



**MAY 4, 2009 • THE COLONNADE HOTEL, BOSTON, MASS.
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Agenda

Today's world demands that colleges and universities strive for "sustainability"—a commitment to conserving and replenishing resources—in all areas including operations, planning and academics. This conference gathers senior leaders of higher education, government and business to explore best practices in sustainability from New England and beyond, consider the economic challenges and advantages that come from incorporating sustainability into the fabric of higher education and explore higher education's role in creating a greener future for all.



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**GREENING HIGHER EDUCATION: SAVING THE PLANET AND SAVING MONEY
A NEW ENGLAND LEADERSHIP FORUM**

<p>7:45 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. REGISTRATION and CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST <i>Huntington Ballroom Foyer, 1st Floor</i></p>	
<p>8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. WELCOME and KEYNOTE <i>Huntington Ballroom, 1st Floor</i></p>	
<p>Welcome: Michael K. Thomas, President & CEO, New England Board of Higher Education Daniel K. Moon, President & Executive Director, Environmental Business Council of New England</p> <p>Keynote: Anthony D. Cortese, President & Co-Founder, Second Nature</p>	
<p>9:40 a.m. to 10:50 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSION I</p>	
<p>Session 1A: The Business Case for Sustainability <i>Boston Ballroom, 2nd Floor</i></p>	<p>Session 1B: Greening the Campus 101—Action Steps for Campus Leaders <i>Huntington Ballroom, 1st Floor</i></p>
<p>Facilitator: John L. Cusack, President, Gifford Park Associates / Executive Director, New Jersey Higher Education Partnership for Sustainability</p> <p>Panelists: Elaine L. Clark, Executive Director of Facilities, Real Estate & Planning, University of Maine</p> <p>Jay V. Kahn, Vice President for Finance and Planning, Keene State College</p> <p>Michele Madia, Director of Environmental Leadership, National Association of College and University Business Officers</p> <p>Rick Mattila, Director of Environmental Affairs, Genzyme Corporation</p>	<p>Facilitator: Thomas Kelly, Chief Sustainability Officer & Director of the Office of Sustainability, University of New Hampshire</p> <p>Panelists: Varun Avasthi, District Manager & Northeast Education and Regional Sustainability Manager, Sodexo Campus Services</p> <p>Eric Friedman, Director, Leading by Example Program, Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs</p> <p>Miguel L. Gomes, Jr., Acting Vice President for Administration & Finance, Bridgewater State College</p> <p>Heather Henriksen, Director of the Office for Sustainability, Harvard University</p>

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10:50 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. BREAK		
11:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSION II		
Session 2A: The Benefits of Building Green <i>Colonnade East Room, 5th Floor</i>	Session 2B: Evaluating Renewable Energy for Colleges and Universities <i>Braemore/Kenmore Room, 1st Floor</i>	Session 2C: Greening Campus Services <i>Boston Ballroom, 2nd Floor</i>
<p>Facilitator: Robert A. Weygand, Vice President of Administration & Finance, University of Rhode Island</p> <p>Panelists: Alan G. Kuniholm, Principal, PDT Architects / Green Schools Advocate, Maine Chapter of U.S. Green Building Council</p> <p>David L. McIntyre, Institutional Practice Leader, Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc.</p> <p>Alexandria Roe, Director of Planning & Program Development, University of Connecticut</p> <p>Alex Wilson, Executive Editor, <i>Environmental Building News</i> / Founder, BuildingGreen, LLC</p>	<p>Facilitator: David Barclay, Executive Director, Northeast Sustainable Energy Association</p> <p>Panelists: Kathleen Driscoll, Environmental, Health, Safety and Sustainability Officer, Massachusetts Maritime Academy</p> <p>Michelle D. Dyer, Vice President, Second Nature</p> <p>Christopher Recchia, Executive Director, Biomass Energy Research Center</p> <p>Steven J. Strong, President, Solar Design Associates, Inc. / President, Solar Energy Business Association of New England</p>	<p>Facilitator: Keith Woodward, President, Eastern Region of the Association of Higher Education Facilities Officers / Associate Director of Facilities, Quinnipiac University</p> <p>Panelists: John W. Herman, Regional Sustainability Manager, Northeast Region, ARAMARK</p> <p>Stephen T. Pesci, Special Projects Director of Campus Planning, University of New Hampshire</p> <p>Jennifer Sayers, Sustainability Coordinator, University of Connecticut</p>
12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. LUNCH AND KEYNOTE <i>Huntington Ballroom, 1st Floor</i>		
Jim Elder, Director, Campaign for Environmental Literacy		
1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. FREE TIME TO VISIT EXHIBITS <i>Huntington Ballroom Foyer, 1st Floor</i>		

2:00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSION III		
Session 3A: Greening the Curriculum <i>Boston Ballroom, 2nd Floor</i>	Session 3B: Achieving Carbon Neutrality <i>Braemore/Kenmore Room, 1st Floor</i>	Session 3C: Energy That Pays: Why Use an Energy Service Company? <i>Colonnade East Room, 5th Floor</i>
Facilitator: Robert L. Pura, President, Greenfield Community College Panelists: Ralph C. Meima, III, Program Director, MBA in Managing for Sustainability, Marlboro College Graduate School Philip Petty, Interim Director, Center for Sustainable Practices, Vermont Technical College Michael Womersley, Associate Professor & Director of Sustainability, Unity College	Facilitator: Ira W. Leighton, Acting Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Panelists: Michael F. Ahern, Vice President of Utilities Services, Northeast Utilities Jennifer Andrews, Campus Program Manager, Clean Air-Cool Planet Susan E. Coakley, Executive Director, Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnerships, Inc. Tim Stout, Vice President of Energy Efficiency and Distributed Resources, National Grid	Facilitator: Roy Morrison, Director of the Office of Sustainability, Southern New Hampshire University Panelists: Christopher M. Farren, Regional Group Director, Northeast, NORESCO Donald Gilligan, President, National Association of Energy Service Companies Edward R. Terceiro, Jr., Executive Vice President, Mount Wachusett Community College
3:15 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. PRESIDENTS ROUNDTABLE <i>Huntington Ballroom, 1st Floor</i>		
Facilitator: Mark Orlowski, Founder and Executive Director, Sustainable Endowments Institute Panelists: David F. Hales, President, College of the Atlantic Paul J. LeBlanc, President, Southern New Hampshire University Elsa M. Nuñez, President, Eastern Connecticut State University Kathleen Schatzberg, President, Cape Cod Community College		
4:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. NETWORKING AND EXHIBITS <i>Huntington Ballroom Foyer, 1st Floor</i>		