



# Montgomery Community College Classes

The following classes are being held in partnership with the Montgomery College Workforce Development and Continuing Education.  
**All classes will be held at the Germantown Campus in Room 175HS**

## INTRODUCTION TO GOING GREEN

Tuesday March 16, 7-9pm

What does it mean to be "green"? What is green economy and how do we build a sustainable future? Be part of an exciting presentation and dialogue with one of the nation's leading practitioners of green buildings. This stimulating presentation will offer a regenerative approach to building design and a practical pathway to creating a green economy.

## RAIN BARRELS AND RAIN GARDENS

Wednesday March 24th, 7-9pm

Rain barrels and rain gardens are both useful tools to conserve our precious water resources and reduce the storm water runoff. Learn how to use rain barrel systems to transport rainfall from your roof and store it for use in landscape irrigation and outdoor water features. The class will also cover how to build and maintain a rain garden filled with soil and plants designed to infiltrate rainwater and attract butterflies and birds.

## HOME ENERGY AUDIT

Wednesday March 31st, 7-9pm

A home energy audit can be the first step to making your home more energy efficient. A trained auditor, can identify a wide range of sources of energy leaks and help homeowners prioritize repairs based on return on investment. Audits are relatively inexpensive and will assist you in developing both short-term and long-range strategies to save on your utility bills. Learn what questions to ask to effectively select an auditor and to get the most out of their services.

## CLEAN AND RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR YOUR HOME AND BUSINESS

Tuesday April 6th, 7-9pm

This presentation will show you the exciting range of renewable energy options for your home or business. Geothermal, solar thermal, photo voltaic, and wind power experts will discuss how these clean energies can lower your energy bills and reduce green house gas emissions.

## Registration Fees

**\$55 per Class**

*Note: Non Maryland Residents fee is \$105 per class.*

### Please register me for:

- Class 1 – March 16<sup>th</sup>**
- Class 2 – March 24<sup>th</sup>**
- Class 3 – March 31<sup>st</sup>**
- Class 4 – April 6<sup>th</sup>**

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