

GOOD WOOD

The Woodworkers' Guild of Southern California (WGSC) and TreePeople are hosting an exhibition titled **GOOD WOOD: Furniture and Objects from Sustainable Materials**.

Exhibit:

Good Wood: Furniture and Objects from Sustainable Materials is an exhibition that seeks to explore the use of salvaged, recycled and certified well-managed lumber as an alternative to conventional wood sources. The purpose of the show is to offer an opportunity for fine woodworkers to exhibit work made with environmentally sound materials and methods, and to address the issue of sustainability through design. As woodworkers, we are particularly concerned with the dwindling bio-diversity and shrinking size of the world's forests. **Good Wood** will educate the public about fine ecologically sound woodwork and encourage growth in the marketplace for sustainable furniture and objects. The show will be open to all California makers.

Jurors:

Sam Maloof, woodworker; Jo Lauria, freelance craft curator and writer; Hal Nelson, director, Long Beach Museum of Art.

Locations and schedule:

April 7 - 24, 2005: Pasadena Museum of California Art: Pasadena, CA

April 9 - 24, 2005: Urban Forest Gallery (The WGSC Gallery): San Pedro, CA

May 2 - 29, 2005: TreePeople Center: Beverly Hills, CA

June 4 - 30, 2005: Trios Gallery (in conjunction with The Furniture Society conference): Solana Beach, CA

Proposed Seminars:

April 2005: Earth Day Panel at PMCA focusing on sustainability and highlighting the sustainable design of Tree People's new conference center and their role in the show.

May 2005: Extended workshop at TreePeople with a focus on salvaging urban lumber and harvesting lumber with sensitivity to the full life cycle of a tree.

June 2005: Furniture Society Conference Presentation: Sustaining Practices...a deeper look into the GOOD WOOD Show.

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*"The tree is more than first a seed, then a stem, then a living trunk, and then dead timber. The tree is a slow enduring force straining to win the sky."
- Antoine de Saint-Exupery*

Please tear off and return with your donation. Thank you!

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- _____ \$5,000+ Giant Sequoia
- _____ \$2,500+ Live Oak
- _____ \$1,000+ Coastal Redwood
- _____ \$500+ Douglas Fir
- _____ \$250+ Bay Laurel
- _____ \$100+ California Sycamore
- _____ \$50+ Big Leaf Maple
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