

# 20 years of USGBC: A recipe for green building success

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In 1993, three game-changers--Rick Fedrizzi, David Gottfried and Mike Italiano--founded USGBC with a simple mission. Watch David Gottfried's take on the ten ingredients that helped USGBC transform the global building industry over its 20 year history.

Here are a few key ingredients:

1. Big dreams
2. Engaged community
3. Startup mentality

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