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GET UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL WITH THE MAGIC OF DISNEY

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Ever wish you could go to work dressed like Mickey Mouse or Sleeping Beauty?

Here's your chance.

A Walt Disney World recruiter will visit The University of Montana on Monday, April 1 -- no foolin'. UM undergraduates who have completed at least one semester can learn about Disney internship opportunities from 6 to 8 p.m. in Gallagher Building Room 122. Students are invited to watch a presentation, then attend an interview with the recruiter.

The Walt Disney World College Program offers educational courses, positions in theme parks and resorts, and a chance to make friends from all over the world.

Student interns may choose one of seven Disney educational courses: Communications, ExpEARiential Learning for the 21st Century, Hospitality Management, Human Resource Management, Organizational Leadership, College Program Practicum and Leadership Speaker's Series.

Job opportunities include attractions, culinary, custodial, food and beverage, hospitality, housekeeping, lifeguarding, merchandise sales, park greeter, recreation, transportation and role-hopping. Internships are paid, and college credit may be available.

Interns are housed in furnished two- and three-bedroom apartments on Disney property.

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Rent payments, which include utilities and transportation to and from work, are deducted from students' weekly paychecks.

For more information about the Walt Disney World College Program, visit www.wdwcollegeprogram.com or call (800) 722-2930. More information about internship opportunities available to students is available from UM's Center for Work-Based Learning at www.umt.edu/internships or 243-2815.

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