



**NITTE**

(Deemed to be University)

# **NITTE INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTURE**

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**Justice K S Hegde**  
Founder

## **About the Management**

Nitte Education Trust was founded in 1979 by Late Justice K S Hegde, former Judge of the Supreme Court of India and Speaker of the Lok Sabha. Justice Hegde strongly believed that education is pivotal to the overall progress of a community and this vision led to the birth of Nitte Education Trust. His legacy is being continued by his son, Mr N Vinaya Hegde.

# HALL OF FAME

## **NITTE**

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**QS ASIA  
UNIVERSITY  
RANKING 2022  
401-450 BAND**

## **NITTE**

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**QS INDIA  
UNIVERSITY  
RANKING 2020  
56-60 BAND**

## **NITTE**

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**NIRF 2021  
UNIVERSITY  
RANKING  
77**

## **NITTE**

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**NAAC  
ACCREDITATION  
A+ GRADE**

## **NITTE**

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**THE  
IMPACT  
RANKINGS 2021  
401-600 BAND**

## **NITTE**

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**QS I-GAUGE INDIA  
UNIVERSITY  
RATING 2019  
DIAMOND**

## **ABSMIDS**

**NIRF 2021  
DENTAL RANKING**

**6**

## **KSHEMA**

**NIRF 2021  
MEDICAL RANKING**

**45**

## **NGSMIPS**

**NIRF 2021  
PHARMACY RANKING**

**45**

## **NMAMIT**

**NIRF 2021  
ENGINEERING RANKING**

**138**

## **NMIT**

**NIRF 2021  
ENGINEERING RANKING**

**168**

## **NGSMIPS**

**NBA  
BPHARM  
ACCREDITED**

## **NMAMIT NMIT**

**NBA  
BE PROGRAMS  
ACCREDITED**

## **NMAMIT NMIT | NIA**

**AICTE-CII SURVEY 2020  
HIGH INDUSTRY LINKAGES**

**PLATINUM**

# NITTE INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTURE

## About the Institution

Nitte Institute of Architecture (NIA), Mangaluru was established in 2015 with the vision of building a learning campus that supports creative exploration and nurtures the journey of students towards a meaningful architectural practice. With its energetic, innovative and vibrant approach to architectural education, NIA is on its way to becoming a world-class institution. The school has been envisioned as a centre for excellence in tropical architecture with partners across the world and plans to introduce undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs in urban planning, conservation, interior design, arts and product design in the near future.

NIA is a constituent college of Nitte (Deemed to be University), among the top 100 universities in India. The University has been accredited with an 'A+' grade by the National Assessment & Accreditation Council (NAAC). The college offers a 5-year Bachelor in Architecture program that is approved by the Council of Architecture (CoA) and the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE).



The curriculum at NIA is designed to incorporate hands-on practical training with theory-based education so that students learn by 'doing'. They can explore design through materials such as clay and wood. Structures are taught using models and real-life scenarios and students work with design professionals and learn under their supervision. An impactful architectural education at NIA is a given, but apart from that, students will also learn real-life skills that will make them market-ready for a fruitful professional career.

# Vision

To build a learning campus that provides a boundary-less zone of creative exploration and nurtures the journey of young minds towards a sustainable architectural practice informed by a deep understanding of people, places and natural systems.

# Mission

- To teach students how to discover, learn about and engage with architecture rather than teach architecture.
- To encourage design excellence through rigorous theoretical training, experiential learning, critical thinking, innovative pedagogy, craft and skill-building, dialogue and collaboration.
- To nurture holistic individuals who emerge as skilled professionals adept at harmoniously balancing human needs with the careful stewardship of nature.

# Faculty

## Director

**Prof Vinod Aranha** holds dual Masters' degrees in Architecture and Urban Planning from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (USA); a Certificate in Business Administration (UIUC) and LEED Accreditation from the US Green Building Council.

The faculty at NIA comprises a strong, committed and diverse group of professionals who specialize in different fields of design, and are involved in research. Students are taught by experienced architects and urban designers, artists and energy specialists, civil and mechanical engineers, ecologists and landscape designers that create a conducive experiential learning environment through hands-on methods.

The complete list of teaching faculty is available at [www.nia.nitte.edu.in](http://www.nia.nitte.edu.in)

# Bachelor of Architecture (BArch)

**Intake:** 40 | **Duration:** 5 years (10 semesters)

## Eligibility

Pass in 12th standard with 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics and also 50% marks in aggregate of the 12th standard examination.

**OR**

Pass in 10+3 Diploma Examination with Mathematics as compulsory subject, with minimum of 50% marks in aggregate.

Besides this, candidates are required to qualify in the National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) conducted by CoA.



## Admission Procedure

Candidates seeking admission to the BArch program are required to submit the Admission Enquiry form available on the homepage of [www.nitte.edu.in](http://www.nitte.edu.in) or through the link, [apply.nitte.edu.in](http://apply.nitte.edu.in)

On receipt of the same, the Admission Section will guide students with the process of registration and admission.

Candidates have to submit a creative portfolio along with grade reports and aptitude test scores for evaluation. Admission of eligible candidates to the BArch program is based on their aptitude, passion for the program and willingness to work hard consistently, apart from their performance in the qualifying examination. A personal interview will be part of the final assessment for admission.

The fee structure is made available on our website [www.nitte.edu.in](http://www.nitte.edu.in) under the head, Course Fee.

## Documents required for admission (Original + 3 attested copies)

- NATA score card
- 10th standard marks card/pass certificate for proof of date of birth
- 12th standard marks card/pass certificate
- Transfer certificate from the institution last attended
- Conduct certificate from the institution last attended
- Migration certificate from the Board of the institution last attended
- Physical fitness certificate from a registered medical practitioner
- Blood group certificate
- Aadhaar card copy of the student
- Photographs: Recent colour photo with white background, of resolution 300-600 dpi & size 35 mm x 45 mm (P.P size 5 Nos.) & size 20 mm x 25 mm (Stamp size 5 Nos.)

## Commencement of Classes

The classes commence in August each year.

## Scholarships

Government scholarships may be available to deserving candidates. Please contact the college or admissions office for more details.

## Careers in Architecture

- Building Energy Performance & Sustainability
- Architectural Journalism
- Building Conservation
- Building Photography
- Construction Management
- Graphic Design
- Interior Design
- Landscape Design
- Product Design
- Research & Academia
- Urban Design
- Urban Planning



# Facilities

## Hostel

The college provides safe, secure, clean and well-furnished hostels with hygienic vegetarian food. The hostel mess is maintained by an app “Paaka-shale” which gives students the freedom to pre-book their favorite non-vegetarian dishes apart from their regular vegetarian menu. Recreation facilities include indoor and outdoor games and television. A resident warden is available to ensure that students are safe. Healthcare requirements like doctor-on-call facility to handle medical emergencies are available. The hostel has zero tolerance towards ragging, use of tobacco and drug abuse. Security personnel are placed round-the-clock in all the hostels.

## Medicare

Students have easy access to medical and dental treatment at the 1000-bed multispecialty Justice K S Hegde Charitable Hospital and A B Shetty Dental College Hospital, both located in the campus.

## Student Wellness Centre

The Wellness Centre aims to create a stress-free campus by promoting a healthy lifestyle and positive mental health amongst students. It provides mentoring and counseling services for students in a confidential and supportive environment. The trained staff of the Centre offer a helpline for students in distress and assist in resolving academic, personal and social concerns.

## Transportation

Free shuttle buses ply between NIA and the University campus every half hour from 7:00 am to 4:30 pm. Free bus facilities are also available to pick and drop students from various parts of Mangaluru in the mornings and evenings. Use of bicycles and electric car for commuting within the campus is encouraged. This is an initiative taken to maintain a healthy lifestyle and a green campus.

## Library

NIA has a growing library with a well-curated collection of books. Students also have access to several online journals and over 5000 educational resources through USGBC educational resources portal.

## Computer Lab

Computers and digital media are powerful tools for exploring and presenting architectural ideas. NIA houses a state-of-the-art computer lab with the latest design and graphics software. A heavy-duty scanner and plotter are also available for student use.

## Workshop

The institution workshop includes a FabLab with an indoor and outdoor section. The FabLab has a state-of-the-art laser cutting machine and 3D printer. The indoor section is equipped with all the basic infrastructure required for model-making, wood working and metal working. The outdoor workshop has a ceramic unit and heavy wood and metalwork equipment. Stone carving, sculpture and serigraph are undertaken in the outdoor workshop.

## Gym

A full-fledged gym with treadmills, rowing machines and several other equipment is located in the University campus. Students can access the gym between 6:00 am and 10:00 pm. The services of professionally trained instructors are available.

## Happy NIA

Research indicates that happiness is the key to student success. The Happy NIA program started in collaboration with a group of health and well-being professionals, conducts talks, workshops and other programs that are intended to improve the happiness quotient among students and staff.





# PROGRAMS AT NITTE

COLLEGES	COURSES OFFERED
<b>NMAM Institute of Technology</b> (Nitte)	<b>BE: Artificial Intelligence &amp; Machine Learning   Biotechnology Civil   Computer &amp; Communication   Computer Science Electrical &amp; Electronics   Electronics &amp; Communication Information Science   Mechanical   Robotics &amp; Artificial Intelligence MTech   MCA   MBA   PhD</b>
<b>Nitte Meenakshi Institute of Technology</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>BE: Artificial Intelligence &amp; Data Science   Artificial Intelligence &amp; Machine Learning   Aeronautical   Civil   Computer Science Electrical &amp; Electronics   Electronics &amp; Communication Information Science   Mechanical MTech   MCA   MBA   PhD</b>
<b>K S Hegde Medical Academy</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>MBBS   MD.MS   MCh   PhD   MPH (Public Health) MHAHSM (Hospital Administration &amp; Health Systems Management) Fellowship Program in Interventional Pulmonology PG Diploma: Computed Tomography Technology Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technology BSc &amp; MSc: Anaesthesia &amp; OT Technology   Medical Imaging Technology Medical Lab Technology   Respiratory Therapy BSc: Renal Dialysis Technology   Radiation Therapy Technology</b>
<b>A B Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BDS   MDS   PhD   Fellowship Program in Oral Implantology</b>
<b>NGSM Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>DPharm   BPharm   PharmD   PharmD (Post Bacallaureate) MPharm   PhD</b>
<b>Nitte College of Pharmaceutical Sciences</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>DPharm   BPharm</b>
<b>Nitte Usha Institute of Nursing Sciences</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>GNM   PB BSc Nursing   BSc Nursing   MSc Nursing   PhD Post Basic Diploma in Dialysis Nursing</b>
<b>Nitte Institute of Physiotherapy</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BPT   MPT   PhD</b>
<b>Nitte Institute of Speech &amp; Hearing</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>B.ASLP (Audiology &amp; Speech Language Pathology)</b>
<b>Nitte University Centre for Science Education &amp; Research</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BSc (Honors) Biomedical Science MSc: Biomedical Science   Food Safety &amp; Biotechnology Microbiology   Biotechnology Marine Biotechnology (DBT sponsored)   PhD</b>
<b>Nitte Institute of Architecture</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BArch</b>
<b>Nitte School of Architecture</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>BArch   BPlanning</b>
<b>Nitte Institute of Communication</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BA (Honors) Media &amp; Communication MA (Media &amp; Communication)</b>
<b>Sarosh Institute of Hotel Administration</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BHM (Hotel Management)</b>
<b>Nitte Institute of Tourism &amp; Hospitality Studies</b> (Mangaluru)	<b>BSc (Hospitality Science)</b>
<b>Justice K S Hegde Institute of Management</b> (Nitte)	<b>MBA   PhD</b>
<b>Nitte School of Management</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>PGDM   Executive PGDM</b>
<b>Nitte School of Fashion Technology &amp; Interior Design</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>BSc: Fashion &amp; Apparel Design   Interior Design &amp; Decoration Diploma: Fashion Design   Interior Design</b>
<b>Dr NSAM First Grade College</b> (Nitte)	<b>BSc   BCom   BBA</b>
<b>Dr NSAM First Grade College</b> (Bengaluru)	<b>BCom   BBA   BA</b>
<b>Nitte Rukmini Adyanthaya Memorial Polytechnic</b> (Nitte)	<b>Diploma in Engineering: Civil   Computer Science Electrical &amp; Electronics   Electronics &amp; Communications   Mechanical Apparel Design &amp; Fabrication Technology</b>



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