IIDA TORONTO LEADERS BREAKFAST DECEMBER 2, 2011

Featuring Keynote Speaker Janice Price and Honoree Susan Wiggins

August 3, 2011, Toronto, CA – The International Interior Design Association (IIDA) is proud to announce that the 2011 IIDA Leaders Breakfast series will stretch from coast to coast and cross borders with a stop in Toronto taking place 8-10 a.m. December 2, 2011 at the Ritz Carlton. The Toronto Leaders Breakfast will feature keynote speaker Janice Price and honor Susan Wiggins in a morning of inspirational stories and strategies.

Janice Price, a Toronto-born arts administrator has a wealth of knowledge and experience in the performing arts arena. She was appointed first CEO of Luminato, Toronto’s Festival of Arts & Creativity, in 2006. Prior to joining Luminato, Price was President and CEO of The Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts in Philadelphia for almost five years. She was interim Executive Director, and Vice President of marketing and communications, at New York’s Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts before then. She currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Canadian Festivals Coalition, Toronto Arts Council Foundation and the International Society of Performing Arts, and is a member of the National Steering Committee of Culture Days.

The Interior Designers of Canada (IDC) will honor Susan Wiggins, who has expertise in government relations, volunteer development and strategic management, and currently serves as Executive Director of IDC. From 2001 to 2009, Susan was Executive Director for the Association of Interior Designers of Ontario (ARIDO), during which time she celebrated getting the Ontario Practice Act to second reading in 2006 and spearheading a restructuring of Interior Design provincial associations in an effort to create a unified voice for the profession across Canada.

Leaders Breakfast events are attended annually by designers, industry leaders, contractors, developers, real estate brokers and key business leaders in each city. Each breakfast is highlighted by a keynote speaker exemplifying an aspect of leadership in today’s world. This promises to be a stand-out year with the continued support of National Benefactors Herman Miller and Interior Design magazine.

For more information on participating in the 2011 Toronto Leaders Breakfast, contact IIDA Headquarters at 312.467.1950. IIDA will host additional 2011 Leaders Breakfast events in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Dallas and Chicago. If you are interested in ticket information or sponsorship packages, please contact IIDA at 312.467.1950, or communications@iida.org. Tickets may also be purchased online at www.iida.org.

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