

## **Greetings from MES School of Architecture!**

On the occasion of Sustainability day under the patronage of the Management of MESCE, It is our great pleasure to invite you to attend the second sustainable architecture event called **"VISTAARA"** hosted by Post graduate students of Sustainable Architecture to be held on October 23<sup>rd</sup> 2019 at MES School of Architecture.

Sustainability is an emerging field in India with thought leaders, design excellence and increased academic programs trying to bring in balance to the development pattern followed across developed and developing countries. The present development happening all around us is a boon and a bane. Due to various interconnected causes like explosion in human population, rapid urbanisation, evolution of a consumerist society with scant regard to nature, climate change is looming large with occurrences of disasters never heard before. India with its large population and large infrastructure development has also played a major role in it.

'VISTAARA 2018' provided a platform to create a convergence of minds to evolve an integrated pedagogy, practice and philosophy.

'VISTAARA 2019' aims to bring a collective involvement of specialists cutting across fields that would bring in healthy discussions and conclusions to revive climatic issues mainly the floods and landslides that was witnessed in the state.

The event is envisaged to include:

1. Panel discussions (environmentalist, economist, activist, senior geologist)
2. Expert Lecture
3. Academic Exhibitions
4. Cultural and Entertainment events.

The speakers and panellists for the event are:

- Ar. Sanjay Kanvinde - Architect - Partner in Kanvinde Rai & Choudhury, Delhi.
- Leo F. Saldanha - Coordinator of ESG, Environmental Law and Policy, Bangalore.
- Dr. Rajan Chungath - Environmentalist, Pattambi.
- Dr.K.G.Thara - Former Head of Disaster Management.
- Jafar Malik I. A.S. - Malappuram District Collector.
- Dr. Nazar Ahamed K.V. - Retired Senior Geologist, Malappuram.
- Dr. Visakh Varma - Economist, Ernakulam.
- Dr. Shyni Anilkumar - Assistant Professor, Department of Architecture and planning, NIT, Calicut

Event advisor is Prof. Sathya Prakash Varanashi (Principal Architect)  
Sathya consultants - Bengaluru

**Professionals from the architecture and building industries are expected to join us.**

Additionally, students from the colleges offering both postgraduate and undergraduate program from across India are expected to participate as delegates.

**To register please click on the link given below:**

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**Please honour us by taking part in the one-day event - 'VISTAARA 2019'**

**Date - 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019**

**Venue - Auditorium, MES College of Engineering, Kuttipuram.**