



BOTANIC
GARDENS
OF SYDNEY

Grow Your Impact With Us



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Where are the Botanic Gardens of Sydney?

Royal Botanic
Garden Sydney

Australia's oldest botanic
garden

Australian
Botanic Garden
Mount Annan

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garden

Blue Mountains
Botanic Garden
Mount Tomah

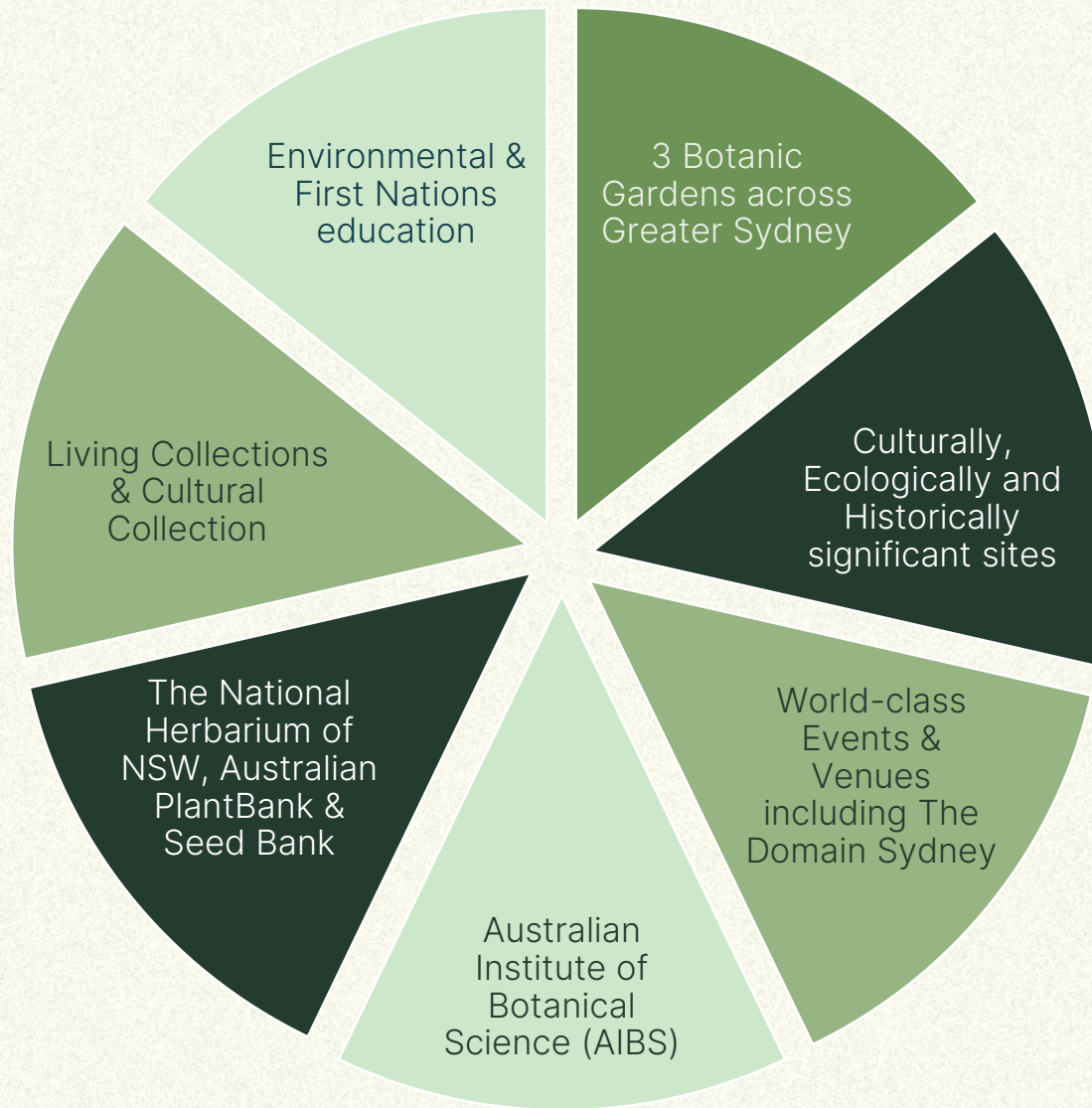
Australia's highest botanic
garden

The Domain
Sydney

Sydney's leading outdoor
entertainment precinct



Botanic Gardens of Sydney is more than just a garden!



Grow Your Impact

Our Gardens are more than just places to see unique plants or enjoy the scenery. We have an amazing reach; from people visiting our Gardens to our extensive online platform. Join us in our mission to preserve our planet.



11 million+ visitors
to our three Botanic Gardens and
The Domain



220,000+ participants
in our Community
Greening program



240,000 attendees at
business and
cultural events



100,000+ subscribers
to email database



150,000+ students
participating in our
education programs



1.9 million+ visitors
to our website



1 million+ social media
followers



3.2 billion+ media
reach

Why partner with us?

60,000

Years of rich cultural history

8

Species preserved in our Gardens that are extinct in the wild

12,500

seed collections protected in PlantBank preventing their extinction

1,400

Australian plant species are listed as threatened or extinct

72%

of threatened NSW plant species are safeguarded in our PlantBank

88%

of plant species in Australia aren't found anywhere else on Earth

Reach your Corporate Social Responsibility and ESG goals by joining our family. Your donation will be allocated to our critical science research projects and your partnership fee will unlock benefits such as monthly volunteering sessions.

Are you a responsible business?

Partnering with a global leader in science, conservation, horticulture, and environmental education will clearly demonstrate your commitment to sustainability, social responsibility and conservation.

- We offer a unique way for partners to fund critical plant science research and **ensure that we build a secure and sustainable future** for generations to come
- Your support will **progress our planet changing scientific research** that directly addresses critical environmental challenges
- Our volunteering, education, and engagement programs complement **social responsibility** objectives with real-world outcomes and foster a greater sense of **connection** within your organisation

Did you know?

\$50,000 will fund the seed collection of up to **8 rainforest species** to help protect them from extinction



Our work at Australian Institute of Botanical Science makes a difference

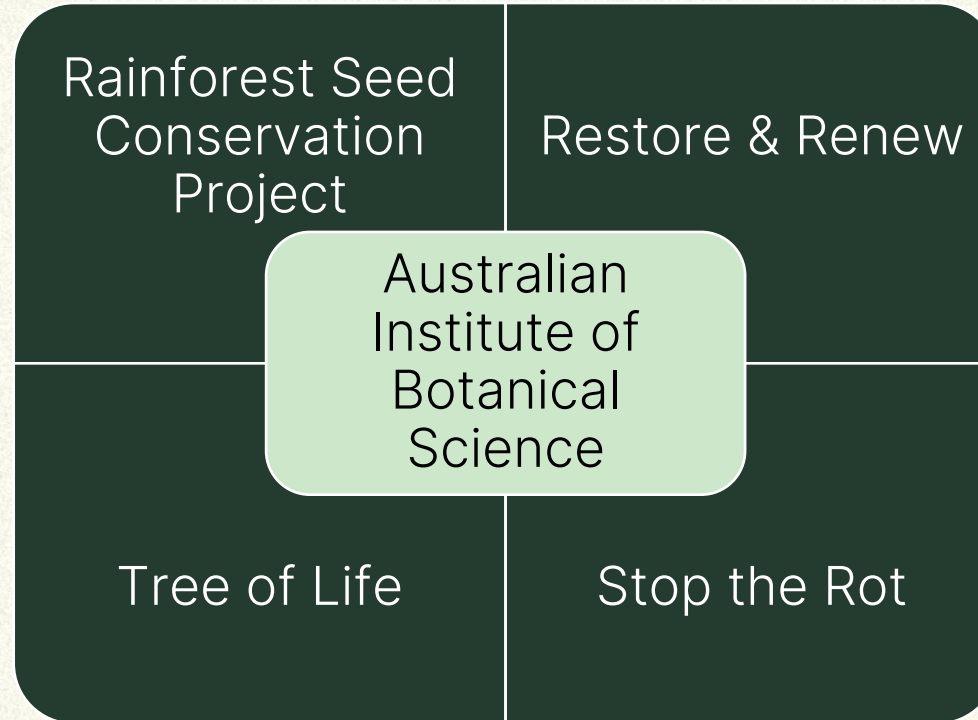
The Australian Institute of Botanical Science (AIBS) is Australia's oldest scientific institution, situated on significant historical, ceremonial and traditional trade ground sites.

The Institute is a global leader in botanical science, conservation, research and sustainability.

The Institute drives our science, horticultural and education outcomes.

Your support will advance our projects by funding our scientists, facilities, and crucial equipment to solve local and global challenges.

Snapshot of current AIBS projects:





Impactful projects at AIBS

NSW Tree of Life

Creating the first New South Wales tree of life – a comprehensive phylogeny of the entire flora of NSW. This project capturing the evolutionary history of plants in NSW at this level of detail has never been achieved before and will have global impact.

Rainforest Seed Conservation Project

Actively preserving and restoring the vulnerable rainforest ecosystems that contain more than 50% of Australia's plant biodiversity.

Restore & Renew

Revolutionising land restoration and building resilience against the impact of climate change, natural disasters and urban development using the latest DNA technology.

Stop the Rot

Harnessing innovation to safeguard biodiversity hotspots under threat by Phytophthora root rot, supported by ecological scent dogs trained to detect this devastating pathogen.

Did you know?

We propagated
22,356 plants in
FY24

Impact that lasts

Australian rainforests are dying faster than ever before, but by supporting our Rainforest Seed Conservation Project, we can make a difference.

Did you know? There are only four remaining wild species of macadamia in eastern Australia!

They are endemic - they do not live anywhere else in the world and the loss of this species will have global repercussions.

These seeds are challenging to bank by traditional methods (drying and freezing) – a problem faced by most rainforest species globally. Our team at the Australian PlantBank is working to find revolutionary methods of conserving macadamia seeds.

In the case of the macadamia, we are attempting to preserve the tiny embryo located within the kernel, rather than the entire seed. This is a unique practice in preservation.

By contributing to our research, your organisation is helping to combat the climate crisis and the impacts of biodiversity loss.

Conservation Scientist Karen Sommerville (pictured) is leading the way in rainforest seed conservation.

Did you know?

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Football field of forest is lost every second of every day



Iconic Green Spaces

We have the most visited and widely recognised green spaces in Australia; Botanic Gardens of Sydney delivers invaluable opportunities for social connection and enhanced mental and physical health for all visitors to enjoy.

Our world-class event spaces, diverse team building activities and wellbeing experiences create meaningful ways for your staff to connect with each other surrounded by the power of plants.

Horticultural Excellence

World class horticulture across three Botanic Gardens that is accessible throughout the year, with opportunities to volunteer, learn and enjoy the vast living collections of native, exotic and rare plant species.

The Calyx Green Wall

One of the largest green walls in the Southern Hemisphere, housing over 18,000 potted plants, which reside within our premier indoor venue The Calyx.

Prominent event and activation spaces

Our spaces offer dynamic platforms for impactful brand activations and events, offering incredible visitation numbers and picturesque content opportunities.



Did you know?

1400 Australian plant species are listed as **threatened or extinct** – more than double that of threatened animals

Volunteer

43K

Number of volunteer
hours across all
programs in FY23

\$1.66M

Total value of hours
worked by
volunteers in FY23

1960

Trees planted across our 3
Botanic Gardens in FY24

11.8M

Number of visitors to
the Gardens in FY23

Corporate volunteers are critical for helping to maintain our Living Collections, through planting and horticulture practices. Reduce your carbon footprint and achieve ESG targets by contributing to planting sessions and regeneration

All costs associated with volunteering are a tax-deductible donation, with funds going to the area of greatest need within our organisation.

and give back



Did you know?

Over 150,000 people engage annually with our education across our three Botanic Garden sites, at home, at school and online.



Environmental Education

We are committed to sharing our expertise and inspire new generations of environmental advocates.

Our education programs inspire environmental stewardship and facilitate a connection to Country, enacting positive changes to overcome the critical challenges facing our world.

Community Greening

An award-winning outreach project which provides fresh food, gardening skills and social connections to vulnerable communities including social housing tenants, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities, refugee groups, the elderly, people with disabilities, disadvantaged schools and at-risk youth.

Lifelong Learning

We are strong believers that education should happen at all stages, not just in the classroom and so we offer holistic and unique programs for learners of any age.

National Science Week

Every year, Botanic Gardens of Sydney raises the profile of STEM by inspiring and encouraging younger generations to pursue a career in science through activities, talks, panel conversations and shows presented to roughly 48,000 students.

Did you know?

37 plant species have gone **extinct** since European settlement



First Nations Programs

We acknowledge the traditional owners of the lands on which the Botanic Gardens of Sydney are located and pay our deepest respects to the traditional owners.

We embrace First Nations culture and celebrate the rich heritage and history of the traditional owners, who have a strong and significant connection to these lands, waters, sky, flora and fauna.

Participate in our First Nations programs to strengthen your historical and cultural knowledge.

Aboriginal Bush Tucker tour

A First Nations guide will teach you about the traditional uses of Indigenous bush foods and how these have adapted into the modern time. It also allows guests to try a few different indigenous foods and ask questions to our wonderful guides.

Aboriginal Harbour Heritage Tour

A First Nations Guide will guide you through the stunning Sydney Harbour Foreshore while listening to stories of Gadigal lifestyle, traditions, history and connection to country & community.

We are proud to have an **Innovate RAP** and **First Nations Strategy**.



More Information

Breathe life into your social impact and ESG targets by partnering with Botanic Gardens of Sydney.

We would love to discuss your organisation's objectives and sustainability goals to amplify your impact through this partnership.

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