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The magnificent city and the UNESCO World Heritage Site located in east-central Karnataka, India called Hampi or Hampe is known to be an open air museum which is spread over 4,100 hectares. Hampi was the capital of the Vijayanagara Empire in the 14th century. By 1500 CE, Hampi-Vijayanagara was the world's second-largest medieval-era city after Beijing and probably India's richest at that time, attracting traders from Persia and Portugal.

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BLOOMING LOTUS

The Lotus Temple in Delhi, India, also known as the Bahai's house is a symbol of excellence in modern Indian architecture.

The Lotus temple also known as the Bahai's house is a symbol of excellence in modern Indian architecture. The temple is located in a 9.7 hectare site near Nehru Palace in South Delhi, India. Notable for its flowerlike shape, it has become a prominent attraction in the city.

The building is composed of 27 free-standing marble-clad "petals" arranged in clusters of three to form nine sides, with nine doors opening onto a central hall with a height of slightly over 34.27 metres and a capacity of 2,500 people. It has won numerous architectural awards.

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A CAVE OF LIGHT

'National Museum of Qatar gifts shops was announced the best project in the commercial-retail category of the 2020 Architizer A+Awards.

The world's most beautiful museum, the National Museum of Qatar (NMoQ) gift shops were declared Jury Winner in the commercial-retail category of the prestigious 2020 Architizer A+Awards. The winners were announced recently at the Architizer A+Awards' official website and social media accounts.

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