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## Promote the benefits of horticulture and gardening

**Y**ou enjoy gardening. You enjoy working with people. You want to learn more about why people like to garden, why people want gardens and peaceful landscapes around them. Well, the public horticulture program is for you.

The Public Horticulture concentration in the Plant Sciences major is designed for students interested in professional careers promoting horticulture and emphasizing people and their knowledge and enjoyment of plants. Public horticulturists are professionals who are responsible for educating the public about the use of plants to enhance their well-being, as well as promoting society's interest in plant study, conservation and preservation.

Graduates find careers in several exciting areas, within two general types of organizations:

Organizations responsible for the study, display, maintenance and preservation of living plant collections for public benefit:

- Botanical gardens, arboretums and conservatories
- Cities and parks
- Zoos and aquariums
- Cemeteries
- Historical homes and grounds
- University and college campuses
- Theme parks

Organizations responsible for the use of plants to enhance human well-being through education, use and therapy:

- Schools, colleges and universities
- University Extension Services
- Botanical gardens, arboretums and conservatories
- Hospitals, therapy centers, nursing homes and senior centers
- Garden publications
- Horticulture societies
- Community garden organizations

Recent graduates are in positions that include:

- City horticulturist, zoo horticulturist, campus horticulturist
- Teacher, instructor, professor, educator
- Director of botanic garden, arboretum, butterfly conservatory
- Interpretive horticulturist; education director
- Extension agent or specialist
- Urban forester, curator
- Estate gardener
- Garden writer, editor, publication manager, Internet specialist
- Manager of children's gardens
- Collections horticulturist
- Horticultural therapist

## For more information or to schedule a campus tour:

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### Office of Admissions

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### Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships

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# Do you want to help the world?

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ell, if you do, you should consider the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources.

Why? Because our alumni play an important role in improving the quality of our lives and the health of the planet.

## What makes the UT College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) unique?

- The highest-quality university food systems and natural resources program in Tennessee
- Faculty engaged in innovative biotechnology, food and natural resources economics, environment and bio-resources research
- Faculty-led international study programs that take students to Thailand, Australia, Jamaica, Ireland, England, Italy and elsewhere
- Award-winning co-curricular clubs and teams
- Sponsorship of honor societies, professional fraternities and a sorority, and student chapters of professional organizations
- An honors program where students work one-on-one with faculty mentors

## What can CASNR offer me?

CASNR cares about the quality of education its students receive, through:

- Challenging courses
- Opportunities for personal and career development
- Personalized advising
- Small class size with a student-centered learning environment
- Internship and coop opportunities with regional, national and international firms
- Annual CASNR career fair and on-campus interviews

- Caring faculty and staff
- Extracurricular activities supported by faculty
- Excellent preparation for advanced study in graduate and professional schools, including medicine, law, veterinary medicine, dentistry, physical therapy, nursing and pharmacy

