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AUTHOR HUNTER THOMPSON TO SPEAK  
AT UNIVERSITY THURSDAY, APRIL 22

MISSOULA--

Hunter Thompson, author of the book entitled "Fear and Loathing on the Campaign Trail," will speak Thursday, April 22, at the University of Montana.

Thompson, who is expected to speak on presidential politics, will give his talk at 7 p.m. on the UM Oval, or in the University Center Ballroom in the event of inclement weather.

The lecture, sponsored by the Program Council of the Associated Students of UM, is open to the public without charge.

During the presidential campaign of 1972, Thompson reported on the various presidential candidates for "Rolling Stone" magazine. His book, "Fear and Loathing on the Campaign Trail," is a result of the combination of the series of articles he wrote for "Rolling Stone."

The American Broadcasting Company (ABC) has hired Hunter to be a political commentator this summer during the 1976 presidential conventions.

Thompson started his writing career as a sports writer for the Louisville Journal, Louisville, Ky. He has been the Caribbean correspondent for the New York Herald, and the South American correspondent for the National Observer.

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