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"Nine Dyak Nights: Religion, Myth and Magic of a Borneo People" will be the topic of discussion by anthropologist Lynn D. Patterson April 28 in the continuing "Wednesday Evening Lecture Series" at The Evergreen State College.

The program, open to the public free of charge, will begin promptly at 8:00 p.m. in Auditorium One of the Evergreen Lecture Halls Building.

Ms. Patterson, a former Evergreen academic dean and member of the faculty, will focus her attention on the magic, myth, and religion of the Dyaks of Sarawak, Malaysia through a color slide and tape presentation. An experienced public speaker, writer and photographer, she developed materials for the program during a recent visitation to Borneo.

After serving as principal investigator of a research project for the Puget Sound Governmental Conference, Ms. Patterson joined the Evergreen faculty in 1971, later became an academic dean, and has returned to a full-time teaching assignment. In addition to helping develop Evergreen's Social Sciences academic programs, she continued teaching while serving as a dean and was in charge of faculty recruiting and curriculum planning.

Ms. Patterson has taught anthropology at Bellevue Community College and the University of Washington and has been an instructor in the Oregon System of Higher Education.

She also has been a consultant for governmental and educational organizations, a research specialist and a Peace Corps volunteer.

A student of anthropology, Ms. Patterson received her bachelor's degree from Ohio State University and her master's degree from the University of Washington. She also has undertaken doctoral studies at the U of W.