Keynote Lecture

Christopher Benninger

Christopher Benninger studied urban planning at MIT and architecture at Harvard University where he later taught. He settled in India in 1971, founding the School of Planning at Ahmedabad, where he continues as a Distinguished Professor.

His firm, Christopher Charles Benninger Architects, has recently been awarded one of India’s most sought after commissions: The Azim Premji University at Bengaluru; and the Indian Institute of Technology at Hyderabad, along with the Indian Institute of Management at Kolkata. The Supreme Court of Bhutan designed by CCB&A was inaugurated recently by Prime Minister of India establishing democracy in the Himalyan Kingdom. His city and regional planning works range from Sri Lanka, across India to Bhutan.

His recent book, Letters To A Young Architect, focuses on the practice of architecture in transforming societies directed specifically at young architects and students.

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