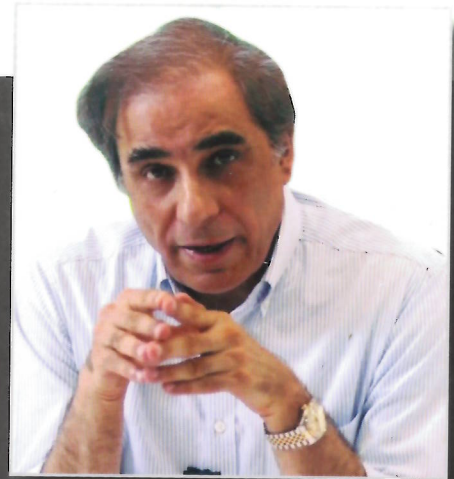


Covid-19 created a situation of a housing crisis for migrant laborers. With no buying power, there is a need for a development scheme that enables them to purchase a house for Rs. 2-3 lakhs.



Every architectural project undertaken has to be in consideration of the resources available and the climate change.

Ar Hafeez Contractor

On Social Housing & Multi-functional spaces

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- ❖ Before we discuss the relationship between architects and policy-makers, affordable housing for every citizen is one of the major concerns in contemporary India. About 50% of people in Mumbai, and elsewhere, live in dwellings known as the urban slums. Unless there aren't systematic efforts towards improvement, there can be no quality of life for them.
- ❖ Our work, plans, and designs for slum settlements have in fact shown the government that it is possible to provide slum dwellers with affordable pucca houses and that indeed such a development scheme is financially viable.

MARTHA THORNE

- ❖ One has to keep in mind the cultural context, climate, land, financial resources, and other socio-political differences when considering the development/evolution of existing or new architectural designs and plans.
- ❖ Across the globe, 25-30% of the population is living in some sort of slums.
- ❖ We need to think about the long-term objectives of affordable housing. In addition to being equipped with basic sanitation and security facilities, they also need

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to have workspaces and cultural centers for educational purposes, etc.

- ❖ In places where community serves an important function and there is little willingness to relocate, such as Brazil, consolidation, and improvement of existing sites is important than building new structures.

Importance of Pritzker Price

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- ❖ Real Pritzker lies with people's satisfaction and happiness. One should strive to offer services to people and do so in the most efficient and economical way.

MARTHA THORNE

- ❖ It is an area that is still under evolution and could be debated about at length.
- ❖ Different prizes seek to do different things. The gold medals are for people already in the profession. However, some awards recognize the service of not just architects, but also the clients and community for a specific building, a specific site.
- ❖ As far as Pritzker is concerned, it recognizes two aspects- service to humanity and the art of architecture. What it essentially rewards is the manner in which architects service the human community while taking forward the architecture discipline.



Architects can play a significant role in the reconfiguration of our built environment and rethinking our cities.

Martha Thorne

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