

Architecture-World Interiors Day Celebration with IIID

## Brief Report on "World Interiors Day" held on 27th May, 2023

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Faculty of Architecture, Planning & Design at Integral University organized a vibrant and insightful event to commemorate World Interiors Day on 27th May, 2023 in the Seminar Hall of the Department of Architecture. The event aimed to create awareness about the significance of interior design in enhancing the quality of life and promoting sustainable environments. Members of the Indian Institute of Interior Designers (IIID) Lucknow Regional Chapter were invited to participate, share their expertise, and engage in fruitful discussions.

The event started with the welcome and introductory address of **Prof. Zeba Nisar**, Dean of Department of Architecture followed by **Prof.** (**Dr.**) **Safiullah Khan**, Head of Department of Architecture. They highlighted the importance of Interior Design and briefly discussed how to foster collaboration and knowledge exchange between the Department of Architecture and IIID Lucknow Regional Chapter. They also discussed how to provide a platform for professionals, students, and faculty to network and discuss emerging trends in interior design and promote sustainable and innovative design practices in interior architecture.

The event began with an inaugural session where representatives from the IIID Lucknow Regional Chapter - Ar. Vishal Jain (Chairperson), Ar. Prasenjit Sanyal (Chaiperson Elect.), Ar. Aviral Agarwal (Hon. Secretary), Mr. Sanjay Mittal (Vice Chairman), Ar. Rohit Gupta (Hon. Treasurer), and Ar. Parul Gurha (Jt. Hon. Secretary) shared insights on the significance of World Interiors Day and its impact on the profession. They discussed the role of interior design in creating environmentally friendly and energy-efficient spaces. Key concepts such as biophilic design, adaptive reuse, and sustainable materials were explored, emphasizing their importance in modern interior architecture.

A discussion was conducted, comprising prominent interior designers from the IIID Lucknow Regional Chapter, faculty members, and students. The experts shared their experiences, discussed current trends, and debated the challenges and opportunities in the field of interior design. Students had the opportunity to engage with experts and gain practical insights into different aspects of interior design. It offered a platform for students to receive feedback from industry professionals and faculty members.

The event facilitated networking opportunities between professionals, students, and faculty members. The event strengthened the bond between the Department of Architecture and the IIID Lucknow Regional Chapter, paving the way for future collaborations.

As part of the World Interiors Day celebration at the Department of Architecture, Integral University, a Certificate distribution ceremony was held to recognize and appreciate the students' efforts and participation in the outreach activity Nukkad Natak jointly hold by Department of Architecture and IIID Lucknow Chapter on 17-19 March 2023.

The ceremony aimed to recognize their dedication, teamwork, and creativity in bringing meaningful messages through their performances. Certificates were distributed to all the student participants who actively took part in the Nukkad Natak event. This approach ensured that each student received recognition for their involvement and contribution to the success of the event. During the certificate distribution ceremony, faculty members, event organizers, and distinguished guests delivered speeches appreciating the students' commitment and performances. The certificates served as a testament to the students' commitment and showcased their achievements in the field of performing arts and interior design. The ceremony not only honoured the students but also inspired them to continue their pursuit of excellence in the field of architecture and interior design.

The celebration of World Interiors Day at the Department of Architecture, Integral University, in collaboration with the IIID Lucknow Regional Chapter, was a resounding success. The event provided a platform for professionals, students, and faculty to come together, exchange ideas, and explore the latest trends in interior design. The event highlighted the importance of interior design in creating functional, aesthetically pleasing and environmentally conscious spaces, enriching the lives of individuals and communities.

The event closed with the vote of thanks by Prof. (Dr.) Safiullah Khan, Head- Department of Architecture. He expressed thanks to the resource members for sparing their expertise, University authorities, and Dean of Faculty of Architecture, Planning and Design for their valuable direction, management, and support.





