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Report on
ALUMNI SESSION- 2025

Date: 21st March 2025.

Session Type: Alumni Interaction Session

Venue: Knowledge Centre, Sector 70, Gurugram.

Mode of Activity: Offline

Target Group: SOAD Students

Coordinators: Ar. Praveen Gupta, Associate Professor, SOAD.

Organized by: School of Architecture and Design.

Number of Participants: 20

Resource Person: Ar. Priyom Banerjee, Organization : BIM Engineers, B. Arch, Batch - (2017-22)

As a part of the **DESIGN 2030 International Multidisciplinary Conference**, School of Architecture and Design (SOAD). K.R. Mangalam University successfully hosted the **Alumni Interaction Session 2025**, reconnecting with distinguished alumni to inspire and guide the current cohort of architecture students. This year's session proudly featured **Ar. Priyom Banerjee** & **Ar. Aina Sharma** both of whom shared their professional journeys, emphasizing sustainable design, global exposure, and the evolving role of architects in tackling real-world issues.

Aligned with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): SDG 4 – Quality Education: By engaging alumni in academic discourse, the session enriched student learning through practical insights and mentorship. SDG 11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities: The dialogue revolved around architectural approaches that are environmentally responsible and socially inclusive. SDG 17 – Partnerships for the Goals: Discussions on international collaboration and networking highlighted the value of global partnerships in professional development.

During the session, Ar. Aina Sharma underscored the significance of community-centric and contextresponsive architectural solutions, while Ar. Priyom Banerjee stressed the necessity of technological proficiency and international cooperation to remain relevant in a rapidly evolving industry. An engaging Q&A segment saw students exploring topics such as internships, work-life balance, emerging design trends, and career opportunities abroad. The session fostered a collaborative and motivating environment, strengthening the bond between alumni and the university.

The **Alumni Session 2025** served not only as a platform for learning and dialogue but also as a testament to K.R. Mangalam University's ongoing commitment to global excellence and sustainable innovation in education.



Photo 1: Introduced Alumni's



Photo 2: Mementos being presented to Alumni by faculty coordinator