

ECOWEEK 2011: MEIR Workshop

The workshop will run with two parallel themes: a school for a low income community in Thessaloniki, Greece, and a school for a low income community in Jericho, PA. This will help enhance the different design strategies needed for the same brief in different climatic zones (i.e., Mediterranean temperate-humid and hot hyperarid). The brief will call for a low cost school which, however, should try to meet thermal comfort conditions for as much of the school year as possible. This, of course, leaves out of the equation the worst part of the year for both sites - the hot summer months. The workshop will include the collection and processing of climatic and other relevant data needed for the project preparation before the ECOWEEK week.