Building the Future: Key Changes in LEED V5

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Presenter Biographies and Experience:

The presenters are leaders in the green building industry, each with decades of experience contributing to the evolution of LEED. Rachel Nicely has played a key role in the development of LEED v5, drawing from her involvement with USGBC Technical Advisory Groups and her expertise across various green building rating systems. Mike Babcock and Adam Ugliuzza add critical insights into enclosure performance and building energy performance with their in-depth technical knowledge.

Abstract:

The draft of LEED v5 is here—how will it drive market transformation, and what does it mean for your projects and the broader industry? Join us for an in-depth exploration of the next iteration of the LEED Green Building Rating System, which places renewed emphasis on Decarbonization, Quality of Life, and Ecological Conservation and Restoration. Our expert presenters will break down the most significant updates and provide insights into navigating this complex, game-changing version of LEED. With Decarbonization at the forefront, we'll explore the changes in the energy category, offering a "choose your own adventure" approach for project teams. Discover how to address electrification, thermal performance, and energy efficiency, and embodied carbon to meet the new performance standards. This session will help you grasp design and construction approaches that go beyond the present and prepare you for the future impact of these changes. Don't miss the opportunity to understand the big shifts and essential considerations that will shape the future of green building.