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Lynn Patterson, a 30-year-old faculty member at The Evergreen State College has been named associate dean for the 1973-74 academic year. The appointment, made April 25 by Provost Ed Kormondy, is effective on or about September 1.

Miss Patterson, faculty coordinator of an academic program entitled "Whole System Earth: Context and Content for Future Planning and Education," joined the Evergreen faculty in 1971. In her new position, she will replace Associate Dean Oscar Soule, who has chosen to rotate back into the faculty next fall.

In announcing the appointment, Kormondy said Miss Patterson "will bring to the Office of the Deans an acute sense of future directions in the State of Washington as a result of her group's studies this year. She will also bring the insights of a social scientist as we begin to explore ways of evaluating the overall effect of our institutional efforts."

A former Peace Corps volunteer to Malaysia for two years, Miss Patterson is a candidate for a doctorate in anthropology from the University of Washington. She earned her master's degree in anthropology from the U. of W. in 1968, and a bachelor's degree from Ohio State University in 1966.

A member of Phi Beta Kappa, Miss Patterson developed a migrant demonstration program for the Yakima Valley Council for Community Action in 1968. She authored a 1968 career development and training program model for the Seattle-King County Economic Opportunity Board. She also served as an associate training development specialist for the Office of Economic Opportunity in Portland, and in 1970 was the principle investigator for the Puget Sound Governmental Conference in Seattle.

Miss Patterson is a native of Springfield, Ohio.

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