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MOCK TRIAL SESSIONS BEGIN MARCH 18 AT UM LAW SCHOOL

MISSOULA --

University of Montana students and Missoula area residents interested in becoming acquainted with legal procedures and jury duty are being solicited by the University of Montana Law School to serve as jurors during the annual mock trial sessions during March and April.

The trials will be conducted at 7 p.m. every Monday and Tuesday beginning March 18 in room 202 of the UM Law School.

The sessions, part of the courtroom and office practice class required of all seniors, are conducted with two students acting as counsel for each side of a law suit.

Most of the cases are civil suits.

Instructing the class and acting as judges are Missoula attorneys Sherman Lohn and Jeremy Thane.

UM students or Missoula residents who wish to volunteer as jurors may register in the basement of the Law School or phone 243-4642. The trials, each lasting several hours, will continue through April. All sessions are open to the public.