



# Growing Green Neighbourhoods: An Overview of the LEED-ND Rating System for Canada

## OVERVIEW

Get up to speed quickly on the LEED-ND rating system and learn about the new alternative compliance paths for Canada. The *LEED 2009 for Neighbourhood Development Rating System with Canadian Alternative Compliance Paths (ACPs)* addresses sustainable development at the community scale.

This course is aimed at anyone seeking to enter into, or know more about, the sustainable community development market. This course will be of particular interest to planners, developers, municipal officials and politicians, civil and transportation engineers and green building consultants/designers. While this is not an exam preparation course, it may still be of value to individuals studying for the LEED AP-ND exam.

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

During this interactive one-day course, an expert instructor will provide an overview of the rating system and alternative compliance paths. The requirements associated with each credit will be discussed. Participants will review acceptable technologies and strategies, as well as see examples of projects that have achieved LEED-ND certification. They will also have the opportunity to work through a real-life case study, including reviewing the actual project results. The course will finish with several sample practice questions that will test and reinforce what participants' have learned.

Participants will leave the classroom with a copy of the presentation slides, case study activity worksheets, and a copy of the *LEED 2009 for Neighbourhood Development Rating System with Canadian Alternative Compliance Paths*.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Understand and describe the requirements of each LEED-ND credit;
- Recognize synergistic strategies that apply to multiple credits;
- Identify which projects can utilize the LEED-ND rating system;
- Apply LEED-ND in the Canadian context; and
- Draw upon lessons learned on existing projects to help achieve successes on future projects.

## COURSE BENEFITS

- Opportunity to learn about the *LEED-ND 2009 rating system and Canadian ACPs* from the CaGBC, the organization that developed the ACPs.
- Set yourself apart by demonstrating your knowledge of how each building type works to contribute to a successful 'green' community.
- Through expanding your knowledge, you will have the potential to extend your business reach into the area of sustainable communities.





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## WHY CAGBC?

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## LEVEL / CEUs

6.5 GBCI CE hours (general or LEED specific ND).

## PRICING

	National Members	Non Members	Chapter Members
Early Bird*	\$325	\$430	\$365
Regular	\$365	\$475	\$400

\*Early Bird available up to two weeks prior to event

## PUBLIC WORKSHOPS

For more information on available dates and locations, please call the CaGBC at 613.241.1184 or toll-free at 1.866.941.1184. You can also reach us at [education@cagbc.org](mailto:education@cagbc.org).

## PRIVATE WORKSHOPS

If you or your company is interested in having an on-site private workshop, please contact Lisa Hatina at 1.866.941.1184, ext. 1068, or via email at [lhatina@cagbc.org](mailto:lhatina@cagbc.org).

