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A slide/lecture on solar energy development in the Pacific Northwest will be presented by Ken Smith of the Seattle-based Ecotope Group May 3, beginning at 7 p.m. in Lecture Hall One at The Evergreen State College.

Ecotope, a non-profit corporation, was organized in 1974 to promote research, development and demonstration of solar energy and conservation technologies. During the past two years, the group has offered lectures, demonstrations and workshops throughout the western states and Canada, and has completed commissioned projects for the Department of Ecology, Pacific Northwest Arts and Crafts Commission and the King County Fair.

The Tuesday evening program, presented by Evergreen students in the Back to the Land study program, is free and open to the public.