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Directory Lists 700 Internship Opportunities at Public Gardens

Would you like to teach horticulture workshops for children, learn to map and catalog plants, care for the grounds of an historic estate, learn the nuances of greenhouse operations, or get practical experience in the day-to-day operations of a botanical garden? The *2003 Directory of Public Garden Internships* can open doors to hands-on experience in just about every area of public horticulture.

Produced by the American Association of Botanical Gardens and Arboreta (AABGA), the *2003 Directory of Public Garden Internships* is a 60-page book with more than 700 internship opportunities at more than 119 public gardens throughout North America. Whether you're an aspiring horticulturist, educator, curator, or horticultural therapist, the Directory is one of the most valuable career resources available.

The *2003 Directory of Public Garden Internships* lists internships at some of the largest, best known and most renowned institutions in the field—including the Smithsonian Institution, Walt Disney World, The New York Botanical Garden, The Chicago Botanic Garden, and the U.S. National Arboretum—as well as at small and mid-sized gardens. Each listing includes the garden's address, contact person, deadline for applications, job descriptions, hours, and salary.

Plan now for the ideal paid internship, summer or year-round, at a public garden.

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AABGA is a national, nonprofit organization that serves and strengthens public gardens throughout North America by supporting and promoting their work, value, and achievements in horticultural display, education, research, and plant conservation.

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