



DR. SUN YAT-SEN
CLASSICAL
CHINESE
GARDEN

Volunteer Application Form

The joys of volunteering at Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese Garden are many, among which is an opportunity to relish its peaceful and tranquil environment. You will become an integral part of our Garden team. We look forward to growing, learning, and sharing with you!

Contact Information				
Today's Date: ____/____/____ (mm/dd/yyyy)				

Mr./Mrs./Ms.	First Name: _____	Last Name: _____		
_____		_____		
Address: _____		City: _____	Province: _____	Postal Code: _____
Tel no. _____		Cell no. _____		
Email Address: _____				
Please indicate the volunteer position(s) you are interested in. (Please also ensure that you meet the required commitment.)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Docent/Cultural Interpreter: leads 45-minute public tours for visitors and the community, sharing information about Chinese gardens, history, culture, and philosophy. Great for developing public speaking and group facilitation skills. <u>Required commitment:</u> At least 4 tours per month, for at least 3 months. N.B. All Docents/Cultural Interpreters are required to become Garden members - you will be asked to submit a membership form once you have confirmed your participation in Docent training (training comprises tour-shadowing at your convenience during a set 2-3 week window, followed by 3-4 trainer-led training sessions over 3-4 weekend half-days)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Events Volunteer: assists and supports us in delivering events and festivals, for example: ___ Chinese New Year Festival (January or February) ___ Enchanted Evenings Concert Series (Friday evenings July - August) ___ Mid-Autumn Moon Festival (September or October) ___ Winter Solstice Festival (December 21) <u>Required commitment:</u> At least 2 events per year				
<input type="checkbox"/> Gift Shop Assistant: assists with inventory, display, and customer purchases. <u>Required commitment:</u> Season-dependant....to be negotiated with the Volunteer Coordinator				
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify what you are interested in doing at the Garden, and we will explore possibilities with you - e.g. graphic/layout design, photography, project management, education, sound engineering etc.): _____				

Background

What languages do you speak fluently?

Tell us what you're doing at the moment (i.e. are you studying / in work / volunteering elsewhere / raising a family...?)

If you're staying in Vancouver temporarily, when are you leaving town?

What skills and/or personal qualities can you bring to the Garden?

What would you like to get out of your volunteering experience with the Garden?

How did you hear about Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese Garden?

Are you currently a Garden member? Yes No

(If no, and you are not interested in training to be a Docent/Cultural Interpreter, you are welcome to join if you wish - please click 'General Info' then "Membership' on our website to find out more.)

References

It is IMPORTANT that you provide two references from other volunteer positions, employment or schooling. Please inform your references that we may contact them.

1. Name: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

2. Name: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

E-MAIL OR FAX (604-682-4008) THIS FORM BACK TO US.

Questions? Contact us at 604.662.3207 ext. 208 or at volunteers@vancouverchinesegarden.com

Thank you very much for your interest; we will be in touch with you soon!