Dear ${Contacts.First Name},  
  
Thank you for requesting information about Evergreen’s **[Master of Environmental Studies (MES)](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/)** degree! If you requested a MES Information Packet, it’s on its way. In the mean time, here is some important info to help you decide if MES is right for you:  
   
**About MES**  
  
MES is a two-year evening degree that trains you to be one of tomorrow’s environmental leaders through its unique, interdisciplinary **[curriculum](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/program)** in beautiful Olympia, Washington.

* **Courses are team-taught** by natural and social sciences **[faculty](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/staff)**, and **[students](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/current-mes-students)** come from a variety of academic backgrounds and majors.
* **We help you find meaningful** [**internships**](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/internships.htm) **or** [**jobs**](http://blogs.evergreen.edu/mesweekly/) during the day so that you are building your resume while earning your degree.
* **Our** [**tuition**](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/costs.htm) **is lower** than any other environmental graduate degree in Western Washington and more than 75% of students who apply for aid receive funding.
* **MES** [**alumni**](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/graduates) work in the public and private sectors on everything from conservation to environmental education or go on to earn their Ph.D.

**Learn More**

* **Info sessions** are a great way to learn about the program from MES staff and ask questions in person.Register for an in-person or online[**info session**](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MESinfosessions)
* MES staff attend many different events, from Graduate Fairs to Conferences! Stop by at one of these events to talk with an MES representative or set up a[**campus visit or visit us**](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/visit) in a city near you!
* Keep up with MES through our **[program blog](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/blog)** or through **[Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/evergreenmes)**, **[Twitter](https://twitter.com/EvergreenMES)** and **[Instagram](https://instagram.com/evergreenmes/)**.
* Prep for MES by reviewing our **[admission requirements](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/apply)**.

We look forward to seeing your **[application](http://www.evergreen.edu/mes/apply)**, and please let me know if you have any further questions.

Kind Regards,

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