Marine Studies

Evergreen's approach to Marine Studies stresses:

Human concern for the marine environment and the use of its resources

Maritime explorations, old and new

Natural history and ecology, marine biology and oceanography

Marine affairs, fisheries and aquaculture, marine resources, water quality, coastal zone management, and maritime commerce

Environmental education

Intensive field work

We suggest students interested in concentrating in **Marine Studies** follow the sequence of study described below:

First Year

Any Core Program, including study in the arts, humanities, social sciences, and sciences.

Second or Third Year

"Habitats: Marine, Terrestrial and Human"

"Matter and Motion" or "Foundations of Natural Science"

Third or Fourth Year

"The Marine Environment"
"Invertebrate Life in the Sea"
"Topics in Marine Biology"
"Sustainable Community Systems"
"Geology and Chemistry of Pollution"
"Environment, Regions and Governance"
Other environmental studies programs, such as: "Third World Service in
Agriculture and Environmental Studies,"
internships or individual projects.

Interdisciplinary programs allow you to work closely with faculty in small seminars, workshops, labs and lectures. Programs are usually taught by a team of faculty so different subjects and viewpoints are brought together under a theme, topic or issue. Ordinarily you enroll in only one program each quarter. For example, the "Habitats" program examines the interaction of humans with their environments through studies of chemistry, statistics, geology, botany, marine biology and other related subjects.

Close faculty/student contact gives you the benefit of working directly with faculty in your special field. You have the opportunity to see how scientists from different disciplines work together.

Advanced students can choose to work on special research projects, under the sponsorship of an Evergreen faculty member. Research can be conducted in the lab, in the field, in the community and at sea. We also encourage you to get involved in local, regional or national marine affairs, and to become familiar with the complexity of contemporary environmental issues.

Internships

Internships are used by many students to apply what they have learned in such settings as an aquarium, a research lab, state and federal agencies and local conservation organizations. Our Cooperative Education Office guides you in finding an appropriate placement.

Location

Evergreen's location on Eld Inlet in southern Puget Sound is an ideal setting for studying the marine environment.

Advising Services

Our Advising Services enable you to make intelligent decisions about your education at each step of the way, rather than follow standardized requirements. In other words, you are able to work with a faculty or staff advisor in designing a coherent path through our Core, intermediate and advanced offerings. In this way you can combine programs, projects and internships as you work toward your degree. If you have chosen a field of study, if you are undecided, or if you change your mind later, our advisors can assist you in making appropriate plans.

The Learning Environment

Evergreen challenges you to think independently and creatively. You will find that your teachers encourage you to develop your potential and your interests as a student by working productively with others rather than competing with them. Evergreen faculty provide written evaluations rather than grades to reflect your achievements.

The Evergreen State College Olympia, Washington

Life After Evergreen

Overall, Evergreen graduates enjoy unusual success. In our most recent placement survey, 94% of our graduates who responded reported they are employed, in graduate school or in other placements of their choice. Over the years, some of our graduates in Marine Studies have pursued advanced study at the University of Washington, Idaho State University and Oregon State University. Among their employers are the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, various state agencies and the Pacific Science Center.

Evergreen is a public, liberal arts college of 3000 students, offering Bachelor's and Master's degrees. Tuition is \$537 per quarter for Washington state residents and \$1883 per quarter for non-residents.

For further information about Evergreen and for help in planning your Marine Studies please contact:

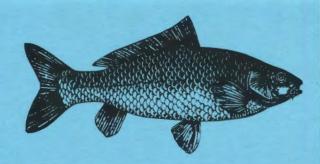
Admissions: (206) 866-6824 Academic Advising: (206) 866-6000, ext. 6312

or write:

Admissions Office The Evergreen State College Olympia, WA 98505

Prospective students who wish to request a catalog should call the Admissions Office at (206) 866-6824. After working hours (5 p.m. P.S.T.), an answering machine will record your request.

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