



## World Bamboo

April 14, 2011

Dear Friend in the Business of Bamboo:

**World Bamboo (WBO) is a tax-exempt trade organization** dedicated to promoting the use of bamboo and bamboo products for both environment and economy. Bamboo plays a diverse and important role in a wide range of markets from energy, climate mitigation, bio-plastics, housing and household materials to medicine and musical instruments. Our website, [www.worldbamboo.net](http://www.worldbamboo.net), plays a crucial networking role by connecting people and corporations for useful collaborations on all things related to bamboo.

With a rapidly increasing interest in bamboo products and materials along with skyrocketing demand for information related to bamboo, our website, [www.worldbamboo.net](http://www.worldbamboo.net) has become a conduit for people seeking information about bamboo as well as those corporations with focus on bamboo products. Our electronic mailbox overflows daily with inquiries from around the world about all things bamboo.

Enterprises like yours can help bridge the gap between supply and demand, need and fulfillment, producer and consumer, problem and solution. In turn, World Bamboo Organization can provide you with positive publicity, product promotion and project collaboration.

**Please consider pledging your support as a WBO Corporate Member or Friend.** Your sponsorship will extend our reach and expand our scope of activities.

As a Corporate Member, your business will benefit from our network as we provide direct exposure to your products and services via a link between your commercial website from [www.worldbamboo.net](http://www.worldbamboo.net). Your support for WBO will be rewarded by positive publicity, product promotion and affiliation with a world class organization. As a Friend, your contribution helps us continue to connect bamboo people everywhere.

WBO's service to bamboo people and industries is a daily endeavor from a group of dedicated volunteers who administer our organization. Our membership base includes over 800 hundred individuals from 30 countries. Notably, our Haiti Earthquake and Housing Relief project utilizes 100% of donation monies for building temporary and long-term bamboo housing for Haitian residents who have lost their homes.

To continue our success we need the participation and support of people like you who are professionally and commercially involved with bamboo. Your participation will connect you and your business to a specific global audience and ensure your place at the table during future bamboo world conferences.

Please see the attached form and select your level of commitment to the World Bamboo Organization, an organization that aims to serve your interests. I count on your generosity and appreciate all the support you can give.

Sincerely,

Susanne Lucas, Chief Executive Officer

*The WBO is a tax-exempt trade association (501-c6) formed to facilitate the exchange of information from around the world on the environmental, socioeconomic, biological, and cultural aspects of bamboo. By bringing together local and regional bamboo people and creating mechanisms for global communications, the WBO's goal is to facilitate the development of new partnerships and alliances to advance the causes of bamboo and furthering the efforts of bamboo practitioners worldwide.*

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### YES ! to World Bamboo Corporate Membership (per annum)

\_\_\_\_ Pledge Level \$ 250.00 : WBO will provide a linked logo on its website to yours.

\_\_\_\_ Pledge Level \$ 500.00 : WBO will provide a linked logo on its website to yours, your company will be provided with free ad space on the WBO website.

\_\_\_\_ Pledge Level \$ 1,000.00 : WBO will provide a linked logo on its website to yours, your company will be provided with free ad space on our website, your company logo will be included on all WBO and WBC printed materials, your company will have priority vendor status in World Bamboo Expo events (reduced fee), your company will be provided with free ad space in WBC published Proceedings, and one (1) of your corporate representatives will be entitled to a discounted WBC registration fee.

\_\_\_\_ Pledge Level \$ 5,000.00 Joint Venture Partners. Benefits include exclusive consulting services, all of the benefits below, plus one (1) free admission to WBC events.

### YES ! to World Bamboo Friend (per annum)

\_\_\_\_ Pledge Level \$ 50.00, or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Your website will be listed in the Friends box. !

Please include a check made payable to WBO for \_\_\_\_\_

Or use PayPal link from the WBO website, [www.worldbamboo.net](http://www.worldbamboo.net)

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