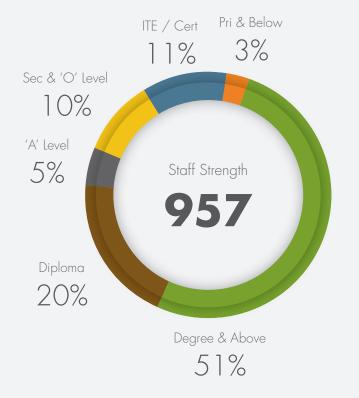
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• Degree & Above	492
• Diploma	187
• 'A' Level	48
Sec & 'O' Level	96
• ITE / Cert	106
• Pri & Below	28
GRAND TOTAL	957

As of 31 March 2012

Bedok Reservoir Park



# National Day Awards

<b>Dr Lena Chan,</b> Director National Biodiversity Centre	Public Administration Medal (Silver)
<b>Mr Koh Soon Kiong,</b> Curator Istana, Conservation	Public Administration Medal (Bronze)
Mr Oh Cheow Sheng, Director Streetscape	Public Administration Medal (Bronze)
Mr Abdul Hamid bin Mohd, Assistant Director Landscaping & Arboriculture, Streetscape	Commendation Medal
<b>Ms Poh Joo Nam,</b> Assistant Curator Istana, Conservation	Commendation Medal
<b>Mr Tan Chin Peng,</b> Section Head <i>GIS, Streetscape</i>	Commendation Medal
Mdm Mao Hwee Lan, Personal Assistant Parks 1	Efficiency Medal
<b>Ms Ow Siew Ngim,</b> Senior Manager Streetscape West, Streetscape	Efficiency Medal

## Long Service Medals

<b>Ms Camelia H Marican,</b> Manager Singapore Garden Festival, Singapore Botanic Gardens	Long Service Medal
Mr Yeo Meng Tong, Director Parks Development	Long Service Medal

## Awards and Accolades

Excellent Service Award 2011	8 Star, 4 Gold, 12 Silver
PS21 Star Service Award 2011	1
PS21 ExCEL Convention 2011	Best PS21 Project (Gold)
MND Minister's Award (Team) 2011	1
ISO 9001:2008	
ISO 14001:2004	
Share Awards 2011	Gold
Total Defence Awards 2011	Meritorious Defence Partner Award (MDPA)

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## Regional Parks Managed by NParks

	Area (ha)
Admiralty Park	25.67
Ang Mo Kio Town Garden East	4.94
Ang Mo Kio Town Garden West	20.63
Bedok Reservoir Park	42.39
Bedok Town Park	14.62
Bishan-Ang Mo Kio Park	62.00
Bukit Batok Nature Park	35.74
Bukit Batok Town Park – Little Guilin	42.16
Bukit Timah Nature Reserve	162.64
Central Catchment Nature Reserve	455.00
Changi Beach Park	31.11
Choa Chu Kang Park	5.00
Clementi Woods Park	11.73
Coney Island	46.64
Dairy Farm Nature Park	75.32
Duxton Plain Park	1.80
East Coast Park	209.60
Empress Place	1.50
Esplanade Park	2.40
Fort Canning Park	19.74
Hindhede Nature Park	10.39
Hong Lim Park	1.26
HortPark	23.50
Istana Park	1.30
Jurong Central Park	7.18
Kallang Riverside Park	4.81
Kent Ridge Park	46.52
Kim Seng Park	0.90
Kranji Nature Trail	38.45

Kranji Reservoir & Fishing Grounds	9.00
Labrador Nature Reserve (Labrador Park and Nature Reserve)	25.44
Lower Peirce Reservoir	6.00
Lower Seletar Reservoir Park	3.30
MacRitchie Reservoir Park	12.00
Marina Promenade	15.10
Mount Faber Park	56.46
One-north Park	3.39
Pasir Ris Park	73.02
Pasir Ris Town Park	12.76
Pearl's Hill City Park	8.48
Pulau Ubin Recreation Area	649.94
Punggol Park	16.21
Punggol Waterway Park	12.30
Sembawang Park	15.48
Sengkang Riverside Park	20.70
Singapore Botanic Gardens	64.04
Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve	164.61
Sun Plaza Park	9.58
Tampines Eco Green	36.50
Telok Ayer Green	0.13
Telok Blangah Hill Park	34.19
Tiong Bahru Park	3.00
Toa Payoh Town Park	4.78
Upper Peirce Reservoir	12.00
Upper Seletar Reservoir	15.00
War Memorial Park	1.64

West Coast Park	50.00
Windsor Interim Green	60.00
Woodlands Town Garden	10.94
Woodlands Waterfront Park	11.22
Yishun Park	14.15
Zhenghua Park	13.50
Total	2,849.80

## Total Number of Parks

Regional parks	62
Neighbourhood parks	254
Park connectors*	46
Total	362

## Total Area Maintained

Parks (Regional parks <sup>**</sup> , neighbourhood parks and park connectors)	2,300.02
Nature reserves	3,347
Istana and Parliament House grounds	42
Roadside greenery	2,656
Vacant state land	1,492
Government premises	9
Total	9,846.02

Area (ha)

\*

The total mileage of the park connectors maintained is 209 kilometres as of 31 March 2012. Excludes Bukit Timah Nature Reserve, Central Catchment Nature Reserve, Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve and 10 hectares from Labrador Nature Reserve which have been computed under 'Nature reserves'. \* \*

#### Toa Payoh Town Park



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## **CUGE Training Programmes**

The Centre for Urban Greenery and Ecology (CUGE) was established by NParks as a regional centre of excellence to advance urban and green living environment, and a one-stop training and knowledge hub in urban greenery and ecology.

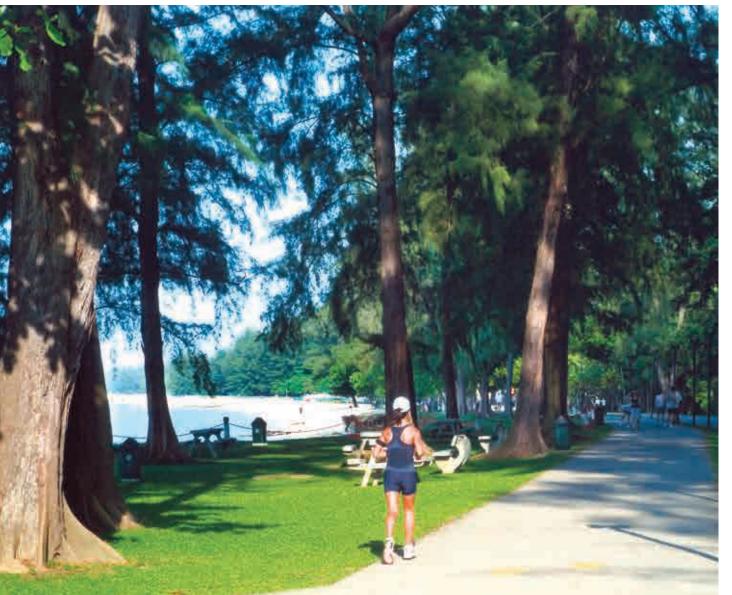
#### Number of Training Places

International Briefings/Overseas Executive Programmes	1,173
Seminars, Workshops & Professional Speaker Series	2,808
WSQ Courses	3,251
Certification Programmes	111
Total	7,343

### Workforce Skills Qualification (WSQ) Courses

WSQ Certificate in Landscape Operations
WSQ Higher Certificate in Landscape Operations (Arboriculture)
WSQ Advanced Certificate in Landscape Supervision (Arboriculture)
WSQ Advanced Certificate in Landscape Supervision (Parks, Reserves and Gardens)
WSQ Advanced Certificate in Landscape Supervision (Landscape Design & Construction)
WSQ Diploma in Landscape Management (Parks, Reserves and Gardens)

East Coast Park



### Professional Certification Programmes

Certified Arborist Programme

Certified Arborist Municipal Specialist Programme

Certified Park Manager Programme

Certified Playground Safety Inspector Programme

Certified Practising Horticulturist Programme

### Seminars / Professional Speaker Series / Workshops

MND Urban Sustainability R&D Congress – Urban Ecology Track 2<sup>nd</sup> Water Sensitive Urban Landscape Seminar Ecological Guidelines for Aquatic Systems Seminar Trees Sensitive Urban Design Seminar 3<sup>rd</sup> Regional Turf Seminar Earth Control Measures Seminar Standards on Planting Media High Rise Green Building Irrigation Integrating Environmental Infrastructure into Place Making WSUD Landscape and Ecology Workshop Tropical Turfgrass Identification, Uses & Requirements 2<sup>nd</sup> International Landscape Productivity Seminar What is Tree Biomechanics and Why Should I Care? 5<sup>th</sup> Regional Arbo Seminar NParks Legislation & Enforcement Management Course Social and Therapeutic Horticulture Workshop Landscape Safety Orientation Course

Ecological Habitats: Freshwater Habitat

Basic Nature Interpretation Course

The Living Gardens: Native Plants

Water Quality Monitoring Workshop

Ecological Habitats: Mangrove

The Living Gardens: Creating Dragonfly-Friendly Habitat

Requirements for Biodiversity Impact Assessment in Singapore

Slope Protection and Maintenance Course

The Living Gardens: Managing Bees and Wasps

Plant Health and Pest Management

Plant Diversity and Nomenclature – Part 1

Plant Diversity and Nomenclature – Part 2

Edible Landscaping – Creating Landscapes with Edible Plant Species

Truck Mounted Aerial Lift Refresher Training and Re-certification

Land Surveying Appreciation Course

Seminar on Safe Design for Skyrise Greenery

Advanced Hands-On Tree Pruning Workshop

Messing Up Old Trees with Pruning and Other Interventions

Professional Speaker Series: The Softer Side of Sustainability (Martha Schwartz)

Professional Speaker Series: Innovative Biological Products as Sustainable Alternatives to Chemicals for the Environment (Dr Yannick Bidon)

### International Briefings and Overseas Executive Programmes

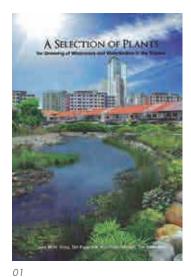
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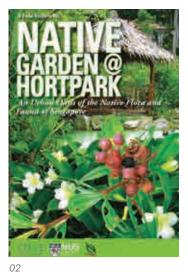
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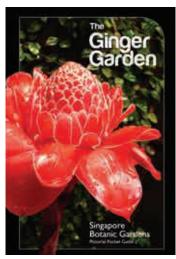
Briefings for Overseas Delegates

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# **Publications**

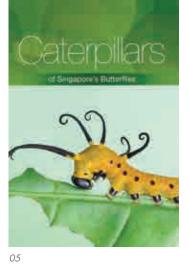




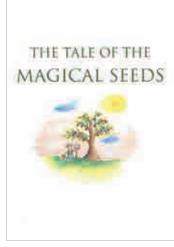


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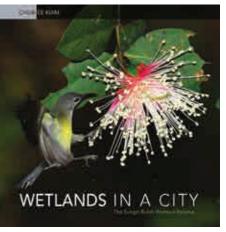
Our Fragile Rainforest



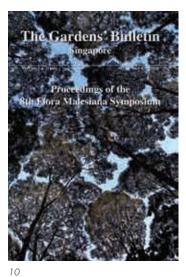
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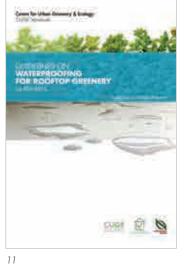






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#### Books

- 01 A Selection of Plants for Greening of Waterways and Waterbodies in the Tropics By Dr Jean W.H. Yong, Dr Tan Puay Yok, Nor Hafiz Hassan, Dr Tan Swee Ngin
- 02 Native Garden @ HortPark By Dr Tan Puay Yok, Dr Richard T. Corlett, Dr Hugh T.W. Tan

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- 03 The Ginger Garden By Dr Jana Leong-Škornicková and Dina Gallick
- 04 Tropical Gardeners' Guide to Healthy Plants By Dr Pim Sanderson, Dr Fong Yok King, Daniel Burcham
- 05 Caterpillars of Singapore's Butterflies By Horace Tan and Khew Sin Khoon
- 06 Our Fragile Rainforest By Dr Leong Tzi Ming and James Gan
- 07 The Tale of the Magical Seeds By Dr Chin See Chung
- 08 Migratory Birds of Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve By James Gan, Mendis Tan, David Li
- 09 Wetlands in a City By Dr Chua Ee Kiam

#### Journals

10 The Gardens' Bulletin Singapore

#### CUGE Standards

- 11 CS E05:2012, Guidelines on Waterproofing for Rooftop Greenery
- 12 CS E06:2012, Guidelines on Irrigation for Rooftop Greenery
- 13 CS E07:2012, Guidelines on General Maintenance for Rooftop Greenery

#### Periodicals

- 14 Gardenwise
- 15 CITYGREEN

The CUGE publication CITYGREEN won the Award of Excellence under the Green Magazine/Journal category in APEX 2012 (24<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards for Publication Excellence). It was also one of the five finalists for the MPAS Award (Magazine Publishers' Association of Singapore), under the Trade Magazine category.

These publications are available for sale at The Library Shop and The Garden Shop at the Singapore Botanic Gardens. Visit www.sbg.org.sg for opening hours and contact information.