

Spring 2009 Seminar Series

CHALLENGES AND INNOVATION IN CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

The election of President Obama signals the beginning of a new era in design and construction: An era in which green design and construction move from leading edge to mainstream, an era that will challenge us to move beyond green toward net zero energy regenerative buildings. This presentation will explore:

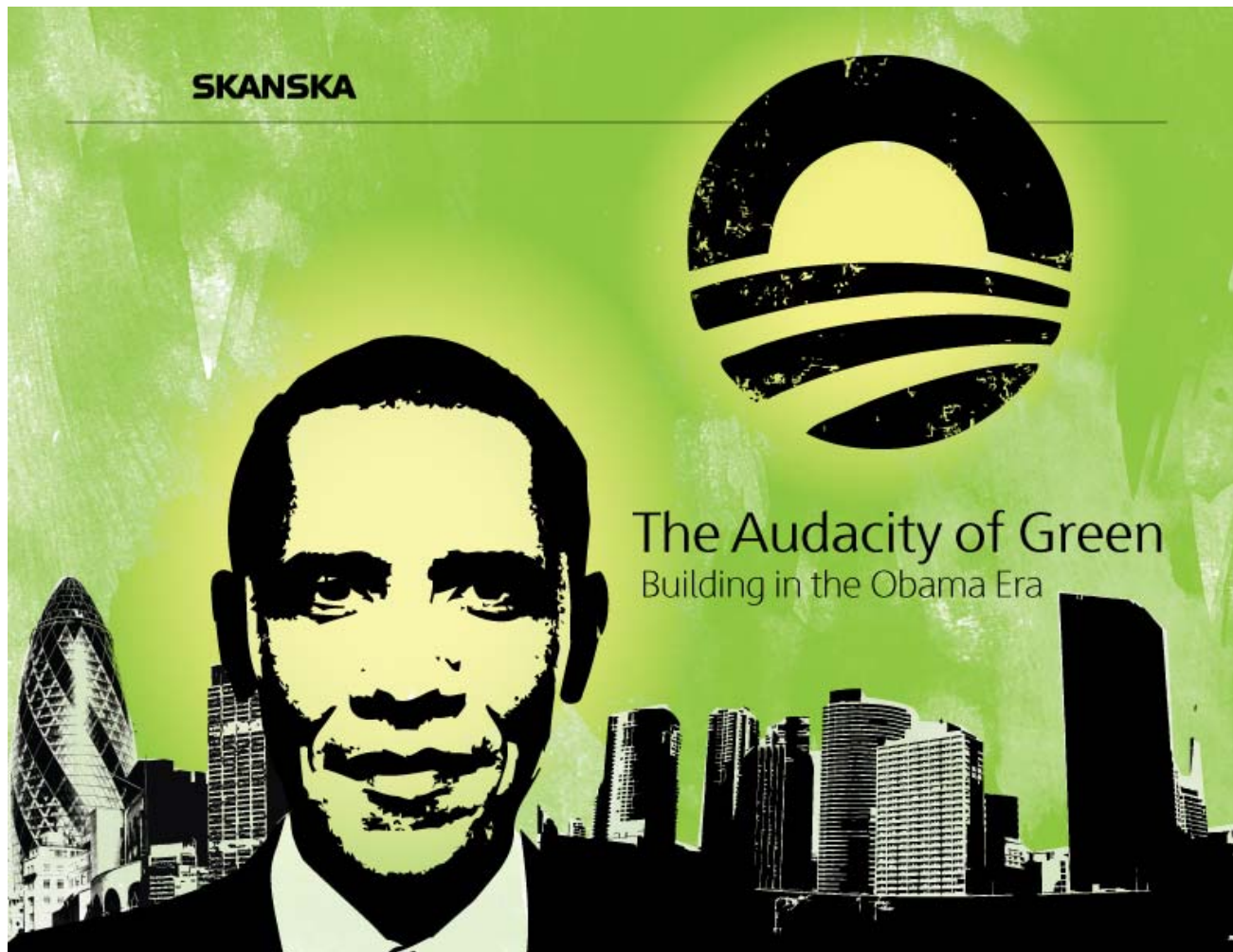
Why this transition is critical to our environmental and economic future

What the Obama Administration is doing to lead this transformation

How Skanska, a major construction company, has anticipated this transformation

How this could affect building at Notre Dame

What you can do to prepare for this new era and beyond



Please join **Mike McNally**, CEO of Skanska and Notre Dame Alum and **Beth Heider**, Chair of Skanska's Green Council & member of USGBC's Board of Directors for this presentation and dialogue.

Wednesday, February 11 4:30pm 129 DeBartolo Hall

A reception and an opportunity to meet the speakers will take place at 4:00pm in the CE/GEOS office conference room, Fitzpatrick 156, before the seminar