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| AR 211 Architectural Conservation  | **L-T-P** **3-0-0** **3 credit**  |
| Definitions of conservation, preservation, restoration, reconstruction and adaptation Objectives. Principles and concepts of conservation and its application History of conservation movements in the world and Indian response to the movement Development of theory of conservation and various charters of international importance Values and Ethics in Conservation and degrees of intervention in historic buildings and monuments and why to conserve issue. Causes of decay and deterioration of cultural property: External causes of decay, Biological and botanical Causes, Natural disasters and man-made causes. The context of inspecting historic building-Inventory-initial inspections of buildings, Continued documentation and analysis. Preparation of inspection report. Techniques for restoration, preservation and rehabilitation. Concepts of historic towns, quarters and area concepts of heritage Zone and concept of integrated conservation. Planning and management aspects in conservation re-use and redevelopment of historic buildings and areas. Policies, legislations and agencies of conservation.  |
| Reference Books: 1. The conservation of Historic Buildings/B.M. Fieldon 2. Peter J Larkham, Conservation and the City, 1996, Routledge, London & New York. 3. Graeme Aplin, Heritage Identification, Conservation and Management, 2002, Oxford University Press.  |