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Botanical Garden of Porto

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# INTRODUCTION



#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1. Location

The Botanical Garden of Porto is located in a densely populated area of the joint parishes of Lordelo do Ouro and Massarelos and integrated in U.Porto's Campus (Faculty of Sciences, Faculty of Arts, Faculty of Architecture and future Faculty of Nutrition and Food Sciences).

With its main entrance located on Rua de Campo Alegre, the Garden is also home to the Hall of Biodiversity – CCV, a museum where art meets science and natural history.

Other gardens/museums of interest can be found within a relatively short distance from the Garden, such as the Serralves Park and Museum of Contemporary Art, the Palácio de Cristal and its gardens, the Soares dos Reis National Museum, the Tramcar Museum and the Romantic Museum.

#### 1.2. Ownership and management

The Botanical Garden and the Hall of Biodiversity
- CCV are two units of the U.Porto Museum of
Science and Natural History (MHNC-UP) and thus
belong to the University of Porto. They are both
independently managed under the superior
management of MHNC-UP, which, in turn, is
supervised by the vice-dean for Culture, *U.Porto*Edições (university press) and Museums.

#### 1.3. A brief history of the Garden

The Quinta do Campo Alegre (Campo Alegre Rural Property) was originally owned by the Order of Christ and bought by João Salabert in 1802. However, in 1817, his property was confiscated, and the Quinta was purchased by João José da Costa (1820), In 1875, the Quinta

was bought by José Silva Monteiro, who built the palace, the greenhouses and changed the structure of the Garden. The Quinta was again purchased by João Henrique Andresen (1895), and the Andresen family made further changes to the palace and gardens. The owners, João and Joana Andresen, were the grandparents of two famous Portuguese writers, Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen and Ruben A.

In 1949 the Portuguese Government bought the property from the Andresen family and in 1951 the Botanic Garden of Porto was settled as part of the Faculty of Sciences of University of Porto. In 1954, Karl Koepp, a german landscape architect, drew up a master plan in order to adapt the Quinta to a Botanic Garden. The proposed plan was focused on the conservation and adaptation of existing spaces as well as the creation of new gardens.

With the construction of the Arrábida Bridge, the area of the Botanic Garden was reduced from 12 to 4 hectares. As a compensation for this loss, the Quinta Burmester was added to the Botanic Garden (1,8 hectares).

In 1974, the Garden showed signs of degradation and in 1983 was closed to the public.

In 2001, the University of Porto appointed a commission to recover the Garden and started a maintenance program to contain the degradation; the Garden reopened to the public this year.

In 2006, the Botanical Garden temporarily closed its doors to the public for renovations, reopening in 2007.

In 2008, management of the Botanical Garden passed from the Faculty of Sciences to the Dean

of the University of Porto, under the supervision of the Museum of Science and Natural History.

#### 1.4. Features of the Garden

With an area of around 4 hectares, the Botanical Garden is a place of reference in Porto. It has been shaped across different periods of time and its historical value is evidenced by the preservation of the botanic collections and layout of the gardens.

Scenic, floral and literary elements coexist in what was once an inspirational place to Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen and Rúben Andresen Leitão.

The Botanical Garden is currently organized in three tiers with distinct characteristics. The first tier includes the Hall of Biodiversity and the formal gardens, separated by high hedges of centenary camellias and influenced by the Arts and Crafts movement. The formal gardens are divided into several spaces: the bosquets, the Shale Garden, the Fish Garden, the Rose Garden and the "J's" Garden.

#### 1.4.1. Bosquets

The bosquets represent the tastes of the late 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> centuries, with a predominance of azaleas and rhododendrons.

The bosquets are small, ordered woods that surround the house at north, east and west. They display a naturalistic composition, casting an ambiance of shade and faint light. Unveiling a typical collector's interest, they create multilayered habitats of large trees and shrubs with an unusual assemblage of exotic species mainly represented by cedar, araucaria, sweetgum, lime, tulip tree, camellia, rhododendron and redwood. Some places in these bosquets are

mentioned in Sophia's tales and poems. It feels good to walk in the dappled shade and look up through the fine lace of branches to the sky above.

The entrance to the Botanical Garden is flanked by the **Araucaria Bosquet** and the **Cedar Bosquet**.

The **Bronze Boy Bosquet** is linked to Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen's short story "The Bronze Boy". The statue of the lady in the middle of the lake inspired the central character of this flower tale – the Bronze Boy. The garden dates back the late 19<sup>th</sup> century but was subject to alterations in the 1950s.

The **Sweet Gum Bosquet** gets its name from the existing sweet gum specimen (*Liquidambar styraciflua*), and is also a place of reference in Sophia's story "The Bronze Boy".



**Bronze Boy Bosquet** 

#### 1.4.2. Rose Garden

The Rose Garden is a formal garden delimited by high hedges of old camellia cultivars. It develops like a huge carpet, facing the south of the house, with a geometric pattern layout typical of the late 19th century. It is a simplified habitat, dominated by shrubs and sub-shrubs, displaying a floristic composition with a significant chromatic, textural and olfactory contrast. It is the most luminous

and central space of the Garden, where hybrid tea rose cultivars grow among aromatic bushes. In its corners, young cypresses rise, pointing up to the open sky.

At the back of the Rose Garden, there used to be a bust of Professor Américo Pires de Lima, a Professor of the University of Porto and the main advocate for the establishment of the Botanical Garden in Quinta do Campo Alegre.



Rose garden

#### 1.1.1. Fish garden

The Fish Garden is a space enclosed by high hedges of camellia, made of grass beds bordered by low boxwood hedges ("parterre a l'anglaise"). Created in the 1950's, the garden owes its name to the shape of the central flowerbed. It forms a habitat dominated by herbaceous and shrub coverings, punctuated by citrus and cypresses, with a small collection of ancient roses celebrating Spring. It is sunny and bright, good for outdoor performances, and also to be sitting, to read and paint.



Fish garden

#### 1.1.2. "J's" garden

The "J's" Garden is a formal space designed by low boxwood hedges, encircled by historic camellia hedges. It maintains the symmetrical tracing of the late 19th century, with J-shaped beds — the initials of João and Joana Andresen, former owners of the Campo Alegre estate.

It is a habitat of shrubs and herbaceous plants (bulbs and annuals), where the wavy flowerbeds invite the children to wander and play, exploring the possible labyrinth. At the northern top, under a wisteria, a tiled bench creates a space for contemplation and romance.



"J's" garden.

#### 1.1.3. Shale garden

The shale Garden was built in the 1950s with a modern geometric layout softened by the rustic irregularity of the stones. The circular small ponds in its centre form a constructed habitat where cattails, papyrus and water lilies thrive. The garden also suggests a certain warmness of Douro landscapes, with its schist walls and sidewalks, vineyards, strawberry trees, and lavender. A pedunculate oak surmounts it at south, emphasizing an autochthonous note.

It is a beloved place of events and meetings, where poetry, singing, frogs, and reflexes coexist

tunefully from time to time. Occasionally, a heron dawns on the edge of the lake expecting a fat carp to spring.

The Shale Garden celebrates Porto's connection to wine, vineyards and the Douro region. Its low walls, shale pavements and characteristic plants evoke scenery and elements of the Douro region.



Shale Garden.

### 1.1.4. The cactus garden and greenhouses

The xerophytic garden, created in the late 1950s, houses an interesting collection of cactus and succulents, being complemented at south by desert and tropical greenhouses.

This space exhibits a pseudo-arid environment where plants almost perform like sculptural elements of different sizes and shapes, mainly stressed by aloe, opuntia, cereus, agave, and euphorbia. Under the blazing sun, the bold forms of plants expose a setting of southern textures and colours, casting sharp shadows on the gravel.



Cactus and succulent greenhouse

#### 1.1.5. Orchids Greenhouse

The orchid greenhouse, standing in the original location of the greenhouses of Quinta do Campo Alegre, currently shelters the collection of orchids and serves as a plant nursery. It was renovated in 2015 but maintains its original structure. Among the plants it houses, the genus Cimbidium, Paphiopedilum and Cattleya, Dendrobium are of particular relevance.



Zone of orchid greenhouse

#### 1.1.6. Arboretum

To the south, at lower levels and occupying approximately half of the Garden, coexist woody plants of various bioclimatic regions of the world.

Along meandering paths, one experiences a more informal set of spaces where a variety of forest habitats blend and many trees and shrubs can be appreciated developing their natural forms.

Several species of deciduous trees, gymnosperms, palms, magnolias, eucalyptus, bischofia and tristania stand out, conspicuously.

Crossed by jays and wood pigeons, it is a place of contrasting light and shade, trunks and branches, stems and leaves, where it feels nice

to walk over the fallen leaves on wet autumn mornings.



Arboretum

#### 1.1.7. Mixed borders

The Hall of Biodiversity and the Salabert House/E-learning café are surrounded by mixed flower borders growing semi-freely. The border around the Hall of Biodiversity is predominantly composed of indigenous specimens such as *Prunus avium, Acer monspessulanum, Crataegus monogyna, Rosmarinus officinalis*.



Mixed border around the Hall of Biodiversity

#### 1.1.8. Technical Area

The technical area is located on the west side of the Botanical Garden, near the University Residence Halls. It encompasses the parking area, the gardeners' changing room, visitor toilets and the tool shed. The area was subject to improvement works in 2018, particularly the buildings and pavements.



Tool shed.



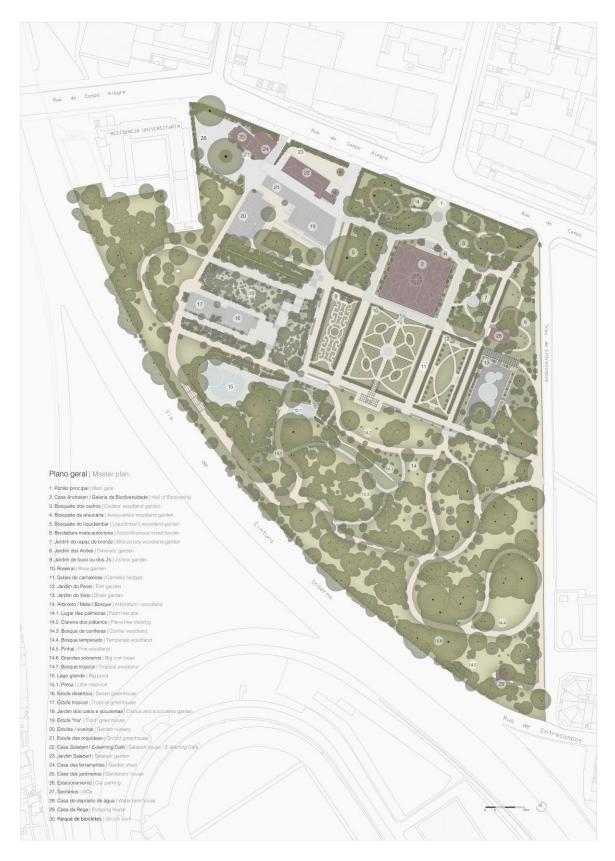
Pavement aroud the Hall of Biodiversity



Parking area



Visitor toilets



Master plan of Botanical Garden of Porto. Manuel Gentil, 2019

# WELCOME PLACE



#### 2. Welcome place

#### 2.1. Good and safe access

There are several public transportation options for reaching the Botanical Garden. The bus stop is a a 2-minute walk (lines 200, 204, 207 and 504) and the nearest subway station (Casa da Música) is a 15-minute walk from the Garden.

The GPS coordinates are 41°09'14.7"N | 8°38'32.7"W.

#### 2.2. Signage

At the request of the MHNC-UP, the City Council of Porto erected 3 signboards publicizing the Hall of Biodiversity/Botanical Garden in the vicinity - one on Rua da Venezuela, one on the corner formed by Avenida da Boavista and Rua António Cardoso and one on the corner formed by Rua António Cardoso and Rua da Venezuela.

#### 2.3. Entrances

The main entrance to the Botanical Garden is located at Rua do Campo Alegre, 1191. Visitors are welcomed by a wide gate with the historic palace in the background, framed by bosquets that announce an historic garden. There are 4 more entrances to the Botanical Garden – one by car and three pedestrian entrances (one is dedicated to visitors of the e-learning café, another one links the garden with the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Porto, and the third one is currently closed to the public, at the intersection of Rua do Campo Alegre with Travessa de Entrecampos). The third pedestrian entrance is accessible to visitors on wheelchairs but is only opened upon request.

Through the main entrance, visitors can access the Hall of Biodiversity, where they can find flyers with information about the Botanical Garden/Hall of Biodiversity and other events taking place in the city.

The Garden is open to the public every day from 9 a.m. to 7.p.m, and entrance is free. The cactus and tropical greenhouses are closed to the public and can only be visited on guided tours or under the supervision of staff members. The orchid greenhouse, being a working place and housing plants that require special care, is not open for visits.

The Hall of Biodiversity is open from Tuesdays to Sundays, from 10 a.m. to 6.p.m., and tickets are available at reception or on-line at <a href="https://www.bol.pt">www.bol.pt</a>.

#### 2.3.1. Entrance panels

At the main entrance of the Botanical Garden, four information panels with the opening hours of the Botanical Garden/Hall of Biodiversity and information about ongoing events and activities invite visitors to discover the Garden.

#### 2.4. Pathways

The paths of the Botanical Garden have an extension of about 4,050 meters. Most pathways are wide, but the ones inside the formal gardens are narrower ("J's", Rose and Fish gardens). The Garden's paths are exclusively pedestrian and are only used by staff vehicles/machines when authorized for maintenance purposes.

More than 90% of the Garden's total area is accessible to all visitors. However, some existing slopes, staircases and irregular pavements make access to certain areas more difficult for those with reduced mobility. One of the paths of the

Cactus Garden has several stairs, but there is an alternative path. The central tier of the Garden is totally accessible, but the entrance to the formal gardens ("J's" Garden, Rose Garden, Fish Garden and Shale Garden), may be hampered by the existing thresholds (4 cm high).

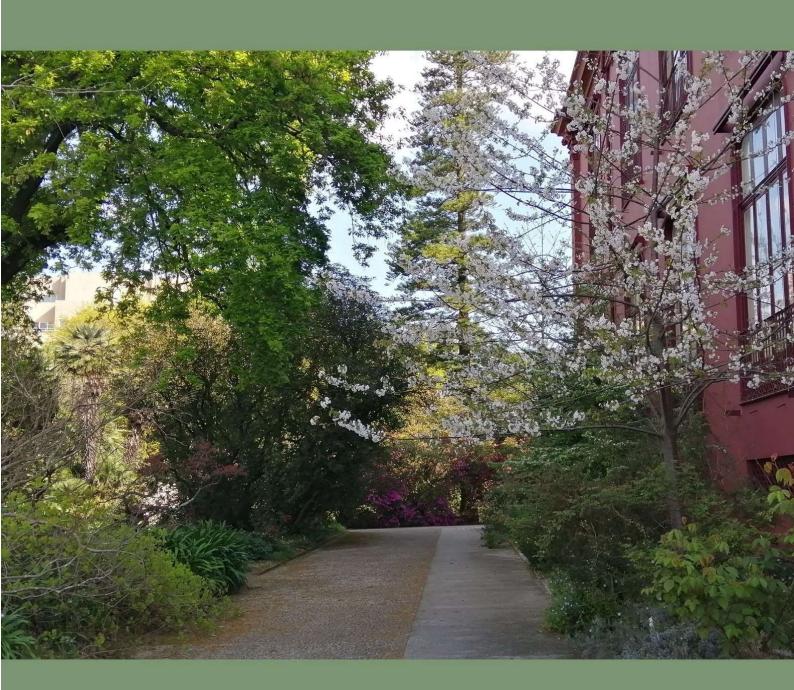
#### 2.4.1. Access by car

The Garden can be accessed by car through a dedicated entrance (in special and duly authorized cases, it can also be accessed through the gate of the e-learning café). Vehicles are restricted to the parking area, as driving inside the Garden is strictly forbidden. Circulation of the Garden's power tiller and the occasional loading and unloading of cargo in the Garden/Hall of Biodiversity are exceptions to this rule.



Acessibilities plan. Manuel Gentil, 2019

# HEALTH, SAFE AND SECURE



#### 3. Healthy, safe and secure

#### 3.1. Health and well being

The Botanical Garden serves as a place of leisure and entertainment for locals and students of the various campus faculties.

The connection between the Botanical Garden and the Hall of Biodiversity is fundamental to the operation of both units. The reception is located in the Hall of Biodiversity, where visitors can book guided tours and ask for information. Currently, there is a dual-sided flyer available with information about the Hall of Biodiversity and the Botanical Garden.



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Surrounding the Hall of Stockversity – CCV, and spreading across for hectories in which indigenous and exotic plants coexist, Parta's Batavic Gooden Stands as an electric, Uncultured and designed reference space, is considerable ecological and preshected interest.

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BEPORTO CIÊNCIA NIVA

Dual-sided flyer



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Dual-sided flyer

The e-learning café also adds value to the Garden as it attracts many students daily, turning it into a place of socialization, learning and inspiration. It is open every day from 10 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. and the security guard of the café provides support to the security guard of the Hall of Biodiversity and Botanical Garden.

#### 3.2. Garden design

The current design of the Botanical Garden is the result of several interventions throughout time, with the bosquets, the Bronze Boy Garden, the Rose Garden, the Fish Garden and the "J's" Garden dating back to the 19th century. The Shale, Cactus and Succulent Gardens and the Cactus Greenhouse were designed by landscape architect Karl Koepp when the property was adapted into the Botanical Garden. The Arboretum has been subject to changes since the establishment of the Botanical Garden. The area of the large lake was designed and built more recently (at the end of the 1960s). The mixed border around the Hall of Biodiversity was designed and implemented in 2010, and the Salabert's garden border was implemented in 2015, during the improvement works of the building.

Recently, the Garden has updated some plots to reorganize its collections. The collection of citrus fruit has been concentrated in the Fish Garden, the collection of roses in the Rose Garden has been expanded, dead boxwood in the formal gardens replaced, the Dwarves' Garden has been updated with more mild-climate plants and the Arboretum has been restructured.

Also of note is the installation of vineyard trellises in the Shale Garden, which was only possible with the collaboration of the Symington Family Estates winery. Besides providing labour, materials and plants from one of its properties in the Douro region, it also installed the vineyard trellis in the Botanical Garden using the same traditional techniques as those used in the vineyard.

The design of the first tier is structured by the camellia hedges, which divide the space into several gardens and make the Garden more coherent and welcoming.

#### 3.3. Equipment and facilities

#### 3.3.1. Toilets

The toilets are open during the opening hours of the Garden (9 a.m. to 7.p.m.) every day. To use the toilets, visitors must request the keys from a staff member. The toilets were rebuilt in 2018, in the warehouse building, but the entrance is independent.

#### 3.3.2. Cafeteria

The Hall of Biodiversity has a cafeteria area which is open since March 2020.

#### 3.3.3. Parking area

The parking area is reserved for staff members. However, there are two parking spaces reserved for visitors with reduced mobility and a bicycle park available to all visitors. The pathways to the Garden are accessible to visitors with reduced mobility, including wheelchair users. All other visitors can park in the surrounding areas, however, street parking is paid.

#### 3.3.4. Drinking fountains

The Botanical Garden has 2 drinking fountains, one at the Bronze Boy Garden, (currently out of service due to a missing mouthpiece); and another one in the parking area (Make: Laurus, Model: Urbus).

#### 3.3.5. Structures

There are 4 wooden pergolas in the Garden: one at the Shale Garden, one at the Rose Garden,

one near the highway, and another one above the bench of the "J's" Garden.

There are 3 garden benches in the Fish Garden fitted with wooden and iron supports for plants.

At the entrance of the Arboretum, there is a bench made of slatted wood on the small wall.

Beneath the pergola of the "J's" Garden, there is a bench made of cement and glazed tile.

#### 3.3.6. Water elements

The Garden has many water elements of different sizes. The largest ones, which can pose some risk as they are ground level, are in the large lake, the weir and the Shale Garden. The smaller tanks are located in the Bronze Boy Garden, the Rose Garden, the Greenhouses and the Arboretum.

#### 3.3.7. Busts

There used to be 4 busts in the Garden. The bust of Professor Américo Pires de Lima used to stand under the pergola of the Rose Garden, the bust of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen used to be in the "J's" Garden and the busts of Professor Gonçalo Sampaio and Rúben A. used to be in the Brazilian Pine Bosquet, right at the entrance of the Garden. In 2015, the busts of Professor Américo Pires de Lima and Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen were stolen and, as a preventive measure, the Botanical Garden removed the remaining busts and now conserves them inside the Hall of Biodiversity. The Garden is planning to create replicas to replace the missing busts.



Bust of Professor Américo Pires de Lima



Bust of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen



Busto f Professor Dr. Gonçalo Sampaio



Bust of Rúben A.

#### 3.4. Pathways

There are several types of pavements in the Botanical Garden. In the gardens of the first tier, the pavements are made of clay, irregular granite, regular granite slab, fine gravel and irregular shale slab. In the Cactus Garden and in the area of the large lake, the pavement is made of coarse gravel. Near the e-learning café, the pavements are made of gravel and granite cubes (11x11). In the Arboretum, the pavements are made of terraway and irregular granite slab. The pavement of the parking area is made of granite cubes (11x11).

In 2006, the pavements of the Arboretum were refurbished and the network of pathways was redesigned. In 2015, during the improvement works in Salabert House, the areas around the building were also paved.

The parking area was paved in 2018 and cobblestone and regular granite slab paving was installed around the Hall of Biodiversity.

In 2018, the pavements around the Hall of Biodiversity were improved due to the considerable wear and unevenness of the existing clay pavement. The clay was replaced with cobblestone and regular granite slab paving, which proved very comfortable for all visitors, including persons with reduced mobility.

#### 3.5. Security

The Hall of Biodiversity has security personnel 24 hours a day. The security guard is responsible for patrolling the Botanical Garden and alerting visitors to the closing hours and rules of operation. This permanent surveillance makes

visitors feel safer. The security services are provided by an external company.

#### 3.6. Rules

When entering through the main gate, visitors can see a general map of the Garden and the rules of operation. If any visitor engages in inappropriate behaviour, the security team will be called to give a warning to the visitor.

#### 3.7. Surrondings Environment

The location of the Botanical Garden opens it up to two major vulnerabilities. The first one is its proximity to the highway (A20), resulting in high ambient noise (nearly 400 m of the southern edge of the Garden is in contact with the highway). The heavy road traffic leaves a big visual and noise impact on the Garden, which is particularly disturbing in the area of the Arboretum. On certain days, the noise impacts the entire Garden, which compromises visitors' comfort and time spent in the Garden. There is, therefore, a need to implement solutions to minimize the negative impacts of the motorway.

A priority measure is the installation of a visual and noise barrier near the border of the Botanical Garden with the VCI (one of the areas most affected by noise and the sighting of intense traffic).

The other vulnerability is the proximity of the Garden to the social housing quarter Bairro do Aleixo, one of the main centres of drug use and trafficking. On occasion, drug addicts hang around or pass by the vicinity, or even through, the Garden.

# WELL MAINTAINED AND CLEAN



### 4. Well maintained and clean

### 4.1. Litter and waste management

The Botanical Garden has a waste deposit point near the e-learning café. The gardening team deposits larger volumes of waste in the refuse containers on Travessa de Entrecampos, near the gate that connects the Garden and the Faculty of Sciences.

#### 4.2. The Team

The staff of the Botanical Garden are members of the Museum of Science and Natural History of the University of Porto who work specifically in the Garden. The team is composed of 1 director of landscape architecture, 1 landscape architect, 1 biological engineer and 5 gardeners.

The maintenance of the Garden is secured by external companies, which are responsible for maintaining the Arboretum (2 hectares), trimming the camellia-hedges and the boxwoods, whitewashing the greenhouses, carrying out arboriculture works and servicing the structures.

Guided tours and activities are managed by a team of instructors, which are hired as needed for each activity.

#### 4.3. Gardening equipment

All available equipment belongs to the Botanical Garden and the gardeners are responsible for the maintenance of each machine/piece of equipment. All equipment is stored in the gardening warehouse and its inventory is regularly updated. In case of a breakdown, we request technical assistance from external companies. Some of the equipment was rather old, so in 2018 the chainsaw, the grinder, the

high-pressure washer, the welding machine and the compressor all needed to be replaced.

Existing legislation requires the use of Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) for gardening work, so our team of gardeners is equipped with steel-tipped boots with insoles, plastic goggles and plastic aprons, safety goggles, ear plugs and gloves.

#### 4.4. Infrastructure

Several members of the Garden team are responsible for reporting errors or problems with the management and maintenance of the space, and all identified needs are reported to the directors of the MHNC-UP, which evaluates the possibility of investing in repairs.

Smaller repairs, such as replacing irrigation fittings, maintaining the granite cube pavements, etc., are carried out by the gardeners of the Botanical Garden.

Heavier and more specialized works, such as whitewashing the greenhouses, repairing leaks in the irrigation system and rebuilding walls, are outsourced.

#### 4.4.1. <u>Pathways</u>

The conservation status of the pavements is checked on a regular basis and significant alterations are noted in a floor plan.

Keeping the pathways clean is the responsibility of the gardeners and the Arboretum is maintained by an external company. The pathways of the Garden are cleaned once a week with a blower.

Gardeners can perform small repairs in the pavements of clay and regular granite (cubes), however, repairs of gravel, terraway, paved and regular pavements require the intervention of an external, specialized company.

Gardeners have repaired some depressions in the terraway pavement with a *tout-venant* filling to reduce any risk to visitors.

#### 4.4.2. Irrigation system

The irrigation system is inspected each spring to prevent possible water outages due to the failure of any of the components during periods of increased use. Depending on the severity of the failure, it can be serviced by the gardeners of the Botanical Garden or by specialised external services.

#### 4.4.3. Toilets

The toilets are located in the technical area and managed by the Botanical Garden. They are accessible to all visitors, including visitors with reduced mobility and in wheelchairs. There are 3 types of cabins: male users, female users, and mixed gender users with reduced mobility, which also include a baby-changing station. Using the toilets is free of charge, however, to avoid acts of vandalism, they are permanently locked, and visitors must request the keys from the security guard or at reception (Hall of Biodiversity). The toilets are cleaned daily by an external company.

#### 4.4.4. Parking area

The parking area has 12 places allocated to MHNC-UP staff and two spaces for visitors with reduced mobility. Maintenance of the parking area is ensured by the Garden and carried out by the gardeners, who are responsible for caring for the paved floor and for the flowerbed with a multilayer border in that area.

#### 4.4.5. Structures

The structures of the Garden are regularly inspected by the staff. The cleaning and maintenance of the structures is carried out by the team of gardeners. However, for more specialized repairs, the Garden hires external services.

The pergola of the Rose Garden was damaged in 2013 due to bad weather conditions, but was immediately repaired.



Reconstruction of the pergola of the Rose Garden

In 2018, the fall of a branch from the Sweet Gum damaged the adjacent balustrade, which was also repaired by an external company.

#### 4.4.6. Signage

Although most plants are identified, they are lacking signs that allow visitors to access such information. Therefore, the Garden has produced PVC signs for the remarkable trees and plastic labels for other specimens. Despite their low durability, plastic labels have low production costs and are a practical solution until more PVC signs are produced.

#### 4.4.7. Water elements

If the water level in the tanks decreases or overflows, a more rigorous inspection is carried out to check for water leakages or clogging of the drainage channel. The last major intervention in the tanks was made in 2015, in

the Shale Garden, since the water level of the tanks was constantly dropping. The tanks were completely emptied, cleaned, and the cracks in the tank walls were repaired.

All water elements require cleaning at the water's surface to avoid the accumulation of residue on the bottom. In the shallower tanks, such as the one in the Bronze Boy Garden, it is sometimes necessary to clean the bottom due to the accumulation of sludge, which makes the water turbid.

In the case of the weir, water cleaning requires the removal of fallen branches from the surrounding vegetation and control of the common duckweed, which is present in large numbers and dominates the surface of the water.

#### 4.5. Buildings management

#### 4.5.1. Thecnical area

The technical area of the Botanical Garden comprises several facilities that provide support to the Garden. There is a building commonly referred to as the "house of the gardeners" that has a kitchen and bathrooms with showers for the exclusive use of the gardeners. The gardening warehouse, adjacent to the house of the gardeners, is where the gardeners' workbenches are located and all the gardening equipment and tools are stored. The cleaning of these buildings is the responsibility of the gardeners.

#### 4.5.2. <u>Toilets</u>

The public toilets have been rebuilt and are now located inside the warehouse, but with a separate entrance. The daily cleaning and restocking of consumables are secured by an

external company that also cleans the Hall of Biodiversity.

### 4.5.3. Water deposit and pumping system

One of the oldest buildings of the Garden, the winery, is located in the first tier of the Garden. It was named "the winery" due to its former purpose in the Quinta do Campo Alegre. Currently, the roof of the structure is a deposit for irrigation water. However, the leaks in this deposit are causing many humidity and infiltration problems in the winery. The preservation of this building requires emptying the deposit and repairing the leaks.

The central hub of the irrigation system is located at the south-west edge of the Garden, in a building that accommodates all pumping and irrigation equipment (pumps, filters, autoclaves, etc.).

#### 4.5.4. Greenhouses

The maintenance of the greenhouses, which is secured by the gardeners, requires cleaning, oiling the hardware, checking on the filling and draining systems of the tanks and unclogging boilers and rainwater downpipes.

All these buildings are regularly inspected by the Staff of the Garden. The Garden team performs small repairs while major interventions, such as replacing and whitewashing windows, are secured by external services.

#### 4.5.5. Hall of Biodiversity

The maintenance of the Hall of Biodiversity is the responsibility of the Hall of Biodiversity team. All maintenance works—cleaning and maintenance of the exhibition modules and of the entire infrastructure—are secured by external companies.

#### 4.5.6. Salabert house / E-learning café

The e-learning café is managed and maintained by the Social Services of the University of Porto.

### 4.6. Horticulture and arboriculture management

#### 4.6.1. Horticulture management

There is a need to reduce costs and efforts with maintenance works while keeping the aesthetic and historical integrity of the Garden. With this in mind, some spaces were evaluated to replace more intensive maintenance plants with lower maintenance vegetation, (for example, replacing the lavender flowerbeds in the Rose Garden with meadow).

The Garden staff is responsible for the daily maintenance of the gardens in the first tier, the Cactus and Succulent Garden, the greenhouses and the Salabert Garden. Due to a lack of human resources, an external company is hired to secure the maintenance of the Arboretum. Each space requires a different type of upkeep. The Arboretum requires more mechanical maintenance, with the use of a lawnmower to cut the meadows and a blower to clean the pathways. The gardens of the first tier, the Cactus and the Salabert gardens require, aside from the mechanical labour (meadow mowing and pathway blowing), other manual tasks such as weeding, pruning and replenishing mulch.

Specific tasks such as hedge pruning and arboriculture works are secured by external companies, since the Botanical Garden has

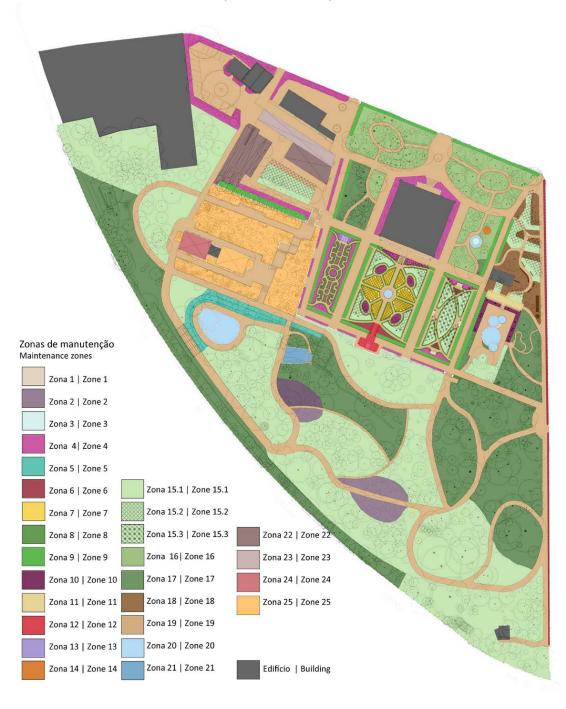
neither the necessary staff resources nor equipment for such tasks.

#### 4.6.2. Arboriculture management

An inspection is carried out annually to assess the state of conservation of the larger trees, check for existing damages and evaluate the need to reduce the load of the branches. After that, the Garden hires a company specialized in arboriculture to assess the needs and carry out cleaning works, with the assistance of a member of the Botanical Garden. The smaller trees and bushes are monitored daily by the staff, and any necessary intervention is carried out by the gardeners of the Botanical Garden. Every year, the team carries out a general assessment, flags priority interventions and records the work that is carried out.

### Jardim Botânico do Porto | Plano de Manutenção

Botanical Garden of Porto | Maintenance plan



Task	Frequency
Zone 1	
Herbs (Shale Garden)	
Herb pruning	Annually (Autumn)
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Zone 2	
Herbs: Bear's breeches	
Cutting of <i>Acanthus mollis</i> (Bear's breeches) leaves and flowers	Annually (after flowering)
Reorganizing and controlling blotches	Annually (after flowering)
Zone 3	
Herbs: ferns	
Cleaning to reduce the volume of <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (ferns)	Annually (Spring)
Weed control ( <i>Tradescantia</i> sp.)	Annually (Spring/Summer)
Zone 4	
Multilayer borders	
Maintenance pruning of subshrubs such as Lavandula angustifolia, Helychrisum italicum, etc	Annually (July)
Deadheading of <i>Rosa</i> sp. (Rose bushes) and <i>Hydrangea</i> sp.	Twice a week during the flowering stage
Bush pruning	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Herbal pruning	Annually (after flowering)
Control of blotches of <i>Vinca</i> sp.	Annually (Sep.)
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Pricking out of <i>Iris germanica</i>	Annually (Aug.)
Mulch replenishment	Annually (Spring)
Zone 5	
Bushes	
Bush pruning	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Weeding of flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Zone 6	
Bushes: Rose bushes and Hydrangeas	
Hydrangea sp. pruning (Hydrangeas)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)

Rosa sp. pruning (Rose bushes)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Rosa sp. deadheading	Once a week during the flowering stage
Weeding	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Mulch replenishment	Annually (Spring)
Zone 7	
Bushes: Rose bushes + curry plant	
Maintenance pruning of Lavandula angustifolia, Helychrisum italicum	Annually (after flowering – Jul.)
Rosa sp. pruning (Rose bushes)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Rosa sp. deadheading	Once a week during the flowering stage
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Mulch replenishment	Annually (Spring)
Zone 8	
Boxwood hedges	
Pruning of <i>Buxus</i> sp. hedges (Boxwood)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Drip irrigation	Second irrigation plan
Phytosanitary treatment	Twice a year (Spring and Summer
Zone 9	
Camellia-hedges	
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Pruning of Camellia japonica hedges. (Camellias)  Zone 10  Grapevine trellis + subshrubs + Herbs  Vitis sp. pruning (Grapevines)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)  Annually (July)
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Zone 11	
Climbing plants: Bougainvillea and grapevines	
Maintenance pruning of Bougainvillea	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Vitis sp. pruning (Grapevines)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Pruning of the climbing plants above the benches of the Fish Garden	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Zone 12	
Climbing plants: Rose Bushes	
Rosa sp. pruning (Rose bushes)	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Rosa sp. deadheading	Once a week during the flowering stage
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Zone 13	
Climbing plants: Wisteria	
Maintenance pruning of Wisteria sinensis (Wisteria)	Annually (Jan. and Aug.)
Zone 14	
Palm tree	
Phytosanitary treatment of the <i>Phoenix canariensis</i> (Canary Island date palm)	Monthly
Note: includes periodic inspections and pruning of the leaves affected by the disease	
Zone 15	
Meadows and Herbs	
Meadow mowing (15.1, 15.2, 15.3)	Quarterly (Spring/Summer)
	Twice a month (Autumn/Winter)
Spray irrigation (15.3) – Fish Garden	Second irrigation plan
Zone 16	
Lawn + bushes	
Meadow mowing	Once a month (Spring/Summer
	Three times per month (Autumn/Winter)
Bush pruning	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer) Twice a month (Autumn/Winter)

Zone 17	
Enrich the soil with organic matter	
Cleaning of weeds with weeding machine	Once a month (Spring/Summer Three times per month
Cleaning of the trees and bushes border nearby VCI	(Autumn/Winter) Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Zone 18	
Mulch	
Weeding of the flowerbeds	Once a week (Spring/Summer) Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Bush pruning	Annually (Jan./Feb.)
Mulch replenishment	Annually (Spring)
Zone 19	
Paths	
Manual (broom) or mechanical (blower) cleaning of organic and inorganic waste	Once a week
Manual or mechanical (weeding machine) cleaning of	Once a month (Spring/Summer
weeds	Three times per month (Autumn/Winter)
Zone 20	
Lakes and tanks	
Cleaning of the surface and the bottom	Once every two months
Introduction of aquatic species (tropical water lilies) in the Rose and Shale Gardens	Annually (Mar./Apr.)
Cleaning of <i>Cyperus papirus</i> (papyrus) in the lake of the Shale Garden	Annually (Mar./Apr.)
Zone 21	
Weir	
Cleaning of the surface and deposits of residues accumulated in the bottom of the weir	Once every two months
Cleaning of the shores	Monthly
Zone 22	
Shade house + nurseries	
Manual irrigation	Twice a week (Spring/Summer) Once a week (Autumn)
Cleaning of the tanks	Annually (Spring)
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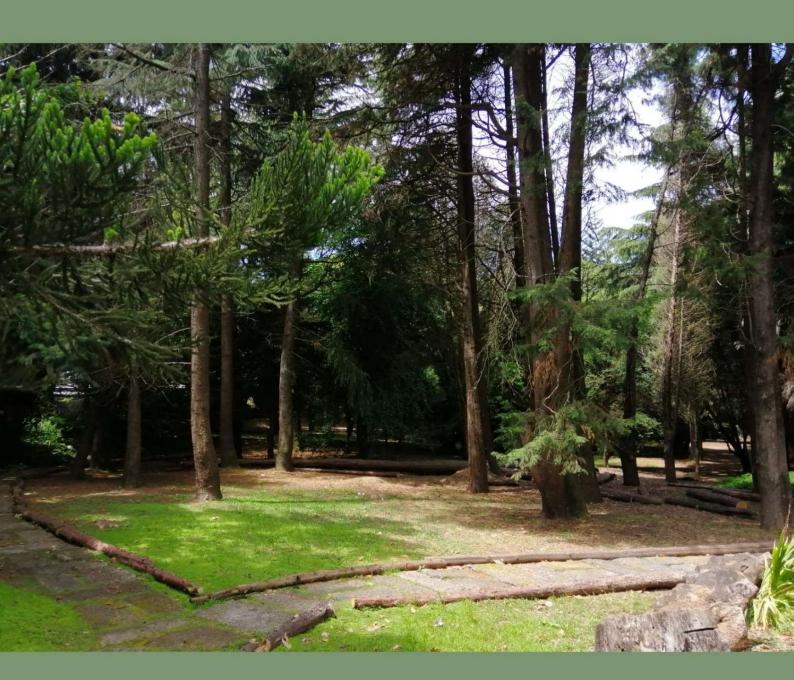
Weeding of vases	Once a week
Organization of the benches	Whenever necessary
Zone 23	
Orchid Greenhouse	
Manual irrigation	Twice a week (Spring/Summer)
Weeding of vases and flowerbeds	Twice a week
Fertilization of the orchids	Annually (Spring)
Whitewashing of the greenhouse windows	Annually (Spring)
Cleaning of the greenhouse windows	Annually (Spring)
Organization of the benches	Once a week
Cleaning of the tanks	Annually (Spring)
Transplant specimens into larger vases	Whenever necessary
Zone 24	
Tropical Greenhouse	
Manual irrigation	Twice a week
Cleaning of the greenhouse windows	Annually (Spring)
Organization of the plantations	Annually (Spring/Summer)
Cleaning of the lake	Once a week
Zone 25	
Desert greenhouse + Cactus and Succulent Garden	
Manual irrigation of the greenhouse	Twice a week
Cleaning of the greenhouse windows	Annually (Spring)
Unclogging boilers and downpipes	Annually (Spring)
Organization of the plantations	Annually (Spring/Summer)
Redesign of cactus and succulents' spots	Annually (Feb./Mar.)
Deadheading	Twice a week during the flowering stage
Weeding	Every day (Spring/Summer)
	Once a month (Autumn/Winter)
Throughout the entire Garden	
Trees	
Tree pruning	Sporadic, if there is a risk of falling branches, disease or structural damages

#### 4.7. Vandalism

The Botanical Garden is located in a densely populated area, and near the Bairro do Aleixo, a social housing quarter with drug trafficking problems.

The garden is also subject to acts of vandalism by some visitors. Among the identified damages, the most critical ones were broken windows on a greenhouse, the removal of botanical plants and deposits of waste on flowerbeds and on the floor.

# ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT



#### 5.1. Chemical usage

No chemical products are used in the control of pests, except for the fungicides used on the boxwood hedges. To protect the Canary Island Date Palm against *Cylindrocladium buxicola* we use a nematode-based product.

The use of fertilizers is also minimal. In 2016, we used organic fertilizers on the rose bushes, camellias, azaleas, rhododendrons and remarkable trees. Each year we apply organic liquid fertilizer to the orchids of the greenhouse.

Despite the threat that weeds pose to the Garden, we remove them manually, without resorting to herbicides.

#### 5.2. Water usage

The water used for irrigation comes from the artesian aguifer and, alternatively, from a well.

The gardens of the central tier have automatic drip and drop-by-drop irrigation systems. Efforts are being made to reduce the number of irrigated areas. In 2015, as a result of changing the plantations in the Rose Garden, the pipe for the drip system was reduced and limited to the boxwood hedges.

The most recent vegetation extensions, namely, the border near the Hall of Biodiversity, the garden of the e-learning café and the border of the parking area, are watered using a drop-by-drop system.

#### 5.3. Green waste and composting

The green waste produced at the Botanical Garden is used to create compost. There is an area in the Garden dedicated to the deposit of materials, which are divided into piles according

to their decomposition time. The resulting compost is then used in the Garden and Greenhouses.

Currently, the Garden is establishing a partnership with LIPOR, the Intermunicipal Waste Management Service of Greater Porto (Portugal). This entity is responsible for managing, recovering and treating the Urban Waste produced by the eight municipalities it serves: Espinho, Gondomar, Maia, Matosinhos, Porto, Póvoa de Varzim, Valongo and Vila do Conde. The partnership includes the installation of a composting area in the Botanical Garden, which will be used to deposit green waste produced by the Garden and as an educational component on guided tours and activities that promote waste recovery.



Location of the composting area.

The composting piles will be placed in the same area where the deposits of green waste are currently located.

The plant litter that results from the cleaning of the pavements is deposited in bare flowerbeds. This helps control weeds, provides organic matter for the soil and contributes to strengthen areas with a shortage of soil.

In 2019, a biotritator was purchased, and now the mulch produced is incorporated into the garden.

# BIODIVERSITY, LANDSCAPE AND HERITAGE



## 6. Biodiversity, Landscape and Heritage

#### 6.1. Historic features

The major promoter of the installation of the Botanical Garden at Quinta do Campo Alegre was Professor Américo Pires de Lima. A connoisseur of the space, its plants and its potential for improvement, he proposed the acquisition of the Quinta by the Polytechnic Academy. And thus, in 1951, the Botanical Garden was established in Quinta do Campo Alegre. Afterwards, Franz Koepp, a German landscape architect was hired to adapt the Quinta into the Botanical Garden.

The preservation of the historical places and gardens has always been a priority and, today, we can still find elements of the original Quinta and references to the work of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen.

We can see connections to the works of the writer throughout the entire Garden, through the vegetation, the structures and the settings that are clearly described in her works.

#### 6.2. Promotion of Biodiversity

One of the priorities of the Botanical Garden is to promote biodiversity. With that in mind, several measures are put into practice:

- The wood resulting from pruning works is deposited in strategic flowerbeds to create a habitat for microfauna and wildlife;
- The plant litter resulting from the cleaning of the pavements is placed in specific flowerbeds that promote its decomposition and the creation of

- organic matter, which is then incorporated in the soil;
- The promotion of animal life in the water elements, namely, amphibians (true frogs and newts);
- Some stones resulting from the dismantling of walls are kept as habitats for small reptiles;
- The creation of a collection of Oaks with different origins with the goal of creating a reference collection in the Garden, and drafting layouts to improve the green areas;
- The installation of borders predominantly composed of indigenous plants;
- The execution of several BioBlitzes, with the collaboration of the entire MHNC-UP team, to record all the species (flora and fauna) of the Garden;
- Keeping plants in a "free growth" regime;
- Participation in the "Future 100 000 trees project" to receive and plant indigenous species in the metropolitan area of Porto.
- The creation of flowerbeds of aromatic plants fines herbes;
- The expansion and upgrade of the aquatic plants collection;
- The development of plant breeding techniques (cutting, grafting, seeding) to expand and upgrade existing collections;
- Installation of birds nests.

# 6.3. Infrastructure and historic buildings

#### 6.3.1. Hall of Biodiversity

The building of the Hall of Biodiversity used to be the Andresen House.

The construction of the palace started around 1875. It was named Andresen House after the Andresen family.

In the 20<sup>th</sup> century, it became the headquarters of the Mocidade Portuguesa (Portuguese youth organization) and a university residence before becoming the office of the Botany department of the U.Porto Faculty of Sciences.

In 2009, FCUP's Botany department moved to a new office outside the Botanical Garden. In 2010, the Andresen House underwent improvements to host the "Evolution of Darwin" exhibition and the Museum of Natural History.

In 2015, the basement of the Andresen House was adapted to become the back-office of the Hall of Biodiversity.

#### 6.3.2. Salabert house / E-learning café

Both houses took the name of their former owners. The Salabert House was the first house of the Quinta, bought by João Salabert in 1802, with 12 hectares at the time. The Quinta became known as Quinta Grande do Salabert (Salabert's Big Quinta). After the construction of the palace in 1875, it is believed that the Salabert House became the house of the housekeeper, a farm building and place for cutting the animals.

The Salabert House, hosting a e-learning café, is a space of modernity and opportunity, dedicated to students as a result of a creative,

rigorous and cost-controlled architectural rehabilitation.

#### 6.3.3. Botanical Garden of Porto

The Botanical Garden has been subject to several improvements throughout the years. The most recent interventions took place in 2006, 2010, 2015 and 2018. In 2006, the Garden upgraded infrastructures such as the irrigation network, drainage network and pavements, built structures and installed the negatives for the electricity grid.

In 2010, in addition to the 1<sup>st</sup> phase of improvement works in the Andresen House, the cactus and succulent greenhouses were refurbished. Several works have been carried out, such as cleaning and painting the walls, replacing the windows of the roof, treating the interior woods and cleaning the pavements and the tank

In 2015, during the 2<sup>nd</sup> phase of improvement works of the Andresen House, the orchid greenhouses were also upgraded. The wooden structures were removed, the metal structures were treated, new windows were installed and the flowerbeds were replaced with meadow. The orchid greenhouse currently houses the collection of orchids and is also the nursery of other plants, namely, oaks, cactus, succulents, tropical plants and camellias.

The remaining greenhouses shelter a bonsai collection, aromatic plants, fines herbes and work as open vivariums.

In 2018, the technical area of the Botanical Garden was improved. The works included the improvement of the parking area, the demolition of the old toilets, the replacement of

the warehouse roof, the painting of the gardeners' house, the construction of new toilets inside the warehouse, the replacement of the pavements around the Hall of Biodiversity and the installation of a border of trees and bushes around the parking area.

#### 6.4. Vegetation

Currently, the Botanical Garden shelters around 1,138 species of vascular plants, including those cultivated in the greenhouses. Within its historical collections, the collections of camellias, rhododendrons, azaleas, orchids, cactus and succulents stand out. There has been an effort to upgrade the existing collections by identifying, charting and, on occasion, breeding specimens in the greenhouses.

Many of the remarkable trees are older than the Botanical Garden itself, dating back to the original Quinta do Campo Alegre. Among the remarkable trees, the Cork Oaks, Pine Trees, Sweet Gum, Camellias, Hornbeams, Brazilian Pines, Cedars, Sequoias and Magnolias stand out.

The camellia-hedges, delimiting each of the gardens of the first tier, are an important defining element of the Garden. The fact that they are evergreen plants secures the division of the gardens throughout the entire year and protects the gardens against strong winds coming from the sea. It is estimated that the plantation of camellias on the hedges began in 1897. They were very appreciated at the time, and a symbol of prosperity. They were densely planted by the richest families of Porto, and today, Porto is known as "The City of Camellias".

We are currently developing works in partnership with the Portuguese Association of Camellias to identify and chart all camellias of the Botanical Garden with the goal to apply for the "International Camellia Garden of Excellence" distinction. Other measures have been adopted in order to upgrade the collection of camellias, such as planting new specimens in the bosquets and Arboretum, breeding existing camellias and replacing dead specimens with new stems.

In April 2020, the Botanical Garden of Porto, was recognized as International Camellia Garden of Excllence by the "International Camellia Society".

The historic boxwood hedges comprise different species of Boxwood - *Buxus sempervirens* 'Suffruticosa' and *Buxus microphylla*, and are currently infected with *Cylindrocladium buxicola*. To improve the hedges, dead stems were replaced with boxwood cultivars less likely to be affected by the fungus - *Buxus sempervirens* 'Myrtifolia' and fungicide was applied to minimize the development of the fungus.

The Canary Island Date Palm is also a centenary specimen and, in 2015, it began showing symptoms of *Rinchoforus ferrugineus*. Since then, it has been subject to monthly treatments, which do not solve the problem but control the propagation of the insect and allow the tree to regenerate with new leaves.

In 2018, the iconic specimen of *Liquidambar* styraciflua, which gives its the name to the Sweet Gum Garden, was severely damaged and lost two major limbs. To avoid the premature felling of the tree, we opted to reduce the size

of the crown, along with the risk of further limb falling, to secure the safety of our staff and visitors.

We continue to monitor the phytosanitary state and growth of the tree in order to extend its life.

#### 6.5. Fauna and Flora

The Botanical Garden shelters several animals, namely, birds, amphibians, fish, insects and small mammals and reptiles.

We have identified the fauna species with 2 BioBlitzes carried out with the collaboration of all MHNC-UP researchers. We identified 6 species of birds, 5 mammals, 3 amphibians, 1 reptile, 24 invertebrates, 78 bryophytes and lichens and 3 fungi.

# COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT



# 7. Community Involvement

#### 7.1. Educational use

#### 7.1.1. Guided tours

The mission of the Botanical Garden is to promote sustainable practices and raise community awareness of the importance of biodiversity conservation. The Garden welcomes groups on guided tours or self-guided visits throughout the year. The Garden is mostly sought by school groups and groups of elderly people. Guided tours require prior booking by filling out the form available on the Botanical Garden Website

#### (https://inscricoes.jardimbotanico.up.pt/).

Given its distinct elements, the Botanical Garden offers 3 types of guided tours: the general tour, the botanic tour and the literary tour.

The General Tour focuses on the history of Quinta do Campo Alegre up until the establishment of the Botanical Garden of Porto, as well as on general aspects of the plants. The Botanic Tour focuses on the evolution of the plants. The Literary Tour establishes a connection between the works of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen and the estate.



Route of the Literary Tour.

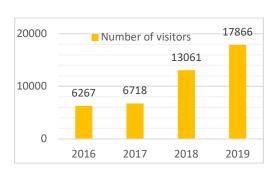


#### Route of the General Tour.



#### Route of the Botanic Tour.





The number of visitors and guided tours has been increasing since 2016, and last year the number of participants on guided tours doubled. This is largely due to the opening of the Hall of Biodiversity to the public, in June 2017, which attracted more visitors to the Botanical Garden.

The booking of guided tours is made online, by filling out a form, and if the group wishes to visit the Hall of Biodiversity, both visits are linked. There is also the possibility of engaging in a practical activity as a complement to the tour.

#### 7.1.2. Children workshops

During school holidays, we promote workshops for children aged 6 to 12, covering topics such as biodiversity conservation, botany, zoology and arts. The activities are coordinated by the educational services of the Hall of Biodiversity and instructors from the Junior University (a Summer Course programme of the University of Porto for young people).

During Summer, the Botanical Garden and the Hall of Biodiversity also host activities of the Junior University developed by other organic units of the University of Porto, such as FCUP or CIIMAR.

#### 7.1.3. Academic classes

The Botanical Garden is also sought after by academics as a learning space. Some of the guided tours are conducted for classes within courses of Architecture, Biology, Landscape Architecture and Heritage Management, among others.

In recent years, the Parks and Gardens Management class of FCUP's Landscape Architecture course has been developing gardening activities in different areas of the Botanical Garden, as a practical complement to theoretical classes.

#### 7.2. Volunteering

Over the past years, the Botanical Garden has enjoyed help from volunteers in several maintenance and gardening activities. Some volunteers are responsible for the curation of botanic collections, e.g., orchids, cactus and aquatic. Besides tending to the plants, volunteer activities also include the identification and organization of specimens.

#### 7.3. Curatorship

Since 2018, the Botanical Garden of Porto houses the private bonsai collection of Professor José Teixeira Gomes, who wishes to offer it to the Garden. The professor maintains the Bonsai himself, and the collection can be seen by any visitor, as it is housed in one of the open greenhouses.

The Botanical Garden also shelters plants from visitors who wish to donate them. The visitor contacts the Garden and, should it be in the interests of the Garden, the plant is received and sheltered free of charge.

#### 7.4. Traineeships

The Botanical Garden of Porto accepts several Higher Education traineeships. Students of the Master's in Landscape Architecture of the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Porto are those who most frequently seek out the Garden to pursue their training. However, we have also welcomed students from the Bachelor in Heritage Management of the Graduate School

of Education and foreign students from the Erasmus+ programme.

#### 7.5. Cultural events

The Hall of Biodiversity and the Botanical Garden organize several cultural events, such as seminars and exhibitions on biodiversity, plants, literature and natural history.

The Botanical Garden also participates in community engagement activities organized by other institutions. Examples include the Camellias Exhibition of Porto, Lousada and Vila do Conde and the Orchid Exhibition.

# MARKETING AND COMMUNICATION



# 8. Marketing and Communication

#### 8.1. Information boards

The external information boards at the Garden's entrance allow visitors to check the opening and closing hours of the Botanical Garden and Hall of Biodiversity. Inside the Garden, near the main entrance, there is a board with a general map of the Garden and rules of use. Despite being a temporary solution, these information broads are very useful for visitors.

At the entrance of the individual gardens, there are information signs with a short description of each and the plants they contain. Since some of the signs are damaged, all texts have been revised and the signs will soon be replaced.

Along the pathways of the Botanical Garden, the identification plates for existing flora were created on different occasions, and many of the plants aren't even identified. The Garden has recently produced content for 150 new plates to identify the more emblematic species.

Plates with information on the biodiversity of each area have also been planned with the support of researchers from MHNC-UP.

#### 8.2. Events

The Botanical Garden is a popular venue for events such as photo sessions for clothing and footwear brands, book launches, dinners, and cocktails.

#### 8.3. Website

The website <a href="http://mhnc.up.pt/">http://mhnc.up.pt/</a> provides general information on all units of the Museum of Science and Natural History of the University

of Porto, including the Botanical Garden of Porto.

The website <a href="https://jardimbotanico.up.pt/">https://jardimbotanico.up.pt/</a> provides more detailed information on the Botanical Garden, including its history, flora directories, habitats of the gardens, a form for booking guided tours, contact information and opening hours.

#### 8.4. Leaflets

At the reception of the Hall of Biodiversity, there is a dual-sided flyer with information about the Hall of Biodiversity and the Botanical Garden produced by the MHNC-UP.

Specific flyers are created for specific events or activities, as required.



Workshops Flyer.

#### 8.5. Television

Some TV programs were recorded in the Botanical Garden, such as:

 "Paraíso" of RTP1 (Portuguese television channel), whose focus was rhe Botanical Garden and its Camellias, August 2017 (available at https://www.rtp.pt/programa/tv/p 34106/e17)

 "Visita guiada" of RTP1, whose focus was the Botanical Garden and its Camellias, April 2019 (available at <a href="https://www.rtp.pt/play/p5656/e3">https://www.rtp.pt/play/p5656/e3</a>
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# R&D RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

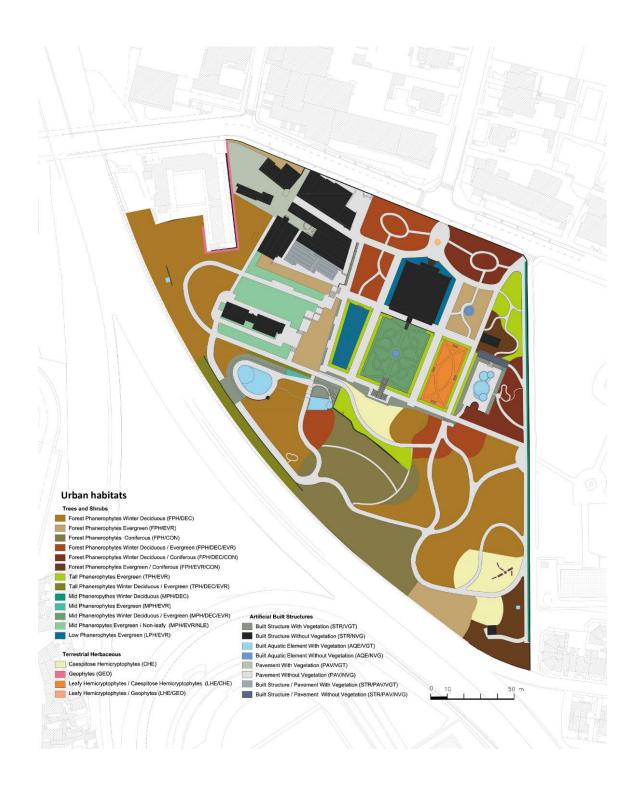


# 9. R&D – Research and Development

A research project entitled "Green Urban Structure: Study of the relation between public space morphology and flora and fauna diversity in the city of Porto" and funded by the Foundation for Science and Technology was initiated in 2009. The multidisciplinary team of researchers and consultants led by Paulo Farinha Marques studied several habitats in parks and gardens in the city of Porto, including the Botanical Garden. This project resulted in the publication of two e-books: "Morphology & Biodiversity in the Urban Green Spaces of the City of Porto - Book I - Selection of the Areas of Study" and "Morphology and Biodiversity in the Urban Green Spaces of the City of Porto. Book II - Habitat Mapping and Characterization".

#### 9.1. Books

The book "Jardim Botânico do Porto – 150 anos de culto pelas plantas" (Botanical Garden of Porto – 150 years dedicated to plants), by Teresa Andresen and Ana Catarina Antunes, published in 2018, describes several aspects of the Botanical Garden, from its origins to the present day. The book can be purchased in various bookstores and at the reception of the Hall of Biodiversity.



Map of Habitats of Botanical Garden of Porto. "Morphology and Biodiversity in the Urban Green Spaces of the city of Porto — Book II - Habitat Mapping and Characterization". Paulo Farinha Marques, Cláudia Fernandes, Filipa Guilherme, José Miguel Lameiras, Paulo Alves, Robert Bunce. 2015.

# MANAGEMENT AND ACTION PLAN



# Management and action plan

#### **10.1.** Goals

The management plan and corresponding action plan proposed here aim to reach several goals, namely: raising the maintenance and conservation standards of the Garden, harnessing resources by reducing maintenance efforts and costs, promoting community engagement, systematizing daily management and maintenance tasks, increasing the information available to visitors and responding to current needs and demands while, at the same time, preserving the historical, botanical and literary characteristics of the Garden.

#### 10.2. Finances

The annual budget of the Botanical Garden depends on the budget allocated to the MHNC-UP, which distributes it throughout its several units. The average annual budget of the Botanical Garden is about € 160,000. This budget covers maintenance costs, human resources and outsourced maintenance services. If there is a need for improvement or repair works, a budget increase is requested from the MHNC-UP.

#### 10.3. Partnership

The Garden intends to keep its partnerships with organizations such as the Portuguese Association of Camellias, the Portuguese Association of Orchidophilia and LIPOR.

There is a partnership protocol with the Portuguese Association of Camellias which authorizes the Association to be headquartered in the Botanical Garden. With this partnership, the Botanical Garden also intends to apply for

the distinction of "Camellia Garden of Excellence" and, to that end, we are carrying out a joint work of identifying and upgrading the collection of camellias. The Garden also intends to promote activities and workshops to disseminate this plant genus.

In its partnership with the Portuguese Association of Orchids, the Garden intends to promote and disseminate knowledge about orchids, while also upgrading the collection of the Botanical Garden.

LIPOR is studying the best method to install a compost area in the Botanical Garden. The proposal has already been submitted to LIPOR's experts, who welcomed it with great interest. This partnership will provide the Botanical Garden with technical advice and assistance in this field, while LIPOR will have a new space to promote its environmental education and public awareness activities. The Garden is interested in establishing more partnerships with associations or groups of people with an interest in gardens, plants and horticulture.

# 10.4. Action plan (2019-2024)

Besides the maintenance activities mentioned in point 4.6 "Horticulture and arboriculture management", the action plan also includes occasional works that will help the Garden achieve the goals set for the 2019 - 2024 period. The table below summarizes the tasks that are not part of the daily maintenance of the Garden.

Action	Estimated cost	Date	Responsability
Welcome place			
Replace the board with the general map and rules of the Garden (to include the parking area and the two reserved slots, the bicycle park and the refuse bins)	€ 200	2021 – on going (it will be done until the summer)	BGP
Clean and repair the side external wall	€400	2019 – Done	BGP
Clean the external wall railing	-	2020 – Done	BGP
Place an information board at the entrance of the Garden with information on BGP and HB	€ 1500	2021 – on going (it will be done until the summer)	MHNC-UP/BGP
Include a telephone number or a video intercom system on the main gate for support requests (important for visitors with reduced mobility)	€ 750	2022	HB/BGP
Install botanical and informational signs throughout the Garden	€ 5000	2020 – on going new plant label and gardens boards	MHNC-UP/BGP
Install a panel with a map and information on the side Gate	€ 200	2022	BGP
Replace the side entrance gate with one with security bars	€ 2000	2020 – Done	BGP
Install a panel on the corner entrance gate with a welcome message and directions to the main entrance	€ 200	2022	BGP
Paint of the side entrance gate	€ 100	2020 – Done	BGP
Repair the side entrance gate hinges and locks	€ 250	2020 – Done	BGP
Healthy, safe and secure	l		
Identify the concessionaire of the cafeteria	On going	2020 – Done	MHNC-UP/HB
Install a mouthpiece in the drinking fountain of the Bronze Boy Garden	€ 200	2021	BGP
Acquire equipment to handle the chainsaw.	€ 250	2021 – Done	BGP
Articulate with FCUP to determine the placement of the refuse bins near the Botanical Garden	-	2021	BGP/FCUP

Install refuse bins		2021 - on going The	BGP
install refuse bins	-	2021 – on going. The staff of the botanical garden will build dustbins with bamboo.	ВСР
Install composter for organic waste produced in the cafeteria	€ 30	2020 – Done	BGP
Place signs with information about the depth of the tanks	€ 150	2021	BGP
Place a barrier fence around the lakes	€ 2,800	2021	MHNC-UP/BGP
Install more benches	-	2021 – on going (using woods of the Botanical Garden)	BGP
Repair the terraway pavements	€ 20,000	Subject to the availability of funds	MHNC-UP/BGP
Replenish the pavements of fine and coarse gravel	€ 30,000	Subject to the availability of funds	MHNC-UP/BGP
Install acoustic and visual barriers near the highway (along 40 metres in an initial phase)	1ª phase – € 20,000  2ª phase – Subject to the availability of funds	1ª phase (40 m) – 2022 2ª phase (360m) - Subject to the availability of funds	MHNC-UP/BGP
Installation of acoustic barriers	-	-	IP, SA*, has already started to elaborate the action plan
Well maintained and clear			
Redesign cactus and succulent placement in the Cactus Garden	-	2021 – On going	BGP
Replace the stolen busts	€ 2,500	2020 – Done (the busts are stored inside the main building)	BGP
Keep the Garden railing free from lichens and mosses	-	2019-2024	BGP
Replace broken windows on the orchid greenhouse	€ 1,800	2020 – Done	BGP
Reorganize the area adjacent to the parking area, which currently works as a deposit of wood and stones.	€ 1,600	2021 – Done	BGP

Improve the Dwarves' Garden, near the winery	€ 300	2019 - done	BGP
Keep the flowerbeds free from weeds	-	2019-2024 – on going	BGP
Keep the Cactus Garden free from weeds	-	2019-2014 – on going	BGP
Transplant Dahlias from the Rose Garden and the "J's" Garden into a flowerbed and combine them with other species ( <i>Iris</i> sp.)	-	2020 – Done	BGP
Identify and transplant bulbous plants ( <i>Narcissus</i> sp.) from the Shale into the greenhouse	-	2019 – Done	BGP
Inspect the state of preservation of structures, vegetation, water elements, pavements, buildings and urban furniture and record the interventions carried out.	-	2019-2024 – on going	BGP
Repair the wall and railing near the gate at the intersection of Rua do Campo Alegre with Travessa de Entrecampos	€ 2,200	2020 – Done	BGP
Repair the wall and collapsed water mine	€ 4000	2021 — on going (started may 2021)	BGP
Repair the pavement of shale - place soil between the slabs and fix the loose slabs	-	2022	BGP
Repair the roof and leaks in the water deposit	€ 500	2020 – Done (leaks) 2022 (Roof)	BGP
Repair leaks in the tanks of the schist garden	€ 100	2021 – Done	BGP
Transplant <i>Cycas</i> sp. From the Arboretum	€ 500	2022	BGP
Replace the substrate of the orchids' vases	€ 400	2021 – on going	BGP
Improve the large lake area by introducing tropical species.	€ 800	2021 – on going	BGP
Repair the drainage system of the Shale Garden's tanks	€ 1,500	2023	BGP
Prune of Camellia hedges	2200€	2020 – Done	BGP
Renew the vegetation cover of the entrance bosquets	-	2021 – on going	BGP

Renew the vegetation cover of the bosquet of Liquidambar	-	2021 – on going	BGP
Incorporate mulch produced in the garden at the flowerbeds	-	2019 – 2024 – on going	BGP
Repair leaks under the pavement (next to hall of Biodiversity)	€ 2600	2020 – Done	PEMI
Repair leaks under the pavement (next to the cactus greenhouse)	€ 50	2021	BGP
Water pump replacement	€ 805	2020 – Done	BGP
Repair of the pergola near the highway	€ 500	2020 – Done	BGP
Environmental management		1	
Install recycling bins in key points	€ 300	2021	BGP
Reduce the crown of the Camellia- hedges in the bosquets	€ 500	2020 – Done	BGP
Prune the camellia hedges of the Bronze Boy Bsoquet and Dwarves' Gardens	€ 250	2022	BGP
Install a more organized and functional composting area	€ 250	2021 – On going	BGP in partnership with LIPOR*
Acquire biotritator for management of organic waste	€ 1600	2019 – done	BGP
Biodiversity, landscape and heritage			
Catalogue the species of the Botanical Garden, with a special focus on camellias, cactus, succulents, orchids, conifers and bulbous plants.	-	2019-2024 – on going	BGP
Install a camellia-hedge near the University Halls of Residence and parking area	Previously purchased plants	2021 – on going (parking area)	BGP
Create flowerbeds of fines herbes	€ 400	2021 – on going	BGP
Create flowerbeds for polinators	€ 20	2020 – Done	BGP
Create shelter and feeding troughs for birds.	-	2019-2020 – Done	BGP in partnership with FCUP
Plant more camellias and boxwoods	€ 3,500	2019 – 2024 – on going	BGP

Plant a border of oak trees in the	Plantas produzidas	2020 – Done	BGP
arboretum	no Jardim Botânico		
Plant new camellias in the hedges	€ 2000	2020 – Done	BGP
Install a hive in the arboretum	-	Portuguese legislation does not allow o have a hive in this place.	BGP in partnership with Associação dos "Apicultores do Norte de Portugal"*
Introduction of new aquatic plants in the ponds (rose garden and schist garden)	-	2020 – 2021 – Done	BGP
Creation of new flower bed with Camellia sinensis	€ 120	2020 - Done	BGP
Palm tree ( <i>Phoenix canariensis</i> ) felling	€ 2200	2020 – Done	Outsourcing
Redesign of the rose garden beds and planting of new roses	-	2021 – Done	BGP
Marketing and communication			
Development of new flyers	-	2021 – on going	MHNC-UP/BGP
Add contents to the website of the BGP, accessibility maps, points with refuse bins and information about bicycle parking and parking spaces reserved for visitors with reduced mobility.	-	2019/2020 – on going	BGP
Install new botanical signs	€ 1,000	2020 – on going	MHNC-UP/BGP

MHNC-UP – Natural History and Science Museum of the University of Porto

BGP – Botanical Garden of Porto

HB – Hall of Biodiversity

FCUP – Faculty of Sciences of University of Porto

- \* IP, SA (Infraestruturas de Portugal) Public road and rail infraestructure management company
- \* LIPOR The entity responsible for the management, recovery and treatment of urban waste
- \* "Associação dos Apicultores do Norte de Portugal" Association of Northern Portugal beekeepers

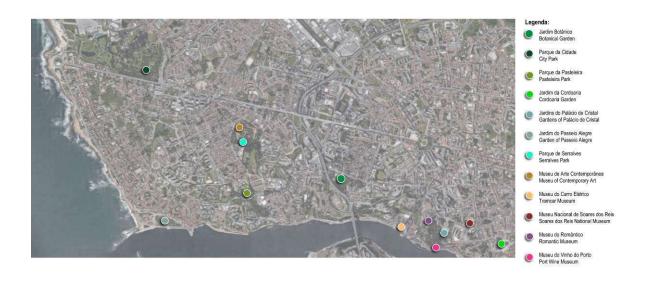
# **APPENDICES**

# **Map of University of Porto Campus**

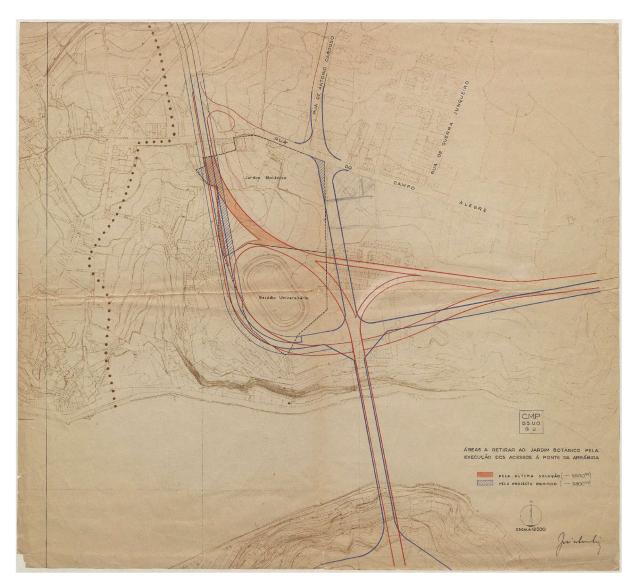
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## Map of surrounding area.

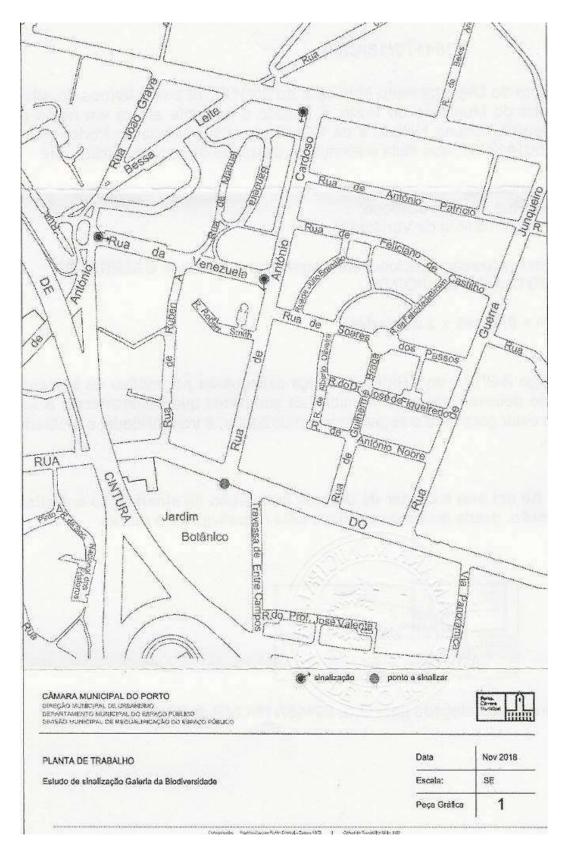


# Design of accesses of Arrábida Bridge



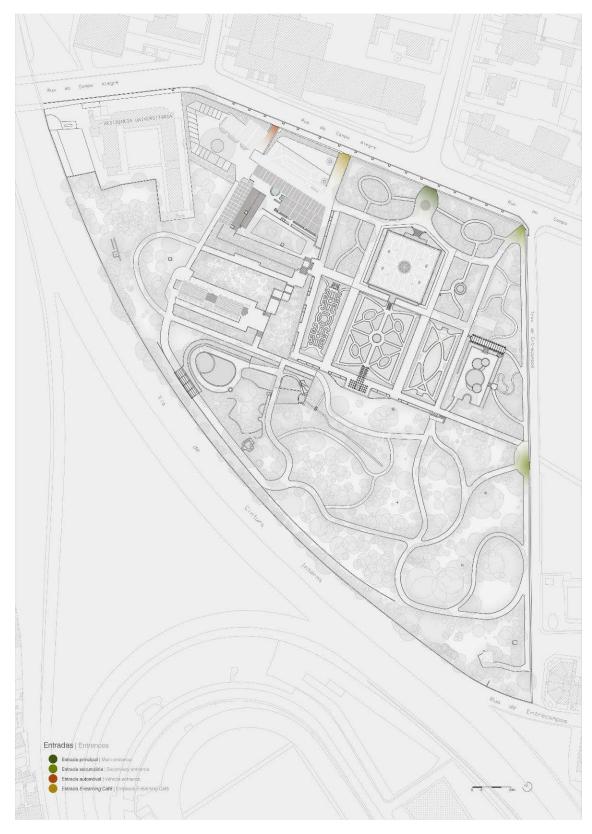
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Location of signboards publicizing



Location of signbards publicizing the Hall of Biodiversity-CCV/Botanical Garden of Porto. Câmara Municipal do Porto, 2019

#### **Entrances of Botanical Garden of Porto**



Manuel Gentil, 2019

## **Gardening equipment**

Equipament	Brand and model
Blower	Stihl BR420
Brush cutter	Kubota D430
Mower	John Deere R43s WBM e John Deere JX90CB WBM
Chainsaw	Stihl MS 180
Grinding machine	Bosch GWS 7-115 Professional
Pressure Washer	Makita HW102
Air compressor	Hyundai 2HP HYAC50-2
Soldering machine	Great Tool Fury 1600
Biotritator	1300
Chainsaw (2 un.)	Sport Garden SG EB 800
Atomizer knapsack (2 un.)	Rocha 3WF 18-9

#### **Record of arboriculture works**

Date	Species	Intervention
2017	Liquidambar styraciflua	Aeration pruning of the inside part of the crown, reduction of branches with excessive loads and removal of dead or damaged branches
2017	Eugenia smithii	Removal of dead or damaged branches
2017	Fraxinus angustifolia	Reduction of the crown and removal of dead or damaged branches
2017	Tilia tomentosa	Removal of branches with excessive loads, aeration pruning of the crown and installation of strops to secure both co-dominances.
2017	4 Cedros libani	Felling. The specimens were dead and at risk of falling.
2017	2 Cedrus libani	Removal of dead or damaged branches
2017	Quercus rubra	Felling
2018	Zelkova carpinifolia	Removal of dead branches/branches in the process of breakage.
2018	Eucalyptus botryoides	Reduction of the branches facing the highway and Travessa de Entre Campos by about 40% and removal of dead branches
2019	Liquidambar styraciflua	Reduction of the crown to alleviate the load, following the damages caused by the falling of 2 limbs in December 2018

## Record of interventions/repairs/maintenance

Intervention/repairs/maintenance	Date	Responsible team

	Servicing of the blower	January 2015	Rectromaia
	Replacement of the lawnmower blade	January 2015	Rectromaia
Equipment	Replacement of the autoclaves	August 2015	Hidroval
	Theft of the busts of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen and Professor Américo Pires de Lima	October 2015	
Pavements	Servicing of a leak in the irrigation system in the terraway pavement near the cactus greenhouses	August 2015	Hidroval
Irrigation system	Servicing of a leak in the irrigation system on the clay pavement near the "J's" Garden	October 2015	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Maintenance of the Arboretum	March to December 2015	Floricultura Sta. Filomena
	Pruning and felling of the tree and bush border near highway	March 2015	Floricultura Sta. Filomena
	Donation of 20 orchid specimens	March 2015	Associação Portuguesa de Orquidofilia
	Planting of Lavandula angustifolia "Munsteadwood", Rose bushes and Tulip and Daffodil bulbs in the top flowerbeds of the Rose Garden	March 2015	Botanical Garden of Porto
Vegetation	Beginning of the improvement of the orchid greenhouse (identification, organization and upgrade of the collection)	March 2015	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Planting 24 specimens of "Michelangelo" Rose and 12 specimens of climbing Rose bushes in the pergola of the Rose Garden	April 2015	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Installing a meadow in the Rose Garden	April 2015	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Camellia-hedge pruning	May 2015	A Magnólia
	Supply of 46 specimens of camellia cultivars	December 2015	Camelias Park Flavius
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	Intervention/repairs/maintenance	Date	Responsible team
Irrigation system	Replace the digital electric box of the irrigation system	February 2016	Irrinova

	Servicing of a leakage in the irrigation pipe on the pavement near the greenhouse meadow	March 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
Equipment	Fuel supply for gardening machines	September to December 2016	Transportes Faria
	Installation of a new metal fence on the border with the highway	July 2016	Construções Alto do Padrão
Structures	Relocation of the base of the bust of Sophia de Mello Breyner Andresen into the southern flowerbed of the "J's" Garden and removal of the remaining bases	November 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Maintenance of the Arboretum	January to December 2016	Floricultura Sta. Filomena
	Improvement of vegetation in the Rose Garden (planting of begonias, dahlias, violas, Madonna lilies, yellow bidens, chrysanths, marigold, petunias, cypresses and lavender)	January to April 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Felling and removal of <i>Cupressus lusitanica</i> damaged in December 2015 in the area of the construction site	March 2016	Flor do Penedo
	Planting 46 camellias, extending from the bosquets up to the Arboretum.	March 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
Vegetation	Planting of trees (citrus fruit and cypresses) in the Fish Garden	April to May 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Creation of fines herbes flowerbeds in the open greenhouse	April 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Reception of 20 trees (6 species)	April 2016	Futuro: Projeto de 100 000 árvores
	Installation of a "green bench" in an external bench of the shade house to simulate extensive green roofing	June 2016	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Cleaning and whitewashing of the windows of the orchid greenhouse	July 2016	Floricultura Sta. Filomena

	Intervention/repairs/maintenance	Date	Responsible team
Irrigation system	Servicing of the water pipe that supplies the e-learning café and the gardeners' facilities	May 2017	ЕОРР

	Acquisition of programming devices for the automatic irrigation system	July 2017	Irrinova
Equipment	Fuel supply for gardening machines	September to December 2017	Transportes Faria
	Repair the balustrade between the central tier and the Arboretum	January 2017	Empripar – Obras públicas e privadas, S.A.
Structures	A car accident with a heavy commercial vehicle has damaged the railing and wall of the Botanical Garden near Travessa de Entrecampos (it was not possible to identify the vehicle nor the driver)	January 2017	
	The Cactus and Tropical Greenhouses were vandalized and several door and roof windows were broken (replaced in 2018)	July 2017	
	Removal of a fallen limb from a eucalyptus of the Arboretum near the wall of Travessa de Entrecampos	July 2017	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Maintenance of the Arboretum	January to december 2017	Pétalas Gloriosas
	Arboriculture	January to december 2017	Fundação de Serralves
	Improvement of the Dwarves' Garden (vegetation)	January to August 2017	Horto Flor do Penedo Botanical Garden of Porto
	Improvement of the Boxwood hedges in the formal gardens	January to March 2017	Botanical Garden of Porto
Vegetation	Acquisition of 500 specimens of Boxwood	January 2017	Horto Flor do Penedo
	Maintenance of the Cactus Garden	March to December 2017	Horto Flor do Penedo
	Reception of Ilex aquifolium, two Betula pubescens, two Cupressus sempervirens and seeds of Borago Officinalis, Hypericum perforatum and Papaver officinalis	March 2017	Futuro: Projeto de 100 000 árvores
	Supply of 160 Azaleas and 60 Rhododendrons	May 2017	Alfredo Moreira da Silva & Filhos, Lda
	Planting of 2 specimens of <i>Punica granatum</i> in the Fish Garden	May 2017	Horto Flor do Penedo

Camellia-hedge pruning	July 2017	Horto Flor do Penedo
Cleaning and whitewashing of the windows of the orchid greenhouse	July 2017	Pétalas Gloriosas
Introduction of new aquatic species: Vitoria cruziana and Euryale ferox in the Tropical Greenhouse	July 2017	Botanical Garden of Porto
Reception of the Bonsai collection	October 2017	Dr. José Teixeira
Reception of different Oak acorns and respective germination in the greenhouse	November 2017	Carlos Vila-Viçosa (CIBIO – Research Centre in Biodiversity and Genetic)

	Intervention/repairs/maintenance	Date	Responsible team
Irrigation system	Servicing of a leakage in the pipe that supplies the drinking fountain of the Bronze Boy Garden	January 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Servicing of the water pipe that supplies the e-learning café and the gardeners' facilities	March 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Fuel supply for gardening machines	September to December 2018	Transportes Faria
Equipment	Acquisition of chainsaw	September 2018	Torre Março
	Acquisition of a welding machine, grinder, high-pressure washer and compressor	November 2018	Ferexcel
	Cleaning and whitewashing of the Orchid Greenhouse	June 2018	Palpitalecrim
Structures	Replacement of broken windows in the doors and roof of the Cactus Greenhouse (2018)	September 2018	Vidraria Fonseca
	Improvement of the of technical area of the Garden, construction of toilets, improvement of the of pavements around the Hall of Biodiversity	May to October 2018	РЕМІ
	Maintenance of the Arboretum	January to December 2018	Palpitalecrim
Vegetation	Reception of different species of Oaks and respective germination in the greenhouse	January to December 2018	Carlos Vila-Viçosa (CIBIO – Research Centre in Biodiversity and Genetic) e Jardim Botânico

Planting of camellias in the Arboretum	January 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Improvement of the Dwarves' Garden	January, April and October 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Supply of 10 Magnolias to expand the collection	March 2018	Horto Flor do Penedo
Supply of 4 Palm trees to expand the collection	March 2018	Viveiros Juca
Supply of 1200 Boxwoods to improve the hedges	May 2018	Horto Flor do Penedo
Installation of vineyard trellis in the Shale Garden	March 2018	Symington S.A. e Jardim Botânico
Reception of indigenous trees within the scope of the "Future – 100,000 trees" project	March to April 2018	Futuro: Projeto de 100 000 árvores
Planting works in the bosquets (Rhododendron sp., Magnolia spp., Bergenia cordifolia)	March to April 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Supply of 100 camellias to expand the collection	May 2018	Camellias Park Flavius
Improvement of the Shale's hedges	September 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Supply of several indigenous plants	October 2018	Sigmetum
Planting of boxwood on the hedges of the formal gardens	November 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Pruning of the camellia hedges	November de 2018	Horto Flor do Penedo
Lopping the Boxwood hedges	November de 2018	Horto Flor do Penedo
Cleaning of fallen limbs of the <i>Liquidambar</i> styraciflua in the Sweet Gum Garden	November and December 2018	Horto Flor do Penedo e Fundação de Serralves
Improvement of the mixed border beds around the Hall of Biodiversity	December 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
Increase the beds bordering the parking area	December 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
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Supply of several exotic plants to expand the collection	December 2018	Palpitalecrim

	Intervention/repairs/maintenance	Date	Responsible team
	Servicing of the water pipe that supplies the gardeners' facilities	May 2019 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Fuel supply for gardening machines	January to December 2019	Dincogás
Equipment	Acquisition of 2 chainsaw and 2 atomizer knapsack	December 2018	Tractoval
	Acquisition of a biotratitor	December 2018	Mecal
	Repairing of the balustrade damage by the drop of the Liquidambar Styraciflua branch.	January 2019	Jardim Pétala
	Cleaning of the external side wall	June 2019	Arboreto
	Treatment and painting of the side entrance gate	October 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Structures	Replacement of broken windows in the roof of the Orchid Greenhouse	May 2019	Audico
	Cleaning and whitewashing of the Orchid Greenhouse	August 2018	Palpitalecrim
	Cleaning of the pavements and wall of the orchids greenhouses	August 2018	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Maintenance of the Arboretum	January to December 2019	Palpitalecrim
	Plant reproduction in the greenhouses (Camellia sp., Juniperus sp., Rosa sp., Helychrisum italicum, Lavandula stoechas, Quercus spp. Pipper nigrum)	January to December 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Vegetation	Reception of different species of Oaks and respective germination in the greenhouse	January to December 2019	Carlos Vila-Viçosa (CIBIO – Research Centre in Biodiversity and Genetic) e Jardim Botânico
	Planting works in the mixed border beds around the Hall of Biodiversity ( <i>Erica lusitanica</i> and <i>Omphalodes</i> sp.)	January and October 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
	Planting works in the Dwarves' Garden (Quercus canariensis, Myrtus baetica, Acer	January to October 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto

monspessulanum, Digitalis purpurea and Veronica officinalis.		
Maintenance of the beds of the parking area	September to December 2019	Lendas e Alamedas
Planting of camellias, oaks and pines in the Arboretum	February, March and April 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Planting works in the bosquets (Magnolia x Soulangeana and Rhododendron sp.)	February, May and April 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Planting works in the Rose Garden ( <i>Rosa</i> sp., <i>Juniperus</i> sp., <i>Buxus</i> sp., <i>Chrysanthemum</i> sp., <i>Antirrhiunum</i> sp. Stachys germanica, <i>Dianthus</i> sp. and tropical water lilies)	March and April 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Planting works in the beds of the parking area (Rhododendron sp.)	February 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Installation of <i>Victoria cruziana</i> in the tank of the tropical greenhouse	May 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto
Planting works in the Shale's' Garden (planting of <i>Cistus palhinhae</i> , <i>Achillea tomentosa</i> , <i>Thymus caespititius</i> )	October 2019	Botanical Garden of Porto

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# Record of species identified in the Botanical Garden

BIRDS	
Apus s	sp.
Colum	nba livia
Colum	nba palombo
Eritha	icus rubeola
Garru	lus glandarius
Larus	sp.
Motac	cilla alba
Parus	ater
Parus	major
Ріса р	ica
Reguli	us ignicapilla
Strept	topelia decaocto
Sylvia	atricapilla
Troglo	odytes troglodytes
Turdu	s merula
Turdu	s philomelos

MAMMALS	
Canis familiaris	
Crossidura russula	
Felix catus	
Mus spretus	
Rattus sp.	

AMPHIBIANS	
Lissotriton boscai	
Pelophylax perezi	
Triturus marmoratus	

INVERTEBRATES		
Apis mellifera	Thyatira batis	
Autographa gamma	Volucella zonaria	
Celastrina argiolus	Adalia bipunctata	
Dicladispa testacea	Cacyreus marshalii	
Ledra aurita	Dorcus parallelipipedus	
Lilioceris lilii	Pararge aegeria	
Oxythyrea funesta	Pieris brassicae	
Palpita vitrealis	Pieris rapae	
Phragmatobia fuliginosa	Pyrrhocoris apterus	
Polyphaenis sericata	Vanessa atalanta	
Protaetia morio		
Rhagonycha fulva	Vespa velutina	
Tebenna micalis		

FUN	NGI
Can	ntharellus subpruinosus
Gar	noderma applanatum
Rus	ssula sp.

## REPTILES

Podarcis bocagei

BRYOPHYTES AND LICHENS	
Anomobryum lusitanicum	Kindbergia praelonga
Anthoceros punctatus	Lassalia pustala
Aspicilia hoffmanniana	Lecanora semisia
Atrichum undulatum	<i>Lepraria</i> sp.
Bryum argenteum	Leptodyctium riparium
Bryum capillare	Lophocolea bidentata
Caloplaca arenaria	Lophocolea heterophylla
Caloplaca ferruginea	Lunularia cruciata
Calypogeia arguta	Metzegeria furcata
Campylopus pilifer	Neckera complanata
Campylopus sp.	Orthotrichum diaphanum
Candelariella vitellina	Orthotrichum sp.
Cephaloziella divaricata	Oxyrrhynchium speciosum
Cladonia sp.	Oxyrrynchium hians
Collema sp.	Oxyrrynchium scheleicheri
Cololejeunea minutissima	Parmelia sulcata
Conocephalum conicum	Parmelina tiliacea
Cryphea heteromalla	Parmotrema chinense
Crysotriches candelaris	Petrusaria amara
Dicranella heteromalla	Philonotis sp.
Dicranoweisia cirrata	Physcia sp.
Didymodon insulanus	Physconia sp.
Diploica canescens	Platyhypnidium riparioides
Evernia prunastri	Pogonatum aloides
Fissidens sp.	Polytrichum juniperum
Fissidens viridulus	Porella obtusata
Flavoparmelia caperata	Pseudotaxyphyllum elegans
Fossombronia angulosa	Rhynchostegiella pumila
Frullania dilatata	Riccia fluitans
Funaria hygrometrica	Scapania compacta
Gongylanthus ericetorum	Scleropodium touretii
Grimmia pulvinata	Sematophyllum substrumulosum
Grimmia tricophylla	Syntrichia laevipila
Gymnostomum calcareum	Targionia hypohylla
Homalothecium sericeum	Tortula muralis
Hypnum cupressiforme	Trichostomum brachydontium
Hypogymnia physodes	Xanthoparmelia pulla
Hypopterygium muelleri	Xanthoria parietina
Isothecium alopercuroides	Zygodon rupestris

VASCULAR PLANTS		
Abelia x grandiflora	Agapanthus praecox	Aloe striatula
Abies amabilis	Agathis robusta	Aloe tenuior
Abies cephalonica	Agave americana	Aloe variegata
Abies cilicica	Agathis robusta	Aloe vera
Abies firma	Agave americana	Aloe x spinosissima
Abies fraseri	Agave americana var.	Aloysa triphylla
	marginata	
Abies koreana	Agave attenuata	Amphilophium buccinatorium
Abies nordmanniana	Agave falcata	Anacardium occidentale
Abies nordmanniana ssp. equi- trojani	Agave filifera	Ananas comosus
Abies pinsapo	Agave fourcroydes	Anemone x hybrida
Abies sp.	Agave lechuguilla	Anthoxanthum odoratum
Abromeitiella brevifolia	Agave mitis	Aponogeton distachyos
Acacia dealbata	Agave salmiana var. ferox	Araucaria angustifolia
Acacia melanoxylon	Agave sisalana	Araucaria araucana
Acacia nilotica	Agave sp.	Araucaria bidwilii
Acacia retinodes	Agave stricta	Araucaria columnaris
Acacia sp.	Agave victoriae-reginae	Araucaria cunninghamii
Acacia verticillata	Ageratina ligustrina	Araucaria heterophylla
Acanthus mollis	Agonis flexuosa	Arbutus unedo
Acca sellowiana	Ajuga reptans	Arbutus xalapensis
Acer buergerianum	Albizia julibrissin	Archontophoenix alexandrae
Acer japonicum	Albizia sp.	Archontophoenix sp.
Acer monspessulanum	Alisma lanceolata	Areca catechu
Acer negundo	Alisma plantago-aquatica	Armeria maritima
Acer palmatum	Allium schoenoprasum	Armeria monchiquensis
Acer pseudoplatanus	Allocasuarina litorallis	Armeria pubigera
Acer rubrum	Allocasuarina torulosa	Armeria pungens
Acer saccharum	Alluaudia procera	Armeria sp.
Acer sp.	Alnus acuminata	Artemisia dracunculus
Acourus calamus "variegatus"	Alnus glutinosa	Arundo donax
Adansonia digitata	Alnus incana	Arundo plinii
Adromischus maculatus	Alocasia macrorhizos	Asparagus sp.
Aeonium canariense	Aloe concinna	Asphodelus lusitanicum
Aeonium glandulosum	Aloe cryptopoda	Aster tripolium
Aeonium sp.	Aloe ferox	Astrophytum myriostigma
Aesculus californica	Aloe maculata	Astrophytum ornatum
Aesculus glabra	Aloe marlothii	Atriplex halimus
Aesculus hippocastanum	Aloe parvibracteata	Aucuba japonica
Aesculus pavia	Aloe perfoliata	Austrocylindropuntia subulata
Aesculus sp.	Aloe plicatilis	Azolla filiculoides
Afrocarpus gracilior	Aloe sp.	Azorina vidalii
Agapanthus africanus	Aloe striata	Babiana angustifolia

Bacopa monnieri	Brachychiton acerifolius		
Bactris gasipaes	Brachychiton bidwillii	Calocedrus decurrens	
Balantium antarcticum	Brachychiton populneus	Calycanthus floridus var. glaucus	
Bambusa vulgaris 'vittata'	Brachychiton rupestris	Camellia azalea	
Banksia marginata	Broussonetia papyrifera	Camellia cuspidata	
Bauhinia purpurea	Broussonetia sp.	Camellia euphlebia	
Bauhinia sp.	Browningia hertlingiana	Camellia gauchonensis	
Beaucarnea recurvata	Brugmansia sanguinea	Camellia hongkongensis	
Berberis aquifolium	Brugmansia sp.	Camellia irrawadiensis	
Berberis jamesiana	Brugmansia suaveolens	Camellia japonica 'Alba Plena'	
Berberis julianae	Brugmansia x candida	Camellia japonica 'Augusto Leal Gouveia Pinto'	
Berberis lempergiana	Bryophyllum daigremontianum	Camellia japonica 'Mary Phobes Taylor'	
Berberis maderensis	Buddleja davidii	Camellia japonica 'Mathotiana alba'	
Berberis sp.	Buddleja madagascariensis	Camellia japonica 'Angelina Vieira'	
Berberis thunbergii	Bulbophyllum acutiflorum	Camellia japonica 'António Bernardo Ferreira'	
Berberis veitchii	Bulbophyllum ambrosia	Camellia japonica 'Augusto Le Gouveia Pinto'	
Bergenia cordifolia	Bulbophyllum fascinator	Camellia japonica 'Barallia '	
Bergeranthus scapiger	Butia capitata	Camellia japonica 'Brotero'	
Betula alba	Buxus sempervirens	Camellia japonica 'Calliope'	
Betula celtiberica	Buxus sempervirens cv. 'Myrtifolia'	Camellia japonica 'Camillo Aureliano'	
Betula papyrifera	Buxus sempervirens cv. 'Suffruticosa'	Camellia japonica 'Condessa da Torre'	
Betula pendula	Caesalpinia echinata	Camellia japonica 'D. Pedro V'	
Betula pubescens	Caesalpinia spinosa	Camellia japonica 'Dom Carlos Fernando'	
Betula sp.	Caladium sp.	Camellia japonica 'Dr. Balthazar de Mello'	
Biarum arundinarum	Calamagrostis x acutiflora	Camellia japonica 'Duarte de Oliveira'	
Bidens ferilifolia	Calendula lusitanica	<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Fada do Mirante'	
Bidens sp.	Calendula officinalis	Camellia japonica 'Felícia Pimentel'	
Bifrenaria sp.	Calliandra sp.	Camellia japonica 'Imperatriz do Brazil'	
Bischofia javanica	Calliandra tweedii	Camellia japonica 'Imperial Lusitana'	
Bischofia polycarpa	Callistemon citrinus	Camellia japonica 'Infanta D. Isabel Maria'	
Borago officinalis	Callistemon linearis	Camellia japonica 'Infanta D. Maria Anna'	
Bougainvillea glabra	Callistemon salignus	Camellia japonica 'Marquez da	
Bougainvillea sp.	Calluna vulgaris	Fronteira'	

Camellia japonica 'Moura Encantada'	Camellia yuhsienensis	
Camellia japonica 'Primeiro de Fevereiro'	Carex sp.	Chamaecyparis thyoides
<i>Camellia japonica</i> 'Rainha D. Mafalda'	Carica papaya	Chamaerops humilis
Camellia japonica 'Rainha Santa Isabel'	Carissa bispinosa	Chamaedorea elegans
Camellia japonica 'Surpreza de J.M. Loureiro'	Carnegiea polylopha	Characea sp.
Camellia japonica 'Tedinia'	Carpinus betulus	Cheirolophus sempervirens
Camellia japonica 'Urania'	Carpinus japonica	Chimonanthus praecox
Camellia japonica 'variegata'	Carpinus orientalis	Chrysanthemoides monilifera
Camellia japonica 'Vergine Collepecto'	Castanea sativa	Cinnamomum camphora
Camellia japonica 'Viscondessa de Loureiro'	Castanospermum australe	Cinnamomum japonicum
Camellia japonica 'Viscondessa de Loureiro'	Casuarina cristata	Cinnamomum verum
Camellia miyagi	Casuarina cunninghamiana	Cissus quadrangularis
Camellia nokoensis	Casuarina equisetifolia	Cistus crispus
Camellia odorata	Catalpa bignonioides	Cistus palhinae
Camellia oleifera	Catalpa sp.	Cistus populifolius
Camellia oleracea	Cedrus atlantica	Cistus populifolius x ladanifer
Camellia petelotii	Cedrus deodara	Cistus salviifolius
Camellia pitardii	Cedrus libani	Citrofortunella mitis
Camellia polydonta	Ceiba insignis	Citrus × paradisi
Camellia pubipetala	Celtis australis	Citrus australasica
Camellia reticulata	Celtis occidentalis	Citrus japonica
Camellia sasanqua 'Asakura'	Cephalotaxus harringtonia	Citrus paradisi Macfad. cv. 'Gigante'
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i> 'Barao de Soutelinho'	Ceratonia siliqua	Citrus paradisi Macfad. cv. 'Marsh Sedless'
Camellia sasanqua 'Choji- Guruma'	Ceratophyllum demersum	Citrus paradisi Macfad. cv. 'Star Ruby'
Camellia sasanqua 'Cleopatra'	Cercidiphyllum japonicum	Citrus x paradisi 'Star Ruby'
Camellia sasanqua 'Envangeline'	Cercis siliquastrum	Citrus x sinensis 'Maltesa'
Camellia sasanqua 'Frosted Star'	Cereus hildmannianus	Citrus x sinensis 'Moscatel'
Camellia sasanqua 'Hiryu'	Cereus hildmannianus monstrose	Citrus x sinensis 'Prata'
Camellia sasanqua 'Miss ED'	Cereus jamacaru	Cleistocactus strausii
Camellia sasanqua 'Navajo'	Cestrum fasciculatum	Cleistocactus winteri
Camellia sasanqua 'Shuchuca'	Chaenomeles japonica	Clethra mexicana
Camellia semiserrata	Chamaecyparis lawsoniana	Clivia miniata
Camellia sinensis	Chamaecyparis lawsoniana 'Pembury blue'	Coelogyne cristata
Camellia synaptica	Chamaecyparis pisifera	Coelogyne fimbriata
Camellia tsaii	Chamaecyparis sp.	Coelogyne tomentosa
Camellia virgata		Coffea arabica

Colletia paradoxa	Cupressus macrocarpa	Draceana deremensis
Colletia spinosissima	a spinosissima Cupressus sempervirens Draceana sp.	
Coprosma robusta	Cupressus sp.	Dracenas angustifolia
Cordyline australis	Curcuma longa	Drosera aliceai
Cordyline stricta	Cyanotis somaliensis	Drosera binata var. dicotoma
Coriandrum sativum	Cyathea sp.	Drosera binata var. multifida
Cortaderia selloana	Cycas circinalis	Drosera capensis
Corylus avellana	Cycas revoluta	Drosera capensis var. alba
Corylus avellana cv. 'Contorta'	Cycas rumphii	Drosera madagascarensis
Corylus colurna	Cycas sp.	Drosera natalensis
Corymbia ficifolia	Cycas taitungensis	Drosera nidiformis
Coryphanta cornifera	Cydonia oblonga	Drosera pulchella
Cosmos bipinnatus	Cylindropuntia leptocaulis	Duranta erecta
Cotinus coggygria	Cylindropuntia sp.	Dyckia brevifolia
Cotoneaster cochleatus	Cylindropuntia spinosior	Dypsis decaryi
Cotoneaster franchetii	Cylindropuntia tunicata	Dypsis sp.
Cotoneaster integrifolius	Cylindropuntia whipplei	Echeveria x imbricata
Cotoneaster lacteus	Cymbidium 'Showgirl' Malibu	Echhornia crassipes
Cotoneaster obscurus	Cymbidium aloifolium	Echinocactus grusonii
Cotoneaster pannosus	Cyperus hassan	Echinocactus sp.
Cotoneaster salicifolius	Cyperus papyrus	Echinopsis langeniformis
Cotoneaster sp.	Cytisus scoparius	Echinopsis sp.
Cotoneaster x watereri	Cytisus striatus	Echinopsis spachiana
Crassula falcata	Cytisus x praecox cv. 'Allgold'	Echium candicans
Crassula lactea	Dahlia sp.	Elaeagnus macrophylla
Crassula ovata	Delonix regia	Elaeagnus pungens
Crassula ovata 'Gollum'	Dendrobium kingianum	Elaeis guineensis
Crassula perfoliata var. minor	Dendrobium nobile	Elodoa sp.
Crassula perforata	Dendrobium speciosum	Encephalartos caffer
Crataegus monogyna	Deschampsia caespitosa	Encephalartos sp.
Crataegus oxyacantha	Dianella ensifolia	Encephalartos villosus
Crataegus persimilis	Dicksonia antarctica	Enkianthus campanulatus
Crataegus sp.	Digitalis purpurea	Ensete ventriculosum
Crocus autumnalis	Digitalis thapsi	Ephedra fragilis
Crocus serotinus	Dioon edule	Epidendrum radicans
Crodyline terminalis	Diospyros kaki	Equisetum sp.
Cryptomeria japonica	Diospyros lotus	Erica arborea
Cryptomeria japonica cv. "Elegans"	Diospyros whyteana	Erica azorica
Cunninghamia lanceolata	Disocactus phyllanthoides	Erica cinerea
Cuphea micropetala	Dombeya x cayeuxii	Erica lusitanica
Cupressus arizonica	Dovyalis caffra	<i>Erica</i> sp.
Cupressus lusitanica	Dracaena aubryana	Eriobotrya japonica
Cupressus Iusitanica var.	Dracaena draco	Eriobotrya sp.

Erythrina crista-galli	Euryale ferox	Grevillea sp.	
Erythrina sp.	na sp. Euryops chrysanthemoides Gymnocalycium cym		
Erythrina variegata	Euterpe oleracea	Gymnocalycium sp.	
Escallonia rubra	Exochorda racemosa	Gynostemma pentaphylla	
Espostoa guentheri	Exochorda x macrantha	Hakea salicifolia	
Espostoa lanata	Fagus crenata	Halesia carolina	
Eubotrys racemosa	Fagus sylvatica	Halimium alissoides	
Eucalyptus globulus	Fagus sylvaticacv. 'Pendula'	Halimium commutatum	
Eucalyptus gunnii	Fargesia sp.	Halimium halimifolium ssp. halimifolium	
Eucalyptus sp.	Fatsia japonica	Halimium sp.	
Eucalyptus x trabuti	Ferocactus glaucescens	Halimium umbellata	
Eucalytus citriodora	Ferocactus sp.	Hamamelis mollis	
Eugenia uniflora	Festuca sp.	Harpophyllum sp.	
Euonymus japonicus	Ficus bengalensis	Haworthia attenuata	
Euonymus sp.	Ficus binnendijkii	Haworthia cymbiformis	
Euphorbia triangularis	Ficus religiosa	Hebe andersonii	
Euphorbia ammak	Ficus sp.	Hebe sp.	
Euphorbia caerulescens	Firmiana simplex	Hedera helix	
Euphorbia canariensis	Foeniculum vulgare	Heimia salicifolia	
Euphorbia caput-medusae	Fontanesia phillyreoides	Helichrysum italicum	
Euphorbia coerolescens	Forsythia suspensa	Helichrysum stoechas	
Euphorbia dawei	Fragaria vesca	Heliopsis sp.	
Euphorbia echinus	Frangula alnus	Hellianthus annuus	
Euphorbia globosa	Fraxinus angustifolia ssp. oxycarpa	Hibbertia scandens	
Euphorbia grandicornis	Fraxinus angustifolia Vahl	Hibiscus mutabilis	
Euphorbia grandidens	Fraxinus floribunda	Hibiscus rosa-sinensis	
Euphorbia heterochroma	Fraxinus ornus	Hibiscus schizopetalus	
Euphorbia ingens	Fraxinus sp.	Hibiscus syriacus	
Euphorbia mammillaris	Freylinia lanceolata	Hormidium pygmaeum	
Euphorbia mammillaris form. Variegata	Fuchsia sp.	Howea forsteriana	
Euphorbia milii	Gasteria maculata	Huernia primulina	
Euphorbia milii var. splendens	Gazania rigens	Hydrangea macrophylla	
Euphorbia neriifolia	Genista florida var. polyacantha	Hydrangea paniculata	
Euphorbia obesa	Genista triacanthos	Hydrocleys nymphoides	
Euphorbia officinarum	Geranium palmatum	Hypericum canariense	
Euphorbia piscatoria	Geranium sp.	Hypericum perforatum	
Euphorbia pseudocactus	Ginkgo biloba	llex aquifolium	
Euphorbia resinifera	Gleditsia sp.	<i>Ilex aquifolium</i> cv. 'Argentea Marginata'	
Euphorbia sp.	Gleditsia triacanthos	Ilex paraguariensis	
Euphorbia triangularis	Glottiphylum lomgum	Ilex perado ssp. azorica	
Euphorbia trigona	Graptopetalum paraguayense	Ilex x iberica	
Euphorbia woodii	Grevillea robusta	Indigofera heterantha	

Indigofera kirilowii	Lavandula viridis	Malus prunifolia
Iris pseudacorus	Lavandula x alportensis	Malus sp.
Iris sp.	Lavatera sp.	Mammilaria longimmama
Iris x germanica	Ledum palustre	Mammilaria magnimamma
Jacaranda mimosifolia	Lemna sp.	Mammilaria prolifera
Jasminum mesnyi	Leonotis leonurus	Mammilaria rhodantha
Juglans nigra	Leuchtenbergia principis	Mammilaria sp.
Juniperus chinensis	Leucothoe fontanesiana	Mammillaria elongata
Juniperus communis	Ligustrum lucidum	Mandevilla laxa
Juniperus communis 'Blue'	Ligustrum ovalifolium	Mangifera indica
Juniperus excelsa	Ligustrum sinense	Marginatocereus marginatus
Juniperus navicularis	Lilium sp.	Marsilea mutica
Juniperus oxycedrus	Limonium sp.	Maxillaria densa
Juniperus sabina	Limonium vulgare	Maxillaria picta
Juniperus sp.	Liquidambar styraciflua	Melaleuca linariifolia
Juniperus squamata	Liriodendron tulipifera	Melaleuca nodosa
Juniperus virginiana	Livistona chinensis	Melaleuca preissiana
Juniperus x media	Lomandra longifolia	Melaleuca sp.
Juniperus x pfitzeriana	Lonicera japonica	Melia azedarach
Kalanchoe orgyalis	Lonicera maackii	Melissa officionalis
Kalanchoe rhombopilosa	Lonicera periclymenum	Mentha × piperita
Kalmia latifolia	Lonicera ruprechtiana	Mentha aquatica
Kerria japonica	Lonicera sp.	Mentha pulegium
Kigelia africana	Lonicera x bella	Mentha spicata
Koelreuteria paniculata	Lophophora williamsii	Mentha x piperita
Laburnum anagyroides	Lophostemon confertus	Mespilus germanica
Lactuca watsoniana	Lyonia ovalifolia	Metrosideros collina
Laelia anceps	Macadamia sp.	Metrosideros excelsa
Laelia lobata	Macadamia ternifolia	Metrosideros robusta
Laelia purpurata	Macrozamia communis	Metrosideros umbellata
Lagerstroemia fauriei	Magnolia acuminata	Metrosideros thomasi
Lagerstroemia indica	Magnolia champaca	Mimosa pudica
Lantana camara	Magnolia denudata	Mirabilis jalapa
Larix kaempferi	Magnolia figo	Miriofillum aquaticum
Laurus nobilis	Magnolia floribunda	Molinia caerulea
Lavandula angustifolia	Magnolia grandiflora	Morus nigra
Lavandula angustifolia	Magnolia liliflora	Musa acuminata
'Munsteadwood'		
Lavandula dentata	Magnolia soulangeana	<i>Musa</i> sp.
Lavandula latifolia	Magnolia sp.	Musa x paradisiaca
Lavandula louisieri	Magnolia stellata	Myoporum laetum
Lavandula multifida	Magnolia tripetala	<i>Myosotis</i> sp.
Lavandula pedunculata	Magnolia tripetala	Myrtus communis
Lavandula stoechas	Mahonia bealei	Myrtus communisssp. tarentina
Nandina domestica	Pachycereus marginatus	Phoenix dactylifera

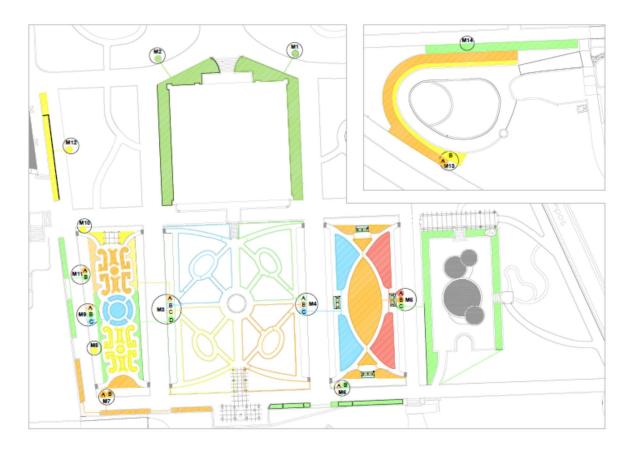
Narcissus bulbocodium	Pachycereus pringlei	Phoenix reclinata	
Narcissus munozii-garmendiae	Pachypodium lamerei	Photinia x fraseri	
Narcissus sp.	Palmeira sabal	Phyllirea latifolia	
Nassella tenuissima	Pandanus sp.	Phyllostachys aurea	
Neobuxbaumia polylopha	Papaver officinalis	Physocarpus opulifolius	
Nephentes sp.	Paphiopedilum 'Aladin'	Phytolacca americana	
Nerium oleander	Paphiopedilum 'Lathamianum'	Phytolacca dioica	
Nicory	(P. villosum x spicerianum)	Picconia azorica	
Nissa sp.	Paphiopedilum 'Albertianum'		
Nitella sp.	Paphiopedilum 'Nitens' (P. insigne x spicerianum)	Picea abies	
Notholithocarpus densiflorus	Paphiopedilum exul	Picea glauca	
Nuphar sp.	Paphiopedilum insigne	Picea mariana	
Nymphaea lotus	Paphiopedilum villosum	Picea omorika	
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	callosum x villosum var.		
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Nymphaea pubescens var. rubra	Parodia horstii	Picea pungens	
Nymphaea sp.	Parodia leninghausii	Picea rubens	
Nyssa sylvatica	Parodia magnifica	Picea sitchensis	
Obenia sp.	Parthenocissus quinquefolia	Picea sp.	
Ocimum basilicum	Parthenocissus tricuspidata	Piconnia azorica	
Ocimum minimum	Passiflora alata	Pieris japonica	
Olea europeae	Passiflora caerulea	Pilosocereus leucocephalus	
Omphalodes nitida	Passiflora edulis	Pinguicula hybrida	
Oncidium sp.	Passiflora manicata	Pinus armandii	
Opuntia dillenii	Passiflora mollissima	Pinus bungeana	
Opuntia engelmannii	Passiflora quadrangularis	Pinus canariensis	
Opuntia figusidrica	Passiflora sp.	Pinus halepensis	
Opuntia imbricata	Paulownia tomentosa	Pinus nigra	
Opuntia leucotricha	Pavonia intermedia	Pinus patula	
Opuntia maxima	Pavonia spinifex	Pinus pinaster	
Opuntia microdasys	Pentaglottis sempervirens	Pinus pinea	
Opuntia monacantha	Peperomia pereskiifolia	Pinus radiata	
Opuntia polycantha	Pereskia aculeata	Pinus sp.	
Opuntia robusta	Pereskia grandifolia	Pinus strobus	
Opuntia sp.	Pericallis malvifolia	Pinus sylvestris	
Opuntia spinulifera	Persea americana	Pinus wallichiana	
Opuntia stricta	Persea indica	Pistacia chinensis	
Opuntia tomentosa	Petroselinum sativum	Pistacia terebinthus	
Origanum vulgare	Petroselium crisoum	Pistia stratiotes	
Osmanthus sp.	Phaius wallichii	Pittosporum crassifolium	
Osmunda regalis	Phellodendron lavallei	Pittosporum eugenioides	
Ostrya carpinifolia	Phillyrea angustifolia	Pittosporum tenuifolium	
Osyris quadripartita	Phoenix canariensis	Pittosporum tobira	
Pittosporum tobira	Quercus acutissima	Quercus humboldtii	

Pittosporum undulatum	Quercus agrifolia	Quercus hypophaea	
Platanus orientalis	Quercus alba	Quercus ilex	
Platanus sp.	Quercus alba x muehlembergii	Quercus ilex subsp. rotundifolia Lam.	
Platanus x hispanica	Quercus arizonica	Quercus ilicifolia	
Plataus orientalis	Quercus benthamii	Quercus imbricaria	
Platycerium bifurcatum	Quercus berberidifolia	Quercus infectoria	
Platycladus orientalis	Quercus bicolor	Quercus insignis	
Plectranthus forsteri 'Marginatus'	Quercus brachyphylla	Quercus ithaburensis	
Podocarpus elatus	Quercus brenesii	Quercus kelloggii	
Podocarpus elongatus	Quercus broteroi	Quercus laurina	
Podocarpus henkelii	Quercus calliprinos	Quercus libanii	
Podocarpus macrophyllus	Quercus canariensis	Quercus lineata	
Podocarpus sp.	Quercus canbyi	Quercus lobata	
Polygala myrtifolia	Quercus castaneifolia	Quercus lusitanica	
Populus alba	Quercus cerris	Quercus lyrata	
Populus nigra	Quercus chrysolepis	Quercus macranthera	
Populus x canadensis	Quercus coccifera x ilex	Quercus macrocarpa	
Potamogeton sp.	Quercus coccinea	Quercus macrolepis	
Prunus amygdalus	Quercus copeyensis	Quercus mas	
Prunus avium	Quercus cupreata	Quercus mexicana	
Prunus cerasifera ssp. pissardii	Quercus douglasii	Quercus michauxii	
Prunus dulcis	Quercus douglasii x garryana	Quercus mongolica	
Prunus laurocerasus	Quercus durata	Quercus muehlembergii	
Prunus lusitanica	Quercus engelmanii	Quercus myrsinifolia	
Pseudosasa japonica	Quercus faginea	Quercus oblongata	
Pseudotsuga menziesii	Quercus faginea ssp fagine	Quercus oblongifolia	
Pseudotsuga sp.	Quercus faginea ssp. broteroi x canariensis	Quercus obtusata	
Psidium cattleianum	Quercus faginea subsp. marocana	Quercus oleoides	
Psidium guajava	Quercus faginea x senneniana	Quercus oleoides var. australis	
Psidium sp.	Quercus floribunda	Quercus orocantabrica	
Pterocarya fraxinifolia	Quercus frainetto	Quercus palustris	
Pterocarya x rehderiana	Quercus franchetii	Quercus petraea	
Punica granatum	Quercus gambelii	Quercus petraea x faginea	
Pyracantha angustifolia	Quercus garryana	Quercus phellos	
Pyracantha coccinea	Quercus georgiana	Quercus phyllireoides	
Pyracantha crenulata var. rogersiana	Quercus germana	Quercus pinnativenulosa	
Pyracantha sp.	Quercus glauca	Quercus polymorpha	
Pyrus betulifolia	Quercus gravesii	Quercus prinoides	
Pyrus cordata	Quercus grifithii	Quercus prinoides x	
Pyrus malus	Quercus hartwisiana	muehlembergii	
Quercus acerifolia	Quercus humboldtii	Quercus pubescens	
Quercus pubescens x pyrenaica	Quercus x kerneri	Rosa sempervirens	

Quercus pungens	ingens Quercus x libanerris Rosa rugosa 'Pink Groot	
Quercus pyrenaica	Quercus x megaleia	Rosa sp. 'Michelangelo'
Quercus rivasmartinezii	Quercus x pacensis	Rosmarinus officinalis
Quercus robur	Quercus x pseudococcifera	Rosa sp.
Quercus robur x ilex	Quercus x salcedoi	Rosmarinus officinalis cv. 'Prostratus Group'
Quercus robusta	Quercus x saulii	Rubus radula
Quercus rotundifolia	Quercus x schuettei	Rubus sampaioanus
Quercus rotundifolia f. calycina	Quercus x senneniana	Rubus vagabundus
Quercus rubra	Quercus x substellata	Rumex azoricus
Quercus rugosa	Quercus x tentudaica	Ruscus aculeatus
Quercus sartorii	Quercus x trabutiana	Ruscus aculeatus
Quercus schottkyana	Quercus x turnerii	Russelia sp.
Quercus serrata	Quercus xalapensis	Saccharum officinarum
Quercus sessilifolia	Ravena sp.	Sagittaria latifolia
Quercus shumardii	Ravenea rivularis	Sagittaria subulata
Quercus sinuata	Rhamnus alaternus	Salix atrocinerea
Quercus stellata	Rhamnus cathartica	Salix rosmarinifolia
Quercus stellata x	Rhamnus sp.	Salix salvifolius
muehlembergii	· 	
Quercus stenophylloides	Rhaphiolepis delacourii	Salix x sepulcralis cv. 'Chrysocoma'
Quercus suber	Rhaphiolepis indica	Salvia atropurpurea
Quercus turbinella	Rhaphiolepis umbellata	Salvia officinalis
Quercus vaseyana	Rhododendron arboreum	Salvínia molesta
Quercus velutina	Rhododendron indicum	Sambucus nigra
Quercus virginiana	Rhododendron makinoi	Sansevieria chrenbergii
Quercus wislizeni	Rhododendron ponticum	Sarcocornia perenis
Quercus x alvesii	Rhododendron sp.	Satureja hortensis
Quercus x autumnalis	Rhus succedanea	Scabiosa nitens
Quercus x auzandrii	Rhus typhina	Schinus terebinthifolius
Quercus x avellaniformis	Ribes rubrum	Schotia latifolia
Quercus x bebbiana	Ribes sp.	Sciadopitys verticillata
Quercus x cerrioides	Riccia fluitans	Scilla monophylus
Quercus x coutinhoi	Robinia pseudoacacia	Scilla socialis
Quercus x egglestonii	Romulea clusiana	Sedum amplexicaule
Quercus x exacta	Rosa 'Botero'	Sedum forsterianum
Quercus x faxonii	Rosa canina	Sedum morganianum
Quercus x fernowii	Rosa cv. "Cécile Brünner"	Sedum nussbaumerianum
Quercus x gallaecicus	Rosa 'Jardins de Bagatelle'	Sedum rubrotintum
Quercus x hickleyi	Rosa luciae	Sedum sp.
Quercus x hispanica	Rosa multiflora	Senecio crassissimus
Quercus x humidicola	Rosa 'Nicholas Hulot'	Sequoia sempervirens
Quercus x jackiana	Rosa 'Paris Match'	Sequoiadendron giganteum (Lindl.) J.Buchholz
Serapias lingua	Thymus mastichina	Vitis x instabilis

Serapias x todaroi	Thymus sp.	Washingtonia filifera
Sobralia macrantha	Thymus vulgaris	<i>Weigela</i> sp.
Sobralia 'Mirabilis'	Tibouchina heteromalla	Wisteria sinensis
Solanum sp.	Tibouchina urvilleana	<i>Wolffia</i> sp.
Sorbus aucuparia	Tilia cordata	Wollemia nobilis
Sorbus bristoliensis	Tilia mongolica	Woodwardia radicans
Sparaxis tricolor	Tilia sp.	X Cupressocyparis leylandii
Spergularia azorica	Tilia tomentosa	Yucca sp.
Spiraea cantoniensis	Trachycarpus fortunei	Yucca treculeana
Spiraea japonica	Tradescantia fluminensis	Zelkova carpinifolia
Spiraea nipponica	Tritonia crocata	Zingiber officinale
Spirodela punctata	Tsuga canadensis	
Stanhopea sp.	Tsuga diversifolia	
Stapelia hirsuta	Tuberaria lignosa	
Stenocarpus sinuatus	Tulipa hybrida	
Stenocereus griseus	Tulipa sylvestris	
Stipa gigantea	Tumbergia missouriensis	
Strelitzia nicolae	Typha angustifolia	
Strelitzia parvifolia	Typha latifolia	
Strelitzia reginae	Typha minima	
Syagrus romanzoffiana	Ulex europaeus	
Syringa vulgaris	Ulmus minor	
Syzygium jambos	Ulmus procera	
Syzygium smithii	Utricularia vulgaris	
Syzygium sp.	Vaccinium corymbosum	
Tabebuia sp.	Vachellia farnesiana	
Tamarindus indica	Vanda bicolor	
Tamarix gallica	Verbascum sp.	
Taxodium ascendens	Veronica officinalis	
Taxodium distichum	Viburnum farreri	
Taxus baccata	Viburnum lantana	
Taxus baccata cv. 'Fastigiata'	Viburnum opulus	
Tectona grandis	Viburnum rhytidophyllum	
Telopea speciosissima	Viburnum tinus	
Tephrocactus articulatus var.	Viburnum x burkwoodii	
papyracantha Tornstroomia gymnanthara	Victoria eruziana	
Ternstroemia gymnanthera	Victoria cruziana	
Tetraclinis articulata	Vinca difformis	
Teucrium fruticans	Vinca major	
Thuja occidentalis	Vinca minor	
Thuja plicata	Viola x hybrida	
Thujopsis dolabrata	Vitis sp.	
Thymus albicans	Vitis sylvestris	
Thymus lotocephalus	Vitis x alexanderi	

## Irrigation map



## Program of watering by modules

## Program of Watering by Modules - Summer

Garden	Module	Times/Week	Valves	No. of irrigations	Start	Duration of each watering	Total duration of watering	
Cedar grove	M1	Everday		1	04:30 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.	
Araucaria grove	M2	Everday		1	04:35 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.	
		Everday	А		04:40 a.m./09:00 p.m.	15 + 15 min		
Rose garden -		Everday	В	1	04:55 a.m./09:15 p.m.	15 + 15 min		
north	M3	Everday	С	- 8	05:10 a.m./09:30 p.m.	15 + 15 min	120 min.	
		Everday	D		05:25 a.m./09:45 p.m.	15 + 15 min		
		Everday	A		05:40 a.m./10:00 p.m.	15 + 15 min		
Rose garden - East	M4	Everday	В	6	05:55 a.m./10:15 p.m.	15 + 15 min	66 min.	
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		Everday	Α		06:25 a.m./10:45 p.m.	3 + 3 min.		
Fish garden - East	M5	Everday	В	6	06:28 a.m./10:48 p.m.	3 + 3 min.	18 min.	
		Everday	С		06:31 a.m./10:51 p.m.	3 + 3 min.		
Fish garden -		Everday		06:34 a.m.	15 + 15 min.			
South	M6		Everday		2	10:54 p.m.	3 + 3 min.	36 min.
Jays Garden -		Everday	A		06:52 a.m./11:13 p.m.	15 + 15 min.		
South	M7	Everday	В	4	07:07 a.m./11:28 p.m.	5 + 5 min.	40 min.	
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Jays garden - South	M8	Everday		2	07:12 a.m./11:33 p.m.	5 + 5 min	10 min.	
		Everday	Α		07:17 a.m./11:38 p.m.	5 + 5 min		
Jays garden - West	M9	Everday	В	6	07:22 a.m./11:43 p.m.	5 + 5 min	30 min.	
		Everday	С		07:27 a.m./11:48 p.m.	5 + 5 min		
Jays garden - North	M10	Everday		2	07:32a.m./11:53 p.m.	2 + 2 min	4 min.	
Jays garden -	g-pg-4- ap-	Everday	А	Los .	07:34 a.m./11:55 p.m.	5 + 5 min		
North	M11	Everday	В	4	07:39 a.m./ 00:10 a.m.	15 + 15 min.	40 min.	
Raised bed	M12	Everday		2	07:54 a.m./00:15 a.m	15 + 15 min.	30 min.	
		Everday	А		08:09 a.m.	5 min.		
Big pond	M13	Everday		00:30 a.m.	5 min.	10 min.		
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Cactus	M14	Everday		2	08:14 a.m./00:35 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.	

## Program of Watering by Modules - Autumn

Garden	Module	Times/Week	Valves	No. of irrigations	Start	Duration of each watering	Total duration of watering
Cedar grove	M1	Thursday Friday		1	04:30 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.
Araucaria grove	M2	Thursday Friday		1	04:35 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.
Rose garden - north	М3	Thursday Friday	A B C D	8	04:40 a.m./09:00 p.m. 04:55 a.m./09:15 p.m. 05:10 a.m./09:30 p.m. 05:25 a.m./09:45 p.m.	15 + 15 min 15 + 15 min 15 + 15 min 15 + 15 min	120 min.
Rose garden - East	M4	Thursday Friday	A B C	6	05:40 a.m./10:00 p.m. 05:55 a.m./10:15 p.m. 06:10 a.m./10:30 p.m.	15 + 15 min 15 + 15 min 3 + 3 min.	66 min.
Fish garden - East	M5	Thursday Friday	A B C	6	06:25 a.m./10:45 p.m. 06:28 a.m./10:48 p.m. 06:31 a.m./10:51 p.m.	3 + 3 min. 3 + 3 min. 3 + 3 min.	18 min.
Fish garden - South	M6	Thursday Friday		2	06:34 a.m. 10:54 p.m.	15 + 15 min. 3 + 3 min.	36 min.
Jays Garden - South	M7	Thursday Friday	A B	4	06:52 a.m./11:13 p.m. 07:07 a.m./11:28 p.m.	15 + 15 min. 2 + 2 min.	34 min.
Jays garden - South	M8	Thursday Friday		2	07:12 a.m./11:33 p.m.	2 + 2 min	4 min.
Jays garden - West	М9	Thursday Friday	A B C	6	07:17 a.m./11:38 p.m. 07:22a.m./11:43 p.m. 07:27 a.m./11:48 p.m.	2 + 2 min 2 + 2 min 2 + 2 min	12 min.
Jays garden - North	M10	Thursday Friday		2	07:32 a.m./11:53 p.m.	2 + 2 min	4 min.
Jays garden - North	M11	Thursday Friday	A B	4	07:34 a.m./11:55 p.m. 07:39 a.m./00:00	2 + 2 min 15 + 15 min.	34 min.
Raised bed	M12	Thursday Friday		2	07:54 a.m./00:15 a.m.	15 + 15 min.	30 min.
Big pond	M13	Thursday Friday	A B	- 2	08:09 a.m. 00:30 a.m.	5 min. 5 min.	10 min.
Cactus	M14	Thursday Friday		2	08:14 a.m./00:35 a.m.	5 min.	5 min.

## Planning of practical classes

# Planning of practical classes for the subject of Green Spaces Management Techniques – 2017

CLASSES	TASKS	
9 February	Presentation, removal of agapanthus from the Dwarves' Garden.	
16 February	Visit to the Botanical Garden, weeding of flowerbeds in the Fish, Rose and "J's" Gardens and vases in the open greenhouse.	
23 February	Planting of <i>Buxus</i> sp. (Boxwood) in the hedges of the Fish and "J's" Gardens.	
9 March	Cleaning of dead branches of <i>Rododendron</i> sp. (Azaleas and Rhododendrons) in the Bronze Boy Bosquet, Liquidambar Bosquet Garden and Araucaria and Cedars Bosquets.	
16 March	Pruning of <i>Helichrysum italicum</i> (curry plant) of the Rose Garden, pruning of <i>Buxus</i> sp (Boxwood) planted in the "J's" Garden and Fish Garden, cutting of <i>Helichrysum italicum</i> (curry plant), <i>Buxus</i> sp. (Boxwood) and <i>Hedera helix</i> (Hera), planting of <i>Buxus</i> sp. (Boxwood) on the hedges of the "J's" and Fish Gardens.	
23 March	Presentation of Ana Luísa Oliveira, a student from the Kew Gardens.	
30 March	Replacement of weak or dead rose bushes with healthy rose bushes and replenishment of Helichrysum italicum (curry plant) in the Rose Garden.	
6 April	Planting of <i>Myosotis</i> sp. (Myosotis) and <i>Anemone hybrida</i> (Anemone) in the Rose Garden weeding and spreading of pine bark in 4 flowerbeds of the Rose Garden and staking of seeding areas in the Dwarves' Garden.	
20 April	Inspection of the irrigation system of the Botanical Garden and its operation.	
27 April	Planting of Lavatera sp. (Lavatera), Heliopsis sp. (Rough oxeye) and Geranium sp. (Geranium in the "J's" Garden, planting of Calendula sp. (Pot marigold) and Tagetes patula (Marigold) in the Rose Garden, Planting of Borago Officinalis (Borage), Lavandula multifida (Lavender) and Verbascum sp. (Common mullein) in the mixed border. Preparation of the soil (weeding), grass sowing and irrigation in the Dwarves' Garden.	

Planning of practical classes for the subject of Green Spaces Management Techniques – 2018

CLASSES	TASKS	
15 February	Weeding and organization of vases in the orchid greenhouse	
8 March	Division of acorns in the greenhouse	
15 March	Preparation of the soil for planting works in the Dwarves' Garden, cleaning of rhododendrons and Azaleas ( <i>Rhododendron</i> spp.)	
22 March	Deadheading rose bushes, weeding, transplantations in the Rose Garden and cleaning of tanks in the Shale	
5 April	Planting Rhododendrons ( <i>Rhododendron</i> spp.), Boxwood ( <i>Buxus sempervirens</i> 'Myrtifolia') and topping Boxwood ( <i>Buxus</i> spp.) in the Fish and "J's" gardens.	
3 Мау	Grass sowing in the Dwarves' Garden, weeding flowerbeds of the Shale and planting salvia, cistus (Cistus salvifolius), lavender (Lavandula angustifolia and Lavandula viridis) and Erygeron sp. in the flowerbeds of the Shale Garden.	
9 May	Planting of Buxus (Buxus sempervirens 'Myrtifolia') in the Fish Garden	
14 May	Planting of Buxus (Buxus sempervirens 'Myrtifolia') in the "J's" Garden	

Planning of practical classes for the subject of Green Spaces Management Techniques – 2019

CLASSES	TASKS
14 February	Planting of <i>Buxus</i> sp. in the Rose Garden and <i>Camellia japonica</i> in the Arboretum.
28 February	Cleaning of the corner between shale's garden and Dwarves' Garden
14 March	Weeding flowerbeds on the cactus garden
11 April	Cleaning of rhododendrons and azaleas ( <i>Rhododendron</i> spp.) and weeding flwerbeds on the bosquets
2 May	Dwarves' Gardes: weeding of flowerbeds, lawn mowing and watering

### Record of the developed activities

January to December	Guided tours for organized groups
18 October	Guided tour of a class from FBAUP (Faculty of
	Fine Arts of the University of Porto) taught by
	Professor Karen Lacroix, led by Professor Paulo
	Farinha Marques
8 to 10 February	Carnival Workshop
21 March to 1 April	Easter Workshop
1 August a 2 September	Summer Workshop
19 to 30 December	Christmas Workshop
2 and 3 April	Hosting of the basic course of scientific
	illustration, coordinated by instructor Francisca
	Cavaleiro.
27 June to 1 July	Hosting of the activity "Applied botany" within the
	framework of the Junior University
27 June to 22 July	Hosting of the activity "Living Ponds" within the
·	framework of the Junior University
27 June to 22 July	Hosting of the activity "Safari in the Animals"
,	Lilliput" within the framework of the Junior
	University
29 January	Workshop "Park and Garden Management".
20 and 21 February	Workshop "Knowing Orchids". In collaboration
•	with the Portuguese Association of Orchidophilia.
9 March	Workshop "A day with Camellias". In
	collaboration with the Portuguese Association of
	Camellias.
8 April	Workshop "Annual Gardens". In collaboration
	with Teresa Matos Fernandes and Ricardo Bravo.
9 and 10 July	Workshop "The allure of orchids" in collaboration
	with the Portuguese Association of Orchidophilia.
23 November	Workshop "I love trees" in collaboration with
	Teresa Matos Fernandes and Ricardo Bravo.
2 July	BioBlitz.
27 September	Workshop "Origins and Flavour of Tea" promoted
	by Nina Gruntkowski.
19 ti 21 July, 5 to 9 September and 12 to 15	Activity "Plants on the table", in the context of the
Setember	"Life Science in the Summer" programme.
5 and 6 de March	Participation in the XXI Exhibition of Camellias of
	Porto, at the Fundação de Serralves
21 May	On the International Museum Day and European
,	Night of Museums, the Garden received the
	famous opera by Henry Purcell (1659-1695) "Dido
	and Aeneas", organized by ESMAE (Polytechnic of
	Porto).
19 June	EcoPorto, an event with a fresh market,
	handicrafts, cooking and craft workshops and
	nandicialls, cooking and craft workshops and

22 July	Show by the Jazz Choir "Bjazz".
2 December	Collaboration in the planting of a Cork Oak
	(Quercus suber) in the Wild Dry Garden (Faculty of
	Sciences of the University of Porto) in the context
	of the "WISE Project".
21 December	Collaboration with the Portuguese Association of
	Camellias in the launching of the book "The Cradle
	of the European Culture of camellias" by Jörg
	Daehnhardt.

January to December	Guided tours for organized groups
6 de April	Guided tour "Forbidden Pleasures" by Professor
	Paulo Farinha Marques in collaboration with
	Professor Karen Laroix (FBAUP); from 7:30 p.m. to
	9:30 p.m.
18 April	Guided tour organized by NEBUP (Association of
	Biology Students of the University of Porto) within
	the framework of "People, Insects and Dead
	Wood".
5 to 13 April	Easter Workshop
31 July to 1 September	Summer Workshop
18 to 29 December	Christmas Workshop
26 November	The "Magusto" (Chestnut roasting activity) with
	the children's workshop "Hair-raising experience"
	and free guided tours for visitors of the Garden.
3 to 28 July	"Bioexplorers" activity within the framework of
	Junior University activities, covering topics such as
	biodiversity conservation, taxonomy, etc.
	From 3 to 28 July, the Garden hosted several
	activities for the Junior University, namely:
3 to 28 July	Hosting "Living Ponds" for the Junior University
3 to 28 July	Hosting "Safari in the Animals' Lilliput" for the
	Junior University
10 to 14 July	Hosting "POP-UP Graden" for the Junior
	University
6 March	Workshop "Talking with Camellias" in partnership
	with the Portuguese Association of Camellias.
27 and 28 May	Workshop "The Allure of Orchids", in partnership
	with the Portuguese Association of Orchidophilia.
	The lecture of 27 July, addressed the subject of
	"Dendrobiums and how they grow on trees"
	(speaker Graziela Meister) and the lecture of 28
	July on "The Cultivation of Cattleya" (speaker José
	Costa).
16 Septembrer	The BioBlitz of the Botanical Garden.
27 September	Workshop "Arboriculture in Fundação de
	Serralves", in partnership with Fundação de
	Serralves.

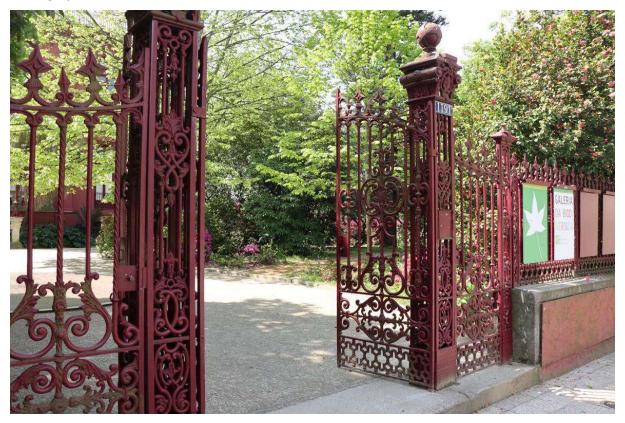
5 and 6 March	Participation in the XXII Exhibition of Camellias of
	Porto, at Fundação de Serralves
25 and 26 March	Participation in the Exhibition of camellias of Vila
	do Conde.
31 March to 2 de April	Participation in the 8th International Orchid
	Exhibition/Trade.
16 March	Hosting of the lecture "A journey through the
	world of permaculture", coordinated by Professor
	Isabel Silva (FCUP) and speaker Eunice Lisboa
	Neves.
1 May	Hosting of ENEAP's closing session.
21 June	Visit entitled "Solstice – poetry and drinks at
	dusk", in partnership with Professor Karen Lacroix
	(FBAUP), with readings of Sophia de Mello
	Breyner Andresen poems and a guided tour.
22 September	"European Heritage Days", in partnership with the
	City Council of Porto
22 Dezember	Guided tour of the Garden and Hall of
	Biodiversity, in partnership with Cultour and Casa
	da Arquitetura within the Programme for
	Contemporary Architecture.
28 Octuber	Hosting of the activity "Camping with stories –
	Happy Readers Nights", organized by the
	Association of Portuguese Book Publishers (APEL).
16, 17 and 22 December	Hosting of one of the "Scientific Illustration
	Courses of the University of Porto (CICUP)"
	modules at the Botanical Garden and Hall of
	Biodiversity, taught by Francisca Cavaleiro.

January to December	Guided tours for organized groups
3 and 4 Februay	Participation in the Exhibition of Camellias of Vila
	do Conde.
24 and 25 February	Participation in the Exhibition of camellias of
	Lousada
3 and 4 March	Participation in the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Exhibition of Camellias of
	Porto
8 March	Workshop "Talking with the Camellias" in
	partnership with the Portuguese Association of
	Camellias
26 March to 6 April	Easter Workshop
3 July to 31 August	Summer Workshop
17 to 28 Dezember	Christmas Workshop
5 October	Activities for families "The husking."
11 November	The "Magusto" (Chestnut roasting activity), with
	the Children's Workshop "Hair-raising
	experience" and free guided tours for visitors of
	the Garden.

2 to 27 de July	"Bioexplorers" activity within the framework of
	the Junior University activities, covering topics
	such as biodiversity conservation, taxonomy, etc.
19 and 20 May	"The Allure of Orchids" exhibition and workshop
	in partnership with the Portuguese Association of
	Orchidophilia.
20 May	Tour: "Hall of Biodiversity – CCV and Botanical
	Garden by Night", guided by Professor Paulo
	Farinha Marques as part of the International
	Museum Day.
22 May	Guided tours to the Botanical Garden, as part of
	the International Biodiversity Day.
15 September	Tour guided by Professor Paulo Farinha Marques
	in the context of the "Knowledge Routes"
	initiative
30 September	Collaboration in the "Heritage Days" initiative, in
	partnership with the City Council of Porto.
February	Visit to the Cabanões and D. Pedro I Elementary
	Schools within the framework of the Echo-Schools
	project.
10 July	Promotion of the workshop "i-naturalist:
	exploring the educational potential of an app in a
	garden" as part of the 5 <sup>th</sup> International Meeting of
	Casa das Ciências (House of Sciences).

January to December	Guided tours for organized groups
23 and 24 Februray	Participation in the Exhibition of Camellias of Vila
	do Conde.
4 May	"Como coisa que nos é cedida", a crowdfunding session organized by the Montis Association.
7 June	Workshop "Rehabilitation of the public spaces", organized by the APRUPP (Associação Portuguesa para a Reabilitação Urbana e Proteção do Património).
25 November	Workshop "O lado B da LIPOR", organized by LIPOR
23 and 24 February	Participation in the Exhibition of camellias of Lousada
2 and 3 March	Participation in the Exhibition of Camellias of Porto
21 March	Donation of 8 trees (4 <i>Quercus rubra</i> and 4 <i>Quercus robur</i> ) to the schools grouping of Pêro de Vaz Caminha for planting as a celebration of the Tree World Day
27 July	Collaboration in the "Ciclo Animalidades e Outras" initiative, in partnership with the "Casa das Artes".
5 December	Volunteering day. Botanical Garden team developed a volunteer activity in the Association Sr. do Bonfim.

## Photographic record



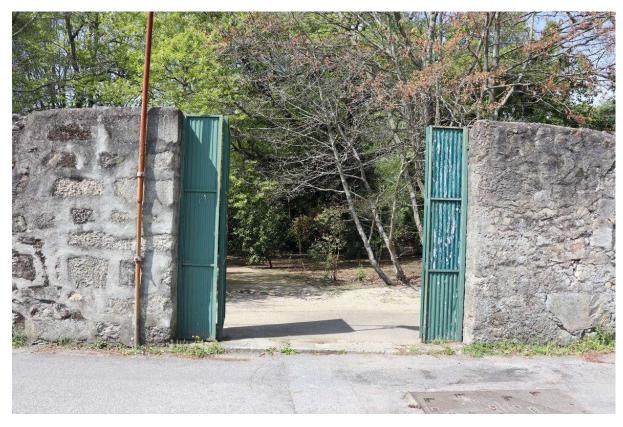
Main entrance to the Botanical Garden.



 $\label{thm:continuous} \textbf{Entrance panel with information of Botanical Garden and Hall of Biodiversity}.$ 



Entrance dedicated to visitors of e-learning café.



Entrance that links the garden with the Faculty of Sciences of University of Porto.



Entrance at the intersection of the Rua do Campo Alegre with Travessa de Entrecampos.



Car entrance.



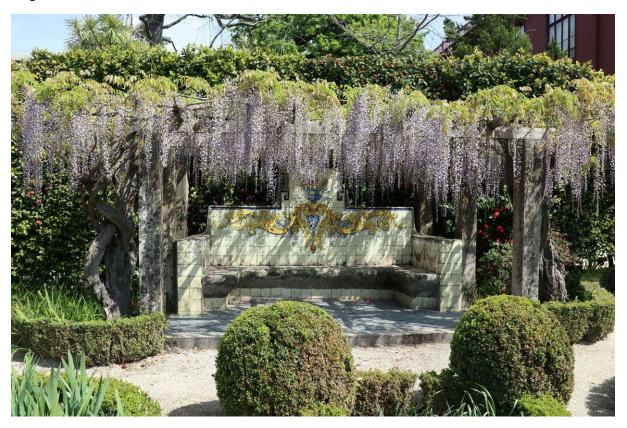
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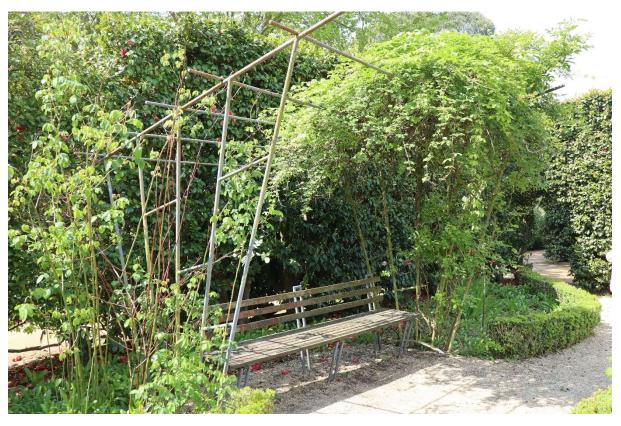
Drinking fountain in the parking área.



Pergola at the Shale Garden.



Pergola above the bench of the "J's" Garden.



Bench in the Fish Garden fitted with iron supports for plants.



Proximity of Botanical Garden to highway.



Plastic labels for specimens.



Water deposit.



Pumping house.



Salabert house/E-learning café



Wood deposited in strategic flowerbeds.



Organic matter placed in specific flowerbeds.



Water elements that promove the animal life.



Amphibians existent in water elements.



Stones deposited as habitat for small reptiles.



Collection of oaks.



Mix border of native plants around the Hall of Biodiversity.



Flowerbeds of aromatic plants.



Birds nests installed in the trees.



Bonsai collection.



Main entrance of Hall of Bidiversity.



Historic hedges of Camellia.



Historic hedges of boxwood.



Liquidambar styraciflua (Sweet gum) after damage in 2018.



Quercus suber (Cork tree) in the arboretum.



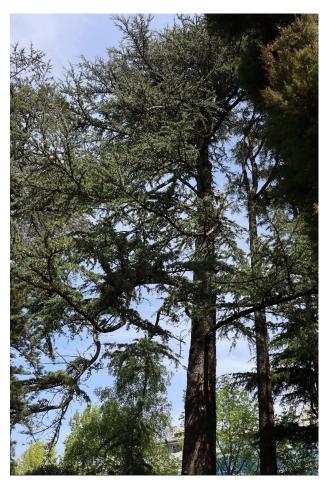
Pinus pinea (Pine tree) and Carpinus betulus (Hornbeans).



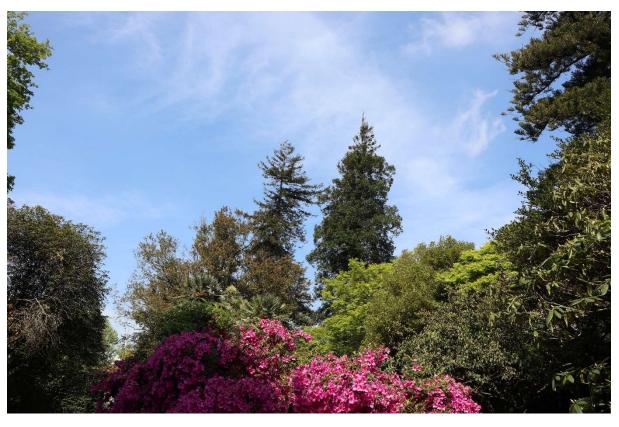
Carpinus betulus (Hornbeans) and Pinus strobus (Pine tree).



Araucaria heterophylla (Norfolk pine) in the bosquets.



Cedrus libanii (Cedars).



Sequoia sempervirens (Sequoias).



Azalea and Rhododendron.



Cactus and succulents collection.



Orchid greenhouse.

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