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As a holiday gift to our community we are extending your chance to save big on registration. This includes discounts for members, sponsors and group rates. Register before January 31 and save!

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Tradeshow - Deadline extended to January 31

Each year, Living Future attracts decision makers from some of North America's most respected architecture, engineering and contracting firms. If you have a product or service that is as deep green as our community, this is YOUR tradeshow. Submit your reservation form before January 31 and save!

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Living Future 2011 Program

keynote speakers	<i>un</i>conference program	continuing education	<i>fun</i>conference activities + tours
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Living Future 2011 Call for Submissions - Now closed.

The Cascadia Region Green Building Council (Cascadia) is hosting its fifth annual unconference, Living Future 2011, on April 27th - 29th, 2011 at the Sheraton Wall Centre in Vancouver, British Columbia. Living Future is the forum for leading minds in the green building movement seeking solutions to the most daunting global issues of our time. Out-of-the-ordinary learning and networking formats provide innovative design strategies, cutting-edge technical information, and the inspiration needed to achieve significant progress toward a truly living future.

'Living Buildings' are finally a reality. The accomplishments of these pioneering teams mark a pivotal turning point in the green building movement, proving that buildings can be designed and built to benefit the ecosystem they inhabit – a victory for all of us. They have proven beyond a shadow of a doubt that the built environment can thrive in tandem with the ecosystems it inhabits. They've demonstrated that building occupants can be wise stewards of the resources that support their homes, offices and classrooms. They've created a new model of what's possible when talented and dedicated people devote themselves to creating a world that is culturally rich, socially just, and ecologically restorative.

This year's educational program theme is "Our Children's Cities: Visualizing a Restorative Civilization". The Living Future Program Task Force is reviewing a wealth of submissions for interactive presentations, tours, and experiential activities that encourage a hopeful embrace of the region and planet's economic, ecologic and social challenges, and offer solutions addressing these challenges at the building AND city scale.

Check back in January 2011 to view our complete program.

Keynote Speakers

Focused on providing proven, practical, ambitious and visionary strategies that address whole earth impacts, a diverse collection of inspiring keynote and plenary speakers will surely keep the positive energy flowing throughout Living Future. Eco-entrepreneur Majoria Carter takes the stage as keynote speaker to share her experiences on how proven yet affordable sustainability strategies hold the power to transform a community's self-image while rejuvenating the

environment around us. On Thursday, Jason McLennan shares his ambitious ideas and insights on sustainable design and the evening brings visionary singer, songwriter and environmental activist Sarah Harmer to the stage for inspiration and entertainment during the Big Bang Dinner and Awards Ceremony. On Friday, Margaret Wheatley, an author, organizational expert and President emerita of The Berkana Institute, will offer insights on how to accomplish work, sustain our relationships and willingly step forward to serve in these troubling times.



Majora Carter, Eco-Entrepreneur, Majora Carter Group

Wednesday, April 27, 2011 - Keynote open to the public



Jason F. McLennan, CEO, Cascadia & International Living Building Institute

Thursday Morning Plenary



Sarah Harmer, Canadian Singer-songwriter, Activist

Thursday Big Bang Dinner + Award Keynote Performer



Margaret J. Wheatley

Author, Speaker and Organizational Consultant

Friday Morning Plenary

2011 Program

Please note that program details are still subject to change.

Wednesday, April 27, 2011

Time	Activity
3:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Registration Open
5:00 pm	Tradeshow Open
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Keynote Reception

6:30 pm - 8:30 pm **Keynote presentation - Open to the public!**

Thursday, April 28, 2011

Time	Activity
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration Open + Breakfast + Tradeshow
8:00 am - 9:30am	Morning Plenary
9:30 am - 10:00 am	Break + Networking + Tradeshow

10:00 am - 12:00 pm **Education Sessions**

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm **Lunch + Networking + Tradeshow**

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm **Education Sessions**

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Break + Networking + Tradeshow
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	15 Minutes of Brilliance
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Cocktail Hour + Tradeshow
6:30 pm - 8:30pm	Big Bang Dinner + Awards Celebration

Friday, April 29, 2011

Time	Activity
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration Open + Breakfast + Tradeshow
8:00 am - 9:30 am	Morning Plenary
9:30 am - 10:00 am	Break + Networking + Tradeshow

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Continuing Education Units

Living Future is an excellent opportunity to gather continuing education credits for your professional license. Certificates of completion will be available for each of the sessions; you'll simply need to sign in at each session you attend to ensure that you receive one.

Check back soon for details.

