



WORLD GREEN INSTITUTE

STIMULATING ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRESS

ORGANIZATION PROFILE

With environmental concerns dominating the nightly news and earning front page billing in local, national and international print media, the global attention being directed at this universal issue is unprecedented. World leaders host summits to discuss such relevant topics as green house gas emissions and energy conservation strategies while dinner table conversations bring to light opportunities for families and individuals to make their own difference and lead environmentally conscious lifestyles. At the root of these initiatives is a thirst for knowledge and a demand for education that will better prepare us to recognize the issues and identify viable solutions, both great and small, to ease the burden our homes, communities, cities and countries put on the earth's fragile and delicately balanced environment.

The World Green Institute (WGI) is the world's first online learning institution dedicated to the creation and delivery of educational material focused on commercial and residential energy conservation, sustainable practices and green lifestyles. Catering to businesses and individuals across a broad range of professions and interests, WGI offers its students the opportunity to pursue industry recognized certification through the successful completion of cutting edge, relevant and practical course modules authored by some of the brightest environmental minds in the world. Beyond its commitment to education, the World Green Institute contributes to the advancement of global environmental awareness by engaging in research, development and testing of technologies with applications in green and sustainable industries around the world.

WGI EDUCATION CONSTITUENCIES



"WGI IS STRIVING TO BE THE RECOGNIZED GLOBAL AUTHORITY ON COMMERCIAL AND RESIDENTIAL ENERGY CONSERVATION AND SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES. WE WILL ACCOMPLISH THIS THROUGH RELEVANT AND PRACTICAL EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION."

RELEVANT AND PRACTICAL EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION

WGI's mandate is to provide comprehensive education to distinct professional constituencies that will enable the conversion and construction of commercial buildings and homes to be green and environmentally aligned through the use of sustainable building practices and green lifestyles. WGI is committed to aligning itself with the most credible and respected partners within our virtual marketplace, including professional organizations such as the **American Institute of Architects (AIA)**, continuing education authorities like the **International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET)** and online education experts like the **Sloan Consortium**.

WGI curriculum is available as stand-alone general interest courses, continuing education credit courses and certification bundles. Each level naturally builds into the next, and embodies an educational philosophy that encourages long term learning and professional currency. WGI Certification offers inherent benefit to many professional and demographic segments: **Architects & Engineers** demonstrate performance beyond LEED certification and benefit from continuing education - **Builders** earn a reputation of specialization and differentiation in a growing and competitive market - **Inspectors** grow professionally through their certification of homes and businesses - **Property Owners** can realize substantial return on investment and increased property value - **Realtors** earn reputations as specialists in their market - **Government Employees** can grow professionally through continuing education.



WGI CERTIFICATION MARK

The World Green Institute offers certification levels defined by mastering increasingly complex subject matter. The WGI Certification Mark is granted to individuals that have successfully completed the applicable WGI modules commensurate with the requirements of the certification level. Holders of WGI Certifications have demonstrated a comprehensive understanding of environmental and energy conservation issues, and are recognized as individuals with differentiated skill sets, including a passionate commitment to sustainable practices.

