

## NIRMA UNIVERSITY

<b>Institute:</b>	<b>INSTITUTE OF DESIGN</b>
<b>Name of Programme:</b>	<b>BACHELOR OF DESIGN</b>
<b>Course Code:</b>	
<b>Course Title:</b>	<b>Twentieth Century Design</b>
<b>Course Type:</b>	( <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Core</b> / <input type="checkbox"/> Value Added Course/ <input type="checkbox"/> Departmental Elective/ <input type="checkbox"/> Institute Elective/ <input type="checkbox"/> University Elective/ <input type="checkbox"/> (Open Elective Any other)
<b>Year of introduction:</b>	<b>Academic Year 2024-25</b>

### Credit Scheme

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### Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- Understand the multiple contexts of design as it has evolved in the twentieth century and into the twenty-first century and the ways in which the discipline has been an agent and mirror of change.  
BL2
- Articulate their understanding of key global design movements and influential designers of the twentieth century in their social and political contexts.  
BL2, BL4
- Articulate their understanding of how global design ideas made an impact in India  
BL2, BL4

### Contents:

**Total Teaching hours: 45**

Units	Contents	Teaching hours
<b>Unit 1</b>	<b>Design and Modernity: 1900-1945</b> Modernism, Modernization, Modernity Modern design Bauhaus, Ulm and their global impact Design Movements and Designers 1900-1945	9
<b>Unit 2</b>	<b>Design in India: 1900-1945</b> Modernism and the Princely States Print cultures Swadeshi Movement and design for industry Design in the Gandhian Movement	6
<b>Unit 3</b>	<b>Design and Post-Modernity, 1945-1990</b> Technology, Commerce and Consumerism Design Manifestos and Design for the Real World Post-modernism and Design Design Movements and Designers 1945-1990	9
<b>Unit 4</b>	<b>Design in India: 1945-1990</b> Design for National Identity and early Nation-building	6

	Establishment of institutions for design education Indian brands and print cultures Advertising and the coming of television Design for development	
<b>Unit 5</b>	<b>Designing the New Century: 1990 to the present</b> Design in the Digital Age Sustainability and Social Responsibility Inclusion, Justice and Designs for the Pluriverse Design Movements and Designers 1990 to the present	9
<b>Unit 6</b>	<b>Design in India: 1990 to the present</b> Arrival of global brands digital technologies and electronic media Platform capitalism and Service Design Design in the vernacular/ design for India's diversity Design and Indian identity	6

<b>Self Study</b>	
<b>Suggested Readings/References</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Balaram, S. <i>Thinking Design</i>. New Delhi: Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd 2011</li> <li>2. Costanza-Chock, Sasha. <i>Design Justice: Community-Led Practices to Build the Worlds We Need</i>. Cambridge: MIT Press. 2020</li> <li>3. Escobar, Arturo. <i>Designs for the Pluriverse - Radical Interdependence, Autonomy, and the Making of Worlds</i>. Durham: Duke University Press. 2018</li> <li>4. Julier, Guy. <i>Thames and Hudson Encyclopedia of 20th Century Design and Designers</i>. United Kingdom: Thames and Hudson. 1993</li> <li>5. Kaplan, Geoff [Ed]. <i>After the Bauhaus, Before the Internet: A History of Graphic Design Pedagogy</i>. New York No Place Press 2022</li> <li>6. Klein, Naomi. <i>No Logo</i>. New York: Harper Collins. 2000</li> <li>7. Margolin, V. <i>World History of Design Vols 1 and 2</i>. United Kingdom: Bloomsbury Academic. 2015</li> <li>8. Poulin, Richard. <i>Graphic Design and Architecture: A 20th Century History: A Guide to Type, Image, Symbol and Visual Storytelling in the Modern World</i>. Massachusetts: Rockport Publishers 2012</li> <li>9. Raizman, David. <i>History Of Modern Design: Graphic and Products Since the Industrial Revolution</i>. United Kingdom: Kaurence King Publishing 2016</li> <li>10. Sparke, Penny. <i>100 Designs for A Modern World</i>. USA: Sikra Rozzoli Publications. 2016</li> <li>11. Sparke, Penny. <i>Introduction To Design and Culture: 1900 to the Present</i>. United Kingdom Routledge Taylor and Francis Group 2013</li> <li>12. Vyas, H. K. <i>Design, the Indian Context: Learning the Historical Rationale of the Indian Design Idiom</i>. Ahmedabad: National Institute of Design.2000</li> </ol>

	<p>13. Woodham, Jonathan M. <i>Twentieth-Century Design</i> Oxford: Oxford University Press. 1997</p> <p><u>Viewing list</u> India's greatest architect Charles Correa <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1-RHDPoOsps">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1-RHDPoOsps</a> Mega Factories - IKEA <a href="https://dragontv.ssis-suzhou.net/media/megafactories-ikea-documentary">https://dragontv.ssis-suzhou.net/media/megafactories-ikea-documentary</a></p>
<b>Suggested Case List</b>	
<b>Suggested field visits</b>	<p>NID Archives CEPT Archives IIM Archives</p>

w.e.f. Academic Year 2024-25 and onwards