

# South London Botanical Institute Membership Form



**Founded in 1910 by Allan Octavian Hume to bring the study of plants to people in South London, the SLBI is a community resource for discovering botany, ecology, horticulture, plant conservation and related arts.**

Our members range from amateur and professional botanists, to gardeners, artists, photographers, ecologists, writers, campaigners, and others with an urge to learn more about the plant kingdom.

We welcome people of all ages and backgrounds, from beginners to expert botanists. So whatever your level of experience, we invite you to join the SLBI and continue learning with us.

## Join the SLBI and gain access to:

### **Programme**

Through our talks, workshops, guided walks, courses and other events, members can learn about the many aspects of botany, both online and in the very beautiful and unique environment of our building, once it is safe to re-open. Your membership includes discounts on classes, workshops and talks where possible, and occasional special members' events.

### **Publications**

The SLBI Gazette is posted free to members twice a year, along with the seasonal Programmes. Members can submit articles to be published in the Gazette related to their area of botanical interest.

### **Garden**

The lovely botanic garden is open every Thursday, and our annual seed swap allows members to grow rare plants at home. Member can receive 10 free packets of seeds from our annual Seed List, with seeds collected from the SLBI garden.

### **Library & herbarium**

The Institute houses a library, lecture room and historic herbarium specialising in regional flora. These facilities will be available for members on Thursdays once it is safe to re-open, and at other times by appointment.



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# I wish to join the South London Botanical Institute

A payment of £25 will give you one year's membership of the SLBI, renewable in January 2025. Please consider giving a donation on top of your membership and you can help secure the future of botanical education in South London. As a small charity, any amount you give will make an enormous difference

## Payment options:

- Online by Paypal (preferred): [www.slbi.org.uk/join](http://www.slbi.org.uk/join) or [www.slbi.org.uk/donate](http://www.slbi.org.uk/donate)
- Pay directly into our bank account (BACS). Account: 10853011 Sort Code: 20-94-67 Ref: Your name
- By cheque made payable to 'SLBI' and posted to us, or by cash at an event
- By Standing Order - please email: [info@slbi.org.uk](mailto:info@slbi.org.uk) and return the completed Gift Aid section of this form.

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Please notify us if you wish to cancel this declaration, change your name or home address, or no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains and wish to withdraw from the Gift Aid scheme.

**Please return this form to the Membership Secretary at the address overleaf, or in person (for cash).**

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