

Application Related Information

Application: Application Incomplete
Grad Program Applying To: MPA

Iteration Name: 202510_GR_G
Program Name: MPA

Recommendation Information

Recommended By: Tamsin Foucher
Recommenders Institution: Evergreen
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Form Submitted: ✓

Recommenders Title: Director CELTC
Contact Name: Summer Anderson
Recommendation Waiver Choice: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Status: Received

Received Date: 02/01/2024 04:10 PM
Recommendation Type: General
Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000117265809

Recommender Assessment: I recommend this applicant.
Recommender Form: MPA Letter of Recommendation/Form
Recommendation Owner: Josephine Bernier

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:	6 months	Applicant ability as self-directed learner:	From my experience, Summer has engaged in advanced self-directed learning in both the courses she has completed as well as an ILC that I am sponsoring for her over the winter 2024 quarter.
Time since last contact with applicant:	Still in contact weekly	Applicant as productive member of group:	I am unable to provide an estimate as I have not observed Summer's work in a group setting.
Relationship with Applicant:	Faculty-Student	Applicant most significant strengths:	Summer's academic work while in my courses at Evergreen has reflected a strong capacity to think systemically, critically reflect and analyze, carefully integrate feedback over time, communicate complex and challenging concepts to a variety of stakeholders, and take responsibility for her learning.
Ability to complete rigorous grad program:	Outstanding	Responsibility/reliability:	Outstanding
Communication Skills - Oral:	Outstanding	Communication skills - written:	Excellent
Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:	Outstanding	Ability to work independently:	Outstanding
Ability to handle stress:	Unable to Judge	Ability to think critically:	Excellent

Ability to analyze/problem
solve: Excellent

Ability to think creatively: Outstanding

Openness to feedback: Outstanding

Potential for leadership: Excellent

Ability to work in a team: Unable to Judge

Personal/professional
reflection: Excellent

Description Information

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Other Information

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Graduate Admissions Committee
Master of Public Administration Program
The Evergreen State College
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Dear Members of the Evergreen MPA Admissions Committee,

I am writing to strongly recommend Summer Anderson for admission to the Master of Public Administration program at The Evergreen State College. I have had the pleasure of having Summer as a student in a few of my courses here at Evergreen, and I can confidently say that Summer is well-equipped to succeed as a future graduate student at our college.

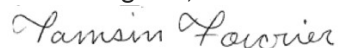
Summer's application materials provide a glimpse into her remarkable life experiences, resilience, and commitment to building a better world for all. She brings a wealth of life experiences that uniquely position her to address complex social problems through the lens of recovery and community engagement. Summer's strengths lie not only in her journey but also in her ability to engage with and support others. Her experience as an after-hours Resource Specialist, Re-Entry Specialist in the Welcome Home Program, and House Manager for a women's recovery residence demonstrates her commitment to community service, restorative justice practices, and support for those in need. Her work as a Peer Counselor at a substance use treatment center, legislative advocacy with the Washington Recovery Alliance, and contributions to the Salish Recovery Coalition demonstrate her dedication to working for positive change on both an individual and societal level.

Summer's academic work while in my courses at Evergreen has reflected a strong capacity to think systemically, critically reflect and analyze, carefully integrate feedback over time, communicate complex and challenging concepts to a variety of stakeholders, and take responsibility for her learning. Summer embodies what it means to be an Evergreen student in every way through our Six Expectations and I do not doubt that this embodiment will continue ten-fold as Summer takes her next steps in her academic journey.

I believe Summer is an exceptional candidate for our Master of Public Administration program. I am confident that her passion, combined with the education and experiences offered in your program, will enable her to continue making meaningful contributions to her community and beyond.

Please feel free to contact me if you require any additional information.

Kindest regards,



Tamsin Foucrier, Ph.D.

