

PERMACULTURE DESIGN CERTIFICATE (PDC) COURSE IN BALI

10 days of Permaculture Design Certificate (PDC) Course with teacher Norm van't Hoff, to take place from 21 October – 31 October 2016 (10 nights) on the slopes of the extinct volcano Mount Batukaru in central Bali at SARINBUANA ECO LODGE http://www.baliecolodge.com

The Permaculture Design Certificate (PDC) course is an internationally-recognized course resulting in a Permaculture Design Certificate. It provides an introduction to permaculture design as set forth by movement founder Bill Mollison.

The PDC serves as foundation for further permaculture work and study and is a prerequisite for the Diploma in Permaculture Design. Credit for this course is now accepted by a growing number of universities around the world.

ABOUT THE COURSE

The course will provide you practical tools to re-design your life & work. Simple tests of sustainability that you can use to make decisions about literally anything. Permaculture integrates everything important into intelligent design for sustainability, visualising the individual components, the embedded systems and the integrated whole with diagrams, drawings and overlays.

The course covers sustainable living systems for a wide variety of landscapes and climates or things we can do at home and at work.

You will work on a real-life plan or project and their design will then be critiqued by participants

and teacher, with a special emphasis on economic sustainability. In this way we hope to see what can be achieved, on a real-world project, by the design teams. Students are invited to bring details of their own sites or potential sites to consider during the course. *We want to Make it Real!*

WHO IS IT FOR

For those who are ready to make positive changes and are looking for the tools to create those changes. Perfect for mainstream people who simply want to know how to live more sustainably and possibly change their lives in the process and also for people who want a big change in their work or lifestyle.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Permaculture principles will help you in creating new business alternatives, working together to change the way we view and design into our landscapes or in Eco Tourism, Food Production, Design & Construction. It will open new Job Opportunities: Permaculture Project Design, Consulting - 'Greening', Businesses & Projects, AID & Development, Permaculture Teaching & Training.

The Curriculum is Based on all Subjects in: "PERMACULTURE: A Designer's Manual" by Bill Mollison (Please bring your own manual, you can buy on Amazon or directly from Tagari press https://www.tagari.com/)

TOPICS COVERED INCLUDE

- Theory and principles of Permaculture
- Methods of design
- Eco-friendly house placement and design
- Food Gardens
- Organic food production
- Environmental Landscaping
- Ecological Pest Control
- Non-Toxic Washing & Cleaning
- Composting & Recycling
- Energy Conservation
- Renewable Energy
- Water conservation
- Sewage/Wastewater On-Site
- Treatment & Reuse
- Green Construction Methods & Materials
- Solar-Passive Building.
- Effective working groups
- Effective aid





Field Trips to:

- Bamboo Chocolate Factory
- Wastewater System
- Poly cultural Farming



WHEN

21 October - 31 October 2016

Daily Classroom/Fields from 6:30am to 5pm - Movies & Discussions in the evenings

WHERE

10 nights in BALI at Sarinbuana Eco Lodge www.baliecolodge.com Email us for more information and to make your booking (info@baliecolodge.com)



COST

IDR 20,900.000 (ca AUD\$ 2,200/ Eur 1,420)

Including:

- 3 daily meals & 2 fresh juices (standard meals will be vegetarian)
- Accommodation for 10 nights
- Daily drinking water
- 10 days of course instruction
- Field trips
- Transfers to & from the lodge (up to 2 hours driving)
- Wi/fi

The number of course participants is limited to 30 people.

Discounts

- Couples receive a 10% discount
- Early bird bookings by 30th April receive a 5% discount
- Indonesian citizens holding a KTP 10% discount limit of 5 people

TEACHER

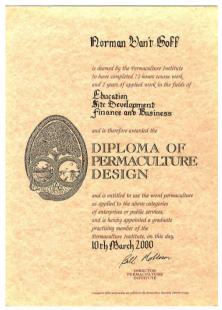
The PDC course will be taught by Norm van't Hoff.

Norm designs, builds and works with local communities. He believes that polarization is stopping progress, that we can only ever achieve true sustainability, by merging a new, ethical business philosophy, with the real needs of society, and genuine care for the environment.

Since moving to Bali in 2000, Norm has been working full-time on diverse projects & programs from running an environmental NGO, to developing ecotourism businesses, to implementing better sanitation systems in post-tsunami Aceh. Ecotourism, Sewage & Wastewater Systems, Green Design & Construction, Programs, Training, Teaching & Raising Awareness, to view Norm's past consultancy project, please follow this link: http://greenworldbali.com/

"Many years ago, after receiving my Diploma of Permaculture, I started teaching, and then I abruptly stopped. At the time I thought it was more important to go out into the World and do real projects, I thought I should prove the principles and methods of Permaculture in practice, in other words, try to make a real difference, rather than talking about it. 'Thos who can do...'





Now, after many projects and many years of very diverse experiences, and having achieved a measure of success, I think it's time to start teaching.

Most importantly, our family has been living Permaculture for long enough that I can speak with confidence about the benefits we've received and the joy it's brought to our lives, and those around us. I've been studying continuously for 30 years, and I've spent the last 20 years constantly doing projects, so it's time to spread the word, it's time for me to pass on what we've learned".

TESTIMONIALS

Beate Dotterweich - Warring Bambu http://warung-bambu.mahanara.com/ - Villa Manuk http://www.villa-manuk.com/

A few years ago (2010) I joined with some friends a permaculture design course with Norman van't Hoff. The knowledge I gained there was absolute amazing! We

received a lot of information which I directly could implement in our business and home. For example I built after the course 3 waste water systems which run till today very perfectly!

Also my mind got more opened for many subjects I was not considering before and helped me to increase my thinking/living of being a more responsible person on this planet. I would like to add that I am a engineer of horticulture and know quite something, but the consolidated knowledge of Norm is just a joy to listen.

Norm is a very special teacher and what impressed me a lot is, that he is not only talking about permaculture but he is living it! I can't think of having a better teacher than him for permaculture and I am very thankful for the great experience and the knowledge which I was able to receive.'

Elena (studied physics and computer science, worked at CERN, has now created Permaculture Greece)

Serendipity brought me to one of Norm's courses in Bali. I knew nothing about permaculture at the time. Little did I know that this course would change my life. That course help me put the woes of the planet and the problems of humanity into perspective. It also gave me a down-to-earth approach of ecology as well as a practical and sane pathway to sustainable and meaningful living. But beware, you cannot unlearn or go back from what you will learn and experience.

