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NJIT TAB Plans the "Northeast Sustainable Communities Workshop"

NJIT TAB collaborated with the Brownfield Coalition of the Northeast (BCONE) to "Northeast the Sustainable develop Communities Workshop". The event was held on May 25, 2017 at NJIT's campus in Newark, New Jersey. The workshop drew attendees from government (including EPA), community groups, higher education, professional organizations, and laboratories, as well as attorneys, developers, contractors, and consultants from EPA Regions 1, 2 & 3. The theme of this year's workshop was "Driving Revitalization Sustainably: identifying sustainable goals and strategies for revitalizing their communities and brownfields". This all day event included a variety of topics such as:

- Hot Topics in Remediation and Property Development: Laws, Funding, and Liability Protection
- Remediation Technology for Accelerated Urban Development
- Land Banking



Paul Commito, Senior Vice President, Development for Brandywine Realty Trust was the keynote speaker.

- Showcase on Resiliency Projects to Address Sea Level Rise
- Integrated Approaches to Sustainable Development

Paul Commito, Senior Vice President, Development for Brandywine Realty Trust was the keynote speaker. He is a leader in utilizing best practices to create special environments that are transformative, green, and sustainable in urban land development.

As event organizer, NJIT TAB coordinated session topics; assisted in the identification of speakers; assisted in promotion of the event; and provided workshop logistics. In addition, NJIT TAB coordinated with CCLR (the Region 2 TAB provider) to provide assistance with facilitating and promoting the workshop.