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**Woodrow W. Clark II, MA3, PhD**  
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Dr. Clark, a long-time advocate for the environment and renewable energy, is an internationally recognized author, lecturer and advisor specializing in sustainable communities. In December 2007, Dr. Clark was a co-recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize, along with his colleagues of United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and Al Gore's documentary film.

In 2004, he founded Clark Strategic Partners (CSP), an environmental and renewable energy consulting firm using his political-economic expertise in order to guide, advice and implement public and private clients worldwide – specifically on sustainable development for communities ranging from schools, colleges and universities to small and large cities. He is author of five books, two of them on Sustainable Communities (Springer Press, December 2009) and a Design Handbook (Elsevier Press, June 2010) with a global sequel due in the summer of 2011. His next book is on The Third Industrial Revolution (Praeger Press, winter 2011) and as Co-Editor and Author for a Special Issue of Contemporary Economic Policy on “Global Cases in Energy, Environment, and Climate Change: Some Challenges for the Field of Economics” due in the winter of 2011.

Prior to launching CSP, Dr. Clark had created a mass media company (Clark Communications) in San Francisco during the 1980s and a Lecturer at California State University, Hayward (now East Bay) and the Managing Director of the Center for New Venture Alliances. He was the Manager of Strategic Planning for Technology Transfer at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (University of California and U.S. Department of Energy) from 1994-1999. Then from 1999-2000, he was a Visiting Professor of Science, Technology and Entrepreneurship at Aalborg University, Denmark, where he had been a Fulbright Fellow in 1994. Then due to the California energy crisis, he was asked by senior staff of Governor Gray Davis to come and serve as the Senior Advisor on Renewable Energy, Emerging Technologies, and Finance from 2000-2003. Dr. Clark has two grown children and with Andrea, his current wife, Andrea Kune, a 3-year old baby boy, Paxton, born on the day that Clark got the Noble Peace Prize.