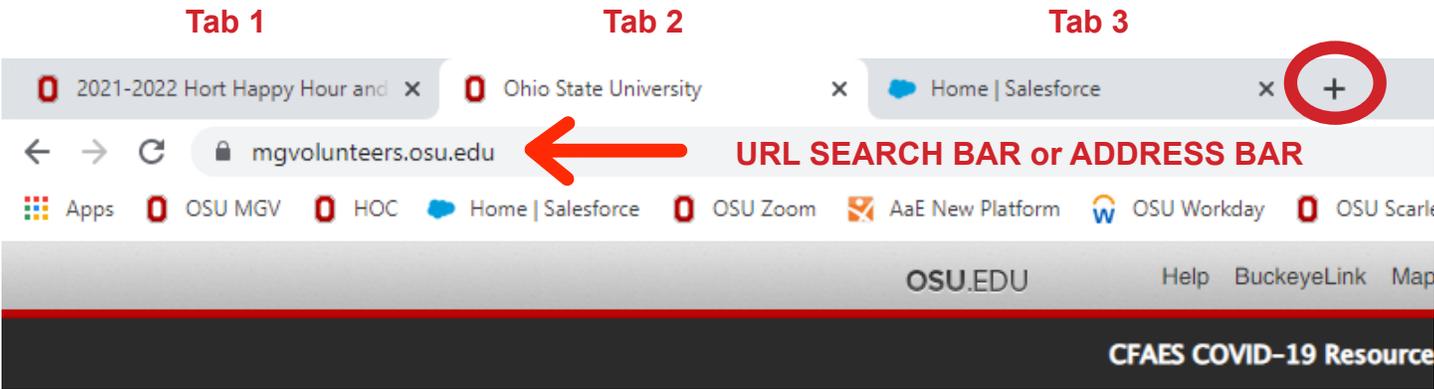


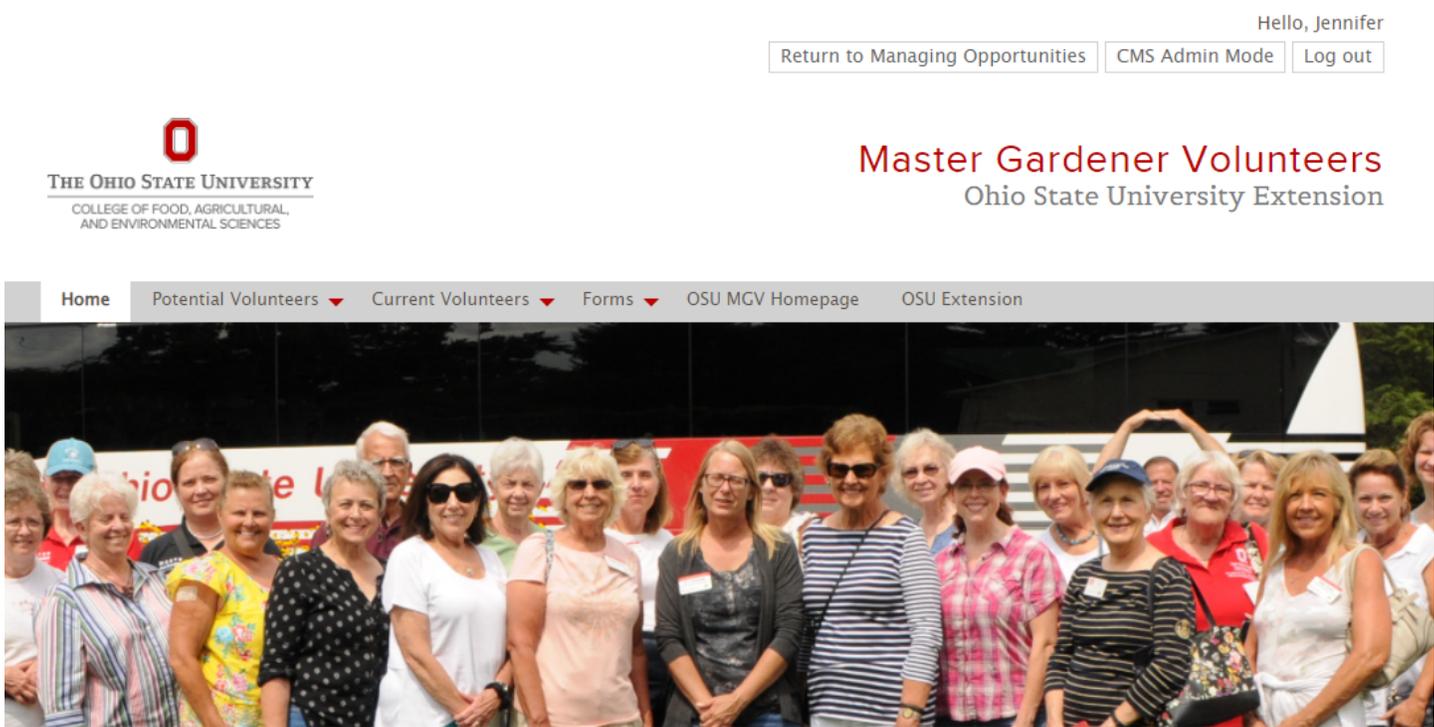
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Creating an Account in HOC

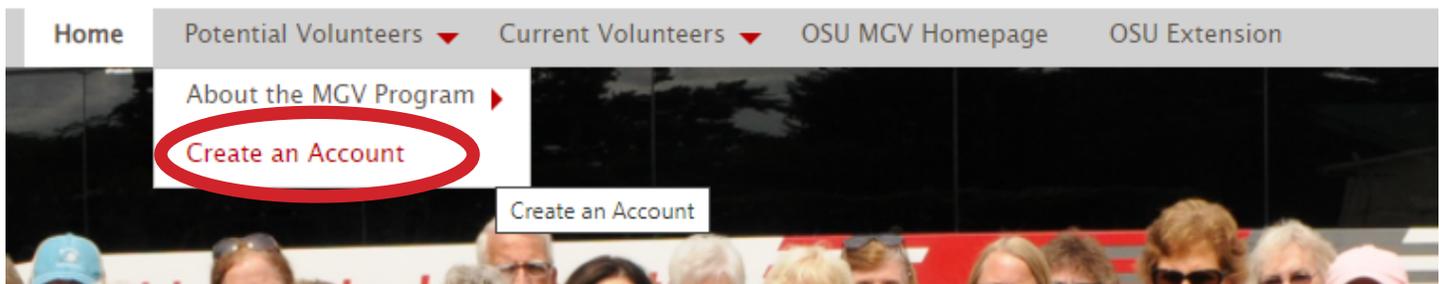
1. Go to your internet browser (Google, Firefox, Internet Explorer, etc.) and type <https://mgvolunteers.osu.edu/> into the search bar. You can have multiple pages open at the same time, toggling between them by clicking on the tabs at the top of the page. Add a new page by clicking the plus sign. Close a tab by clicking the “x” next to it.



Hands on Connect Homepage



2. From the HOC Homepage, hover over “Potential Volunteers” and scroll down to “Create an Account”



3. You will need an email address and password for this next step. Fill in your information, fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required. The remaining fields are optional but encouraged. Login credentials for HOC do not need to be the same as VMS but can be if you'd like. The platforms are not linked. If you forget your password, you will be able to reset it.

BASIC INFO

First Name *

Last Name *

Year of Birth *

CONTACT INFO

Main Address Type

Home Street *

Home City *

Home State *

LOG IN INFORMATION

Email Address *
A verification code will be sent to this email, after clicking next.

Confirm Email Address *

Password *

Confirm Password *

3. You will now need to check your email to retrieve the verification code to complete your account setup. If your email service (Outlook, Gmail, etc) is not open in your internet browser, click the plus sign to open a new tab.

By continuing with the registration process you are indicating your acceptance with the Terms and Conditions for this site. Clicking on the Next button below indicates you accept the the site's terms and conditions. [Click Here to view the Terms And Conditions.](#)

[Resend Code](#)

4. From the email that you received, simply jot down the number, or copy the verification code by highlighting it with your mouse, right click and click "copy".

Dear Jennifer Andon,

We received a request to use the email address mgvosu@gmail.com in <https://mgvolunteers.osu.edu>. If you were prompted for a verification code, please enter the following

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If this wasn't you, you can safely disregard this email. Probably your email was entered by mistake.

Thanks,
The Ohio State University

5. You can close out of your email by clicking the "x" or just switch tabs by clicking on the Hands on Connect tab that is already open.

6. With your cursor in the verification code box, type in the number, or right click your mouse then click “Paste” to add in the verification code. Then click “Verify”

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7. Complete the diversity information and click “Finish”.

Diversity Information

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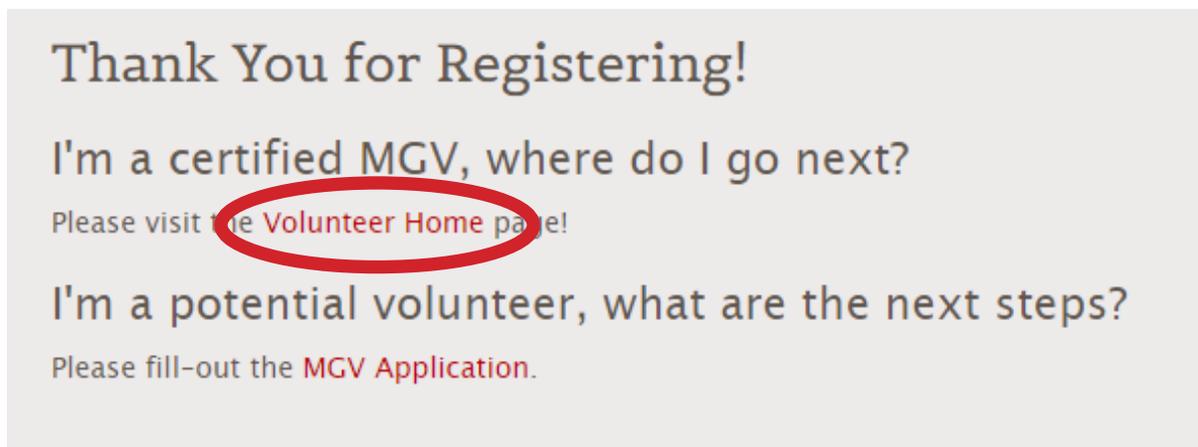
Gender *

Ethnicity *

Hispanic or Latino? *

Veteran Status *

8. You will receive a confirmation once you have completed the registataion process. Next, click on “Volunteer Home Page”



9. This will take you to your volunteer home page.

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My Hours

Volunteer Hours

This Year	Last Year	Lifetime
35	0	35

Continuing Education Hours

This Year	Last Year	Lifetime
0	0	0

These numbers are updated once a day and represent all hours in the system (including unverified hours).

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