



In 2008, SWE is going **GREEN**.

Please join us at the upcoming Society of Women Engineers (SWE) Region J Conference, or **JCON'08**. The theme for the conference is "**Sustainable and responsible engineering**," and with Keynote speaker **Bill Bradbury, Oregon's Secretary of State** speaking on topics from Al Gore's documentary "**An Inconvenient Truth**," the event is shaping up to be an exciting and informative 3 days. There will be workshops, seminars, tours, activities, and a Career Fair all at the beautiful **Vancouver Hilton**, the first hotel to achieve LEED certification.

Hurry and register today! Early registration ends March 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Keynote Speaker**

Bill Bradbury, Oregon Secretary of State and the Oregon Sustainability Board chairman will be our keynote speaker for the Saturday evening banquet. Bill is part of a select group of 50 individuals chosen to receive intensive training by former Vice President Al Gore and a team of renowned scientists on the issues surrounding global warming.

#### **Conference Tracks**

For conference participants there are three tracks of seminars/workshops:

- **Sustainability**—Sustainability experts in the region will expose you to leading-edge thinking in green engineering and sustainability efforts.
- **Communications**—Become more effective through better communication at these workshops.
- **Career**—Attending these sessions will give you the confidence to pursue your career goals, within and outside of your current workplace.

#### **Career Fair**

The conference will also host a day-long career fair, open to students and professionals alike, a marvelous chance to network with other women engineers.

We hope to see you there!

<http://www.swe.org/regionj/jcon08/>