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MISSOULA---

A University of Montana faculty member recently was appointed to the executive committee of the National University Extension Association (NUEA).

Dr. Robert R. Boren, 33, who is an associate professor of speech communication at UM, assumes his new duties officially at the annual NUEA meeting Dec. 27-31 at New York City. His appointment is for an indefinite term.

Main responsibility of the NUEA executive committee is supervision of high school debate and discussion activities. Included in this are selecting the national high school debate and discussion topics and acquiring and distributing information on these topics to the respective states involved.

A native of Burley, Idaho, the new committee appointee is son of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Boren of Burley. Dr. Boren also lived for a time in Clayton, Idaho.

Dr. Boren received a bachelor's degree and a master's degree at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, in 1958 and 1959, respectively, and was awarded his Doctor of Philosophy degree at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., in 1965.

He joined the University of Montana faculty in 1967 as an associate professor after holding the rank of assistant professor at BYU. He alternated as an instructor at Purdue and BYU between 1959-65.

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