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UM LAW STUDENTS CHOSEN FOR REGIONAL  
TRIAL ADVOCACY COMPETITION

MISSOULA--

Teams have been selected to represent the University of Montana law school in 1985 and 1986 in the regional Trial Advocacy Competition sponsored by the Association of Trial Lawyers of America. (ATLA)

One team from each geographic region in the country competes for the national title in April each year. The 1985 regional competition will be in Seattle in March. The site of the national event has not been announced yet.

The UM teams were chosen by a board consisting of four Missoula attorneys who are members of ATLA. Selection was based on demonstration of trial skills.

The 1985 team is made up of John Schulte and Tamara Scully. The 1986 team members are Monte Boettger and Janis Vaughn. Schulte is a senior and the others are juniors.

Schulte is a former mathematics teacher at Target Range School in Missoula. He holds a B.S. in social science from Lake Erie College, Painesville, Ohio.

Scully is an intern with the Billings law firm of Moulton, Bellingham, Longo and Mather. She received a B.S. in business administration from Montana State University, Bozeman, in 1981. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Annalora of Miles City.

Boettger earned a B.A. in history and secondary education from MSU in 1982. He is the son of Helen Boettger of Lewistown and Pete Boettger of Grass Range.

Vaughn, the daughter of K.G. and Kareen Vaughn of Tulia, Texas, holds a B.A. in Latin American Studies from Texas Tech University, Lubbock. She is a former captain in the Military Intelligence Branch of the Army.