

SPECIAL COURSES FOR
WOMEN TO BE OFFERED
DURING SUMMER AT 'U'

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For the first time, the University of Minnesota's program in continuing education for women will offer courses during the summer.

Sarah Youngblood, associate professor of English, will teach courses in modern fiction and modern poetry. The fiction course will meet Tuesday mornings and will include study of James Joyce's "Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man," Virginia Woolf's "To The Lighthouse," F. Scott Fitzgerald's "The Great Gatsby," and William Faulkner's "The Sound and the Fury."

The poetry course will follow major developments in poetry since World War II through readings from the works of contemporary poets. The class will be held Thursday mornings.

Miss Youngblood received the Alumni Association's Distinguished Teacher Award in 1963 and taught a highly praised Shakespeare course on television. She is leaving the University in the fall to go to Mount Holyoke College.

A refresher course in biology will be taught Wednesday mornings by Elizabeth Reed, assistant professor of the University's Minnesota School Mathematics and Science Center. The course will review and bring up to date materials covered in introductory biology courses. The course outline includes these topics: tools of biology, cell structure and function, genetics, chemistry, biological behavior, and new ideas on the origin of life.

Mrs. Reed taught biology at Macalester College and is co-author with her husband of a long-term genetic study, "Mental Retardation: A Family Study."

The women's continuing education program, a part of the University's General Extension Division, has initiated the summer course program because it seems that some women have more free time in the summer, according to Louise Roff, director of continuing education for women. Also, babysitters are more readily available and driving is easier in the summer.

All three courses will begin the week of June 17 on the University campus and will run for approximately six weeks. Interested women are encouraged to register as soon as possible. Call 373-5166 for registration information.