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## VIOLA RECITAL UPCOMING AT UM

Bernard McWilliams, assistant professor of music at the University of Montana, will give a free viola recital Tuesday, Jan. 29, at 8 P. M. in the Music Recital Hall on campus. Accompanied by Phillip Clarke on the piano, McWilliams will play "Concerto in D major for Viola and Piano" by Stamitz, "Suite No. 4 in E-flat major" by Bach, and "Sonata No. 1 in f minor" by Brahms.

The recitalist earned degrees in viola and music education from the University of Southern California, a master's degree in viola from the University of Maryland, and a doctor's degree in viola from the University of Iowa. He has studied viola with Joel Berman, Glen Swan, Sanford Schonbach, and William Preucil.

He has been principal violist with the Carmel Bach Festival Orchestra, the University of Iowa Orchestra, and the Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Orchestra and other chamber groups. He taught music in public schools and at Southern Illinois University before joining the music department at UM.

Since coming to Montana to join the University faculty in 1974, McWilliams has served as principal violist of the Missoula Symphony and has performed Hindemith's "Concerto Der Schwanendreher" with that orchestra. He has also been a judge at district music festivals and has taught at the Red Lodge Music Camp.

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