

## The Judges - Biographies

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### **Amanda L. Gourgue, Chief Meeting Revolutionist, Meeting Revolution**



Amanda L. Gourgue, CMP, LEED AP is a revolutionist! She started her own company called Meeting Revolution. It is a meeting and event company that specialises in environmental friendly meetings. Meeting Revolution also assists meeting facilities in becoming socially responsible.

Amanda has fifteen years of experience in the hospitality and meetings industry. Her professional history includes working with such well known companies as Walt Disney World Resort, Starwood Hotels & Resorts, Marriott International, Rare Hospitality and Aramark.

Currently, Amanda is an active member in the hospitality community. She is a member of the Board of Directors for United States Green Building Council - New Hampshire Chapter, contributes to the Meeting Professional International Community Membership Advisory Council, and participates on the food and beverage subcommittees for APEX. In April 2009, MeetingNews recognised Amanda as one of the top 30 meeting professionals under 30 in the United States. Amanda also is the only Certified Meeting Professional who has earned the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design designation.