# New Jersey Chapter AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS Educational Landscape Tour **GROUNDS FOR SCULPTURE**



Hamilton, New Jersey Saturday, May 21, 2016 Approved for 5 CEU by LACES. Pending approval by New Jersey and New York.



A walking design and sketch tour of this internationally known sculpture park. www.groundsforsculpture.org

TOUR LEADERS: Brian Carey. Principal, AC/BC Associates LLC. Jeff Charlesworth, ASLA, RLA. Principal, Charlesworth Fleischacker LLC.

**Tour Schedule** Please arrive in time to park and gather for the tour.

10:00am—1:00pm Walking Tour of Grounds for Sculpture led by Brian Carey, original and on-going landscape architect for this sculpture park. Once the site of the New Jersey State Fairgrounds, GFS is a 42-acre sculpture garden with over 270 large-scale contemporary sculpture pieces. Brian will describe the design process that transformed the site into a garden, the use of innovative building materials, maintenance, construction and plantings. (3 CEUs.)

**1:00-1:30p Lunch.** A box lunch is available from the Grounds for Sculpture on-site restaurant. See details below. (Note that outside food is not permitted at Grounds for Sculpture.)

**1:30-3:30p** Sketch Walk. Directed sketches throughout sculpture garden to reinforce and elaborate on morning walking tour, design features, sculpture and plantings.. (2 CEUs.)



TRAVEL AND DIRECTIONS GFS is located between Princeton and Trenton just off I-295. The park is easily accessible by car and train (SEPTA from Philadelphia and NJTRANSIT from New York City.) See http://

www.groundsforsculpture.org/ <u>Visit/Hours-Directions-and-</u> <u>Parking</u> for specific information.



#### **TOUR LEADERS:**

**Brian Carey** is a New York City-based landscape and architectural designer. His design work includes residential and commercial buildings, restaurants, gardens and parks. He has been engaged with the design of Grounds for Sculpture in Hamilton, New Jersey, since its inception in 1989. He has designed several gardens for the Robert Wood Johnson Hospital, also in Hamilton. Brian has served on the board the Metro Hort Group and the Queens Botanical Garden, where he is currently a member of the Advisory Committee. <u>www.acbc.cc</u>

Jeffrey Charlesworth, ASLA, RLA, principal in Charlesworth Fleischacker LLC, brings over 25 years of drawing skills and sketching and fine arts to his professional practice. He has recorded travels to landscapes in the United States, Italy, England and Japan in his sketchbooks. He teaches landscape architecture graphics and planting design at Delaware Valley University. He has previously taught landscape graphics in a workshop at Barnes Foundation Arboretum and at George Washington University in Washington, DC. Jeff helps coordinate the New Jersey Urban Sketchers http://njusk.blogspot.com/ His firm's work has received Honor and Merit Awards from New Jersey Chapter ASLA. <u>www.cfland.com</u> www.jeffcharlesworth.com

## SKETCHING:

Even if you are not experienced in drawing or sketching please join us to learn from others and see ways to look more carefully at gardens and sculpture. Everyone is encouraged to share techniques and observations.

#### WHAT TO WEAR AND BRING ALONG

Casual dress and comfortable shoes for walking. Fashionable sunhats hats are optional. Cameras. For sketching bring along your favorite sketchbook (hardbound recommended), your preferred drawing tools (pencils, pens, markers, colored pencils, watercolors). A lightweight folding stool can be a helpful alternative to sitting on the lawn. Restrooms are available.

# **BOX LUNCH CHOICES:**

- 1. <u>Whole Wheat Tuna Wrap.</u> Albacore tuna, lemon zest, olive oil, whole wheat wrap.
- 2. <u>Ham and Brie Baguette</u>. Dijon spread.
- 3. <u>Farro & Grilled Vegetable Salad</u>. Red onion, red peppers, asparagus, eggplant, arugula, vinaigrette.

All lunches include fresh fruit, chips and bottled water.

REGISTRATION. Please register early. Group limited to 30 participants. Registration deadline Monday, May 16. Colleagues from New York, Pennsylvania and other design professionals and Urban Sketchers will also be invited.

\$38 fee includes: Discounted entrance fee to garden and a box lunch catered by Grounds for Sculpture, morning and afternoon walking tours. Rain date Sunday, May 23, 2016.

## ONLINE CREDIT CARD REGISTRATION LINK WILL BE SENT TO NEW JERSEY ASLA MEMBERS THE WEEK OF MAY 2. Please be sure indicate your choice of box lunch.

Please provide email and cell phone for calls or texting in case of bad weather or other changes. Registration deadline. Monday, May 16.

QUESTIONS? Contact Jeff Charlesworth at jeffreycharlesworth@gmail.com

