

U.S. Green Building Council

The U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) is a Washington, DC-based 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization committed to a prosperous and sustainable future for our nation through cost-efficient and energy-saving green buildings.

USGBC works toward its mission of market transformation through its LEED green building certification program, robust educational offerings, a nationwide network of chapters and affiliates, the annual Greenbuild International Conference & Expo, and advocacy in support of public policy that encourages and enables green buildings and communities.

Web site: <https://new.usgbc.org/>

CV Mahesh Ramanujam

Mahesh Ramanujam is proving that building a more sustainable world is no longer a dream, but a global evolution. As president and CEO of the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) and Green Business Certification, Inc. (GBCI), he leads a community of 13 million people that's growing every day.

A graduate from India's Annamalai University with a degree in Computer Engineering, Ramanujam couples a strong background in technology and innovation with his goal of building healthier communities and democratizing sustainable living.

Ramanujam serves on numerous boards and advisory committees, including Bank of America's National Community Advisory Council and the Board of Directors of GRESB, a private organization wholly owned by GBCI and that is the leading sustainability standard for global real estate portfolios and infrastructure assets.

Before becoming President and CEO of USGBC, Ramanujam served as both the organization's COO and CIO. Prior to joining GBCI in 2009, he was COO of Emergys Corp., and for more than a decade, he successfully led various business transformation programs at IBM and Lenovo.

Transformative thought programs, partnerships, and initiatives continue to be at the heart of Ramanujam's work today. He leads hundreds of employees and thousands of volunteers who work tirelessly as the backbone of the green building movement. He believes that sustainable living is not just about the physical building and rebuilding of our communities, but ultimately about our willingness to reimagine the way we treat each other. He envisions a world where construction is as much about compassion as it is about the convenience and efficiency of the structures themselves. And most importantly, behind every strategy, he emphasizes our universal responsibility to prioritize health and wellness, to make a commitment to the longevity of our planet, and to create a better quality of life for ourselves and future generations.

CV Daniele Guglielmino

MSc. Arch., Ph.D., LEED® AP™ O+M, BD+C, WELL AP, GBC Home AP

- Registered architect, graduated Magna Cum Laude in 2007 at the Turin Politechnic,
- Doctor of Philosophy with a thesis concerning management of sustainable design and construction processes.
- Founder and past chair of the Chapter Piemonte of the Green Building Council Italia
- Founding member of the Italian chapter of IBPSA (International Building Performance Simulation Association www.ibpsa-italy.org)
- Former Vice chair of Energy and Atmosphere Technical Advisory Group of Green Building Council Italia.
- Technical consultant of Green Building Council Italia, from 2011 to 2013, working on the development of rating systems for green building design, construction and operation, such as:
 - LEED® Italia Nuove Costruzioni e Ristrutturazioni 2009
 - GBC Home®
 - GBC Historic Building®
- Sustainability Specialist at Manens-Tifs s.p.a. b.u. of Verona since 2012.