

# **Biomimicry & Buildings**

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## **ABSTRACT**

This will provide an introduction to biomimicry, including examples of bioinspired building and related solutions, Life's Principles and including biomimicry in the design process. The program includes exercises with participants and an introduction to available biomimicry resources. This is intended for architects, designers, landscape architects, contractors, students and others interested in a more sustainable approach for buildings.

## **BIOGRAPHY**

Peter is President and Co-founder of Biomimicry New England and a Biomimicry Specialist. BNE is a nonprofit organization dedicated to establishing nature and natural systems as an important resource for education and innovation in New England. 1985 to 2014 He was Chairman & Founder of the Corporate Design Foundation, with the mission to improve the quality of life and the effectiveness of organizations through design. Prior to that, Director, Design Management Institute in Boston. He has taught about design at business schools including: Babson, London Business School, Boston University School of Management and UT Austin's School of Business.