



### SEPTEMBER'S PROGRAM

## HOW GREEN BUILDINGS CAN FAIL DUE TO HVAC SYSTEMS

This presentation will cover the final component to make a HVAC system successfully meet green design requirements. The importance of the testing adjusting and balancing of the HVAC system is the single most essential part of a building truly being healthy inside. Reliable air and water flow data are critical for designers trying to achieve a healthy indoor environment. The integrity of the individual who performs the HVAC testing and balancing is a consideration that must be addressed. This presentation will touch on the dos and don'ts of retroactive commissioning and testing and balancing of HVAC systems. The correlation between indoor air quality and retroactive commissioning of HVAC system will be explained. The issue of how occupants will keep the green building green once the building is occupied will be discussed.

#### Learning Objectives:

- Tips for writing a specification for division 23 that meets "Green Building" standards.
- Increase audience's awareness of what it takes for a successful and optimal performing HVAC system.

- An understanding of how division 23 specifications for construction and performance testing of HVAC systems assure that the systems provide proper airflow and outside air to the occupants.
- An understanding of how buildings can fail due to the commissioning process.

#### Presenter:

John Hamilton is the Chief Operating Officer of Testing Adjusting and Balancing Bureau. John has been working in the HVAC industry for over 25 years, many of which have been writing training manuals on design, installation and testing of HVAC systems. He has been an instructor at several colleges teaching design and construction of HVAC systems. He is a member of CSI, ASHRAE, and Certified Indoor Air Quality Professional from the Association of Energy Engineers. The Testing Adjusting and Balancing Bureau (TABB) is an Educational Partner with CSI, and a leader in developing quality assurance in the HVAC industry. TABB is a non-profit 401-c3 striving for energy efficiency in the HVAC industry.

**WHEN:** Thursday, September 2nd, 2010

**COST:** No host bar, dinner is \$32.00 including gratuity and tax.

**LOCATION:** Biltmore Hotel and Suites  
2151 Laurelwood Road, Santa Clara  
(Montague Expressway & 101)

**RSVP:** Please make your reservations to Krista Nelson with choice of meal by noon on Tuesday, August 31st.  
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**TIMES:** Board Meeting: 5:00 p.m.  
Social Hour: 6:00 p.m.  
Dinner: 7:00 p.m.  
Program: 8:00 p.m.

Guests are welcome • No-shows will be billed

**MENU:** Tossed salad; chicken breast stir-fried with crisp vegetables and a mild Szechuan sauce, served with steamed rice; dessert, coffee or tea.

#### OR

Tossed salad; breaded eggplant grilled and topped with marinara sauce, mushrooms and parmesan cheese, served on a bed of garlic pasta; wine; dessert, coffee or tea.

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION:

This program meets CSI/CEN and AIA/CES criteria. Participants will receive 0.1 hours of Continuing Education Units (CEUs) and 1 hour of LUS/HSW (learning units).



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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

BY JIM MORELAN, CSI AIA

Labor Day always signals the end of summer and the start of the fall season, even though fall begins on September 23rd. It is a time of excitement, as many prepare for back-to-school and to finish their resolutions made at the start of the New Year. As professionals, we may think that this holiday is not for us, since it was first designated and celebrated by a labor union in New York, September 5, 1882 as a "workingman's holiday." The federal government, in 1884, adopted the first Monday in September as an official holiday. Well, I always enjoy this holiday! We work hard all year and deserve a day to do something fun, like having a barbeque with friends and family or making a trip to the beach.

Speaking of resolutions, one that I set was to get LEED AP certified this year. I took an all-day seminar and studied hard, but just have not registered yet to take the exam. Looks like that may not happen in

the next three months, as business is fortunately picking up, but it will be a new resolution for 2011.

Continuing education is so important for maintaining professional skills and that is a great benefit in CSI membership and participation. Get ready for adding to your green building knowledge and design practice! The State of California has adopted a new CalGreen 2010 Green Building Standards Code, as another section of Title 24, and will go into effect January 2011. This will change the way design and construction is practiced, most argue for the better. Significant new standards affecting design, construction, and cost are present in the new code. You can obtain a draft copy of the new code from California Building Standards Commission (CBSC), who developed the code in response to legislation and a directive from the governor. Watch for education programs that will be offered by AIA, USGBC, Build It

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Chapter President Jim Morelan, CSI, AIA, on his trip to Guatemala with the local villagers mixing mortar for concrete block walls for a school classroom project





# MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING

CSI, Santa Clara Valley  
(Draft, Board Approval Pending)  
Place: CAS Architects, Mountain View  
Date: August 5, 2010

## Opening

The meeting was called to order by Chapter Vice-President Kevin Norman at 5:01 p.m.

## Attendees

### Board Members

Kevin Norman, CSI, AIA, LEED AP, Vice-President; Jim O'Keefe, CSI, Treasurer; Maia Gendreau, AIA, CSI, CDT, Secretary; John Pluff, CSI, Industry Director; Rietta McCain, CSI, CCCA, AIA, Professional Director; Dede Impink, CSI, AIA, LEED AP, Professional Director

### Committee Chairs

Ron Ronconi, CSI, AIA, Marketing

## Minutes

The minutes of the July meeting were reviewed by those present. Minutes are approved as distributed.

## Treasurer's Report

The balance and profit and loss are distributed for July 2009-June 2010. A profit was realized, due to the Education Seminars and Dinners over-performing, and the 50th Anniversary balancing positive. The raffle has not been won yet, so the raffle monies are

still in the bank account.

Overall attendance has been lower, so the achievement of the budget is remarkable.

The Profit and Loss for July is distributed, credit card income does not show yet.

A financial review needs to be done as soon as possible. Jim Morelan needs to appoint a task team.

Budget for this year is distributed:

- Comments were received from Education Seminar and Newsletter.
- Budget amount for dues, revenue and dinner should be adjusted to reflect lower membership and attendance. Jim will send an email to Krista to get our average attendance for the last year.
- The raffle income is showing to be about two times what was actually achieved last year and should be adjusted.
- The awards expense should be increased to reflect the Craftsman Award, presuming that we are going to offer that award. Some more definition of the award is needed, and a task team or committee to address should address this in accordance with the President's goals.
- Board hospitality line item as been added for the Board to invite

people to meetings and cover the cost of the dinner.

- Adjust the West Region directory marketing income based on the number of actual funds acquired.
- Adjust the West Region conference expenses to budget for seven attendees applying for reimbursement.
- Jim will email the revised budget out and see if we can get a preliminary approval via email, for follow up with a board vote next month.

Report is filed for annual review.

## Region Report

No report.

## President's Report

Jim Morelan reports via email that he is sweating and doing hard physical labor laying up block and concrete with 18 volunteers in Guatemala.

Everyone is encouraged to sign up for the West Region conference, the early bird discount price ends soon.

## Unfinished Business

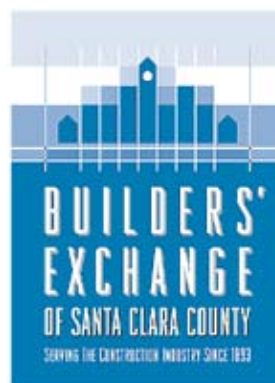
Tax Exempt status: still in process awaiting confirmation from the State.

Board insurance: no progress.

Strategic Planning comments:

- Notes are ready for circulation,

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and Maia will send them out tomorrow.

- If we are going to pursue the Outstanding Chapter Commendation, we should do something about it now.

**New Business**

Discussed the mailing address for the Chapter. Should we get a P.O. box? Could we get a firm to use their address as the collection point? Tabled for future discussion.

Discussed the possibility of getting a storage room. Jim picked up a brochure from a storage facility. A 5x10 locker is \$100/month. If we get a storage locker it should be near the regular meeting place. Tabled for future discussion.

**Committee Reports****Membership**

No report.

**Education Seminar**

No report.

**Programs/Technical**

The picnic is this month. No credit cards will be accepted for payment, cash or check only. Krista will have the list of attendees. The other groups will be checking in their members. Currently CSI has 10 signed up. Upcoming program subjects: September, how green buildings can fail due to HVAC, October: fire stop

and safety. November: pursuing John Raeber for a code update presentation. December is the holiday party. A committee meeting will be calendared soon to look at the programs for next year.

**Continuing Education**

September program as been submitted and awaiting confirmation from AIA and CSI.

**Greeter/Raffle**

Clarify the amount of the raffle winnings and send the meeting minutes regarding the revised raffle winnings. The Operation Guide needs to be revised to reflect the new rules also. Maia will follow up with Krista or Julie regarding modifying the Operating Guide.

**Editor**

Deadline for newsletter content is next Tuesday at noon.

**Historian:** No report.

**Awards:** No report.

**Website**

Bob is very busy with volunteering in the Emergency Operations Center and Civil air patrol on the islands. Rietta has volunteered to assist with re-designing the website. The new website will be posted on an alternate location prior to launch so that the board can review it. The website was moved to a new server and they are hosting it for no

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**PLANNING CALENDAR****CHAPTER MEETINGS**

SEPT 2	HOW 'GREEN' BUILDINGS FAIL DUE TO HVAC SYSTEMS
OCT 7	FIRESTOPPING AND LIFE SAFETY
Nov 4	TBD
DEC 2	HOLIDAY DINNER

**PLAN AHEAD****West Region Conference:**

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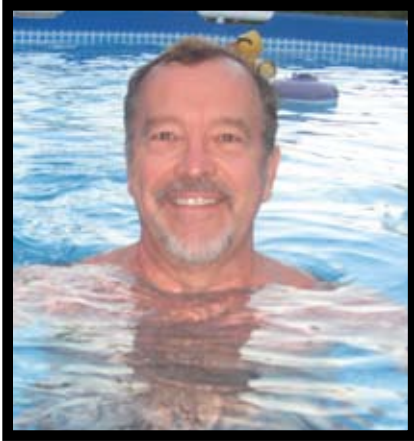
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I hope you are enjoying your summer. The west has certainly been lucky with moderate temperatures, while many of our colleagues throughout CSI have had unfortunate, terrible weather. So we should feel lucky for this, and really lucky for so much more. Yes, I know the economy is not-so-good, but I believe that construction is picking up really.

Yes, I know there are natural disasters and man-made tragedies throughout the world, but I believe there are more relief organizations and more selfless dedicated people helping people throughout the world than at any other time in history.

Yes, I know there is corporate and government greed, but I believe the pendulum has swung and more companies are becoming socially and personally responsible.

Yes, I know, your probably thinking Pollyanna is my middle name, but I do believe, rather than despair and sadness, much more is being done

and can be accomplished with faith and hope, cooperation, humanity, generosity, compassion, a little optimism and a lot of appreciation.

So first let me thank all of you. Thank you for your activity in CSI and for electing me President of the West Region. I will do my very best to serve the Chapters and members of CSI, and I appreciate this opportunity to serve. I am pretty sure I will not be able to please everyone all the time, and I may make some mistakes – duh – like newsletter articles that are too long. But hopefully I will also do things right. In any case, let me know your opinions and suggestions. It is through teamwork and mutual respect that we can do our very best.

Thank you to the other West Region leaders who have guided this organization to the great place it is today, such as Duane Johnson, FCSI, CDT, AIA and Janet Piccola, FCSI for their superb leadership for the past two years. I hope they continue to lend their wise voices and helping hands.

Thank you to other Region Officers who are continuing to serve in Fiscal Year 2011: Dave Willis, CSI, CDT, CCCM as Vice President, Ed Buch, CSI, CCS, AIA as Secretary, Bob Siegrist, CSI, CDT, AIA as Treasurer, and Stephen Nash, CSI, CCS, CCCA, AIA, LEED AP, our new Institute Director.

We also have a great cast of volunteers for West Region Committee Chairs. They deserve a round of applause to take on this often thankless responsibility. Please call them to say hi, lend support, volunteer, ask for ideas or advice, or offer some suggestions for what the Region could, or should, be doing – they

would love to hear from you. Our West Region focus in the coming year is “Chapter Service.”

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- Region Conference 2010: Dave Willis, CSI, CDT, CCCM & Stuart Seiden, CSI, CDT
- Technical: Mary Nowee, FCSI, CCS, RA
- Nominating: Valarie Harris, FCSI, CCPR

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One last reminder – come to the West Region Conference, September 30 to October 3 in beautiful Yosemite. The Fresno Chapter and the West Region team have a very exciting program, balanced with a lot of fun, education, networking, and leadership training. There are adventures for the spouses too. Heck it's worth the trip just for Yosemite and the train ride dinner. Go to [www.csiwestregion.org](http://www.csiwestregion.org) and you will see the wonderful schedule of activities.

Hope to see you there. ☺

## PER-SPEC-TIVES: THE END RUN

BY RALPH LIEBING, RA CSI CDT

It's getting to be time for "...SOME FOOTBALL!!!!," as the pros go to camp. But of the whole game, let's just hone in on the end run play-- the ol' USC "student body right/left," or the Fightin' Irish "running 'round Chicago!"

There is far too much end running in our game [extraneous information to the Owner unilaterally, complaints about work or requirements of other parties, unilaterally, indications of different fallacious cost factors, lack of simple coordination and conversation to protect or promote one's self-interest, etc]. While not illegal in football or construction, it is certainly not creating better relationships, or better construction projects. With the Owner a party to and susceptible to two contracts [which are not tied together but by a loosely and solely "gentlemen's working relationship"], the ability to run the end [i.e., transmit information along but one of the contract lines to the Owner] is all too tempting-- it is distracting from the true purpose, often times, and anywhere from most untidy to playing nasty havoc on the site.

It's simple! The design professional [and consultants] concoct a game play with certain selections, options, etc. as they deem appropriate in meeting their Owners' requirements. Owner, if properly informed, buys into this scheme and thus we go to construction. But if at any time, or on any item that which has been done caused a blip on the schedule the ol' end run appears — the Contractor-Owner relationship and contract eruptions. Guess who is usually wrong in this situation, even though never made part of the discussion? You bet your sweet bippy!

The result? Issues are never fully resolved; the fat lady never sings; and Yogi Berra remains an insightful oracle that it truly is not over until...

The real problem is that this can become part of the disharmony on a project site and eventually an unneeded distraction. I realize there are two perfectly valid contracts on the table for the Owner, but there really needs to be the proverbial buy-in by those persons so they understand that our efforts to provide projects to their liking is one thing they "buy." If they

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cost.

**Operating/House:** No report.

**Toys-for-Tots:**

Ron Adams is the Chair and John Pluff volunteers to assist with pick up of the barrels.

**Marketing Committee**

Ron needs some information on our marketing package. The package is the table top, the website and the newsletter for \$600. Ron and Rietta will review the marketing package from last year.

**West Region Conference (2012)**

No report.

**Bylaw Task Team**

The task team is scheduled to review the comments by early September.

**Announcements**

Ron Ronconi opens a discussion on the role of SCV CSI in developing a scholarship or award that supports young people embarking in the construction profession. It could be something that we can point to as a contribution and investment to the profession. It is something that has to grow, but starting with a small scholarship is a way to contribute to the profession.

Many thanks to Ron Ronconi and CAS Architects for hosting our meeting this evening.

**Closing**

The meeting was adjourned by Chapter Vice President Kevin Norman at 6:16 p.m. ♡



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then choose to “buy” the who-cares-what-just-so-it-gets-done attitude, and professional considerations and determinations are meaningless, the pox lies not on us — we met our contractual and professional obligations. Allowing rampant free-lancing and unraveling previous decisions may seem to serve well, but Owners must come to “buy” that also.

In addition, there is a need for pragmatic approaches here. What we do and decided is based on our best professional information, understanding, skill, talent, and insight. If any new decision then becomes a schedule-problem, that is not an unraveling of our effort — nor is it repudiation! It is simply “another” way to do the project, but with less insight, information, understanding and belief in the originally approved design concept.

It's more just choosing to buy an apple instead of an orange! And there is added risk that it turns out to be a lemon in the end!!!

We and our design professional colleagues need to defense these “end runs” just to keep the playing field level and coherent. We can't rotate the defense, slide a 'backer over or draw up a safety to defense the end run — we have none! We do have voice, and professional standing to merely engage the Owner in a “if you do this, this can or may happen”; but that does not invalidate our work; at least when such situations arise, please give us the courtesy of a phone call, in lieu of immediate rebuke or anger. We worked with what we were given - the situation at hand is different and had we known about it we might have made another decision. Also, the contractors are not without liability to schedule projects based on “plans and specs” as given over to them, meeting all requirements for products, procedures and documentation. It's all in the specs if not on the drawings!

Seems to me that plain, simple, old-fashioned fairness and cooperation, in all of this, are both meaningful factors in the “faster-better-cheaper” climate of the day. So, too, adherence to the documents, unless collectively modified by all parties! ♡

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Green and CSI.

The Networking Picnic on August 19th at Las Palmas Park in Sunnyvale was a success, having a fun-filled evening with members of USGBC – Northern California Chapter, Silicon Valley Branch, AIA Santa Clara Valley and AIA San Mateo County joining with our CSISCV members. A special thanks to Kevin Norman, CSI, AIA, our Vice President/ President-Elect 2011, for initiating and coordinating this event.

A Strategic Planning session was held July 13th at the new office of Q Builders, General Contractors in Palo Alto. John Pluff, CSI hosted the meeting and generously provided a catered dinner for the attendees. Each committee chair presented goals, strategies, milestones and detailed action plans for discussion and adoption. Several committee chair vacancies need to be filled: AIA Liaison, Photographer, Certification, and Social, and Special Events. If you are interested in serving as chair or working on these or other committees, please let us know.

Volunteering requires understanding that service brings many opportunities for networking, meeting and making special friends, and the satisfaction that what we give to others will bring special meaning to our lives; in addition to the satisfaction we receive from our professional work. I just returned from a mission trip to Guatemala where I was responsible for directing 18 volunteers from the Saratoga Presbyterian Church and about the same number of local Mayan villagers in the start of construction for two school classrooms. In only a week, we dug and poured foundations and set concrete block walls up about 4 feet. It was really fun, but quite different

construction! After hand-digging the trenches for the foundation to about 14" wide and 20" depth (they use centimeters), only 4"-6" of concrete was placed in the bottom, along with rocks that varied from 4"- 8" and no rebars. Next, a course of concrete block, having closed ends and top was laid. Then a block unit called a "u" was laid, bottom down, so that it served as a bond beam and two #3 bars installed vertically, one above the other, with #3 ties spaced about a hand's measurement or 8." Vertical columns were placed at the corners and about 8'-0" on center and used four #4 bars with #3 ties. This cage was not anchored to the top footing, but simply braced and more concrete poured around to hold in place. The horizontal "U" bond beams are placed about each fifth course and the horizontal bars are threaded through the cages and bent around the corners. The infill between the horizontal bond beams and the vertical columns is no reinforced and unfilled. What a different type of construction from how we would do the work here! Everyone commented and asked me: "Jim, is that construction really going to stand?" All I could say was that we have to do it their way and hope that no quake would affect their village. All in all, it was a learning experience and we purchased all the rest of the materials required for them to finish the school. I hope the big blister on the palm of my hand from shoveling heals soon. Now I know what Labor Day is about and have an appreciation for those who truly labor with their hands, bare feet and backs, using very simple tools, machetes, bucket brigades and other means to get the job done.

Bring a friend or co-worker to a dinner meeting and share the fellowship with our members and guests. If you

think your guest will be interested in membership, let us know and Rose Garrison, our membership chair, will be sure to inform them about the benefits of CSI and how to become a member. A good introduction for inviting a guest is to know the program and speaker and think of who would be interested in the subject. November's program is tentatively scheduled with speaker to be John Raeber who will speak on the new CalGreen Code update. December will be our annual holiday party and is always a festive event with special emphasis on the Toys-for-Tots program, where we collect toys from barrels placed in businesses for donations and present them to dress-blue uniformed members of the USMC for distribution to children.

So, tell us how you celebrated Labor Day. I hope you took some time off working and just relaxed for a change. We work too hard! ♡

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**"It is every man's  
obligation to put  
back into the  
world at least the  
equivalent of what  
he takes out of it."**

**Albert Einstein**



## National Association of Women in Construction Santa Clara Chapter #99 presents...

# Insurance 101:

Primer on What Has Changed, What Hasn't and What's Ahead!

August 25, 2010 2:00 TO 5:30pm  
Biltmore Hotel  
2151 Laurelwood Road, Santa Clara, CA

### ***Worker's Compensation:***

The X-Mod and Its Effect on Your Bottom Line

Formula changes effective in 2010  
What the X-mod means and how it affects your costs.

### ***General Liability:***

Additional Insured Coverage:

Importance of being named as an Additional Insured under another policy and what is your exposure when adding an Additional Insured under your policy.

Various additional insured endorsement forms and how they differ.

### ***OCIPS "101" :***

What is an OCIP and what are the advantages or disadvantages of being included under an OCIP?

Difference between OCIP vs. CCIP?

How are OCIPS today different from OCIPS in the past?

### ***Impacts of Healthcare Reform:***

General overview of the health care reform including dates for required changes.

Tax implications to the employer.

### ***Contract Language & Insurance:***

Indemnity Issues – Discussion of the standard indemnity clauses and the current state of the law on indemnity.

Subrogation – What is subrogation and what does a waiver of subrogation mean.

### **Our Presenters:**

Donnalyn Revis, Wells Fargo Insurance Services

Dina Zuger, American E & S

Cora Silva, HUB International

Michael Suggs, Dikerson Employee Benefits

Kristen Green, Sweeny, Mason, Wilson & Bosomworth

This presentation will be followed by a Dinner Meeting featuring a presentation by **Steve Gross & Jeff Basek of Do It Yourself Academy**

**Insurance Seminar only: \$40**

**Insurance Seminar & Dinner Meeting: \$60**

**Dinner Meeting only: Members: \$25 Non Members: \$30**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Menu Choices: (all choices include salad, roll, coffee, iced/hot tea and dessert)

\_\_\_\_\_ Teriyaki Steak, steamed rice & vegetables

\_\_\_\_\_ Chicken Marsala, rice & vegetables

\_\_\_\_\_ Schezwan Vegetable Stir Fry, rice & grilled tofu (vegetarian entrée)

**RSVP to [tracy@hollandersmith.com](mailto:tracy@hollandersmith.com) or (408) 946-2800  
x118 BY AUGUST 20, 2010**

Make checks payable to: **NAWIC #99**

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*All Seminar questions may be directed to Eire Stewart at [eires@dinco.com](mailto:eires@dinco.com)*



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## **Home Improvement Learning**

**Wednesday, August 25, 2010  
2:00 pm – 5:30 pm Insurance Seminar  
6:00 pm Networking  
6:30 pm Dinner Presentation**  
Biltmore Hotel  
2151 Laurelwood Road, Santa Clara, CA  
(408) 988-8411



### **WHY you should Attend?**

- Learn about a 'how to' avenue
- Insurance Seminar - refer to attached flyer
- Guests, Friends, Co-Workers....**All are Welcome!**

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*Members who make a reservation & fail to attend will be billed the cost of dinner. Non-members must be prepaid.*

# ALOHA!!!!

NATIONAL ASSN. OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION  
NAWIC- SANTA CLARA - CHAPTER 99  
INVITES YOU TO JOIN US FOR OUR  
ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENT!!!!



WHEN: SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2010 FROM 5:30 - 9:30 PM  
WHERE: HISTORY PARK FIREHOUSE - 1650 SENTER RD. SAN JOSE, CA  
- FUN HISTORIC FIREHOUSE LOCATION !!!  
WHAT: DINNER- GREAT HAWAIIAN BBQ BUFFET - DESSERT &  
BOTTLED WATER/SODAS, BEER & WINE AVAILABLE FOR A  
NOMINAL CHARGE.!!

SILENT AUCTION BASKETS!! FABULOUS DOOR PRIZES!!  
GREAT RAFFLE ITEMS!! AND 50/50 CASH RAFFLE TOO!!  
BALLOON ARTIST FOR THE KIDS (& KIDS AT HEART!!)  
HULA DANCING EXHIBITION!! LIMBO CONTEST!!

TICKETS: \$25 EACH FOR ADULTS, \$15 EACH FOR  
CHILDREN 10 & UNDER. OR A TABLE FOR 8 PEOPLE IS \$175  
(SAVINGS OF \$3 PER PERSON)

CONTACT CHERYL ABBOTT OR PERRY SAUNDERS  
FOR MORE INFO & TICKETS - SEE YOU THERE!!!

(408) -878-3834 OR (650) 227-1536





## COMMUNITY COLLEGE SUMMIT

Building Gateways to the Green Economy

October 11 – 13,  
Pasadena Convention Center

### 3rd annual Green CA Community College Summit: October 11 – 13, Pasadena Convention Center

Community colleges are a focal point for statewide efforts to create a green economy and workforce in California. The energy and interest surrounding the emerging green economy provide community colleges with unprecedented opportunities to enrich the communities they serve.

This Summit is focused on all aspects of this dynamic market - from green building and energy efficiency to the products and services that new green facilities will need. It also encompasses green job training - the needs of industry and the challenges of developing curriculum that meets these needs.

#### **The Summit has been designed to respond to these trends by creating a forum for essential topics such as:**

- Helping students capture green employment opportunities
- Attaining savings from building and running green campuses.
- Development of green curriculum.
- Using green programs for teaching and apprenticeships.
- Campuses as models of sustainable practices for their community.

#### **Registration is available online at:**

[www.green-technology.org/ccsummit/attendee.htm](http://www.green-technology.org/ccsummit/attendee.htm)

As a member of one of our Outreach Partners, CSI members will receive a 20% discount. Just enter the code "CSI" in the promo code area on the registration page

Please call Cindy Dangberg at 626-577-5700 or email her at [cdangberg@green-technology.org](mailto:cdangberg@green-technology.org) for any questions.