Research project on Urban Sanitation with SPARC.
- Prepared proposals for 'Expression of Interest' for private and public projects.
- Lead Client Proposals and agreement closures.
- Core member of organization development & appraisal review.

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<u>LANGUAGES</u> English, Hindi, Gujarati, Marathi

INTERESTS
Sketching, Travel, Photography,
Reading, Fabric Art

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCI	E (contd.)
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Dhruti Vaidya Design Studio, Mumbai | Associate Architect | Oct '10 - Apr'2011

Projects Typology - Holiday homes, Club House and Interiors of School

4 4 Design, Mumbai | Associate Architect since May 2008 | Sept' 2006 - Sept' 2010

- Worked with city government (MCGM) on proposals for up-gradation of public schools, prepared tender sets with rate analysis, participated on contractor selection process and overlooked site execution.
- Projects Typology Holiday homes, Restoration of heritage buildings, Public schools, Interiors of homes, retail and workplaces.

Planet 3 Studios, Mumbai | Intern + Junior Architect | Nov' 2005 - Aug' 2006

- Presentation drawings, design & delivery of turn-key projects.
- Projects Typology Interiors of workplaces

PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENTS (select)

- Sir J. J. College of Architecture, University of Mumbai | July '10 -May 2011 | Visiting Faculty for Architectural Design & Building Technology
- Jury Member for Architecture and Allied Design at L.S. Raheja School of Architecture & Sir J.J. School of Architecture, Mumbai | 2013 2024
- Glenn Murcutt Master Class 2017, New South Wales, Australia | July 2017 Attendee of a two week international workshop held by Pritzker awardee Glenn Murcutt Design workshop - Additions to Arthur - Yvonne Boyd Centre (Galleries & Archives)

CERTIFICATES (on Coursera)

- Introduction to Typography by California Institute of the Arts
- Fundamentals of Graphic Design by California Institute of the Arts
- Designing Cities by University of Pennsylvania
- Cities are back in town: Urban sociology for a globalising urban world by Sciences Pro
- Introduction to Psychology by Yale Univsersity

PUBLICATIONS | EXHIBITIONS | COMPETITIONS (Select)

- April 2023, AD2023 Hall of Fame, RMA Architects
- November 2022, School of Arts and Sciences, Ahmedabad University, Buildofy (with RMA Architects)
- March 2022, School of Arts and Sciences, Ahmedabad University, STIR world (with RMA architects)
- December 2021, Architecture of Practice: Research, Reflections, and Reformulations (with RMA architects)
- November 2021, The Lakshmi Mittal and Family, South Asia Institute, Harvard University (with RMA architects)
- December 2020, Working in Mumbai
- October 2020, Worli Crematorium, Mumbai, Mid-day newspaper (with RMA architects)
- May November 2018, La Biennale Di Venezia, Soft Thresholds RMA Architects
- Feb' 2019, Mar' 2018, Feb' 2018, Lilavati Lalbhai Library, CEPT University, Ahmedabad ArchDaily, Architecture + Design, Architectural Record respectively (with RMA architects)
- July 2017, TERASPIN A.T.E. Pune, Book by Architecture Foundation India (with RMA architects)
- March 2017, Portal House, Daftary Residence, Siridao, Goa, Book by Architecture Foundation India (with RMA architects)
- February 2016, Architectural Digest, India -Top 50 Influential Names in Architecture & Design (with RMA architects)
- November 2015, A.T.E. Pune, A.T.E. Group (with RMA Architects)
- August 2014, Asia NGO Exhibition with focus on Community Sanitation (with SPARC & RMA architects)