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The American Society of Plant Biologists invites
5 graduate student members to join the
PlantingScience 2008-2009 Master Plant Science Team

Who is the Master Plant Science Team?

A specially trained and compensated team of ASPB and BSA online mentors.

We particularly seek **graduate students**.
Current ASPB membership is not required.

What are the benefits of joining?

Free ASPB student membership for the year
50% off meeting registration
Master Plant Science Team T-shirt
Support of mentor cohort and training
Satisfaction of making a difference

What are the expectations?

One year commitment (~2 hours per week
time commitment when sessions are active)
Mentor ~3 student teams in fall and spring
Communicate with teams 2-3 times per week
Connect with classroom teacher
Provide feedback to staff and mentor team

When would I need to be available?

Fall Session: September 15-November 15
Spring Session: February 2-April 3

Student research projects last 2-4 weeks during
the open window of each session.

**Yes! I am ready to change the way students
experience and understand science.**

I want to join the Master Plant Science Team.

We seek to identify candidates by mid August.

To apply, please provide contact information and a personal statement
about your interest and experience in science mentoring.

NAME

INSTITUTION

INSTITUTION STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIPCODE

PHONE

EMAIL

Describe in a paragraph your:

- (1) interest/reason for wanting to participate in the mentor team and
- (2) your mentorship and outreach experience.

Direct questions or applications to:
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