



## News

### **Team from University Of Michigan Wins Top Prize in the 2011 Urban Land Institute Gerald D. Hines Student Urban Design Competition**

WASHINGTON (April 1, 2011) — A team of students representing the University of Michigan has won the \$50,000 top prize in the 2011 Urban Land Institute (ULI) Gerald D. Hines Student Urban Design Competition with a redevelopment plan for a Seattle neighborhood that emphasizes sustainability through neighborhood diversity, affordability, walkability and environmental conservation. Read more about the [Michigan team](#).

### **The Final Four: Teams Representing the University of Maryland, The University of Oklahoma, and two teams from the University of Michigan are 2011 Finalists for the ULI Gerald D. Hines Student Urban Design Competition**

WASHINGTON (March 1, 2011) – Teams representing the University of Maryland, the University of Oklahoma, and two teams from the University of Michigan have been selected as the finalists for the ninth annual ULI (Urban Land Institute) Gerald D. Hines Student Urban Design Competition. The finalists were charged with the design of a development site in the city of Seattle. Read more about the [2011 finalists](#).

## Web Links

The following resources are relevant to the 2011 ULI/Hines UD Competition.

Sound Transit:

<http://soundtransit.org/>

Seattle Department of Planning and Development:

<http://seattle.gov/dpd/>

Seattle Department of Neighborhoods;

<http://seattle.gov/neighborhoods/>

Seattle Office of Economic Development:  
<http://www.seattle.gov/economicdevelopment/>

Seattle Parks and Recreation:  
<http://www.seattle.gov/parks/publications/GapReport.htm>

Open space definition:  
<http://www.seattle.gov/parks/publications/GapReport/GapReport2006.pdf>

Rainier Valley Community Development Fund:  
<http://rvcdf.org/>

Mount Baker Community Club:  
<http://mountbakerclub.wordpress.com/>

Rainier Valley Chamber of Commerce:  
<http://www.rainierchamber.com/>

Southeast District Council:  
<http://sedistrictcouncil.org/>

Opinion piece on “America’s Most Diverse Zip Code” (98118):  
<http://www.aolnews.com/2010/03/25/opinion-americas-most-diverse-zip-code-shows-the-way/>

Article about bus and light-rail connectivity in Mount Baker neighborhood:  
[http://seattletimes.nwsourc.com/html/localnews/2009367129\\_stmountbaker22m.html](http://seattletimes.nwsourc.com/html/localnews/2009367129_stmountbaker22m.html)