

The American Phytopathological Society invites members to

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MASTER PLANT
SCIENCE TEAM



The Master Plant Science Team provides compensation for **1 graduate student or postdoc** who makes a substantial contribution as an online scientist mentor.

Master Plant Science Team Members receive:

- Free membership to the American Phytopathological Society for the year commitment
- 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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Please apply by August 12, 2022. For details or to apply:
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Current membership in sponsoring societies is not required.
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