Woodrow Wilson House Volunteer Scholar Spring 2024

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About Me!

- I just finished up my junior year at Concordia College in Moorhead, MN but am originally from Billings, MT
- I am a Heritage and Museum Studies and Art History double major and English minor
- I was able to spend my spring semester in DC through the Lutheran College Washington Semester

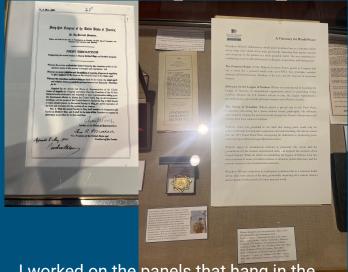


Work at Woodrow Wilson House-Exhibit opening



I got to WWH about two weeks before the opening of Moving Through Transparency so I had the opportunity to help with the final set up of the exhibit!





I worked on the panels that hang in the exhibit room; I helped Edith with choosing, retrieving, and placing the objects in their display cases. I was also able to research and help write some of the description cards for the items.

Girl Scouts



I had the opportunity to help with the girl scouts one Saturday-they were earning their 'craft and tinker' badges this time!



Fashioning Power, Fashioning Peace

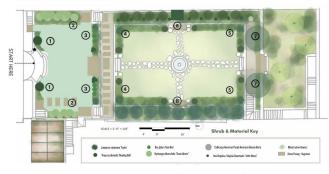


I also helped with many different aspects leading up to the Fashioning Power, Fashioning Peace event: helping create



Garden Tour Brochure

Native Plant Garden Guide



'Mr. Bowling Ball' -American Arborvitas

(§) Thuja occidentalis 'Mr. Bowling Ball' - American Arborvitae Juniperus virginiana Toylor's Eastern Red Ceda 'Little Henry' - Virginia Sweetspire

Mixed Native Flowers

© Callicarpa americana Purple American Beautyberry Itea virginica 'Little Henry' Virginia Sweetspire

'Snow Queen' Oakleaf Hydranaea

(7) Gordlinia grandiflora 'Sweet Teg' Sweet Tea Mountain Gordlinia

3 Juniperus virginiana

Eastern Red Cedar

Thuja occidentalis

American Arborvitae

'Mr. Bowling Ball'

llex glabra

Inkberry Holly

'Gem Box

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® Magnolia grandiflora Dwarf Southern Magnolia



The President Woodrow Wilson House

> Native Plant Garden Guide

Why native plants at our museum?

Native plants are adapted to the local climate and soil conditions where they naturally occur. Native plants do not need fertilizer and require much less water than non-native plants. Most importantly, they are a reminder of our civic responsibility to sustainably steward our planet. Woodrow Wilson established the National Park Service in 1916. Conservation was an essential element of his progressive agenda. The Wilson House strives to create a place that is safe for flora, fauna, and our quests! It is our collective duty to maintain this urban green space, ensuring that it remains a thriving habitat and a place of learning, relaxation, and enjoyment for future generations.

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'Gem Box' Inkberry Holly The Gem Box ilex is a ball-shaped plant that has small dark green leaves with red tips during the

Trees & Shrubs



Little Henry is native to North America and pollinator friendly. It has lightly fragrant white owers that bloom profusely.



Taylor' Eastern Red Cedar

This cedar has a very narrow, upright growth habit and has green-blue foliage.





Aagnolia grandiflora

'Little Gem' Dwarf Southern Magnolia 'Little Gem' grows to a mature size of about 25 ft. tall and 10-15 ft. wide. It still has the large white flowers expected from a larger magnolia tree.



Thuja occidentalis

'Mr. Bowling Ball' American Arbonitae This plant has threadlike, lacy foliage and is a naturally rounded dwarf shrub.











Trees & Shrubs



Callicarpa americana Purple American Beautyberry The Beautyberry has small white to pink flowers



Sweet Tea' Sweet Tea Mountain Gordlinia The large white flowers have a light, sweet fragrance that bloom July through September.

in the summer and purple to red-violet berries in



Hydrangea quercifolia Snow Queen' Oakleaf Hydrangea This Hydrangea is deciduous which means it sheds its leaves annually. Most Hydrangeas are

deciduous plants.

