



Marguerite Marks

Marguerite Marks was born in Portland, Oregon, where she lived until leaving for Massachusetts to study law, jurisprudence and social thought at Amherst College. She returned home and spent several years working for a congressman, first as a campaign fundraiser, then as a congressional field representative specializing in education issues. She soon realized that engineering was her true calling, and returned to school.

Marguerite is a senior at Portland State University and will graduate in the summer of 2010 with dual degrees in Environmental Engineering and Civil Engineering. She currently works as a research assistant to a PSU professor studying energy and the urban environment. Marguerite was selected to receive a \$3,000 scholarship at PSU.