

APARNA KHEMANI

Director of Operations – South Asia



Aparna Khemani has joined Lord Cultural Resources as Director of Operations of our South Asia practice. Based in our office in Mumbai, India, Aparna provides leadership to our practice in South Asia for projects, business development and operations.

Current ongoing projects that Aparna is contributing to are The Bihar Museum, Science City, Patna and the Statue of Unity, Gujarat.

Prior to joining Lord Cultural Resources, Aparna practiced as a senior architect and design firm practice leader, leading teams on architectural projects of varying scales and complexity from concept to completion, in diverse markets such as science and technology, information technology, corporate commercial, residential and industrial markets. Some key project types are IT campuses, colleges and educational campuses, master planning, and buildings for scientific research and administration. In her early career as an architect, Aparna has contributed to the study and restoration of Mumbai's rich heritage architecture.

Through living and working in the US for over twelve years and the remaining time in India, working at international firms with projects in different regions of the world, Aparna has strong international work experience and is adept in navigating different work and cultural environments.

Aparna brings project leadership, mentorship and a commitment to design excellence. She is passionate about working in multi-disciplinary teams across cultures and time zones, creating a high quality body of work in an integrated and seamless manner.

Aparna holds a Master of Architecture degree and a Certificate in Preservation Studies from the University of Wisconsin, USA. Originally from Mumbai, she completed her undergraduate architectural studies from the Academy of Architecture, Mumbai. Aparna has received accolades for her work as a student of architecture and as a practicing architect.