



## Connecticut Green Hotel Certification Training Workshops

Want to learn how to most effectively "green" your property—thereby reducing your operating costs and gaining a marketing advantage? Attend one of these informative Green Certification Training Workshops to learn how!

### Thursday, March 18, 2010

*The Study at Yale, 9:00 a.m. – noon*

*New Haven, CT*

*(valet parking \$7.00 per vehicle or street parking)*

### Thursday, April 1, 2010

*Saybrook Point Inn and Spa, 9:00 a.m. – noon*

*Old Saybrook, CT*

### Thursday, May 6, 2010

*The Maritime Aquarium, 9:00 a.m. – noon*

*Norwalk, CT*

The topics at each session:

- *Energy Efficiency.*
- *Water Use Reduction.*
- *Waste Management*
- *How to Earn CT Green Hospitality Certification or Recertification.*
- *We will also feature a CT hotelier, speaking about their own experience with greening their property and operations.*

**RSVP Requested:** Please send an email to Dan Ruben, [dan\\_ruben@usa.net](mailto:dan_ruben@usa.net). If you have questions about the workshops, send him an email message or call him (617-527-7950).

**Registration fee:** \$10.00 at the door.

These workshops will be followed by an advanced green training session in the fall. For more information about these workshops, and other aspects of the CT Green Lodging Certification Program, go to:

[www.ct.gov/dep/cwp/view.asp?a=2708&q=438218&depNav\\_GID=1763](http://www.ct.gov/dep/cwp/view.asp?a=2708&q=438218&depNav_GID=1763).

## Two Simple Steps to Apply for 2010 Green Certification

Connecticut hotels that achieve green certification will be highlighted on CTvisit.com, AAA.com, AAA Tour Books and various travel websites.

1. Complete the appropriate Green Workbook available at [www.ct.gov/dep/cwp/view.asp?a=2708&q=438218&depNav\\_GID=1763](http://www.ct.gov/dep/cwp/view.asp?a=2708&q=438218&depNav_GID=1763).
2. Submit your workbook to the CT DEP, Office of Pollution Prevention and the CT Commission on Culture and Tourism for review and approval. If your business scores 100 points, it qualifies for a certification from the State of Connecticut.



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