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SUSTAINABILITY LAB

May 1 - 8; June 3 -12, 2010

Transformer and Brooklyn-based cultural worker Jeff Hnilicka invite audiences to explore emerging models of cultural production, the sustainability of these models, and their impact within communities through a series of workshops, talks, skill shares, potluck dinners, and artistic actions. Discoveries made during *Sustainability Lab* will be shared at the *Open Engagement* conference in Portland, Oregon (May 14 - 17) exploring similar themes. Hnilicka will then be back at Transformer further investigating and interpreting outcomes of *Open Engagement*.

OPENING DAY: Saturday, May 1, 2010

3 - 4pm: *The New Cultural Worker* - a presentation by Jeff Hnilicka

For a full schedule of *Sustainability Lab* events and activities, visit Transformer's website: www.transformergallery.org

CORNFIELD

May 13 - May 29, 2010

In tandem with *Sustainability Lab*, Transformer is pleased to introduce the DC debut of *Cornfield*, an installation and performance piece by artist Nancy Bannon that manifests a life-size, fabricated cornfield within Transformer's project space, inviting audiences to consider uses and preservation of natural resources.

EXHIBITION HOURS: Wednesday - Saturday, 1 - 7pm & by appointment

PERFORMANCES: Friday, May 21, 2010: 6, 7:30 & 9:30pm

Saturday, May 22, 2010: 4, 6, 7:30, & 9:30pm

All performances are free; advance registration with Transformer is required.

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