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*BERGMANN DESIGN
EARNS LEED "GOLD"
CERTIFICATION IN SYRACUSE*

NEWS RELEASE

Syracuse, N.Y., November 2, 2009 – Studio 210 at the Amos in Syracuse has been awarded a LEED Gold certification from the U.S. Green Building Council. LEED, Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, is *the* accepted sustainable design standard today. Bergmann Associates served as the "LEED Navigator," developing strategies for certification, completing templates, and performing commissioning for the project. The project was certified under the Commercial Interiors rating system.

Studio 210 at the Amos is a multi-use facility occupied by Clear Channel Communications. In addition to featuring a radio broadcast studio, the building serves to educate a wide variety of businesses, government, educational and private interests on sustainability efforts being made in Central NY. This is the second LEED certified project in the City of Syracuse, and the first to be certified under the category Commercial Interiors rating system.

Bergmann Associates project manager Charlie Bertuch said, "Hopefully this project will be the first of many LEED Certified commercial buildings in Syracuse. Our region is gaining a reputation as a leader in Energy and Sustainability initiatives, and this is just one more example."

