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Welcome!

Congratulations on your acceptance to the MPA at Evergreen Tacoma!

As your core teaching team, we look forward to meeting you and learning alongside you. We are Kandi Bauman and Amy Gould.

Logistics

We will use [Zoom.us](https://zoom.us) for our online class meetings (lectures, workshops, seminar). A Zoom meeting link will be on our course Canvas website.

Canvas

After you register for the class, login to my.evergreen.edu and access our course website titled "Context of Public Administration." This is what we refer to as "Canvas." Your Canvas login is the same as your TESC e-mail login information. Canvas is where you can post your assignments, access course resources, and download readings.

Syllabus

The syllabus is available at evergreen.edu/mpa/ by clicking on the "Course Syllabi" link and is also posted on Canvas. Review the syllabus carefully! There are many assignments and multiple readings due in your future.

Readings

The readings are listed in the syllabus with articles posted on Canvas. The books will be available from the Greener Bookstore evergreen-greener-bookstore.com/; however, you can purchase/rent your books through any retailer. Most are also available through our Evergreen library or interlibrary loan evergreen.edu/library. Any edition of the assigned texts are fine to use, but the assigned version is what we will refer to in class.

Communications

Evergreen E-mail and Canvas are our primary means of communication. Check them regularly!

Questions? Please contact the MPA program through Puanani Nihoa at 360.688.4780 (cell) or nihoap@evergreen.edu. We are all excited and honored to be on this journey with you.

Sincerely,

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