

### **Networking and Social**

Throughout the evening there will be opportunities to network and socialize. Hors d'oeuvres and non alcoholic drinks are included with your ticket and there will be a cash bar. At this event, the chapter will also release its vision for 2017.

### **Building Tour**

The evening will start off with a guided tour of the LEED<sup>®</sup> Platinum accredited Algonquin Centre for Construction Excellence (ACCE).

#### What is Regenerative Design?

Regenerative buildings and communities not only produce all of their own energy, capture and treat all water, but they are also designed and operated to have a net-positive impact on the environment, including repairing surrounding ecosystems.



# Chapter Holiday Party: Regenerative Design & Biomimicry

The CaGBC Ottawa Chapter has recruited Bill Reed, an internationally recognized architect and a leading authority in regenerative design and biomimicry, as this year's keynote for our annual holiday party.

The evening will be dedicated to discussing methods of achieving regenerative design, drawing from examples that are leading the movement globally and highlighting projects where green building and community planning have been fully integrated with living systems. The presentation will include a breakout session focused on regenerative design in Ontario that will specifically address challenges to regenerative design projects here in the capital region.

## Keynote



Bill is a founding Board member of the US Green Building Council and one of the co-founders of the LEED Rating System. Bill has also consulted on over two hundred green design commissions, the majority of which are LEED Gold and Platinum and Living Building Challenge projects. He has presented at events throughout Europe and North America including Harvard, UBC, MIT, Princeton, and UPenn.

### Agenda

- 4:00-4:30pm: Tour of ACCE
- 4:30-5:30pm: Networking Social (with food and drinks)
- 5:30-8:30pm: Welcome, Keynote & Breakout
- 8:30-9:00pm Wrap up & Social

## Details

- **Date:** November 28<sup>th</sup> from 4pm to 9pm
- Location: 1385 Woodroffe Ave Rm CA105 (behind the green wall)
- Cost: \$35 member \$45 non-member