

TalentPlus GREEN offers internationally-acclaimed speakers across a broad spectrum of ecological and adventure topics for events and meetings. We also focus on creating strategic alliances between eco-experts and corporations and associations to support positive environmental practices and brand positioning.

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TUCCI GRACES THE COVER OF ST. LOUIS WOMAN MAGAZINE!



Our own Co-Founder, Sharon Tucci, was featured for her trailblazing innovation, including the creation of TalentPlus-Green, in an article titled "Glamour to Green." St. Louis Woman Magazine praised Tucci's 30 years of top credentials in promotion and management.



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#### JAMES O. FRAIOLI

An avid conservationist, James is ranking in a new category. James just returned from Malawi, Africa working on a new book about helping to solve global poverty. He is currently in production on a new children's book adventure series with Jean-Michel Cousteau and he is off to Alaska on several fishing assignments. He won the coveted Benjamin Franklin Award for his latest cookbook, Trattoria Grappolo, in Los Angeles.



#### ED VIESTURS

Ed and cohort John Stetson recently returned from the Canadian Arctic and a 150-mile trek through pristine areas of Northern Baffin Island. The ski and sledge expedition focused attention on climate change occurring in the Arctic and its effect on native Inuit lifestyles and hunting practices. The trip, called Healthy Planet=Healthy People, is also a "warm-up" for Ed's upcoming 600-mile, unsupported journey to the South Pole.



#### JOEL REYNOLDS

For nearly 20 years, Joel Reynolds has been "the Earth's best defense" to protect the environment and speak out for wildlife and habitats that have no human voice. A senior attorney for the National Resources Defense Council based in Los Angeles, CA, Reynolds has taken up a wide variety of causes for the environment in the courtroom and won despite seemingly insurmountable odds. Reynolds is a passionate and skilled speaker on issues of coastal protection, land use, marine mammal protection, environmental justice and transportation. He regularly speaks to conventions and groups across the country and has been published by The Los Angeles Times, The Washington Post, The New York Times, The Boston Globe, The Chicago Tribune and The San Francisco Chronicle.



#### DR. GLADYS KALEMA-ZIKUSOKA

In the legacy of the late Dian Fossey, Dr. Gladys Kalema-Zikusoka has become one of the leading conservationists and scientists working to save the critically endangered mountain gorillas of East Africa. An articulate, polished advocate, Dr. Gladys has been featured in documentaries on BBC 1, National Geographic, Animal Planet, MNet and Uganda Television. Dr. Gladys is a powerful speaker about the interconnectedness of all species and the human links to our most endangered wildlife. Dr. Gladys will be in the states October 15 through November 4 and available for speaking/appearances.



#### JEAN-MICHEL COUSTEAU

The latest television special by the famed Cousteau family, "Sea Ghosts", is scheduled to air on PBS in April 2009. They are currently filming their next episode on orca whales, "Mirrors in the Water", in destinations ranging from Canada to Papua New Guinea to New Zealand.



#### JON BOWERMASTER

A regular contributing writer for National Geographic, National Geographic Adventurer, the New York Times and many more...Jon Bowermaster has over 20 years of adventure with a passion. He is an ultimate explorer and observer of both nature and mankind. An author of 10 books and a dozen documentary films, Bowermaster has chronicled the health of the world's seas and the lives of three billion people who live and depend on the planet's coastlines. Bowermaster, a six-time grantee of the National Geographic Society, has embarked on this daunting task in a very unusual way – in a kayak and frequently alone against the elements.