

## ENSEMBLEE: Architecture Rooted in Earth, Visioned for the Future



In an era where architecture must respond meaningfully to environmental, social, and technological challenges, ENSEMBLEE emerges as a practice deeply rooted in ecological consciousness and global design intelligence. Founded and led by Bijith G. Bhaskar, ENSEMBLEE represents a refined synthesis of sustainability, innovation, and timeless architectural values, creating built environments that are both contextually sensitive and future-ready.

Bijith G. Bhaskar, Founder and Principal Architect, brings over three decades of extensive professional experience across continents. With a Master's degree in Architecture from McGill University, Canada, specializing in Sustainable Housing and Green Buildings, and a Bachelor's degree from the College of Engineering, Trivandrum, his academic grounding is reinforced by rich global exposure. His professional journey spans Canada, Dubai, Muscat, and India, with prior associations at internationally renowned firms such as WS Atkins Global (UK) and Holford Associates, shaping his holistic and cross-cultural design perspective.

Since commencing private practice in 2006, Bijith has consistently operated at the intersection of

entrepreneurial leadership and design excellence. His work reflects a deep understanding of large-scale, complex projects across architecture, interiors, and master planning. Today, he leads ENSEMBLEE's operations across South India and the Middle East, while also contributing to the profession as a registered member of the Council of Architecture, Fellow of the Indian Institute of Architects, and member of the Indian Institute of Interior Designers.

ENSEMBLEE, established as a multidisciplinary boutique practice, operates from its headquarters in Bangalore with branch offices in Calicut and Muscat, and an upcoming presence in Dubai. With a strong team of globally experienced architects and designers, the firm has successfully delivered over 450 projects across diverse sectors, completing more than 4 million square feet of consultancy work. The portfolio spans educational campuses, townships, hospitality developments, IT parks, corporate and industrial facilities, residential buildings, and high-end interior environments.

At the core of ENSEMBLEE's design philosophy lies a profound respect for Mother Earth. The practice emphasizes architecture that is intrinsically connected to nature—maximizing natural light, ventilation, and spatial harmony. Every project is approached with ecological sensitivity, integrating advanced technologies and sustainable strategies to create healthy, energy-efficient, and human-centric environments that stand the test of time.

A key area of specialization for the firm is the planning and design of educational campuses, where architecture becomes a catalyst for learning, well-being, and community engagement. Backed by strong international exposure, ENSEMBLEE has successfully delivered large-scale institutional projects that embody sustainability, functionality, and experiential quality, setting new benchmarks for green educational infrastructure.

To further strengthen its sustainability mission, the practice founded EARTHSOUL—an exclusive green development vertical dedicated to eco-centric architecture. EARTHSOUL focuses on green educational institutions, offices, housing projects, and sustainable community developments, where architecture supports human well-being, environmental harmony, and long-term resilience. Through these initiatives, ENSEMBLEE enables clients to achieve up to a 10% reduction in operational costs while enhancing occupant comfort and asset value.

ENSEMBLEE's signature design language is characterized by thoughtful space planning, handcrafted detailing, and seamless integration of landscape and built form. The firm consistently employs green materials that are modern, aesthetically refined, and low in carbon footprint. Landscaping plays a crucial role in ensuring continuous airflow and a strong indoor–outdoor connection, fostering calm, soothing, and well-balanced living and working environments.

The firm's notable projects include the Ganashram wellness campus in Kerala, the Middle East College campus in Muscat, green corporate campuses in Bangalore, international hospitality projects in Dubai, and IT and special-needs educational campuses across India. These works reflect ENSEMBLEE's ability to operate seamlessly across scales—from intimate interiors to expansive townships—while maintaining design integrity and sustainability at the forefront.

Recognized nationally and internationally, ENSEMBLEE has received prestigious awards including the CIDC Vishwakarma National Awards, MERIT Awards, and multiple design excellence recognitions. Bijith G. Bhaskar's role as a Global Jury Member for the HOUZEE Global Awards 2025 further underscores his professional standing. As ENSEMBLEE looks toward the future, its vision remains clear—to evolve as a global design practice delivering signature, sustainable architecture that reconnects people with nature and redefines the built environment with purpose, responsibility, and enduring beauty.