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HOME ECONOMICS EXECUTIVE TO SPEAK AT UNIVERSITY

Dr. Kinsey B. Green, executive director of the American Home Economics Association (AHEA) headquartered in Washington, D.C., will be a guest speaker at the University of Montana's home economics department, Wednesday, Nov. 16. A reception will be held at 4 p.m. in room 217 of the Women's Center. She will speak on "The New Age Synthesis in Home Economics" at 4:30 p.m. in room 215. The public is invited to attend.

As executive director of AHEA, Dr. Green is responsible for program development, financial management and administration of the association, which numbers 51,000 members and has an annual budget of \$3.2 million. Her work includes liaison with other professional organizations and government agencies. She also writes a column for AHEA Action, the organization's bimonthly journal.

Dr. Green has helped train Peace Corps volunteers for Morocco and has served on the board of directors of Center for the Handicapped Inc. She is chairman of the board of directors for the American Society of Association Executives.

Dr. Green holds master's and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Maryland where she concentrated on family studies. She began her career as a high school teacher of home economics and English and has been an instructor, assistant professor and associate professor of home economics at the University of Maryland. Prior to assuming her duties as executive director of AHEA in 1975, she served as assistant dean of the College of Education and assistant head of the home economics department at the University of Maryland.