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Six University of Montana students, all members of the U.S. Olympic Luge Squad, will attend a training camp from Dec. 16-31 at Vail, Colo., to compete for 11 sled-riding berths in the 1968 Winter Olympic Games at Grenoble, France, next February.

UM students who are members of the U.S. squad include Jim Murray, Avon; Chris Roholt, Buffalo, N.Y.; John Gray, West Glacier; Shelia Johansen and Lana Richards, both of Billings; and Ellen Williams, Westwood, N.J.

Coach for the U.S. luge squad is Capt. Bruce E. Medley, assistant professor of aerospace studies at the University. He is assisted by Buddy Feltman, ski instructor from Sun Valley, Ida. Feltman was on the 1964 U.S. Olympic luge team.

The U.S. Olympic Luge Squad was originally organized for the 1964 Winter Olympics, the first year that lugging became an Olympic sport.