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STUDIO MUMBAI

Bijoy Jain nació en Bombay, India, en 1965, y obtuvo el título de Arquitecto por la Universidad de St. Louis, EEUU, en 1990. Trabajó en Los Angeles y Londres entre 1989 y 1995, y regresó a la India en 1995 para fundar su estudio profesional.

Studio Mumbai es una infraestructura humana de arquitectos y artesanos especializados que se ocupan directamente del diseño y la construcción de sus obras. Este grupo, que ha ido formándose a través del tiempo, comparte un entorno surgido a partir de un proceso iterativo, en el que las ideas son exploradas mediante la producción de modelos a gran escala, maquetas, estudios de materiales, croquis y planos. Los proyectos se desarrollan mediante una meticulosa consideración del lugar y una forma de hacer inspirada en las artes tradicionales, las técnicas de construcción local y los materiales, así como de una ingenuidad producto de manejar recursos limitados.

La esencia de su obra reside en la relación entre la tierra y la arquitectura. Su objetivo es mostrar cuáles son las auténticas posibilidades de crear edificios surgidos a partir de un proceso de diálogo colectivo y de un intercambio mutuo de conocimiento

Bijoy Jain was born in Mumbai, India in 1965 and received his M. Arch from Washington University in St Louis, USA in 1990. He worked in Los Angeles and London between 1989 and 1995 and returned to India in 1995 to found his practice.

Studio Mumbai is a human infrastructure of skilled craftsmen and architects who design and build the work directly. Gathered through time, this group shares an environment created from an iterative process, where ideas are explored through the production of large-scale mock-ups, models, material studies, sketches and drawings. Projects are developed through careful consideration of place and a practice that draws from traditional skills, local building techniques, materials, and an ingenuity arising from limited resources.

The essence of the work lies in the relationship between land and architecture. The endeavour is to show the genuine possibility in creating buildings that emerge through a process of collective dialogue and a face-to-face sharing of knowledge.

OBRAS Y PROYECTOS	
2003	Casa Kapadia. Satirje, Maharashtra, India
2003	Pabellón de Lectura. Nagaon, Maharashtra, India
2005	Casa Tara. Kashid, Maharashtra, India
2006	Bungalow 8. Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
2007	Conjunto Vacacional Leti 360. Leti, Uttaranchal, India
2007	Casa Palmyra. Nandgaon, Maharashtra, India
2008	Casa Belavali. Belavali, Maharashtra, India
2008	Casa en Pali Hill. Bandra, Bombay, India
2008	Casa Utsav. Satirje, Maharashtra, India
2009	Casa de Cobre I. Nandgaon, Maharashtra, India
2011	Casa de Cobre II. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011	Fantasia Botánica. Pha Tad Ke Botanical Garden, Luang Prabang, Laos
2011	Renovación Urbana para la Comunidad Zabaleen. EL Cairo, Egipto (en colaboración con The Locus Foundation, París)
2011-	Casa Ahmedabad. Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India
2011-	Campus de la Avsara Women's Leadership Academy. Pune, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Casa en Kankeshwar Hill. Kankeshwar, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Casa Kottayam. Kottayam, Kerala, India
2011-	Mobiliario Magis. Torre di Mostro, Venecia, Italia
2011-	Centro Cultural para la Comunidad META Chile. Concepción, Chile
2011-	Viviendas de Uso Mixto Saatrasta. Bombay, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Complejo Studio Mumbai. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Casa Carrimjee. Kankeshwar, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Casa Parekh. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Torre Residencial. Bombay, Maharashtra, India

EXPOSICIONES	
2008	'Selected Works. High-Tech & Tradition', Tokyo Design Center, Japón
2009	'Global Award for Sustainable Architecture'. Institut français d'architecture, París, Francia
2010	'Copper House II'. GA Houses Project, Tokio, Japón
2010	'Selected Works'. Association Pour Un Center Architecture Anthropologie Territorie and Le Vitra Design, Rossiniere, Suiza
2010	'In-Between Architecture. 1:1 Architects Build Small Spaces'. Victoria & Albert Museum, Londres, Reino Unido
2010	'Work-Place'. 12th Architecture Biennale, Venecia, Italia
2011	'Studies. Indian-Highway'. Musée d'art contemporain de Lyon (MAC), Lyon, Francia
2011	'Selected Works'. École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL) & Archizoom
2011	'Follies of Architecture'. Cartier Foundation for Contemporary Art, París, Francia
2011	'Selected Works'. Sitterwerk, St. Gallen, Suiza
2011	'Selected Works'. Vorarlberger Architektur Institut, Dornbirn
2011	'Selected Works'. MOT Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokio, Japón
2011	'Barbershop'. Wallpaper Handmade at Brioni, Milán, Italia

PREMIOS	
2007	Design Excellency Award: Leti 360 Resort. Design for Asia Award, Hong Kong Design Centre
2008	Award for Emerging Architects (Recomendación): Palmyra House. Architectural Review, London, UK
2009	Merit Recognition in Design: Palmyra House. Design for Asia Award, Hong Kong Design Centre
2009	Global Award for Sustainable Architecture. l'Institut Français d'Architecture
2010	Finalista. 11th Cycle of Aga Khan Award for Architecture
2010	Mención Especial: Work-Place. 12th Architecture Biennale, Venecia, Italia
2011	Architect of the Year. Inside Outside Magazine, Bombay, India

WORKS AND PROJECTS	
2003	Kapadia House. Satirje, Maharashtra, India
2003	Reading Room. Nagaon, Maharashtra, India
2005	Tara House. Kashid, Maharashtra, India
2006	Bungalow 8. Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
2007	Leti 360 Resort. Leti, Uttaranchal, India
2007	Palmyra House. Nandgaon, Maharashtra, India
2008	Belavali House. Belavali, Maharashtra, India
2008	House on Pali Hill. Bandra, Mumbai, India
2008	Utsav House. Satirje, Maharashtra, India
2009	Copper House I. Nandgaon, Maharashtra, India
2011	Copper House II. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011	Botanical Folly. Pha Tad Ke Botanical Garden, Luang Prabang, Laos
2011	Urban Renewal for the Zabaleen Community. Cairo, Egypt (in collaboration with The Locus Foundation, Paris)
2011-	Ahmedabad House. Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India
2011-	Avsara Women's Leadership Academy Campus. Pune, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Kankeshwar Hill House. Kankeshwar, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Kottayam House. Kottayam, Kerala, India
2011-	Magis Furniture. Torre di Mostro, Venice, Italy
2011-	META Chile Community Cultural Center. Concepcion, Chile
2011-	Saatrasta Mixed-Use/Housing. Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Studio Mumbai Compound. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Carrimjee House. Kankeshwar, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Parekh House. Chondi, Maharashtra, India
2011-	Residential Tower. Mumbai, Maharashtra, India

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2008	Award for Emerging Architects (Commended): Palmyra House. Architectural Review, London, UK
2009	Merit Recognition in Design: Palmyra House. Design for Asia Award, Hong Kong Design Centre
2009	Global Award for Sustainable Architecture. l'Institut Français d'Architecture
2010	Finalist. 11th Cycle of Aga Khan Award for Architecture
2010	Special Mention: Work-Place. 12th Architecture Biennale, Venice, Italy
2011	Architect of the Year. Inside Outside Magazine, Mumbai, India