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Spotlight on India's hottest design innovators

SUMESSH MENON ASSOCIATES

Sumesh Menon

Conceived the firm more than a decade ago, Sumesh's firm specialises in high-end and bespoke residential and hospitality interiors. His work is at once familiar but also reveals surprises and new interpretations, embracing both the period and the modern. He loves being experimental with innovative design concepts as well as with new-age materials which has now practically become his forte. His design philosophy is simply to aim for "wow" and everything else falls into place. When it comes to designing, he asserts that it is a constant challenge to balance the practical with the desirable and inevitably design "balanced" spaces for their intended uses.

Having been published in several magazines and online portals, he has also received accolades as one of India's Top 10 Hospitality Designers.

ONGOING PROJECTS:

- Private luxury villa in La Mer Jumeirah, Dubai
- 6,000 sq ft beach restaurant at Radisson Galle, Sri Lanka



GPM ARCHITECTS & PLANNERS

Mitu Mathur

Mitu, an emerging architect and urban designer, is shaping India's built environment with a visionary approach to architecture and planning. As the Director of GPM Architects & Planners, she has been instrumental in driving the firm's growth since 2006, fostering a collaborative and interdisciplinary design ethos. With extensive experience across urban planning, institutional, commercial, and housing projects, Mitu challenges conventional architectural narratives to create innovative, future-ready solutions for India's rapidly evolving cities.

She also leads GPM's Design Research Team, delving into the dynamism of urban design and its socio-economic impact. Passionate about art appreciation, conservation, public domain design, project management systems, and urban laws, she seamlessly integrates these elements into her work. Under her leadership, GPM continues to be a pioneering force in architecture, urban development, engineering, and project management, collaborating with esteemed clients such as Delhi Metro, NBCC, DDA, APNHB, AWHO, and IOCL.

Committed to redefining urban spaces with efficiency and sustainability, she remains at the forefront of India's architectural transformation.

ONGOING PROJECTS:

- Courtyard by Marriott Resort, Rishikesh
- Udaipur Airport, Masterplan and New Terminal, Rajasthan

