

The Ecological Society of America invites members to

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MASTER PLANT  
SCIENCE TEAM



The Master Plant Science Team provides compensation for a cohort of 5 graduate students who make a substantial contribution as an online scientist mentor.

## Master Plant Science Team Members receive

- Free membership to ESA for the year commitment
- 50% off meeting registration
- PlantingScience T-shirt

### **\*Be More Than a Mentor!\***

## Team involvement Requirements

- Participate in online mentorship training
- Mentor 2-3 student teams via the web during BOTH fall and spring sessions (each session lasts ~2 months)
- Post to student web pages ~3 times per week
- Provide extra support and facilitate communication for one classroom teacher and his or her teams

One year as a member of the Master Plant Science Team has the potential to positively affect the rest of your professional life and inspire lifelong appreciation for plant science in young learners.

*Participating as a mentor with PlantingScience has been a tremendously valuable experience! I feel like I have an opportunity to communicate my life's passion as a scientist and researcher to students in a medium that makes such communication possible like no other resource I have seen.*

*How could any scientist not want to do this? Learning from the students and understanding how they approach scientific topics and the scientific method help me communicate my research to a more general audience. Simply put, PlantingScience makes me a better researcher and teacher.*

-Former Master Plant Science Team

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Apply at [HTTPS://PLANTINGSCIENCE.ORG/JOINMPST](https://plantingscience.org/joinmpst)

Please apply by August 16, 2021. For details or to apply:  
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ESA membership is not required. Please pass this information on to others who might be interested.