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Fundamentals of Building Green

Green Building Practices:

- Increase building/asset value
- Lower operating costs
- Earn higher tenant satisfaction
- Improve health & productivity

“Current Trends in Real Estate”, Spring 2011.
- CoStar, USGBC, CBRE

The construction industry is moving quickly towards greener, high-performing buildings, creating increased demand across the country for sustainable building skills.

This course teaches the basics of sustainability and provides an overview of the essential strategies and work practices that make buildings more efficient. GPRO covers the “green gap” between standard trade skills and the new awareness required to successfully implement sustainable building practices.

Individuals with experience in construction and building operations will have an advantage when taking *Fundamentals of Building Green* and in passing the certificate exam, but anyone with an interest in green building is encouraged to participate.

GPRO *Fundamentals of Building Green* is the prerequisite for all GPRO trade-specific courses.

This 6-hour standalone certificate course can be scheduled to meet the needs of your organization. Certificate exam is included.

WHAT STUDENTS LEARN

- Economic and health benefits of green building
- Causes and impacts of a changing climate
- Transitioning to sustainable construction practices
- Complying with green codes and standards
- Understanding LEED
- Overview of green building strategies
- The importance of building commissioning (systems quality assurance)

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

GPRO *Fundamentals* qualifies for 4 AIA and GBCI CE Credits.
See www.gpro.org/faqs for details.

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