



Robert Wise

SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER

Robert Wise specializes in visionary and practical approaches to sustainable development, strategic planning and public policy development. He was planning director or policy development advisor to four U.S. Governors (New York, Idaho, Arizona and Oregon) and

served for seven years as the Executive Director of the Council of State Planning Agencies/National Governors' Association, the "think-tank" for U.S. governors. Mr. Wise received a master's degree in Public Administration from the State University of New York at Albany and a bachelor's degree in Political Science from the University of Idaho.

Selected Professional Experience

- **Sustainable Development Strategies:** Eco-City Master Plan, Langfang, China; Eco-City 2050 Vision, Taipei, Taiwan; Zhangjiang Hi-tech Park Sustainable Development Framework, Shanghai, China; Sustainable Development Action Plan, Taiwan Council for Economic Planning and Development; Tainan City, Taiwan; International Sustainable Development Foundation; China-US Center for Sustainable Development; Grand Canal, Hangzhou, China; City of Portland Sustainable Development Commission; Vision Action Network Sustainability Plan, Washington County, Oregon; Sustainability Master Plan, Palm Springs, California; Sustainability Action Plan, Corvallis Sustainability Coalition, Oregon; Sustainable Development Report, Multnomah County, Oregon; Sustainability Planning Assistance, Metro, Portland, Oregon; Beaver Creek Road Area Conceptual Master Plan, Oregon City, Oregon; Multnomah County Initiative Food Summit, Multnomah County, Oregon.
- **Strategic Planning:** Strategic Plan Research, Portland + Oregon Sustainability Institute (P+OSI); Law Enforcement Study, Washington County, Oregon; Clackamas County Soil and Water Conservation District, Oregon; Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland, Oregon; Parry Center for Children, Portland, Oregon; Wetlands Conservancy, Tualatin, Oregon; Japanese Garden Society of Oregon; Oregon Progress Forum; Public Utility District, Benton County, Washington.
- **Urban Development Plans and Vision:** Eco-City Master Plan, Langfang, China; Eco-City 2050 Vision, Taipei, Taiwan; Great Communities, Metro, Portland, Oregon; Regional Infrastructure, Metro, Portland, Oregon; Harmony Community Campus Vision and Conceptual Master Plan, Clackamas Community College and Clackamas County, Oregon.
- **Economic and Industrial Development:** Peak Oil Implementation Plan, Portland Office of Transportation; Agriculture/Natural Resources/Sustainability Economic Development Roadmap, Clackamas County, Oregon; Eco-Industrial Park Research, Shanghai, China; Green Building Cost and Economic Opportunity Research, Portland Bureau of Planning and Sustainability and Portland Development Commission; Technical Trends in Natural Resources and Sustainable Development, Oregon Economic and Community Development Department; Strengthening Research and Development and Technology Transfer, Oregon University System; Economic Development Healthcare Roadmap Study, Clackamas County, Oregon; Agriculture/Natural Resources/Sustainability Economic Development Roadmap, Clackamas County, Oregon; Economic Landscape Report, Clackamas County, Oregon.
- **Development Projects:** Harmony Community Campus Vision and Conceptual Master Plan, Clackamas Community College and Clackamas County, Oregon; Portland State University District Plan; Portland River District Financing Plan; Light Rail Financing Task Force; Green Economy Center Business Plan and Financial Strategy, Clackamas County, Oregon; World Salmon Center; Great Western Garden; Stream Greenway Restoration Plan, Tainan, Taiwan.

Community Service

- International Society of Sustainability Professionals (founding member)
- Institute for Market Transformation to Sustainability (Board member)
- International Association of Japanese Gardens (Executive Vice President)
- Japanese Garden Society of Oregon (former Board member)
- Portland-Multnomah County Sustainable Development Commission (former Chair and Co-Chair)
- Portland-Suzhou Sister City Association (Board member)
- Three Rivers Land Conservancy (Board member and Strategic Alliance Committee Chair)

Honors

- **Theodore Roosevelt Rough Rider award** from the Council of Governors' Policy Advisors, National Governors' Association
- **Special Achievement in Planning Certificate of Merit** from the American Planning Association, Oregon Chapter for "The Green Economy: Agriculture, Natural Resources and Sustainable Development" project



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