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She has held several academic leadership roles, including Dean (Academic) and Principal, where she was responsible for curriculum development, faculty development programs, and research capacity building. She has coordinated Ph.D. programs, introduced innovative teaching practices, and organized numerous workshops and international collaborations to enhance architectural education and research quality.

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A passionate academic leader and researcher, Lilly Rose continues to contribute significantly to knowledge dissemination through **faculty development programs, capacity-building initiatives, and invited lectures** at premier institutions across India and abroad, shaping future directions in climate-responsive architecture and sustainable urban development.