

**BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE (B.Arch.)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2017**

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**BAR-015 : CULTURE AND BUILT FORMS – II**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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1. Discuss the idea of architecture as a reflection of a society and its culture. 14
  
2. Picking any one building from history (not later than 1900 CE), show how it may be seen as a reflection of those times. 14
  
3. Compare the plan forms of any two river valley civilizations, giving supporting reasons. 14
  
4. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :  $2 \times 7 = 14$ 
  - (a) Cross-cultural similarities in pre-industrial settlement forms
  - (b) Slums as the new vernacular built form
  - (c) Role of the architect in history and today

5. “To be truly sustainable today, the built form has to employ cutting-edge technology.” Comment. *14*
  6. Give some examples of vernacular architecture which are a response to the local climate. *14*
  7. “The Greek buildings displayed an inherent respect and understanding of the sites on which the buildings were built.” Comment. *14*
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