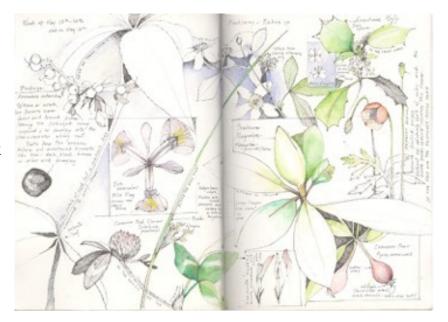
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## Maintaining a Field Sketchbook

Lara Call Gastinger

Saturday, October 15, 2016 9:00 am – noon Pittsburgh Botanic Garden



Have you ever started a field sketchbook but ended up with incomplete pages and inconsistent entries? This class with botanist Lara Call Gastinger will teach basic plant identification, how to observe and document plants, and how to successfully maintain a sketchbook.

## **Supply List**

- •Bring a blank sketchbook. The page size should be at least 8 ½ x11 inches. I suggest bringing a sketchbook that has heavy paper that can handle watercolor. Please make sure it is smooth (HOT) press.
- •HB pencil
- •Micron 01 pen
- Portable watercolor brush (water brushes are good options)
- •Portable watercolor travel set (optional since I will have some paint too)
- •Small jar for water
- •Anything to make you feel comfortable outside hat, sunscreen, sunglasses, etc.

## Bio

Lara Call Gastinger is a botanical artist and illustrator for the Flora of Virginia Project. She was awarded a gold medal at the RHS show in London and her work has been in numerous ASBA traveling exhibits and the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation.