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##### Local authority collaboration regarding planning and development

In order to develop a different vision for the community's growth and development that can contribute to economic development and enhance the residents' quality of life, Sri Sri University works closely with the BDA (Bhubaneswar Development Authority) and industrial partners. Additionally, it is crucial in spreading knowledge of the SDGs through forums, public lectures, and community events. It does initiatives through consulting and works with industry partners to promote sustainable building approaches that support community uplift.



Figure 01: Workshop on Sustainable Building with CSE

The faculty of Sri Sri University in collaboration with by CSE (Centre for Science and Environment) and RACHNA (Resilient, Affordable & Comfortable Housing Through National Action) participated in programs like 'Guiding self-built housing towards sustainability and thermal comfort', 'Energy Efficiency in the new Commercial Buildings' through Energy Conservation Building Code (ECBC) to



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develop understanding of the sustainability and basics of thermal comfort needs and its applicability in affordable housing.



Figure 02: Faculty of Architecture working on Energy Efficient Design of an Apartment building in Odisha

The Faculty of Architecture have undergone training programs in collaboration with International Finance Corporation (IFC) funded by World Bank to train the students about sustainable practices to be adopted and to develop increased affordability and greater energy efficiency through renewable energy, which can be adopted in planning and designing, as many types of renewable energy are cost-competitive with traditional energy sources.