

### *Friday, March 1st*

**8:00-8:30am** Registration

**8:30am** Opening Remarks, Announcements, Introductions

**8:45am** Donald J. Leopold: Native Plant Materials--A Sampler For Students of All Ages

**9:45am** Tom Rawinski: Obvious and Not So Obvious Impacts of White-tailed Deer in New York Forests

**10:45am** Break

**11:00am** Andy Cole: Ecological impacts from drilling for shale gas – streams, wetlands, forests

**12:00pm** Lunch (90min.)

**1:30pm** Joy Kuebler: LEED, SITES and Native Plants: How Current National Landscape Guidelines and Rating Systems Encourage the Use of Native Plants

**2:30pm** Chris Lajewski: The Importance of Native Plants to Globally Significant Bird Habitat: Conservation at the Montezuma Wetlands Complex

**3:30pm** Break

**3:45pm** Carl Schwartz: Restoration Projects That Improve Habitat for Wildlife In New York State

**4:45pm** Announcements, End

**5:30pm** Friday Evening Reception at Lot 10 (also downtown and just a block from the event)

### *Saturday, March 2nd*

**8:15-8:45am** Registration

**8:45am** Opening Remarks, Announcements, Introductions

**9:00am** Dan Segal: Native Plants: The Original Heirlooms, Still Under the Radar

**10:00am** Jonathan Comstock: Climate Change and Effects on Native Plants

**11:00am** Break

**11:15am** Janet Allen: Monarch Watch--Gardening for Monarchs and other butterflies

**12:15pm** Lunch (75min.)

**1:30pm** Amy Samuels--Save The Rain: Rain Gardens and Water Conservation in Onondaga County

**2:30pm** Rick Manning: Early 20th Century German Native Plant Movements, and Our Own Today

**3:30pm** Closing Remarks, End



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