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ALBERTA WOMAN WORKS ON UM DOCUMENTARY

MISSOULA –

A University of Montana—Missoula student from Turner Valley, Alberta, helped produce the latest documentary by UM's award-winning Student Documentary Unit, "Native America: Whose Land? Whose Law?"

Kathleen Jones produced the child welfare segment of the program, an hourlong documentary on tribal sovereignty in Montana. "Native America," produced entirely by UM students, debuted on Montana Public Television in December and is slated to air on other Montana stations early in 1997.

The documentary covers sovereignty issues involving land use, the criminal justice system, business and taxation, gambling and the Indian Child Welfare Act.

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