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March 2009 Newsletter

Yestermorrow Profile: Bill Bialosky



Architect, Instructor, Board
Member

Since 1988, Bill has been

Greetings!

March promises to be a busy month here at Yestermorrow. Last week we kicked off our [Certificate in Sustainable Building and Design](#) core curriculum: [Ecological Design in the Built Environment](#), a new 3 week course which is the result of intensive faculty collaboration.

We're also taking to the road to spread the word about Yestermorrow: this week we're hosting a [public information session](#) on **Tuesday, March 10 at Next Phase Studios in Boston**, and we'll have a booth at the annual Building Energy conference in Boston (see below). We'll be hosting information sessions in New York City in April and Philadelphia in May (stay tuned for details). If you're willing to help us host an information session in your area, please drop me a line.

We're expanding our online presence with a Yestermorrow group on [Facebook](#), a re-vamped [blog](#), and new [web photo galleries](#). We're collecting stories from our alumni, profiling projects they've worked on since their time at Yestermorrow. You can see the [test version on our website](#), but we're always looking for more, so send us photos and testimonials highlighting projects you're proud of.

We hope you'll take advantage of the many opportunities to keep up to date with what we've been up to at Yestermorrow, and keep in touch!

splitting his time between his licensed practice in New York and a family office in Cleveland, Ohio. He has applied his extensive experience and knowledge of building technologies to solo projects as well as collaborations with other builder, artists and artisans. Bill enjoys working at all scales - from corporate campuses for thousands of employees to temporal seaside structures. Since 1990, he has helped others find the fun and rewards in exploring the design/build philosophy while teaching at Yestermorrow.

Bill has served on the Yestermorrow Board of Directors since 2000, and after three terms now he deserves a well-earned break. We'd like to thank Bill for all his years of service. Lucky for all of us, though, Bill will still be co-teaching the Community Design/Build class this summer, and hopefully many summers to come.

Kate Stephenson
Executive Director

Class Spotlight: Stained Glass Intensive

Dates: **April 5 - 10, 2009**
Tuition: \$750 +\$90 materials

This course is designed for people who want to professionally incorporate stained glass windows or panels into their projects. Students will learn to design, build, install and repair stained glass windows either of their own making or under their care. Specifically, students will: learn to identify historic styles and traditions of stained glass, design and draw stained glass windows and panels, plan colors and make materials choices, cut glass and assemble it to professional standards, reinforce, protect, frame and install stained glass windows and panels, and learn repair, restoration, and conservation techniques.



What some former students have said about the class:

"This class represented the best Yestermorrow course experience I have had to date! The content was fascinating, we had good classroom chemistry, and I came away feeling elated and inspired."

"... amazing instructor. He is a walking encyclopedia who was able to integrate the science, engineering, and design aspects of stained glass into a fascinating comprehensive class."

[Register online](#) for Yestermorrow's [Stained Glass Intensive](#) class, email shannon@yestermorrow.org or call us at **888.496.5541**.

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Upcoming
Classes:**

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[Re-Inventing Small Business](#)

[Design for Climate Change and Peak Oil](#)

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Online Auction a Success!

Thanks to everyone who made a bid or won an item in our first-ever fund raising auction on eBay. You helped us raise over \$500 for the School!

If you didn't bid or win, you haven't missed your chance to help the School. We've got items on Craigslist and Amazon.com as well:

- [Purple Concrete Sink](#)
- [Concrete Countertop](#)
- [Book about Cape May Architecture](#)

Do you sell items on eBay? If so, you can donate some or all of your sales to Yestermorrow. Email Erin to find out how.



Visit our booth at [BuildingEnergy09](#)

The Yestermorrow team will be in Boston this week for the Northeast Sustainable Energy Association's annual conference March 10-12 at the Seaport World Trade Center. [Download a free trade show pass](#), and **stop by booth #527** and say hi on Thursday! This is always one of our favorite events of the year since it brings together renewable energy enthusiasts and building science specialists to discuss cutting edge issues in sustainable design.

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