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**HOSTED BY THE GREATER NEW ORLEANS FOUNDATION AND  
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**THE GREATER NEW ORLEANS FOUNDATION AND THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS PRESENT**



**THE  
URBAN  
WATER  
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**2017 TECHNICAL MASTER CLASSES**



**PLEASE JOIN US** for a series of lectures and workshops designed to deepen the technical knowledge of private and public sector professionals to improve their ability to design, develop, install, and maintain green infrastructure for a vibrant region.

**CENTER FOR PHILANTHROPY, 919 ST CHARLES AVE**

💧 **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26**

## **RAINY DAYS: INTEGRATING BUILDING AND SITE DESIGN FOR BETTER STORMWATER MANAGEMENT**

**FREE PUBLIC LECTURE | 5:30 PM TO 7:00 PM**

### ***WATER IS A PRECIOUS RESOURCE, NOT A WASTE PRODUCT!***

A team of experts from Wisconsin: architect Vince Micha, site planner/landscape architect Tom Mortensen, and civil engineer Paul McIlheran will present an idea-rich discussion on an approach to more effective and environmentally responsible design for stormwater management. Based on the philosophy that Nature Ignores Designs That Ignore Nature, the team will explain how their collaborative approach contributes to better building, site, and landscape designs and projects.

💧 **THURSDAY, APRIL 27**

## **COLLABORATIVE DESIGN TECHNIQUES FOR STORMWATER INTEGRATION**

**WORKSHOP | 8:30 AM TO 1:00 PM | \$45**

**MASTER CLASS IS INTENDED FOR ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, CIVIL ENGINEERS, AND MUNICIPAL STAFF**

**Price includes breakfast, lunch, and parking**

Architects, landscape architects, and civil engineers typically have minimal contact during the early stages of design, which often leads to missed opportunities and sub-optimal outcomes. Learn how architect Vince Micha, landscape architect Tom Mortensen, and civil engineer

Paul McIlheran have improved the collaborative process with Pattern Writing, a design technique that creates a deeper understanding of how a building and site can work together. They will share examples of relevant built projects, review case studies illustrating their collaborative design style, and discuss how their process can be applied to local projects.



💧 **VINCE MICHA**

Vince Micha, AIA is senior project architect at The Kubala Washatko Architects, Inc. (TKWA-Cedarburg, WI). Vince is one of TKWA's most experienced architects with specific expertise in managing complex, multi-discipline projects in the areas of adaptive re-use, rehabilitation, and application of historic tax credits, religious institutions, hospitality, retail, and multi-family housing.



💧 **TOM MORTENSEN**

Tom Mortensen, PLA, ASLA of R.A. Smith National (Brookfield, WI) is a site planner and landscape architect with over 30 years of experience in landscape architecture and related design and construction professions. Tom's experience includes expertise in the areas of site planning, urban spaces, park and public open space design, and restoration plans and construction management.



💧 **PAUL MCILHERAN**

Paul McIlheran, PE, CPSWQ of R.A. Smith National (Brookfield, Wisconsin) has over 20 years of civil engineering design experience in retail, commercial, health care and residential site development, and specializes in stormwater management planning and design.