

Application Related Information

Application: Application Verified
Grad Program Applying To: MES

Iteration Name: 202610_GR_G
Program Name: MES

Recommendation Information

Recommended By:	Jason Sampson	Recommenders Title:	Director of Washington State University Environmental Health and Safety
Recommenders Institution:	Washington State University	Contact Name:	Cynthia Garcia
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs:	I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.	Recommendation Waiver Choice:	
Recommendation Form Submitted:	✓	Recommendation Status:	Received
Received Date:	02/10/2025 03:43 PM	Recommender Assessment:	I recommend this applicant.
Recommendation Type:	General	Recommender Form:	Letter of Recommendation
Recommendation Entity ID:	1024000121809177	Recommendation Owner:	Josephine Bernier

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:	Applicant ability as self-directed learner:
Time since last contact with applicant:	Applicant as productive member of group:
Relationship with Applicant:	Applicant most significant strengths:
Ability to complete rigorous grad program:	Responsibility/reliability:
Communication Skills - Oral:	Communication skills - written:
Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:	Ability to work independently:
Ability to handle stress:	Ability to think critically:
Ability to analyze/problem solve:	Ability to think creatively:
Openness to feedback:	Potential for leadership:
Ability to work in a team:	Personal/professional reflection:

Description Information

Description: Form URL: <https://evergreenstatecollege.radius>

Other Information

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February 10, 2025

To Whom It May Concern,

It is with great pleasure I am sending this recommendation on behalf of Cynthia Garcia for admission into Evergreen State College for a Master's in Environmental Studies. During her tenure at Washington State University (WSU) I had the opportunity to interact with her as a student in a Sustainability: Applied Improvement or Promotion Projects class. I was impressed at her willingness to learn and interact with fellow students and WSU staff, and I am confident she will be an asset to your program.

Cynthia is naturally goal oriented. She demonstrated the ability to set a goal, determine the steps required to reach the goal, and execute the developed plan. Her leadership, communication skills, organization, and time management allowed her to be successful in the classroom in both group settings and individual projects. Her aptitude and creativity was evident in her work. Cynthia selected a final project designing an experiment on how to best implement composting in a dormitory setting. The project was used in a pilot program the following year at Olympia Residential Hall on the WSU Pullman campus.

As evident in Cynthia's resume and entrance letter, she is highly motivated and values education. Cynthia did not take any of her responsibilities lightly and made the best of every opportunity to serve as an avenue for growth in her personal and professional life. Cynthia is bright, driven, and charismatic. Her desire to obtain a Master's in Environmental Studies seems to be a perfect fit. I have no doubt Cynthia will flourish in graduate school. I would love to answer any questions or provide further clarification, should you have any.

Thank you for your consideration.



Jason Sampson
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