



## ***Visions of an Inclusive Community. . .***

**Come be part of the Vision!** This unique conference will bring together members of the design/build community, the healthcare industry, the disabled community, aging in place advocates and governmental agencies to facilitate the transfer of knowledge that will build empathy and identify opportunities for more inclusive design of products and spaces. By examining and candidly discussing the issues surrounding inclusive housing and workplace solutions, barriers to mobility and adequate transportation, and inclusive community design, we will positively impact future development of our urban spaces and surrounding areas. Join us as we discuss:

**The Built Environment: Inclusive solutions in residential structures, workplace design and areas and products designed for recreation**

**Community Engagement: Shared public spaces such as cultural centers, educational facilities, entertainment venues, parks and outdoor recreational facilities, street design, green space design**

**Community Support Services: Transit, disability support, eldercare services**

**VIC2010: Visions of an Inclusive Community Conference on October 14-16, 2010** is being held at the Embassy Suites Hotel USF/Busch Gardens campus and is the first event of its kind to focus on the needs of the elderly and those with disabilities with regard to the built environment and community design here in Florida.

Don't miss this opportunity to gain knowledge, be entertained and inspired and meet professionals and product representatives all of whom have the skills and desire to empower their clients to lead independent, full lives.

For more information on the conference and to register, visit [www.vic2010.com](http://www.vic2010.com)

## Thought-provoking speakers and moving entertainment await you. .



***"Though every year my eyesight has become more restricted... every year,***

***the sky becomes higher and the horizon becomes wider and more tantalizing, packed with fantastic, hidden mysteries.....all waiting to be revealed.***

***I'm the blind guy....who wants to show you the world!" –***

***Amar Latif***



"Elaine Ostroff's belief in the power of architecture to enhance and support human dignity and every individual's competence has provided extraordinary benefits to architects and other designers worldwide," noted Boston Society of Architects president, Jane Weinzapfel FAIA. "Elaine is someone we all wish to be – a cultural change agent, a leader, a model, an ally, an educator, a brilliant and compassionate (and eminently practical) professional who envisions design as a tool for living...and for social justice."



Since 1997, Had to Be Productions has toured their unique theatrical documentary plays and workshops throughout the country to government agencies, corporations, educational institutions, and conferences. Some of our clients include Boeing, Microsoft, Wells Fargo Bank, GM-UAW, Eddie Bauer, the Department of Defense and the EPA. The plays integrate true stories from people in the workplace and experts in the field of inclusion with humor and pathos to create a workshop discussion where issues can be addressed deeply and honestly.