STUDIO Ai+FD A SPECULATIVE LABORATORY OF FUTURISTIC ARCHITECTURE

Experiment Timeline 64 Hours

NIRMAN ACADEMY

Lab Curriculum

Laboratory Name: **Studio Ai+FD** Timeline: **64 Hours** (4 Hours per day) Studio Mentor: **Mr. Ahmad Juvaid**

Foundations of AI in Architecture

Session 1 (2 hours): Introduction to AI and its transformative role in architecture. Key Topics: Generative design, sustainability modelling, and predictive systems.

Session 2 (3 hours): Case studies on AI applications in urban and extra- terrestrial architecture. Activity: Critical analysis of AI-driven projects.

Session 3 (3 hours): Practical exploration of AI tools in design processes. Focus: Early experimentation with Rhino Grasshopper for generative forms.

Interior Design with AI Integration

Session 4 (8 hours): Creating futuristic interior environments with AI. Focus: Design adaptive, responsive spaces using AI for user comfort, environmental control, and functionality.

Lab Work: Develop interior design and elements that use AI-driven simulations for enhanced user interaction.



Module 2

Module 1

AI-Driven Extra-terrestrial Design (Option 1)

Session 5 (6 hours): Challenges of Martian and Lunar architecture. Key Topics: Environmental constraints, resource management, and autonomy.

Session 6 (6 hours): Prototyping habitats with AI-assisted generative models.

Lab Work: Develop modular housing systems using Rhino Grasshopper.

Al-Driven Urban Futures (Option 2)

Module 4

Session 7 (6 hours): Al in urban planning: Sustainability and adaptive systems. Topics: Renewable energy integration, Al-driven mobility,

and smart neighbourhoods.

Session 8 (6 hours): Prototyping Futuristic Urban Ideologies Lab Work:

- Develop visionary urban concepts that challenge conventional planning and architecture.
- Use AI to simulate hypothetical environments for future lifestyles, ecologies, and societies.
- Experiment with ideas like AI-driven modular habitats, self-sustaining ecosystems, and hyper-connected communities.
- Test speculative designs for functionality, adaptability, and scalability in future urban contexts—without anchoring to a specific geography.



Module 3



Tools for Design and Visualization

Module 5

Module 6

Session 9 (4 hours): Basics of Rhino Grasshopper for architectural experimentation. Focus: Create parametric models and simple visualizations.

Session 10 (4 hours): Al-based visualization and simulation tools. Lab Work: Generate renderings and evaluate Al-influenced outcomes.

Presentation & Documentation Skills

Session 11 (8 hours): Preparing architectural design sheetsfor projects. Topics: Effective layout design, narrative structuring, and visual hierarchy. Lab Work: Drafting and refining project sheets.

Session 12 (4 hours): Report preparation for architectural research. Topics: Writing methodologies, structuring technical reports, and integrating visuals.

Lab Work: Create comprehensive reports to support project outcomes.

Module 7

Professional Development for Global Careers

Session 13 (4 hours): Preparing for careers in multinational companies. Topics: Industry expectations, trends, and skillsets in global architecture.

Session 14 (8 hours): Portfolio and resume development. Activity: Hands-on session to craft impactful portfolios and professional profiles.



Module 8

Final Experimentation and Presentations

Session 15(4 hours): Final project synthesis, presentations, and jury reviews.

Key Takeaways

- Understand the practical applications of AI in innovative architectural design.
- Build foundational skills in Rhino Grasshopper for generative processes.
- Learn to prepare polished design sheets and professional architectural reports.
- Create a portfolio that stands out in multinational design firms.
- Explore futuristic design challenges in extra-terrestrial and urban contexts.

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