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Building Green

College offers class on green roofs and living walls.

South Seattle Community College is offering a unique course this spring for the plant, garden and home building enthusiast. LHO 299, “Green Roofs and Living Walls,” provides an overview of the field, with specific study of the systems, components and assembly methods of vegetative roofs and vertical vegetation

The class includes hands-on experience as well as tours of select green roofs located in the area.

The course is taught by Patrick Carey of Hadj Design, who worked as an architect for over 20 years, and whose company has completed over 50 green roof projects to date. Carey is a leader in developing this area that bridges the trades of horticulture, building, roofing and sustainability.

The three-credit is open to the public and meets Tuesdays, from 5 – 8 pm. ***The class began April 6, but registrations are still being accepted.***

For additional information, contact the Landscape Horticulture Program office at (206)764-5336.

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