



## School of Planning and Architecture: Vijayawada

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### Department of Architecture

**Course: ARC4225- Computer Aided Design and Simulations (Elective II)**

**Instructors:** Vijesh Kumar V

**Contact Periods/ week:** 01(L) + 03(T) periods.(50 min each)

**Time Table:** Monday (Period 1-3)

**Attendance:** Min 75%

**Class:** IVnd Yr B. Arch VIII Sem A.Y. 2023-24

**Internal Assessment:** 50

**External Theory Exam:** 50

**Total Marks:** 100

**Credits:** 3

**Min. Passing Marks:** 40% each in Internal & External Assessment, 40% in Aggregate

**Objective:** Empowering students to use computers as 2D drafting and 3D modelling tool and to familiarize realistic rendering and architectural presentation techniques using computers.

**Out Line of the Course:**

#### LECTURE PLAN

WEEK	DATE	TOPIC OF CLASS LECTURE & DISCUSSION	TOPIC OF STUDIO WORK & ASSIGNMENTS / REMARKS
1	08-Jan-24	Introduction	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
2	15-Jan-24	<b>Holiday</b>	<b>Makar Sankranti</b>
3	22-Jan-24	Introduction to Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Basic Tools	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
4	29-Jan-24	2D/3D Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Data Management - Lists	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
5	05-Feb-24	2D/3D Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Data Management - Trees	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
6	12-Feb-24	2D/3D Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Surface Modelling	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
7	19-Feb-24	2D/3D Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Surface Modelling	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab, <b>Internal Marks 1</b>
8	26-Feb-24	<b>Mid-semester Review</b>	

9	04-Mar-24	2D/3D Parametric Modelling using Grasshopper visual scripting - Breps Geometry	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
10	11-Mar-24	Visualization and Animation Software	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
11	18-Mar-24	Simulation Algorithms - Introduction	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
12	25-Mar-24	Algorithms - View Analysis	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
13	01-Apr-24	Algorithms - Water Flow Analysis	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
14	08-Apr-24	BIM using Revit - Preparation of Schedules	Lecture, Exercises, Computer Lab
15	15-Apr-24	Review	<b>Internal Marks 3</b>

S. No.	Stages of Evaluation	Weightage
1	First stage: Assessment –1	15
2	Second stage: Mid-semester Examination	20
3	Third stage: Assessment –3	15
	Total	50

**Reference Books:**

1. Bark, S. (2012). An Introduction to Adobe Photoshop. Ventus Publishing ApS, Sheffield.
2. Gindis, E. (2014). Up and Running with AutoCAD 2015: 2D & 3D Drawing and Modelling. Oxford : Elsevier.
3. Seidler, D. R. (2007). Digital Drawing for Designers: A Visual Guide to AutoCAD 2012. London : Fairchild Publications.
4. Smith, B. L. (2007). 3ds Max 2008 Architectural Visualization Beginner to Intermediate. Sarasota : 3DATS.
5. Tutorials: <http://www.lynda.com/>

**Course Instructors:**

Asst. Prof. Vijesh Kumar V

**Head of Department/Coordinator:**