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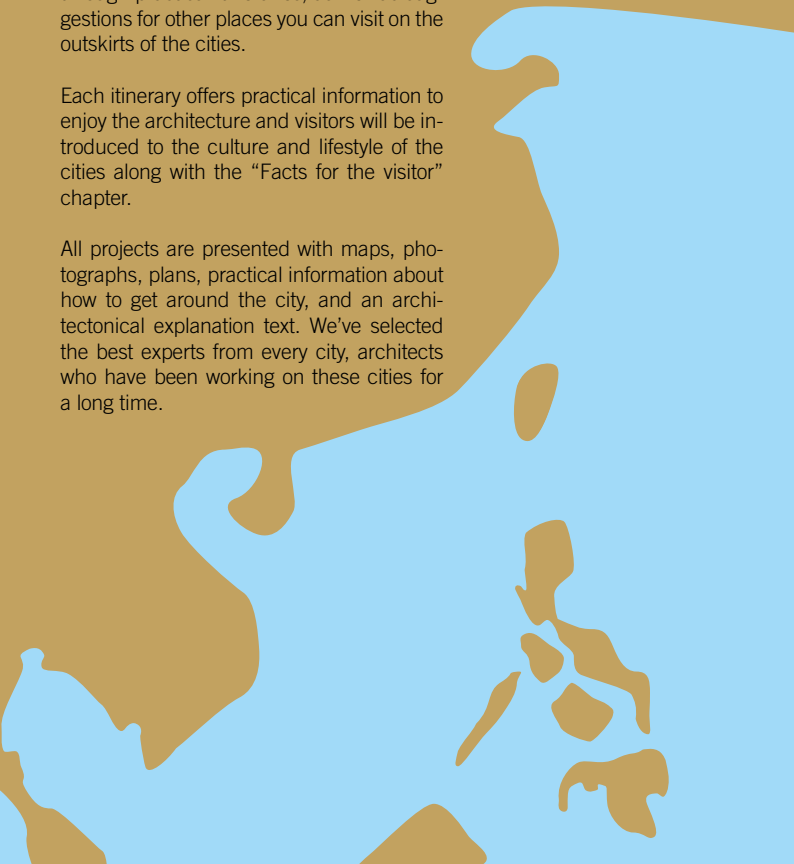


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All projects are presented with maps, photographs, plans, practical information about how to get around the city, and an architectural explanation text. We’ve selected the best experts from every city, architects who have been working on these cities for a long time.



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CHANDIGARH

Vikramāditya Prākash

Chandigarh is a unique city, besides being one of the newest cities of the twentieth century that is characterized by the seal of Le Corbusier. Although visiting the city you will also find the work of a large team of modernist Indian architects.

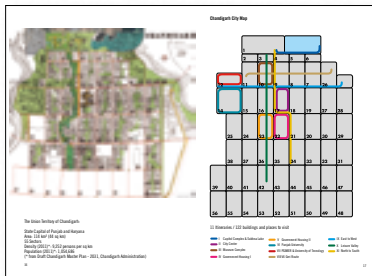
That guide to Chandigarh is into its 2nd printing! Now that parts of the city have acquired World Heritage Status, and the public infrastructure to facilitate architectural tourism is vastly enhanced.

We hope this Guide is of even more use than before.

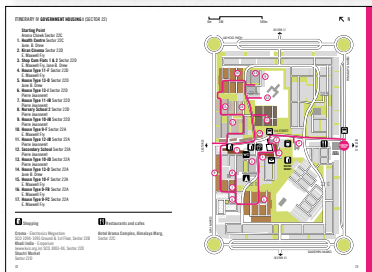


NEW FEATURE

The guide includes QR codes locations on Google Maps for each building



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The information is organized by itineraries are designed to cater to a range of architectural interests and individual availabilities of time.

To facilitate the reader, there is an index of buildings organized by name and architect as a ready reference.

The guide is fully equipped with graphics and maps to help you navigate through the itineraries and the city.



The itineraries are skillfully divided by time, so that you can plan your visit according to the time you'll be spending in The City Beautiful.

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UDAIPUR

Shikha Jain

Udaipur is a historic city founded as the capital of Mewar kingdom by Maharana Udai Singh. Set in a basin within a network of seven lakes, Udaipur is one of the most picturesque cultural landscapes in the state.

Udaipur, a living heritage guide will introduce the visitor to the entire range of resplendent Mewari art and architecture of the city. It covers architectural marvels from across various historical periods, architectural typologies, and artistic styles. The book include an entire itinerary devoted to the City Palace, as well as a suggestions for buildings and spots that are worth a visit like Chittorgarh, Kumbhalgarh and Ranakpur.



An Altrim and MMCF (Udaipur) publication

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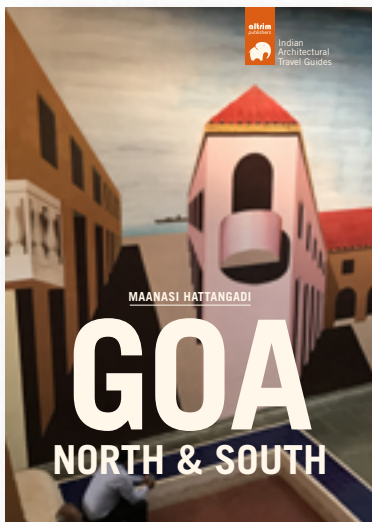
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GOA, NORTH AND SOUTH

Maanasi Hattangadi

Goa was colonised by the Portuguese till as late as 1961 and thus, this era characterises much of its contemporary patterns. The settlement fabric of Goa at the best spans out as a rural network of villages with only a handful of urban centres. The architecture bears strong Indo-Portuguese influences. In contemporary practices, ample experimentation and application is taking place with materials additionally to planned interventions and local techniques.



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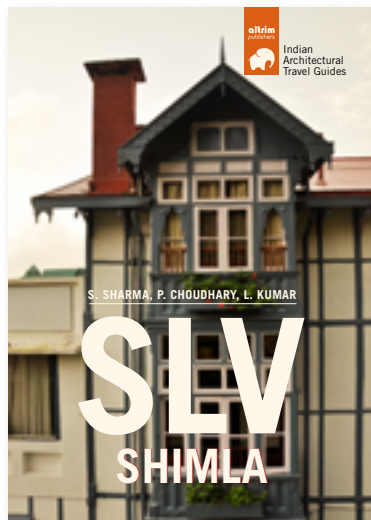
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SHIMLA

Saumya Sharma,
Prabha Choudhary, Lovnish Kumar

Shimla, a small town located in the midst of the beautiful Himalayas of the Imperial Government in India. Eventhough, over the years, Shimla has witnessed and is still undergoing a lot of varied construction, the resonance of the bygone British Era is still a prominent aspect of the town's character. Replete with beautiful walks among the mighty deodars and a frequent encounter with the unique architecture of the British era that exists at its 'blended best', a visit to Shimla will be made more lucrative through this extensive guide.



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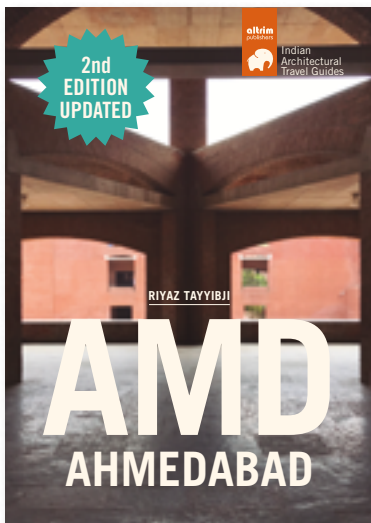
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AHMEDABAD

Riyaz Tayyibji

This is the second, updated, and extended edition of the immensely popular guide to Ahmedabad. The guide has been formulated in a way to add convenience to your travel. The entire book has been structured around six splendid itineraries which have been assembled geographically. This way, the visitor can plan his/her tours with ease and travel conveniently. But as much as the itineraries are geographical, they are historical as well.



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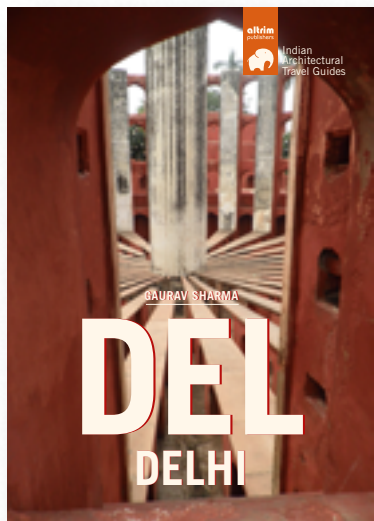
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DELHI

Gaurav Sharma

Few cities in the world match the diversity and richness of Delhi's architecture. Delhi has served as the capital of various empires and has been a melting pot of diverse cultures. The architecture of Delhi ranges from battered ancient citadels to lived modern housing, medieval step-wells to Mughal masterpieces, Indo-Islamic tombs to contemporary cultural centres, colonial edifices to organic urban villages. The guide negotiates and unravels the built legacy of one of the largest and oldest megacities on the planet. Its easy itineraries create encounters with the best of Delhi's architecture.



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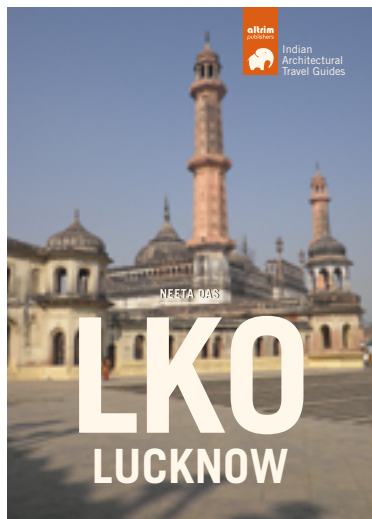
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LUCKNOW

Neeta Das

Lucknow flourished first under the Nawabs, then under the British in 1856, and finally as the capital city of Uttar Pradesh in independent India. One can see the 'playful' and 'eclectic' buildings of the 18th century as the builders experimented with the traditional 'Mughal' styles and the more exotic 'European' architecture. This then moves on to the 19th century power statements made by the British into the called 'colonial' architecture. Finally one can see Art Deco and early Modern examples of architecture which effortlessly blend into the contemporary.



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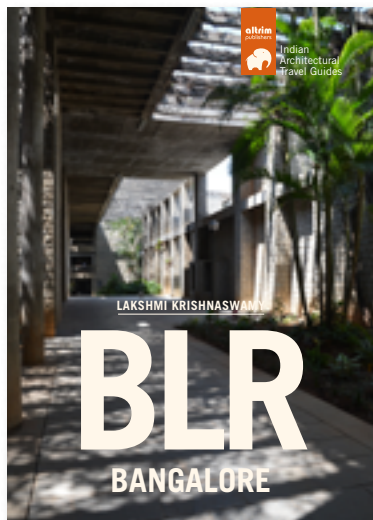
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BANGALORE

Lakshmi Krishnaswamy

Bangalore, the third-largest city of India, is a young city. The exponential growth and inflow related to the IT sectors confers the city a spot in the global imagination. Although contemporaneous, the city has deep cultural and ecological continuities in the peninsular region, at once nourished and refracted by its colonial inheritances. You will find a rich typology of buildings from temples, forts and palaces to the administrative buildings that supported the Mysore state and later, the establishments of the British Cantonment. Post-independence, the building practices ranged from a few neo-colonial buildings to strong experiments in regional modernism.



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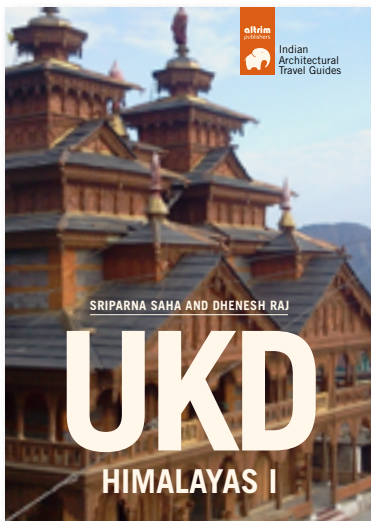
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UTTARAKHAND - HIMALAYAS I

Sriparna Saha and Dhenesh Raj

Uttarakhand is frequently referred to as Dev Bhumi – Land of Gods. However, this deluge of devotion often eclipses the rich architectural heritage of the region – be it the 1000 year old seismic resistant multistorey fortress homes (pherols) dotting the hillsides, the traditional longhouses (bakhlis) located in a linear manner on the sunlit terraces, the wood stone temples off Lord Mahasu adorned with intricate wooden carvings, the remnants of caravansarais tucked into the hillsides along the connectors to the Silk Route the list can go on and on.



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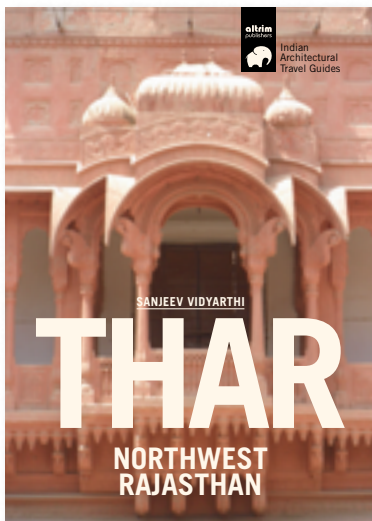
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THAR - NORTHWEST RAJASTHAN

Sanjeev Vidyarthi

The architectural travel guidebook of the desert cities of Jodhpur, Bikaner and Jaisalmer is named after the Great Indian Thar Desert. The guide brings out the architectural marvels of the three major medieval capital cities of western Rajasthan. The travel guide book, brings together the unique classical and vernacular examples of built environment, since the book covers a larger region, some popular built sites between these three desert cities have also been incorporated.



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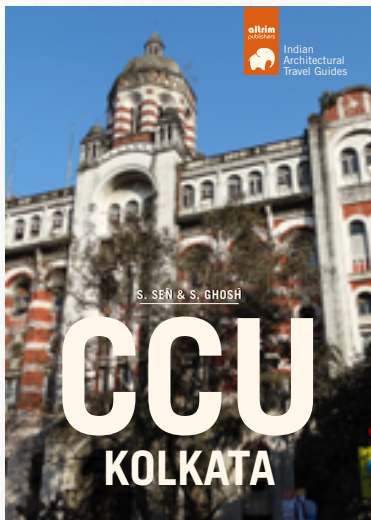
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KOLKATA

Siddharta Sen and Sudeshna Ghosh

Fashioned by the colonial British government in the manner of a grand European capital, the city has grown assimilating the strong Western influences and overcoming the limitations of its colonial legacy in order to find its own unique identity. With this useful guide, you will see Kolkata's architectural transformation, through various routes designed to cater to your architectural interests and the time at your disposal. The guide includes suggestions for buildings that are worth a visit in the former European colonies located in the outskirts and the neighboring city of Howrah.



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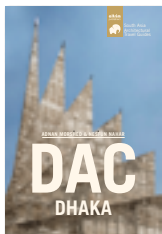
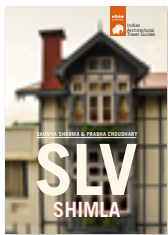
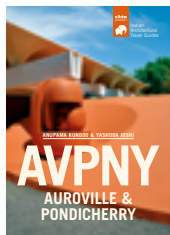
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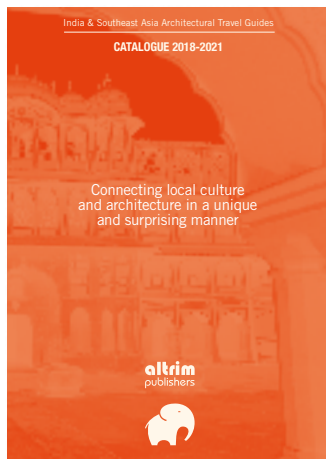
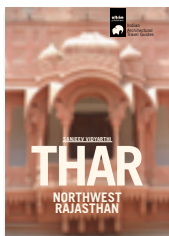
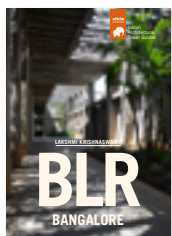
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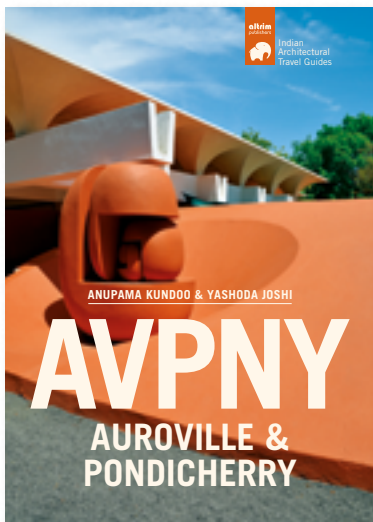


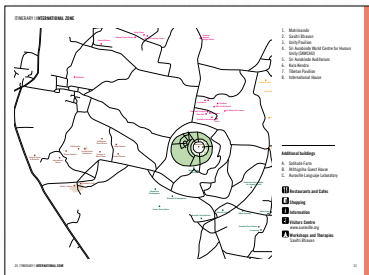
AUROVILLE & PONDICHERRY

Anupama Kundoo and Yashoda Joshi

Auroville had a remarkable inception. Founded in 1968, based on the vision of the sage and philosopher Sri Aurobindo and his spiritual partner, the Mother, who sought to create a new paradigm for humanity, Auroville was announced to the world as the city of the future and a city of universal culture. Its aim, an actual human unity.

Pondicherry also has a stimulating cross-cultural history; hence, its built form lends to the town, a unique identity. One can witness a subtle blend of Tamil and French architecture. While maintaining their individual identities, the two styles influence one another, evolving into a magnificent synthesis.





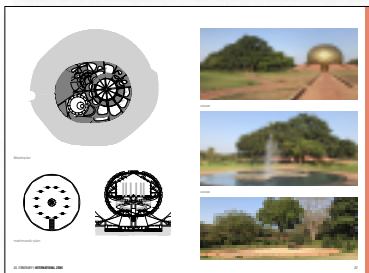
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This book is organized
in eight itineraries.
There are five itineraries for
Auroville, structured around
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town, which is divided into
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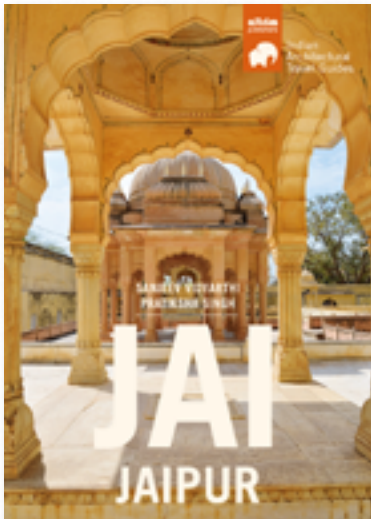
The three itineraries for Pondi-
cherry are structured around
the two main geographical
zones of the city, the French
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JAIPUR

Sanjeev Vidyarthi and Pratiksha Singh

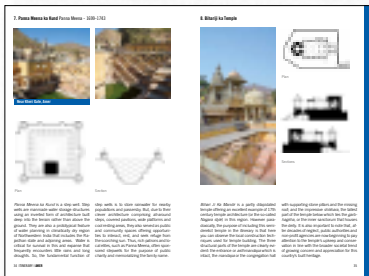
Jaipur is a melting pot of Rajput, Mughal and several other cultures and is also the seat of a generous amount of vernacular tradition. Unlike many other texts that focus mostly on the city's princely past, this book is premised on the simple notion that Jaipur is a living city. Rulers along with the residents and users, built the city purposefully and continuously even as the many regime-changes, shifting social needs, and contemporary cultural preferences influenced their collective work.



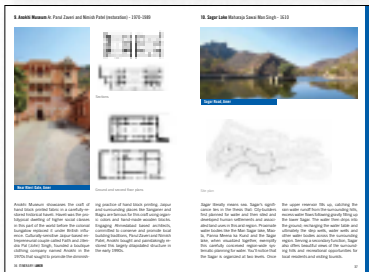


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This book is organized in
seven itineraries representing
some of the most significant
aspects of Jaipur's citywide
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historic capital preceding
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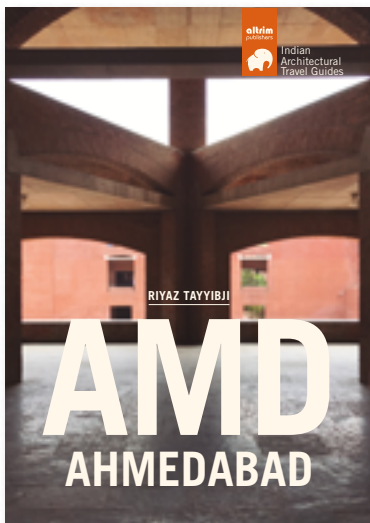
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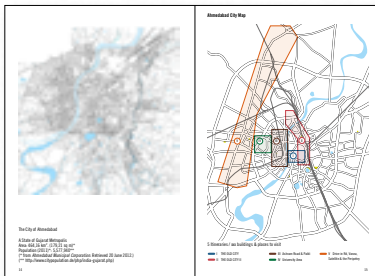


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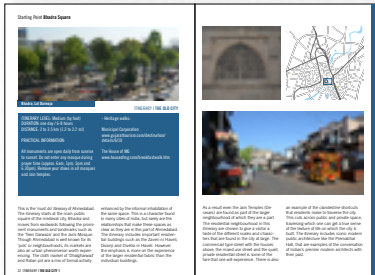
Ahmedabad, located in the western Indian state of Gujarat was founded during the surge of Islamic conquests that had swept through India. It was established in 1411 by a nobleman, Ahmed Shah, who had rebelled against his overlords in Delhi. Post independence after 1947, patronage and support from an enlightened business class drew artists, architects etc, and the city would be shaped by the presence of eminent architects and designers like Le Corbusier, A. Calder, B. Fuller, the Eames, F. Otto and L. Kahn. A. Kanvinde, B.V. Doshi, Ch. Correa and A. Rajee began their careers in this city.



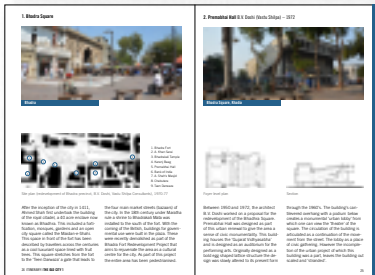


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 around five itineraries which
 have been compiled geo-
 graphically. Buildings in a par-
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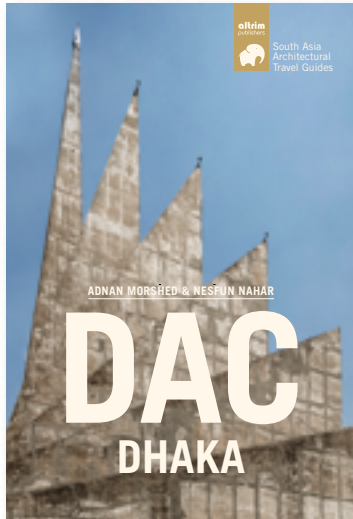


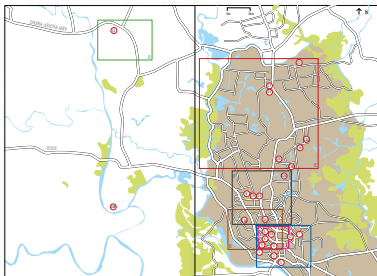
DHAKA

Adnan Morshed and Nesfun Nahar

This guidebook focuses on 25 buildings, representing different architectural phases since the Mughal era, starting in the early 17th century, to the contemporary Bait ur Rouf Mosque, a 2016 Aga Khan Award for Architecture. The aim is to narrate the stories of the city through the buildings that played transformative roles in its architectural formation.

The featured buildings communicate larger ideas of the city's building tradition, represent an architectural trend, influence the architectural scene, and offer a spatial story on the evolution of the city.

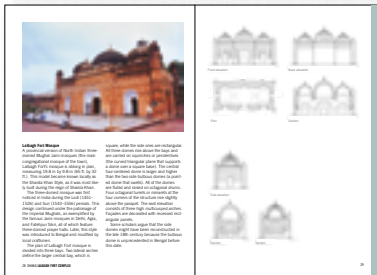
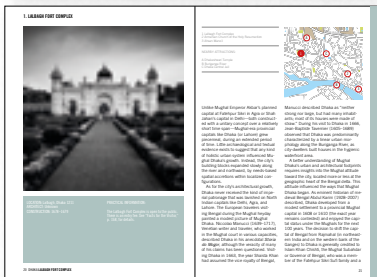




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As a traveler's resource, this
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 anced architectural and urban
 histories of these buildings,
 along with maps, drawings,
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 practical information, such as
 Dhaka's climate; languages;
 travel, hotel, and restaurant
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 kets and shops, among other
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AMD - Ahmedabad

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DAC - Dhaka

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Pratiksha Singh studied at the JJ school of Architecture, University of Mumbai, where she meets S. Vidyarthi. In 1991 they moved to the city of Jaipur in 1991, they taught in local architecture schools and researched Jaipur's spatial development in the post-independence period.

AVPNY - Auroville & Pondicherry

Dr. Anupama Kundoo is a graduated from Sir JJ College of Architecture, University of Mumbai, and received her PhD degree from the TU Berlin in 2008. She has worked, researched and leached in a variety of cultural contexts across the world, including her huge experience in Auroville.

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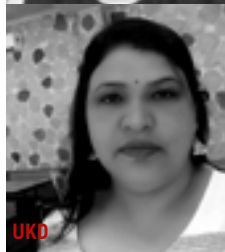
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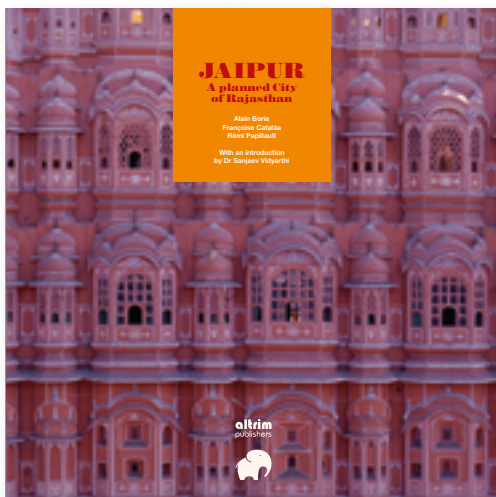


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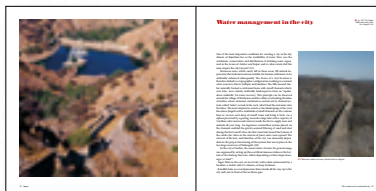


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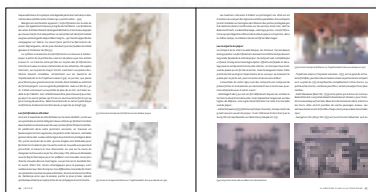
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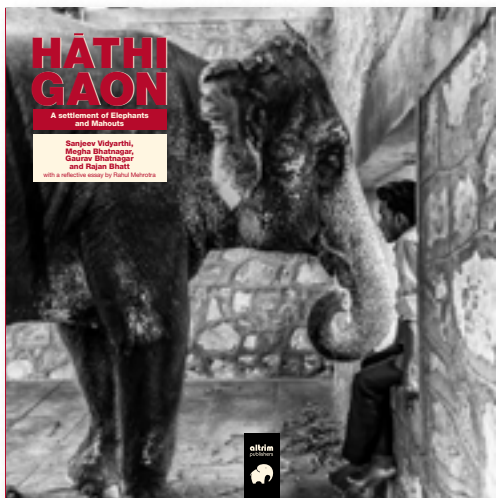
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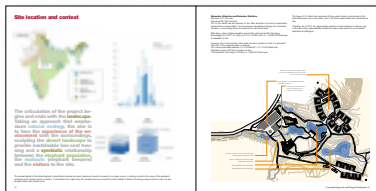
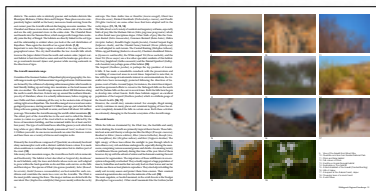
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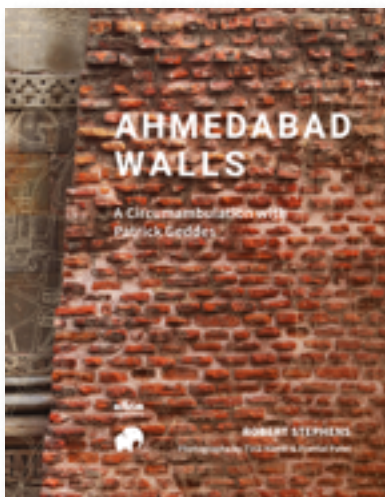
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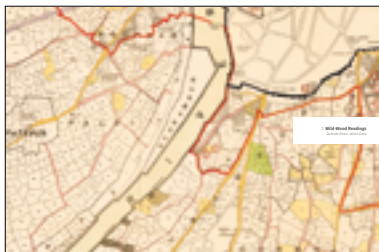
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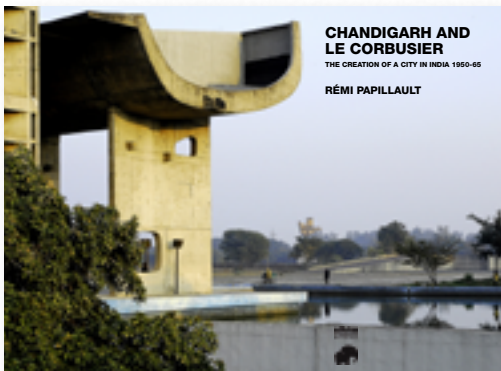
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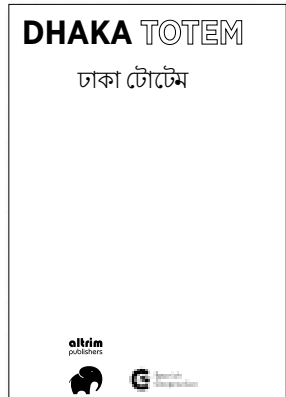


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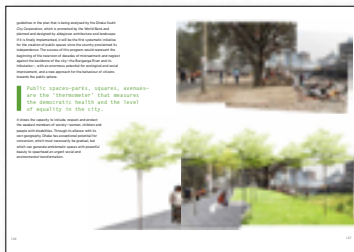




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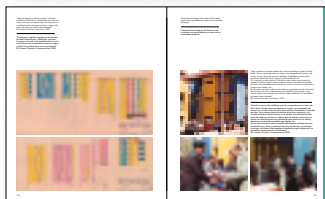


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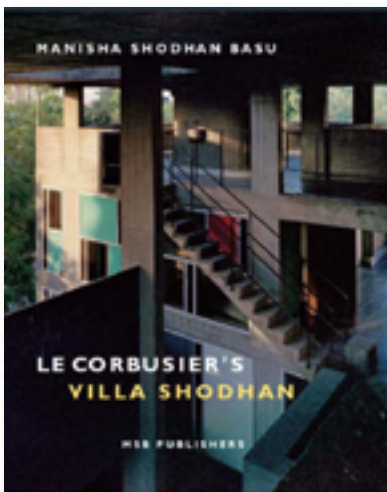
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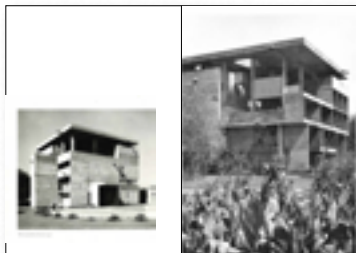
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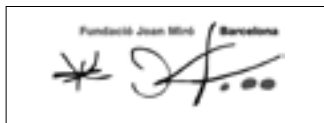
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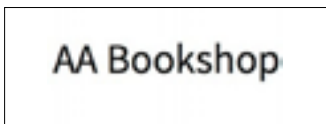
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