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Professional seminar facilitated by Shari Leach



Breakfast bar in the Commons



Laird Schaub and Chris Hanson at the
“Cohousing Doctor's Tent”

The 2001 North American Cohousing Conference at the University of California, Berkeley was a great success with record numbers of participants.

In addition to presentations and workshops, special events included an auction and a “doctor-is-in” session in which experienced cohousers and cohousing professionals answered individual questions.

Eric Utne, emeritus editor of the Utne Reader, delivered a public lecture titled, “Changing the World and Yourself by Creating Community.”

Four special events took place before and after the main conference: a consensus and group process workshop, a professionals' day, the “Getting it built” workshop, and a bus tour of cohousing communities.

Participant comments

“Fabulously helpful and informative for someone thinking about joining a cohousing group.”

“Excellent - I am invigorated and ready to get back into it!”

“Fantastic! Well worth the money spent - what I got will save us thousands of dollars and hours of heartache!”

“A wonderful array of topics - great people - an inspiration for us to take back to our fellow cohousers.”

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