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Keynote Lecture

Brinda Somaya

Brinda Somaya is an architect and urban conservationist. She studied architecture at Mumbai University and at Smith College in Northampton, USA, after which she started her Mumbai-based practice Somaya and Kalappa Consultants in 1978. Somaya is a member of the National Advisory Board of NCSHS (National Centre for Safety of Heritage Structures) and is a member of the Editorial Board for MARG Architectural Books. She was also on the IAWA board of Advisors (International Archives of Women in Architecture), chaired a conference and organized an exhibition in Mumbai on the Work of Women Architects with a focus on South Asia.

Over the years, Somaya has won numerous awards, including the 2004 UNESCO Asia-Pacific Heritage award for the restoration of the St. Thomas' Cathedral in Mumbai, and the Leading European Architects Forum award for the new Nalanda Schools Campus in Baroda in 2006. She was the first woman to have won the Wienerberger Golden Architect Award for lifetime achievement in 2007 and was awarded the Indian Institute of Architects - Baburao Mhatre Gold Medal for Lifetime Achievement in 2014. Somaya has delivered talks and presented papers in India and abroad on her work and related subjects.



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