BUILDING GREEN 2018 CONFERENCE
21 September 2018
Function Room 1, SMX Convention Center, Pasay City, Philippines

BACKGROUND

The Philippine Green Building Council (PHILGBC), an Established Member of the World Green Building Council (WorldGBC), will hold its 12th Building Green Conference on September 21, 2018 to start the celebration of the World Green Building Week from September 24 to 30, 2018.

The PHILGBC is an alliance of leaders from the building and construction industry that promotes and educates the public on best practices, latest information and applicable technologies on green building to ensure a sustainable environment. The Council is extensively working with the private sector and government to promote buildings that are environmentally responsible, profitable, safe and healthy places to live, play and work.

For the past decade, PHILGBC’s programs and activities have been guided by its mandate to rate, advocate and educate.

Rate. The PHILGBC has developed the BERDE Green Building Rating System, a tool currently being used by the private sector and adopted by national and local governments to measure, monitor and verify performance of buildings above and beyond existing building and environmental regulations and mandatory standards. The rating system guides decision makers in industry in designing, constructing, and operating greener buildings.

Advocate. PHILGBC’s advocacy work includes providing technical support and position papers to senior policy makers and chief executives at the regulatory front on green building and sustainability.

Educate. The Council conducts, under its flagship event Building Green, year-round workshops, seminar and forum and conferences which involves technology transfer, knowledge sharing and capacity building.

The Building Green Conference Series was developed as the cornerstone of the Council’s efforts in educating students, building professionals, government personnel and property investors.
BUILDING GREEN 2018 CONFERENCE (BG2018)

The Building Green Conference is an annual event for nationwide awareness campaign on green building. For the past decade, the BG Conference has been the venue that brings together stakeholders of the building and construction industry to share the latest and relevant concepts, technology and best practices on green building. The conference is also a platform for meaningful dialogue among practitioners on existing and upcoming policies on financing and procurement of green products and services.

The topics discussed in the conference has evolved from understanding what green building is to sharing ongoing green building projects.

The theme for this year’s Building Green 2018 Conference (BG2018) is **Global Collaborations for a Greener and Sustainable Built Environment.** The conference features esteemed speakers and expert practitioners who will impart their knowledge, share best practices and latest information on green building. The conference has THREE plenary sessions: Green Programs of the Government; Current Local and International Programs on Energy Efficiency, AND Green Homes.

Session 1 will showcase the green programs and projects of the government. Leading by example, participants will learn about the Department of Health’s greening of health care facilities. Participants will also be updated on the government’s climate change mitigation and adaptation policies and programs for the building industry.

Session 2 will highlight the latest technologies, programs and services of the trade commissions on green building and Energy Efficiency. Four trade missions will be presenting their country’s expertise and cutting-edge technologies to complement homegrown technologies.

Session 3 will focus on the greening of homes. In celebration of the World Green Building Week scheduled on September 24-30 with the theme Green Home – Building Better for the Next Generation, participants will learn the government’s efforts in greening the socialize housing sector, green residential project developments from some of the leading green property developers in the country, and technologies and best practices contributing to greening our homes and building better places for people. Discover how to make your next home green.

The conference will include an Awarding Ceremony on the Winners of the 2nd PHILGBC Awards on Green Building. The Award winners represented the Philippines in the 2nd WorldGBC Asia Pacific Leadership in Green Building Awards.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES AND OUTCOMES

The objectives of the conference include the following:

- To provide participants with the relevant and latest information on green building and sustainability;
- To engage government and business leaders to discuss issues on green building;
- To encourage decision makers to invest in energy efficient technologies and services;
• To contribute to the advancement of greener economies that will sustain the growth of greener environments by opening up opportunities for trade and collaborations both locally and at the international level.

The expected conference outcomes are:
• Increased awareness on industry best practices, and green building strategies and available energy efficiency products, technologies, and services in the market;
• Solutions for better implementation of green building;
• Better trade relations opening up opportunities for green investments.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

The Conference brings together thought leaders, policy makers and decision makers from the building and construction industry representing the following:
  o National and local government
  o Developers, Property Owners
  o Real-estate Brokers
  o Building Professionals
  o Contractors and specialty trade contractors
  o Manufacturers and suppliers
  o Academe and Civil Society

CONFERENCE SPONSORS

BG2018 Conference is co-organized with the Global-Link MP Events International, Inc. and co-located with the Green Philippines Exhibit.

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  o World Home Depot
## BUILDING GREEN 2018 CONFERENCE

*Theme: Global Collaborations for a Greener and Sustainable Built Environment*

21 September 2018, 8:00AM to 6:00PM  
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Awarding Ceremony

Winners of the 2nd PHILGBC Leadership in Green Building Awards

1:20PM – 1:35PM

Winners of the 2nd PHILGBC Leadership in Green Building Awards
- Business Leadership in Sustainability
- Leadership in Sustainable Design and Performance
- Women in Green Building Leadership

Mr. Gabriel Ma. Angelo Cascante
Chair, Awards Committee

Session 2: Local and International Cooperation in Advancing Energy Efficiency

1:45PM – 2:00PM

Green building and sustainable building practices through environmentally responsible and resource efficient design and planning processes

Ms. Elodie Journet,
Senior Trade and Investment Commission to the Philippines and Micronesia, Australian Trade Commission (confirmed)

2:15PM – 2:30PM

German-Philippine Cooperation’s Impact on Energy Efficiency

Mr. Tobias Petersen
Senior Strategic Business Consultant, German-Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc. (confirmed)

2:35PM – 2:50PM

Solutions and Strategies on EE

Mr. Dodjie R. Fabian
Trade Commissioner – Infrastructure – ASEAN, The Canadian Trade Commissioner (confirmed)

2:55PM – 3:10PM

State of Green – Denmark’s Green Story

H.E Jan Top Christensen
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Denmark to the Philippines (confirmed)

3:15PM – 3:30PM

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Session 3: Green Homes – Building Better for the Next Generation

3:30PM – 3:40PM

Awarding of Maynilad BERDE Certificate

3:40PM – 3:50PM

Awarding of BERDE Certificates – Net Buildings

Mr. Christopher C. De La Cruz
CEO, PHILGBC

3:50PM – 4:00PM

Awarding of BERDE Certificates – Arya Residences

Mr. Christopher C. De La Cruz
CEO, PHILGBC

4:00PM – 4:15PM

Arya Residences
BERDE 4-Star Certified project

Mr. Edgar Sabidong
VP Technical Services, Arthaland Corporation (confirmed)

4:15PM – 4:30PM

Substance and Sustainability: The DATEM Legacy

Engr. Emilio J. Tumbocon
Managing Director, Datem Inc. (confirmed)
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<td>Mr. Virgo Ramil T. Ruaro</td>
<td>Customer Solutions and Product Development Manager, Project Manager for Prepaid Electricity Service, Manila Electric Company (confirmed)</td>
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<td>Ms. Benita Regala</td>
<td>Department Head, National Housing Authority (confirmed)</td>
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<td>Mr. Ian Quiacos</td>
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<td>Rommel Vallente</td>
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