
RE: MES Admission Letter, Fall 2025

From LeRoy, Carri <leroyc@evergreen.edu>

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To Azar, Averil <Averil.A.Azar@evergreen.edu>; Davies-Ahmed, Sophia <dav19035@byui.edu>

Cc Graduate Admissions <graduateadmissions@evergreen.edu>

Dear Sophia,

The faculty discussed the two courses you describe below again. We were originally concerned (and remain somewhat concerned) that these two courses did not provide you with a sense of the methods used in social science or broader context of society-environment interactions that you might get in a course like "Social Science," "Political Economy," or "Society and Environment," or something similar.

However, we would be willing to accept the combination of these two courses to meet the pre-requisite for MES, with the recommendation (not requirement) that you gain some additional academic familiarity with the social sciences prior to fall of 2025. Taking a class in the social sciences prior to enrolling in MES would give you a stronger foundation to build on. However, I am willing to waive the Social Science pre-requisite based mainly on the recent Childhood Development course.

If you have further questions, please send them my way. -Carri

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Sent: Wednesday, January 29, 2025 10:31 AM

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Subject: RE: MES Admission Letter, Fall 2025

Hi Sophia,

Thank you so much for accepting your admissions to the MES program, we are excited to have you with us in MES this fall! The faculty are currently reviewing your social science prerequisite and will provide a final determination on the courses you have submitted this week 😊. Thank you for your patience and we will look out for your final statistics transcript in April which you may send to Shalimar in graduateadmissions@evergreen.edu when it is ready.

Please reach out if you have any questions!

Best wishes,
-Averi

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Dear Averi,

Words can't express my gratitude for being accepted into this program! I am so excited and have all the registration and orientation dates marked in my calendar leading up to September. I would like to formally accept my admission into the MES program.

As for the prerequisites that were said to be missing until completed, I wanted to assure you that I am taking biostatistics currently, and should have that course completed by the time I graduate with my bachelor's on April 11th.

I did have a question about the social sciences requirement. I will send you a screenshot of my transcript of the course that I thought met that requirement, which is called "Readings in Hispanic Literature Advanced Speaker." If this doesn't fit the requirement, I have also taken child development in Fall 2022. Please let me know if these don't qualify as social sciences and I'll find a way to take a class that does online after I graduate.

Thank you again!

Sophia Davies-Ahmed

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From: Azar, Averi <Averi.A.Azar@evergreen.edu>
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Dear Sophia,

Congratulations! I am pleased to provide you with your official Admission Letter to the Fall 2025 cohort in the Master of Environmental Studies program. You are part of a diverse, capable, and dedicated cohort of environmental leaders selected to begin the program this year.