

Join APGA to provide your staff  
with networking with over  
11,000 professionals  
in the public garden industry.



Unlimited  
access to 20+  
discipline-focused  
Professional  
Communities



Opportunities to  
attend and present  
at professional  
symposia, webinars,  
or programs

- Opportunities to showcase your garden through in-person or virtual program
- 40+ FREE webinars offered annually as part of membership
- Multiple virtual workshops and workshop series with possible CEU opportunities
- Annual Conference featuring behind the scenes garden tours, 80+ concurrent sessions, and networking with over 800 of your (public garden) peers
- Numerous volunteer opportunities to grow as a leader within the public garden industry



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# INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

The Institutional Membership is intended for public gardens, arboretums, zoos, and parks that are open for public visitation.

By joining the American Public Gardens Association (APGA), your staff will be one of nearly 600 institutions dedicated to making the world a place where public gardens are indispensable. APGA shows our commitment to the industry by championing and advancing public gardens as leaders, advocates, and innovators in the conservation and appreciation of plants.

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## INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP:

### Annual Dues Structure

Dues are calculated on the Total Annual Operating Budget (AOB) of the institution (excluding special one-time expenses or capital projects)

Minimum dues = \$175  
(all AOBs less than \$175,000)  
Example: \$185,000 x 0.0011 = \$203.50

Variable dues = AOB x 0.0011

Maximum dues = \$13,000

## MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- Professional Development for the entire staff and board through in-person and virtual programming
- In-person and virtual networking opportunities to connect with peers, including unlimited access to 20+ discipline-focused Professional Communities
- Signature programs that address crucial needs of members and their plant collections including Plant Collections Network, Tree Gene Conservation Partnership, Plant Heroes, Disaster Readiness Initiative, and Public Garden
- Opportunity to participate in Collective Impact and Benchmarking surveys
- Free job postings on APGA's Career Center
- Subscription to *Public Garden* magazine - up to 25 copies per issue
- Subscription to the monthly e-newsletter
- Member pricing for staff to the Annual Conference and Professional Development programs
- Opportunities to present at conferences, symposia, webinars, or other programs
- Unlimited access to the online Member Directory, Resource Library and Media Center
- Free publicity from Go Public Gardens media campaign
- Listing on the Association's Garden Map
- Affinity Program benefits available as listed on the APGA Website.



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