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KENT STUDENT DIRECTS UM DOCUMENTARY

MISSOULA —

A University of Montana—Missoula student from Kent, Wash., directed the latest documentary by UM's award-winning Student Documentary Unit, "Native America: Whose Land? Whose Law?"

As director, Kerry Anderson oversaw a project that involved 35 UM students exploring varied issues and current controversies concerning tribal sovereignty in Montana.

The hourlong documentary debuted on Montana Public Television in December and is slated to air on other Montana stations early in 1997.

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

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