

## About SPAV

At SPAV, the academic focus and approach is a unique blend of design, creativity and objectivity with a social purpose. Students not only learn the skills required, but during the course of studies are exposed to thought-provoking and intellectually inspiring sessions, through studios, field trips and research projects, which brings out the creative best in them.



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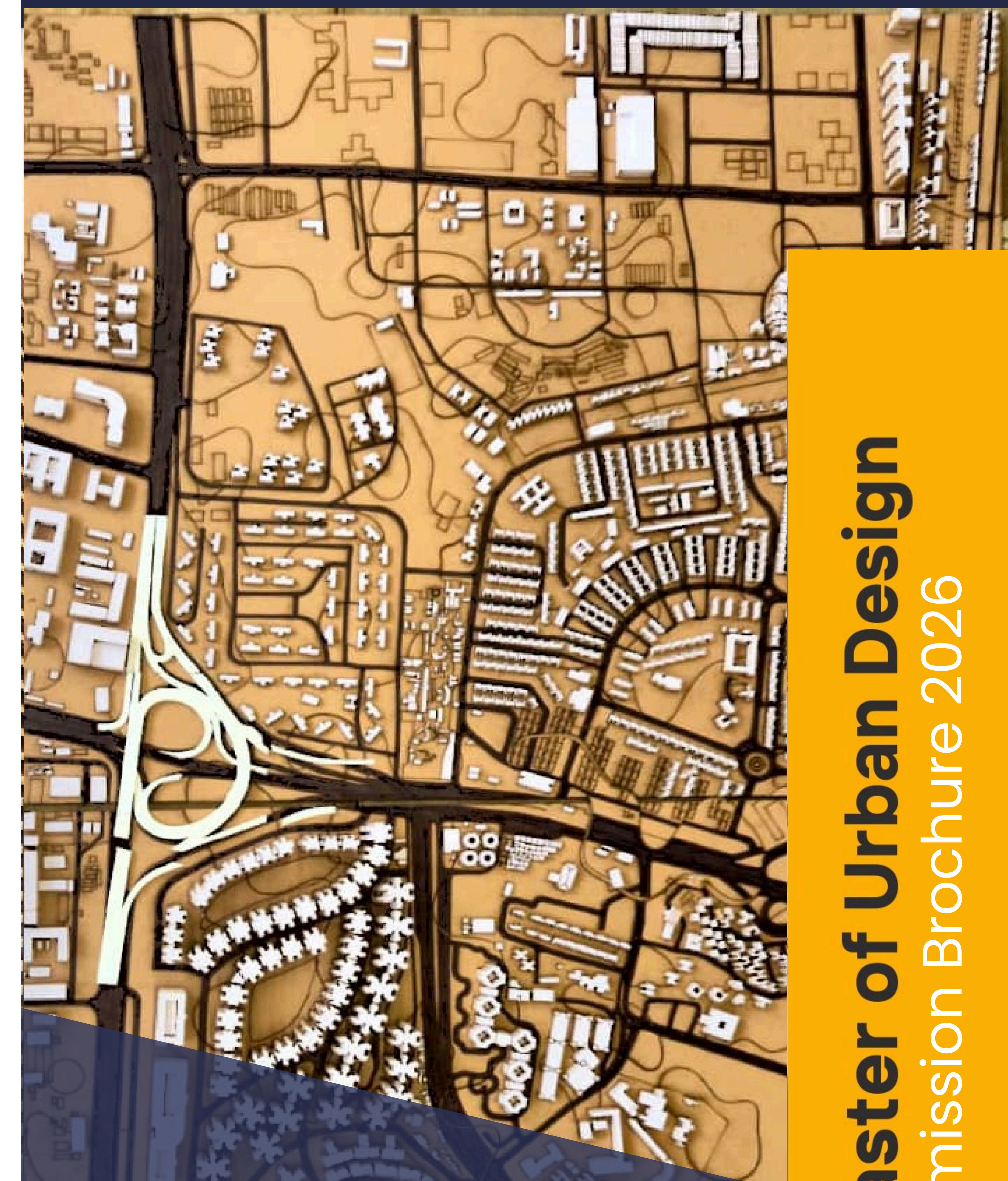
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**Master of Urban Design**  
Admission Brochure 2026

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The campus has ICT enabled teaching atmosphere, high end digital surveillance systems, modern laboratories, spacious studios and classrooms, open-air theatres, auditorium, cafeteria, and outdoor sports facilities. The various labs in the campus include:

**Computer Labs, Geoinformatics Lab, Art Lab, Landscape Lab, Material Testing Lab, Surveying Lab, Model making & Carpentry Lab, Climatology Lab, Conservation Lab, Environmental Monitoring Lab, Structural Lab**



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where cultures converge, stories begin

## About the Programme

The Programme offers perspectives on Urban interventions in complex urban environments considering various social, behavioral, environmental and historic factors for formulating design and development strategies.

The course offers documentation of dynamic aspects of growth and transformation in various cities and provides direction for further Urban development, Urban Redevelopment, Urban Renewal, Urban Conservation and new growth strategies at varying scales through broad range of subjects and interactive design studio projects.



### PROGRAM OUTLINE

The overall structure of the Curriculum is designed to focus on the student-centric and diverse learning that is required for the program, with scope for research and exploration. A strong theoretical foundation is very much essential to inform students about various dimensions and theories of Urban Design.

The curriculum is equipped with scope for more theoretical learning in the initial semesters. Core learning is through Studios and Labs in the course, which first orients students to various types of urban issues of varying scales and then develops guided Urban interventions at these varying scales.

Role of the lab in the second semester is to equip the students with the ongoing research worldwide and to instill a sense of research and inquiry into cities. The idea is to have higher emphasis on theoretical learning in the initial semesters and core learning as well as research in the later semesters.



### Eligibility

Bachelor's Degree in Architecture  
And as per the prevailing admission norms of SPAV

