

Ecofest 2007 Environmental Conference

Sunday, September 30th

Lincoln Center

Free admission

1:00 What is Climate Change and How We Can Act Now

Practical tips to help save the environment while being kind to your wallet.

Tara DePorte, M.A. Program Director, Lower East Side Ecology Center

Shino Tanikawa, M.S. District Manager, New York City Soil & Water Conservation District

1:50 Socially Responsible Investing

Learn how to invest (and make money!) in companies that care about the environment.

Bruce Kahn, Ph.D. Financial Advisor, Smith Barney Consulting Group

2:10 Introduction to Biomimicry

Discover how biomimicry uses nature as a model to design sustainable solutions.

Mark Dorfman, MSPH Green Chemistry Naturalist, Biomimicry Guild

2:30 Questions and Answers

Shino Tanikawa, Bruce Kahn, and Mark Dorfman.

3:10 Break Refreshments available for purchase in Damrosch Park

3:30 Sustainable Design in Architecture

Learn about environmentally sound and innovative design.

Greg Kiss, M.Arch. Founder, Kiss + Cathcart Architects

3:50 Building Green

An introduction to green materials and building practices.

Robert Politzer, M.A., M.S. President and Founder, GreenStreet Construction and Consulting

4:10 Alternative Energy in Transportation

Find out how solar panels work and about practical uses of alternative energy today.

Amanda Friesen, B.ASc. Aerobody and Fabrication Lead, University of Toronto Blue Sky Solar Racing

4:30 Non-Standard Health Enhancement

Learn about alternative health practices as a way to augment your health.

Gary Null, Ph.D. Alternative Medicine and Natural Healing Advocate

4:50 Questions and Answers

Greg Kiss, Robert Politzer, Amanda Friesen, and Gary Null

Conference Moderator: Josh Dorfman, author of the [The Lazy Environmentalist: Your Guide to Easy, Stylish Green Living](#) and host of the Lazy Environmentalist radio show.