

Look at these opportunities to serve.....

Administration

Many departments can use assistance in filing, computer projects, mailings, other special projects that require attention to detail and organization.

Docents

Formal Docent introductory training includes 4 months of training every two years, plus shadowing with experienced Docents to lead tours through the Garden for the general public and school groups.

Events

A wide variety of events throughout the year require extra hands. Children and family events, classic donor events, educational events.

Garden Growers

Assist in the Garden Nursery in all phases of potting and staging plants for retail sales. Answer questions from visitors regarding specific plants. Eight-week training program offered every two years.

Garden Shop

Assist in the Garden Shop in a retail setting, stocking shelves, wrapping purchases, helping with register, and answer visitor questions about the Garden as well as shop items.

Grounds

78 acres of grounds to be tended, trail work, special collection displays in a variety of habitats.

Guild

Meets Tuesdays to develop and produce craft items from natural plant objects for retail sale in the Garden Shop. Creates large inventory for the Holiday Marketplace sale in late November.

Horticulture

Opportunities to work in propagation and seed bank work.

Instructional Aides

IAs assist with classes at the Garden, checking in attendees, helping set up classrooms. Includes free or discounted participation in the class.

Library

Cataloguing, archiving, internet indexing and searches to maintain collection of rare books and photos.

Master Gardeners

Formal training program including 80 hours of volunteer work toward certification as an MG. Helps with gardening hotline calls as well as other Garden or school projects.

Research

Research into our collections and in the field with an aim of conservation and preservation.

Tea House

Learn and assist with the various tea ceremony classes or events held in our unique California native Tea Garden.