

Building Stone Institute  
**2010 Study Tour**

# Pacific Northwest



Join us for a hands-on educational experience from artisans of natural stone. With the breathtaking natural beauty of the Pacific Northwest, this is a great opportunity to learn from the masters of the craft.

September 12-14, 2010

Earlybird Registration Deadline: July 19, 2010  
Details and Registration Form inside



# The 2010 Study Tour is your opportunity to experience natural building stone fabrication from the artisan's viewpoint.

Join us this year in the Pacific Northwest where we will depart from the norm for our Fall Study Tour. The **Willows Lodge** in **Woodinville** will be the base for our program. Quintessential Pacific Northwest style with an Asian flair is 25 minutes from downtown Seattle in the heart of Washington wine country. The Willows was developed by **Phil Sherburne**, whose philosophy calls for quieter, sophisticated technologies, minimizing environmental impact without comprising the indulgences of the guest. The luxury lodge is managed with sustainable practices and we will welcome Phil as our speaker at the opening night dinner.



## BSI 2010 STUDY TOUR ITINERARY

### SUNDAY, SEPT 12

- **Registration** / 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
- **Committee Meetings** / 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.  
Education / Membership / Editorial / Advocacy  
Technical / Sustainability Sub Committee
- **Strategic Planning** / 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
- **Board Meeting** / 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
- **Reception** / 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
- **Dinner** / 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.  
(Speaker-**Phil Sherburne**, Eco-developer)

### MONDAY, SEPT 13

- Breakfast
  - Tour **Seattle Solstice** Fabrication Facility
  - Tour **International Masonry Institute**
  - Lunch
  - Presentation by **Steve Alamin** at IMI  
(Local architects are invited.)
  - **Westlake Plaza and Pioneer Square** Tour
  - Open Evening
- Option to stay and shop/dine in downtown Seattle.  
Limited space transportation back to hotel will be provided. Reservations requested.  
See Registration Form to reserve.

### TUESDAY, SEPT 14

- Breakfast
- Tour **Talus Slope Quarry** and view Water Feature
- Lunch at **Marenakos Rock Center**
- **StoneFest** Participation
- Reception and Dinner at **Columbia Winery**

#### Willows Lodge

14580 N.E. 145th Street  
Woodinville, WA 98072  
(425) 424-3900 | [www.willowslodge.com](http://www.willowslodge.com)



We will spend **Monday** in the Seattle downtown area touring **Seattle Solstice's** state of the art fabrication facility where we will see proprietary machine technology creating large format stone sculptures and water features in the design and fabrication stage. A new member to the BSI, Seattle Solstice designs their own unique fabricating equipment to work with stone. A tour and lunch will be held at the **International Masonry Institute's** training facility where BSI will also invite local architects and landscape architects to join us for a special presentation by **Steve Alamin**, president/COO of **Rhodes Architectural Stone**. Members of the design community will be able to earn one

AIA Learning Unit from this presentation. We will finish the day at Westlake Plaza to see this year's Bybee Prize winner, **Laurie Olin's**

inspirational "basket weave pattern" paving project plus head to the **Pioneer Square district**, Seattle's oldest architecture highlighting the rustic use of local **Tenino Sandstone**.

On **Tuesday**, after a trip into the **Cascade Mountains** to view the **Talus Slope Granite** quarry, the Study Tour will focus on real hands-on stonework as we participate with artisans, builders, designers and other stone enthusiasts gathered for **StoneFest**. Their theme this year is "The Inheritance of Stone". Masonry and stone carving are two trades inherently gifted with the handing down of knowledge, whether from father to son or master to apprentice, mentoring occurs on all levels in our daily work. StoneFest 2010 will notably celebrate this inherited knowledge of stone. BSI Study Tour attendees may register for more time at StoneFest by visiting [www.stonefest.org](http://www.stonefest.org).



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## 2010 Study Tour Sponsorship Opportunities



For your generous financial support, your company will be recognized on items at this year's Study Tour as well as on the BSI Web site. This is an effective way to gain exposure to BSI members and participants while showing your support for BSI programs.

With your support, BSI is committed to bringing you events and programming which benefit you, your business, and the natural stone industry. Select your sponsorship option listed at the right, complete and return this form by 8/15/10, and we'll see you in Seattle!

Deadline for Sponsorships: August 15, 2010

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	BENEFITS
<b>Dinner</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	Dinner Sponsor receives a Banner Ad and Logo Link from BSI Web site in addition to the standard benefits.
<b>Lunch/Breakfast</b>	<b>\$800</b>	All levels of sponsorship receive these benefits: - BSI Web site Recognition - Event signage - Event Badge Ribbon - BSI Newsletter Recognition - Literature Inclusion option for Welcome Bags*
<b>T-Shirts</b>	<b>\$500</b>	
<b>Tours</b>	<b>\$500</b>	
<b>Breaks</b>	<b>\$250</b>	

\*Literature should be sent directly to the Willows Lodge. Quantities will be addressed in follow-up e-mail with shipping information. Sponsorships must be paid by 8/15/10 for inclusion on Event Signage and other benefits.

**Yes! My company is proud to support BSI with the following amount:**

- Dinner..... \$ 1,000.00
- Lunch/Breakfast .. 800.00
- T-Shirts..... 500.00
- Tours ..... 500.00
- Breaks .....250.00
- Other .....

Please complete all information and return this form with your payment before 8/15/10 to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of Payment:  Check  VISA  MasterCard  Amex

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: **X**

Building Stone Institute, P.O. Box 419, Chestertown, NY 12817. Or fax to **(518) 803-4338**. For more information, call BSI at **(518) 803-4336**.



# 2010 Study Tour / Pacific Northwest Registration Form



September 12-14, 2010

**PLEASE NOTE:** Use one form per room reservation. Make copies for additional room reservations. If you have questions or do not receive a room confirmation, please call the BSI office at (518) 803-4336.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**BED TYPE REQUEST:**  Single (1 person/1 bed)  Double (2 people/1 bed)  D/D (2 people/2 beds) Limited availability

Primary Guest: \_\_\_\_\_ Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as you want it to appear on your event badge) Additional nights available at \$ 225/night. Include with registration payment.

Sunday Dinner Preference:  Beef  Salmon  Chicken  Vegetarian Monday Late Bus:  Yes  No

Second Guest: \_\_\_\_\_ Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as you want it to appear on your event badge) Additional nights available at \$ 225/night. Include with registration payment.

Sunday Dinner Preference:  Beef  Salmon  Chicken  Vegetarian Monday Late Bus:  Yes  No

## REGISTRATION FEES:

► **SAVE! Earlybird Savings** (Payment in full must be made on or before July 19, 2010)

Single Registration \$ 1,295.00  Second Person in same room \$ 795.00

**Full Fee** (Payment in full must be made by August 13, 2010)

Single Registration \$ 1,495.00  Second Person \$ 950.00

## PAYMENT:

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Make Payable in U.S. Dollars to BSI)

Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to:  Visa  MasterCard  AMEX

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

(For Amex, use 4 digit code on front of card)

Cardholder's Name: (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature: **X** \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete all information on this registration form. All changes and cancellations must be made directly through BSI. An acknowledgement of your registration will be sent to you after this form and payment have been received.

► **SPECIAL GIFT! T-SHIRT SIZES:** (Men's Sizes)  Medium  Large  X-Large  XX-Large  XXX-Large

One shirt per person included with Registration. Additional shirts will be available for purchase at StoneFest.



## Mail

Complete this registration form and mail with payment to:

**Building Stone Institute**  
P.O. Box 419  
5 Riverside Drive, Building 2  
Chestertown, NY 12817



## Fax

You may fax this completed registration form with Credit Card information to:  
**(518) 803-4338**



## Phone

Your registration may be phoned in by calling the BSI office at:  
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**Register before July 19, 2010 and SAVE up to \$355!\***

Help BSI reduce costs! Bring your lanyard from the 2010 Austin Convention! \* Earlybird Savings based on Double Occupancy.