



ASSOCIATION OF MYANMAR ARCHITECTS

COUNTRY REPORT 2019

DHAKA, BANGLADESH

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1. BRIEF HISTORY OF ASSOCIATION

The architect community in Myanmar first founded and officially registered the Institute of Burmese Architect (IBA) in 1961-62. But when the government banned the establishment of parties and organizations in 1963, the IBA was abolished. However, from 1964 through 1988 students and faculty from the Department of Architecture formed the Society of Students Architects (SAA) that assumed a professional and social capacity for students of architecture. In the early 1990s, the leading architects initiated the foundations for the current association by organizing social and professional activities. Association of Myanmar Architects (AMA) officially registered at the date of 6th June 2001.

2. CURRENT ASSOCIATION BEARERS

The Association Bearer for the term of 2019 – 2020.

President : U Maw Lin

Vice - President : U Win Myint

Vice - President : Daw Hla Su Myat

General Secretary : U Htin Kyaw Myint

Treasurer : Daw Moe The Phyu

Central executive committee founded by 19 members.

3. CURRENT MEMBERSHIP STRENGTH

We have 2218 members.

4. BUDGET OF THE ASSOCIATION

- Membership Fees
- Fund Raising Events/Exhibition
- Book Sales
- Admin Fees for Government
- Donation for AMA

5. NUMBER OF CHAPTER

Association of Myanmar Architect (Mandalay)

6. AGM OF THE ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting of Association of Myanmar Architects is held every year. Election and Architect Congress is held every 2 years.

7. LEGAL STATUS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Association of the Myanmar Architects (AMA) is a professional development body for architecture. AMA is also registered under the Union Registration Board, Ministry of Home Affairs.

8. LEGAL STATUS OF THE ARCHITECTS IN THE COUNTRY

All of Architects in Myanmar are practiced under The Myanmar Architect Council Law 2015 and the law entitles the architect to use as the licensed architect, registered architect.

9. ARCHITECTS REGISTRATION AUTHORITY IN THE COUNTRY

Myanmar Architect Council (MAC) is the authority board that has given the architect's licensed and the AMA is the supporting association for MAC.

10. INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATIONS OF THE INSTITUTE

The member of ARCASIA

The Business Services Sector Working Group (CCS)

11. MAJOR PROGRAMS OF THE INSTITUTE IN THE PAST YEAR

“Architecture for people” Architect Fair (30 Dec 1 Jan 2019)

CPD Talks/Seminars in 2019

Presentation of the 2019 Yangon Result Workshop

Technical Seminar on Sustainable Urban Development

Urban Geopolitics: Reframing Development in Myanmar and Beyond

Architect, Architecture, Architecture Projects

Educational Involvement

Design Studio Project Lecture by AMA

- Multi-Functional Hotel
- Resort Hotel
- Vacation House
- 50 Bedded Hospital

Workshop and Training Course

City-Wide Upgrading Workshop
Myanmar Traditional Art & Architecture Workshop
Orientation Course for Young Architects (OCYA)

Young Architects activities

The Very First Steps of a Young Architect Seminar
Sculpture Architecture and Space Seminar
Urban Sketch and Gathering Trips

12. ARCHITECTURAL COMPETITIONS/AWARDS FOR MEMBERSHIP DURING THE YEAR UNDER REVIEW

- Yangon Police Building Design Competition, March 2019.
- Myanmar Diplomatic Academy Design Competition, June 2019.
- Yangon Regional Court and Law Central Office, August 2019.
- The 8th Asian Rookie's Award, Sept 2019.

13. PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

- To develop Architecture Education and Education Accreditation
- To develop Professional development and Professional affairs
- Improvement for Green and Sustainable Architecture in Myanmar
- Urban Planning Strategies, Urban development Activities
- Researches and Design Competitions
- Liaising with international and local business sector and Universities
- To support Government project
- Young Architects Movements