



**Paul Desjardins, P.E., R.A., LEED™ AP, CEM®, HBDP
Joins Cordjia Capital Projects Group**

Cordjia Capital Projects Group, LLC is pleased to announce the addition of Paul Desjardins to its Camden, Maine office.

Mr. Desjardins is an innovative engineer and accomplished architect with over thirty years experience. He has an extensive background with integrating engineering systems and architecture and applying “whole building design” to produce livable buildings, real savings, and maintainable infrastructures. Mr. Desjardins is an expert at reducing complex mechanical/electrical systems to simple serviceable modules for national clients, elite hospitals, and top universities. He has proven success with applying a unique multi-discipline insight to achieve integrated results, future flexibility, and clean, clear architectural design statements. Mr. Desjardins is committed to building efficiencies, “right-sizing”, load reduction, and cost effective life cycle solutions to lessen environmental impacts.

Mr. Desjardins is also the principal of PAD Designs which specializes in sustainable laboratory and green hospital projects. Through PAD Designs he has worked on Princeton University Chemistry Building, Novartis Pharmaceuticals, as well as numerous other laboratories, hospitals, LEED college buildings, and retirement complexes.

Green Pod, of which Mr. Desjardins is the founder and designer, leverages state of the art solar technologies and patented a structurally integrated insulated panel to build customized, stand-alone pre-engineered homes. Green Pod’s project management leadership and design involvement has produced multiple award winning high profile hospitals, laboratories, university, and museum projects. They have fully drafted and detailed dozens of commercial buildings, residential renovations, and condo complexes.

Mr. Desjardins received his Bachelor of Architecture from Boston Architectural College and is a registered architect, professional engineer, Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Accredited Professional, Certified Energy Manager, and High Performance Building Design Professional. He is a member of The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers, American Solar Energy Society, Maine Solar Energy Association, Northeast Sustainable Energy Association, National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying, U.S. Green Building Council, Labs 21 for Sustainable Laboratories, Environmental & Energy Technology Council of Maine, and Association of Energy Engineers. He is also on the Harpswell Energy Committee and Harpswell Comprehensive Plan Implementation Committee.