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DISCUSSION ON COAL FIRED POWER PLANTS SET TUESDAY, DEC. 9, AT UNIVERSITY

MISSOULA --

Dr. Clancy Gordon, director of the University of Montana Environmental Studies Program, will discuss coal fired power plants Tuesday, Dec. 9, at UM. The free public forum, sponsored by University Center (UC) Programming Services, will be at 8 o'clock Tuesday night in the UC Lounge.

Dr. Gordon has done extensive research on acid rains and is currently involved in monitering research in the Fort Union Basin coal fields area in northeast Wyoming, the Dakotas and eastern Montana.

He is concerned with the emissions generated by the coal fire stacks and the effects of emissions upon the sulfur and floride content in vegetation, especially conifers.