

# LEIGH MCGONAGLE

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## SERVICE

Student ASLA President,  
EISS Volunteer, Collegiate FFA  
Cayuga Lake Triathlon Volunteer

## EXHIBITIONS

*Far Above Cayuga's Waters: A  
Freshman's Cornell*, Tatkon Center,  
Cornell University '10  
*Liritepa: Light + Reflection +  
Texture + Pattern*, Tatkon Center,  
Spring 2009  
*Mann Courtyard: Urban Eden*,  
Mann Library, Spring 2008  
*Bailey Plaza: Evolution*, Kennedy  
Hall, Cornell, Fall 2007

## PUBLIC WORKSHOPS

*Green Thumbs Gardening  
Workshops*, Home Depot 2010  
*What is Organic Gardening?*,  
Frost Valley In-Service Training  
*What is Landscape Design?*  
Bring your child to work day,  
Cornell 2008, 2009  
*Listening Leadership*,  
CFFA Convention, Fall 2006

## PUBLICATIONS

Ithaca Gun Factory: Ruin Study  
2009  
Bailey Plaza: Evolution, 2008

## ACTIVITIES

photography, traveling, dance  
reading, singing, architecture,  
horticulture

## EDUCATION

Cornell University, Ithaca NY, BA Landscape Architecture '10  
Southern Cayuga Central School, Poplar Ridge NY, June 2006

## SELF-EMPLOYMENT

*Owner, Landscape Designer & Photographer  
Poplar Point Studio, May 2008-Present*  
- Landscape consulting, design, installation & maintenance

## EMPLOYMENT

### Marketing/Administrative Intern

*Envisage Information Systems, Genoa NY, December - Present*  
- assist in developing a re-branding strategy for company  
- project coordinator for moving 50+ employees to new offices

### Workshop Captain

*The Home Depot, Ithaca NY, September 2009-May 2010*  
- customer FIRST Philosophy  
- Green Thumbs Gardening workshop Series (8 classes)

### Residential Advisor

*Cornell University, Ithaca NY, Spring '08, Fall '09, Spring '10*  
- safety and programming for residents  
- team-building role within staff

### Nursery Specialist/Clerk

*The Plantsmen, Lansing NY, Fall 2009*

### Program Instructor

*Frost Valley YMCA, Claryville NY, April - August 2009*  
- taught environmental education classes  
- managed and coached counselors  
- developed a summer garden curriculum  
- updated blog & photo site daily

### Intern Natural Areas/Wildflower Garden

*Cornell Plantations, Ithaca NY, May - September 2007*  
- worked directly with a group of 11 volunteers weekly