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UM OFFERS SUMMER WESTERN STUDIES PROGRAM

MISSOULA--

The University of Montana will offer a special summer program in Western Studies, a field receiving new attention from politicians, resource developers and scholars.

Special topics and seminars taught by regular and guest faculty will introduce the student to various approaches to the history, human and natural, and the dominant issues of the American West. The interdisciplinary program will include courses in anthropology, English, geography, history and Native American Studies.

Students will also have an opportunity to attend the "Conference on the Creative Person," scheduled July 20-31, which features a reading by noted Western author James Welch, visiting professor of English.

Western Studies courses scheduled for the first summer session, June 22-July 17, and their instructors are: "Indians of Montana," Carling I. Malouf; "Archaeology of Montana," Dee Taylor; "Montana Writers," William Bevis; "Pacific Northwest," Evan Denney; "History of Conservation," H. Duane Hampton; "The 20th Century West," Hampton.

Courses offered the second session, July 20-Aug. 14, are "Advanced Creative Writing," James Welch; "Historical Photography: Gateway to Montana's Past," William Farr; "Ethnicity and the Western Ethos," Manuel Machado; "History of Indian Affairs," staff.

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All the courses carry three credits.

Summer session bulletins may be obtained from the Summer Programs Office, Main Hall 125, University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812; (406) 243-2900. The bulletin contains all necessary application forms.

Former UM students should contact the Office of Admissions, 243-6266, for information about re-application.

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