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IDEATE, INC. CERTIFIED LEED ACCREDITED PROFESSIONALS ON STAFF INCREASES

San Francisco, California—June 15, 2009—Ideate Inc., an Autodesk Premier Solutions Provider (PSP), globally recognized certification program provider and operator of Autodesk Authorized Training Centers, announced today that Ideate Architecture/Engineering/Construction (AEC) Solutions Application Specialist Nancy McClure, Assoc. AIA, can now add Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Accredited Professional (AP) to her title. McClure joins other Ideate staff members in the designation: AEC Solutions Application Specialist Emily Clark, Assoc. AIA, LEED AP, AEC Solutions Application Specialist Shruti Harve, MS, LEED AP, and Ideate's Director of AEC Services, David Haynes, AIA, LEED AP.

LEED is the nationally accepted benchmark for the design, construction, and operation of high performance green buildings. The LEED professional accreditation program is managed by the Green Building Certification Institute (GBCI) which was established with the support of the U.S. Green Building Council. LEED professional accreditation is awarded to those who demonstrate through a multi-faceted credentialing program that they have thorough knowledge of the latest green building practices and principles and expertise in LEED requirements and processes.

Ideate Director of Services Glynnis Patterson, Registered Architect and member of the non-profit federation of architectural licensing boards in the US, the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB), says, "We congratulate Nancy McClure on her achievement. As our customers consider both the short-term and long-range effects of resource-efficient design and building practices, Ideate staff members McClure, Clark, Harve and Haynes are expertly-equipped to help them. Many Ideate customers have clients committed to utilizing resources efficiently and meeting sustainability requirements. Our LEED APs have distinguished themselves with their expertise in fast-evolving technology, best practices and the LEED rating systems."

The LEED movement is rooted in a desire to help sustain and improve the environment. For more information about the Ideate focus on Building Information Modeling (BIM) and its role in sustainable design, visit www.ideateinc.com

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Ideate, Inc., a leading U.S. West Coast Autodesk Value Added Reseller, provides software and hardware, implementation services, training, support, and consulting services for the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC), civil, GIS and multimedia industries. Established in 1992 and headquartered in San Francisco, California, Ideate, Inc. is recognized as an Autodesk Premier Solutions Provider (PSP) – Building Architecture, Autodesk's highest level of authorization. Employing top architects and structural, mechanical, and civil engineers, Ideate, Inc. provides its clients with the knowledge and technical resources to make the most productive, efficient use of their software and staff so that they can achieve their optimal competitive advantage.

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With a specific focus on Building Information Modeling (BIM), Ideate is also developer of Ideate Explorer for Revit, the simple, powerful tool that helps Revit users explore, quantify and manage the 10,000+ building elements in a Revit building information model. For complete information or to purchase Ideate Explorer for Revit, visit www.ideateexplorer.com/index.php or email: sales@ideateinc.com or phone toll-free: 888-662-7238.

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