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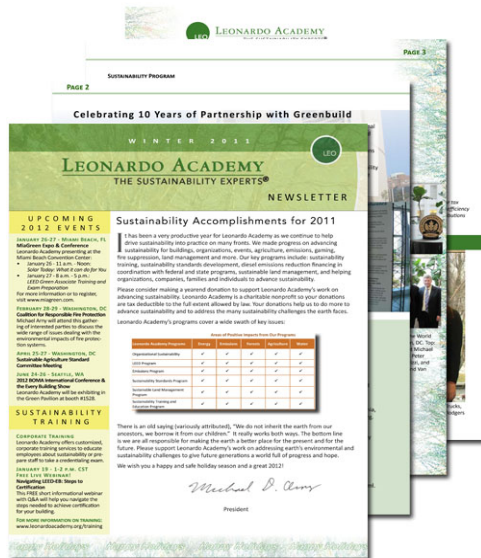


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Sustainability Accomplishments



Leonardo Academy Winter 2011 Newsletter

It has been a very productive year for Leonardo Academy as we continue to help drive sustainability into practice on many fronts. We made progress on advancing sustainability for buildings, organizations, events, agriculture, emissions, gaming, fire suppression, land management and more. Our key programs include: sustainability training, sustainability standards development, diesel emissions reduction financing in coordination with federal and state programs, sustainable land management, and helping organizations, companies, families and individuals to advance sustainability. Please consider making a yearend donation to support Leonardo Academy's work on advancing

sustainability. Leonardo Academy is a charitable nonprofit so your donations are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law. Your donations help us to do more to advance sustainability and to address the many sustainability challenges the earth faces. There is an old saying (variously attributed), "We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children." It really works both ways. The bottom line is we are all responsible for making the earth a better place for the present and for the future. Please support Leonardo Academy's work on addressing earth's environmental and sustainability challenges to give future generations a world full of progress and hope.

Read on for specific updates for our programs and services, or for a PDF version of our newsletter, click on the newsletter image above.

We wish you a happy and safe holiday season and a great 2012!

Sincerely,



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Leonardo Academy provides overall sustainability services for events

- ✔ Location selection to minimize travel impacts
- ✔ Consideration of venue sustainability in venue selection
- ✔ Event emission calculation and offsets
- ✔ Guidance and rating of the sustainability of exhibits
- ✔ Guidance in selection for sustainability of:
 - Menus
 - Food service
 - Hotels
 - Shuttle service
- ✔ Certification of the sustainability achievements of events

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Leonardo Acosta, President, Michael Army speaking at the World Bank's LEED Plaque Awards Ceremony



Edward Caballero, President, TerraNova, SBBC Program Manager, Valery Rodriguez, President, La Vi and Van Pulle



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