

KOMPAN PLAY INSTITUTE

Symposium for Landscape Architects:

Reclaiming the Outdoor Space for the Digital Generation

The KOMPAN Play Institute invites you to a symposium devoted to innovation in outdoor environments. The symposium is free and accredited with the ASLA for four (4) hours of continuing education credits through the landscape architecture's continuing education system, LA CES. This symposium is hosted by Tiki Recreation.



DATE Monday, October 26, 2009

LOCATION Newark Public Library
5 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07101

PROGRAM 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.



Symposium for Landscape Architects

This symposium is about creating innovative modern landscapes that promote healthy, active living. Today, understanding human behavior is at the forefront of designing intriguing outdoor environments that will motivate high use, which is the ultimate success criterion when designing such spaces. A multifunctional approach to making the outdoors relevant for all generations and abilities will be presented through examples, concepts, and research. Kids' developmental issues, health, psychological motivation, and their particular needs, as well as the needs of their families, will set the stage. Concepts for how this know-how gets translated into playful environments will be illustrated through inspiring examples from across the world, both in architecture and layout solutions. Practical strategies and approaches to inclusive play will be discussed, rounding out the inside part of the symposium. Lastly, we will venture outdoors on a playground tour, with tour guides discussing layout and design considerations.



Helle Burlingame



Michael Laris



Marty Miller

10:30 Breakfast, registration and networking

11:00 Welcome and Program

Tiki Barber, Chairman, Tiki Recreation, LLC & Tom Grover, President, KOMPAN, Inc.

11:30 Reclaiming the Outdoor Space for the Digital Generation

Helle Burlingame, Psychologist, KOMPAN Play Institute

12:30 An International Approach to Designing for Play

Michael Laris, Architect, KOMPAN Head Designer, Denmark

1:30 Lunch

2:00 Inclusive Play: Practical Strategies and Innovation

Dr. Marty Miller & Lori Chiriboga, Hudson Valley Cerebral Palsy Assoc.

3:00 Playground Tour

Robert G. Dooley, Jr., Chief Architect, City of Newark

4:30 Thank you for the day

**[Click here to view speaker bios.](#)*

Upon completion of this symposium, participants will:

- Garner tools that will increase personal and professional innovation capabilities in the field of landscape architecture and designing playgrounds, as well as the appropriate knowledge context for designing relevant play environments.
- Grow their network of people who face similar challenges in designing outdoor environments.
- Gather ideas for themselves and their organization.

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RSVP

Before attending the symposium, please fill out the Registration Form below and send to Britt Hart, contact info below, before September 25, 2009.

Registration Form:

Name	
ASLA #	
Organization	
Street Address	
City, State, Zip	
Phone/Cell	
Email	

Send all Registration Forms to:

CONTACT Britt Hart, Director of Design, Tiki Recreation, LLC
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You will receive your four (4) hours of continuing education credits certificate at the completion of the symposium. If you have any questions regarding the continuing education credits, please contact:

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