



# Syllabus

## HRT 160 Unique Horticulture Facilities

### General Information

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**Course Prefix**

HRT

**Course Number**

160

**Course Title**

Unique Horticulture Facilities

### Course Information

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**Credit Hours**

1

**Lecture Contact Hours**

1

**Lab Contact Hours**

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**Other Contact Hours**

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**Catalog Description**

This three- to four-day course provides students with field and travel experiences relative to their coursework in horticulture. This travel course is conducted in different locations in the Northeastern United States that are noted for their botanical gardens and horticulture facilities. Students will be provided with the opportunities to observe a wide variety of plant species and learn about their identification and care. Employment opportunities at the visited facilities will be explored.

**Key Assessment**

This course does not contain a Key Assessment for any programs

**Prerequisites**

None

**Co-requisites**

None

**Grading Scheme**

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## First Year Experience/Capstone Designation

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This course DOES NOT satisfy the outcomes applicable for status as a FYE or Capstone.

## SUNY General Education

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This course is designated as satisfying a requirement in the following SUNY Gen Ed category

None

## FLCC Values

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**Institutional Learning Outcomes Addressed by the Course**

Global Concerns

Citizenship

## Course Learning Outcomes

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1. Analyze and identify the layout and design elements of the visited sites relative to traffic flow, displays and, display maintenance requirements
2. Identify plants not commonly found in the plant hardiness zone of home and describe the cultural requirements of these new plants
3. Prepare a field journal of the trip, locations and, participation activities
4. Assess the variety of opportunities available through an internship at a public or botanical garden
5. Demonstrate tolerance and acceptance of lifestyle differences as required on a group trip

## Outline of Topics Covered

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I. Public and Private Garden Electronic Resources

- a. Pre-trip postings and review

II. Journal writing skills discussions

a. Graphic tools

b. On-site tools

III. Discussion of internships / jobs opportunities in various site types

IV. Plant information

a. Identification

b. Cultural requirements