

ABOUT US

Michelle Halle Stern has been co-creating improvements to organizations' triple bottom line of people, planet, and profit since the late 90s. Prior to launching her own firm, Michelle held sustainability leadership roles, where she orchestrated green building strategy for operations and building projects. She built one of corporate architecture's first green building initiatives from the ground up by cultivating leadership support for new green policies, while rallying core practitioners to integrate sustainable strategies into projects. Concurrently, she convened a group of local environmental advocates to found the US Green Building Council Chicago Chapter, one of that organization's first 7 chapters. During her career she has led visioning and strategy workshops, and managed dozens of green building certification projects. This work gained her membership into the inaugural class of LEED Fellows, and a reputation as an outstanding convener and consensus builder.

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WHAT WE DO

LEED®

We've managed LEED certification on dozens of projects, ranging from interior renovations to 1 million sq. ft. hospitals. Michelle was USGBC Faculty® for 12 years and part of the LEED version 4 development team.

STRATEGIC PLANNING

In addition to the strategic planning inherent in sustainability consulting, we use ToP® Facilitation Methods to help organizations crystallize their visions and put them quickly into action



Rush University Medical Center Tower, LEED Gold

BEYOND LEED

The ultimate goal of sustainability is to simultaneously develop the social, ecological, resource, human, and financial wealth of the community. Using proven regenerative frameworks, we discover the capability of a project to contribute to the health and well-being of its surrounding human and natural community, and in turn the community's capability to contribute to the purpose, health and well-being of the project



AT THE GREEN FACILITATOR, WE SPECIALIZE IN ENGAGING WORKSHOPS THAT SPARK CREATIVITY SO THAT GROUPS MOVE COLLABORATIVELY TO INSPIRING SHARED SOLUTIONS



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OUR CLIENTS

"masterful at keeping control of the group, while maintaining total objectivity, encouraging creativity, consensus, and collaboration. Michelle made the experience fun and productive." - Sharon Krohn, Sharon Krohn Consulting

Organizations we've partnered with include: Rush University Medical Center, Haworth, Bank of America, Hyatt, Central DuPage Hospital, USGBC-Illinois, US General Services Administration, City of Chicago, Case Western Reserve University, Northwestern Memorial Hospital, University of Oregon, Argonne National Lab

