

Mahatma Education Society's
PILLAI COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE

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PARTICULARS OF THE ORGANIZATION

Title	Details
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Library Hours	09.00am – 05.00pm (on all working days)
Approval and Affiliation	Recognized by Government of Maharashtra, Directorate of Technical Education. Affiliated to University of Mumbai Approved by Council of Architecture, New Delhi
Name	Mahatma Education Society
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COURSES OFFERED

- Five years Bachelor of Architecture programme
- Two years Master of Architecture programme in Urban Design
- PHD programme in Architecture

ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

Pillai College of Architecture (PiCA) is one of the pioneering Architecture School – Established in 1992. PiCA is an authorized NATA test centre for entrance examinations for the Architecture Degree Course. The programs offered are Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch. – five year degree course), Master of Architecture in Urban Design (M.Arch. full time two year course) and Ph.D in Architecture.

VISION OF THE INSTITUTE

To have a transformative impact on society by ensuring comprehensive architectural education to all aspiring individuals and contribute meaningfully to the society in shaping socio-cultural aspirations.

MISSION OF THE INSTITUTE

To establish institution of architectural excellence that advance education at both global and grass-root level needs, research, innovation, entrepreneurship, sports and impart a sense of social responsibility.

OBJECTIVES

- To give students skills that they can use for the benefit of society
- To prepare our students to become leaders in industry or academia
- To prepare our students to become successful in independent research and higher education
- To instil professional ethics and management acumen
- To help faculty advance, generate, preserve and disseminate knowledge in their fields of study
- To inculcate in its faculty, staff and students a sense of responsibility towards society, especially the underprivileged
- To encourage research and consultancy in design and development of socio-culturally acceptable, economically feasible and environmentally appropriate built environment.

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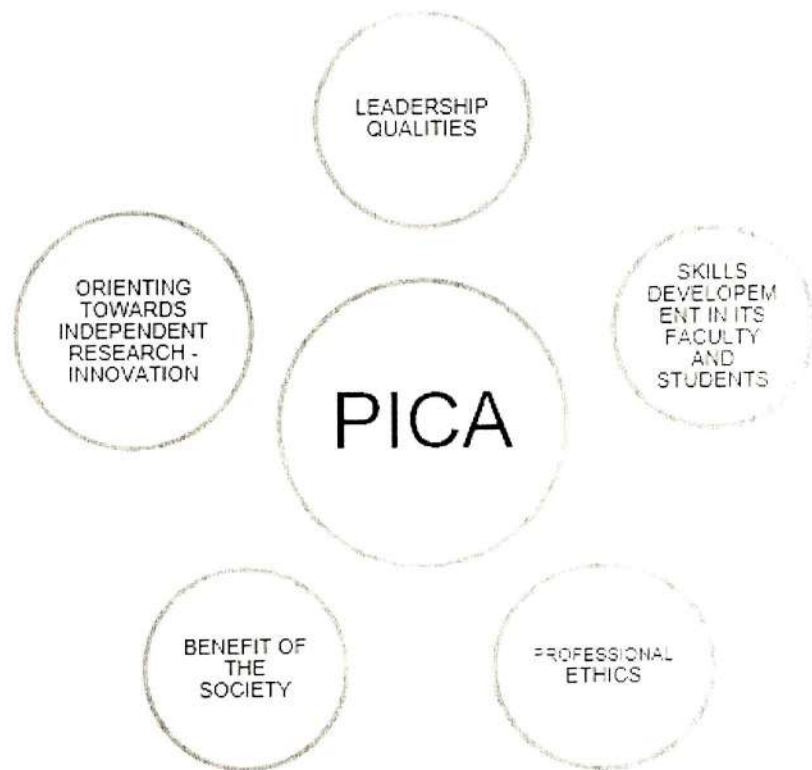
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VALUES

- Academic Excellence
- Accountability
- Integrity
- Innovation
- Inclusiveness
- Sustainability
- Service to Society



The Mahatma Education Society, one of the leading institutions for quality education, founded in the year 1970, is a living example of a vision linked irrevocably to national goals. Born in a time when education was deemed service, it set about bringing social and economic change through the proactive personal development of every child that came into its fold. The vision of Dr. K. M. Vasudevan Pillai (Founder, Chairman and CEO, MES) and Dr. Daphne Pillai (Secretary, MES) guided the trust which grew from a single school into a multi-institution, multi-location group, delivering quality education at all levels.

MES owns and manages over 48 institutions, from pre-primary to post-graduation. Well known as the Pillai Group of Institutions, this education major has its own teacher training institutes, which allow it to define its own standards and to achieve 100% results unflinchingly. It does so through a highly motivated faculty, a learning environment powered with the latest technologies, a spirit of innovation that sees it reach for the highest standards of accreditation in its field. MES recognizes that the sharing of knowledge remains the finest manifestation of a unified world. The Pillai Group of Institutions believes that a more informed India is a stronger India.



INSTITUTIONAL UNIQUENESS

1. Kinesthesia: Educational Festival

In our institute, the student council conduct a Festival where all kinds of allied workshops/ guest lectures/ certificate courses take place as the focus of it along with the fun activities.

2. Mindscape

The festival of ideas, based in Navi Mumbai. This is an annual event, organized in December / January, brought to you by X-PiCAN, the Alumni Association of Pillai's College of Architecture (PiCA), New Panvel, Navi Mumbai.

3. Tekton

Tekton is a scholarly, refereed journal brought out under the aegis of the Mahatma Education Society, Mumbai and its Pillai College of Architecture, New Panvel, Navi Mumbai. It is published bi-annually (September and March) in both print and digital media. Tekton envisages to become a site of sustained critical engagement with diverse issues in architecture and built environment while framing debates within and across the disciplines. It is intended to become a forum for critical writings for young as well as established academics, scholars and practitioners in the fields of architecture, urban design and planning.

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