

Summer 2010

PERMACULTURE DESIGN COURSE

Permaculture is a unique tool that incorporates natural design systems to obtain a yield of beauty, food, energy and community. Classes will blend Time Proven Country Know How and Current Sustainable Technology utilizing a step by step design solution process.



- **Sustainable Design Principles**
(From backyard to regional economics)
- **Native Plants and Local Ecosystems**
(Designing for Bio-diversity)
- **Wildlife and Animals in the Landscape**
(How Birds, Bees and Earthworms can be your friend)
- **Gardening with Micro-Climates**
(Using sun, shade, wet and dry to your advantage)
- **Naturalistic Patterns and Biomimicry**
(Design inspired by nature)
- **Organic Food & Community Supported Gardens**
(Edibles in the landscape)
- **Healthy Soils and Harvesting Rainwater**
(Building soil with compost / high efficiency irrigation)
- **Renewable energy and Natural Building Methods**
(Using sustainable building techniques)
- **Permaculture Business Models**
(Mapping creative ideas and financial applications)
- **Permaculture Certification upon completion of course material, field trips and learning exercises**

Classes will be located at Carothers Crossings, Nashville TN (August 12-24)
Instructors include: Matthew English, Kevin Guenther, Cliff Davis and guests

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