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Design Practice R&D, the evolving process of how a native plant nursery informs and advances a landscape design

Edward is a landscape architect with over 30 years experience designing and constructing landscapes for corporate, institutional, and residential clients with an emphasis on process and the use of native plants. He has been a principal at Stephen Stimson Associates for 20 years focusing on the design and construction of contemporary landscapes. His projects range in size and complexity from residential gardens where seasonal change and micro-climates are essential to municipal parks and campus settings where landscape continuity, scale, and sense of place influence the design. Before joining SSA, Edward was the corporate landscape architect for IBM Corporation where he worked with a team of design professionals to oversee project design and construction worldwide. Projects included the establishment of sustainable land management practices for corporately held landbank sites averaging 1200 acres in size. Edward holds a BS from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst and a MLA from the Harvard Graduate School of Design.

This lecture will review the informative process and relationship between Chadbroom Nursery, a native plant nursery owned by Stephen Stimson and Stephen Stimson Associates, a landscape design firm based in Cambridge, MA and Princeton, MA. This is a dynamic process in which the successes and failures of growing native plants on a small scale builds the plant expertise of the design office while the construction of the landscape design circles back to inform the nursery.

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