

2013-2014 Biennial Colloquium
“The Price and Promise of Progress”
P r e s e n t s

DESIGNING



TO THRIVE

Can urban development coexist harmoniously with natural ecosystems?
*Join our panelists to discuss innovative design solutions that address environmental challenges
and can help us build sustainable and healthy communities!*

When: Wednesday, April 2, 2014 – 12:00 to 6:00 pm

Where: Edison State College, Lee Campus
Building AA (Nursing Building) – Room AA-177
8099 College Parkway, Fort Myers, FL 33919

AICP/CM credits pending approval

*Kindly RSVP via Email to: Charlene.Wolfe@edison.edu
Events are free and open to the public*

Schedule:

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Brown Bag Lunch – Registration: Student/Professional Informal Lunch Meet & Greet
Welcome Remarks: Dr. John Meyer, Dean, ESC School of Business and Technology
Jon Iglehart, Director, Department of Environmental Protection
Roy Beckford, Director, UF/IFAS Lee County Extension

1:00 – 1:20 pm

1:20 – 3:15 pm

Panel on Sustainable Urban Agriculture

Facilitated by Sean Posey, Eastern Gateway Community College, Ohio.

Solutions to Food Deserts; Edible Landscapes; Permaculture;
Community Gardens; Aquaponics.

3:30 – 6:00 pm

Panel on Sustainable Design & Construction

Facilitated by Paul Shahriari, Green Mind, Inc.

Integrated Design for Mixed Use; Incorporating Green Practices
in Building Codes; Sustainable Goals Become Reality;
Sustainable Storm Water Design; Transportation Design.

Wrap-Up and Next Steps



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Detailed Agenda

- 12:00 – 1:00 pm** **Lunch – Registration** (Student/Professional Informal Lunch Meet & Greet)
- 1:00 – 1:20 pm** **Welcome Remarks**
John Meyer, Dean, School of Business and Technology, Edison State College
Jon Iglehart, Director, Department of Environmental Protection
Roy Beckford, Director, UF/IFAS Lee County Extension
- 1:20 – 2:00 pm** **Introduction to the Big Picture of Sustainability**
Paul Shahriari, Green Mind Inc.
- 2:00 – 3:15 pm** **Panel on Sustainable Urban Agriculture**
- Session 1 2:00 – 2:20 pm **Solutions to Food Deserts, Edible Landscapes, Permaculture**
Sean Posey, Eastern Gateway Community College, Ohio
- Session 2 2:20 – 2:35 pm **Community Gardens**
Yvonne Hill, Roots Heritage Urban Food Hub
- Session 3 2:35 – 2:50 pm **Aquaponics**
Gary Winrow, Director at Selovita Commercial Urban Farm
- Q&A 2:50 – 3:15 pm Facilitated by: *Sean Posey & Roy Beckford*
- 3:15 – 3:30 pm** **Coffee Break**
- 3:30 – 5:45 pm** **Panel on Sustainable Design and Construction**
- Session 1 3:30 – 4:10 pm **Integrated Design for Mixed Use**
Brian Smit, EnSite
Chris Ressler, Studio+
Kim Trebatoski, EcoPlanz
- Session 2 4:10 – 4:35 pm **Incorporating Green Practices in Building Codes;**
Story of Shangri La Health Spa
Frank O’Neill, Full Service Green
- Session 3 4:35 – 5:00 pm **Sustainable Goals Become Reality**
Linda Purcell, architecture PML, Inc., Colorado
- Session 4 5:00 – 5:15 pm **Sustainable Stormwater Design**
Jonathan Romine, EnSite
- Session 5 5:15 – 5:30 pm **What Makes Transportation Sustainable?**
Julia B. Davis, Omnibus Innovations Group, Inc.
- Q&A 5:30 – 5:45 pm Facilitated by: *Paul Shahriari, Green Mind, Inc.*
- 5:45 – 6:00 pm** **Wrap-Up and Next Steps**