

# ALUMNI Spotlight



Gabrielle Leo  
Class of 2011

**College Education:**

SUNY Fredonia, BFA in Musical Theater

**Current Occupation:**

Student (again) Starting in September I will be attending the New England Center for Circus Arts in Brattleboro Vermont, to study aerial acrobatics with a specialization in silks (aerial fabric) and flying trapeze.

**Professional Achievements**

Missoula Children's Theater; they are a company that participates in bringing theater to different communities. They are present in all 50 states and 17 countries. I would travel to a different city/state every week to teach and perform a show with the local children.

Resort Circus Instructor/Dancer; I worked on a luxury resort in the Bahamas teaching flying trapeze and performing in the nightly shows which included, circus acts, singing, dancing and improv comedy.

**What is the best advice you could give current Ludden students?**

It's okay to not have everything figured out. Take chances, try new things, figure out where you feel like you belong.

**What is your favorite Ludden memory?**

Attempting to construct a "life sized" Parthenon in front of the main office with Fr. Dan and the rest of the Greek class

**Why are you proud of your Bishop Ludden heritage?**

Bishop Ludden will always be a part of me. Years later when you go back, whether it be for a sporting event or a concert, you will be able to find someone you know. That is the community that will always be there for you.

