

# Morgan Joins ECSU Family

by Algie H. Mabry  
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An Elizabeth City native. A graduate of Northeastern High School. An alumnus of Hampton Institute.

Articulate. Songster. Serious-minded but also humorous. Outgoing yet modest. Very mannerable. Well-groomed and fashionable. Tidy yet "Nasty." Concerned. Active. Young.

These words describe a person who has become an addition to the ECSU family. Erskine E. Morgan, II is no stranger to us. His ties with ECSU go back to his early childhood in Elizabeth City.

"I remember this school when it once used barracks for dormitory facilities," Morgan reminisced.

Mounted on his office door in the library is a plate which reads:

**Erskine E. Morgan, II**  
System Account Analyst

According to Morgan, he coordinates University policy/procedure and channels job descriptions. Though his work mainly encompasses the Office of Fiscal Affairs, Morgan's reach extends into some boundaries of Student Services.

Morgan, who majored in Marketing while at HI, enjoys his position and work.

"I like the concept of selling to people," Morgan said. He also added that his family owns several homes and leases them. "It is good to know management skills."

Although he does not do any direct selling for the University, this ambitious worker wishes to move up the University ladder.

"ECSU and HI when compared have distinct opposite characteristics," Morgan said. "ECSU is comprised of mainly rural area students; whereas, Hampton is populated with those students from the metropolitan areas," added Morgan.

"Here at ECSU, teachers want more than just a paycheck," interjected Morgan. Complimenting the teachers here for their concern, Morgan is also impressed with the administration and student relationship as compared to Hampton's.

"At HI students are just numbers," Morgan said, "but here it is totally different!"

Having recently been a student himself, Morgan would like to pass on some valuable information to the Freshman class.

"I advise all freshmen to maintain good academic standing, but also be diverse," Morgan said. "Not only be bookworms or know it alls, but learn life as it is," urged Morgan. "Establish a good relationship with your environment," added Morgan.

When asked if his office location in the library is permanent, Morgan only sighed, "It's temporary!"

# Jenkins Visits Army ROTC

ECSU Chancellor Dr. Jimmy R. Jenkins visited the Army ROTC Advance Camp along with over 100 other college presidents, administrators, deans and professors for four days this past July.

Welcoming remarks were made by the Commander of First ROTC Region, Brigadier General Curtis F. Hoglan. After Gen. Hoglan's remarks, the representatives were flown by helicopter to various training sites where they observed different types of training ROTC cadets of their institutions were

receiving. During the first two days, the representatives visited the Individual Tactical Training Course, the Leadership Reaction Course, and the Recondo Training Course where Dr. Jenkins received his Recondo Badge.

The Combined Arms Training Exercise was also observed. Then the representatives were given opportunities to participate in the training. Many of them had never fired a weapon before, much less a M60 tank machine-gun, but they did not let

that stop them. They fired the M60 tank down range; drove armored personnel carriers; and climbed out onto a rope to drop 40 feet into the waters of the Little River. The representatives left Fort Bragg with a more knowledgeable insight on the kinds of training their students were receiving.

# A Turning Decision

by Michael Emmert Copy Editor

Election '84 is little more than a week away. Have you considered your candidates? Much advertising, air time, and newsprint is spent at this time of year, urging the average citizen to vote. Since voting is a precious right which must be exercised and many Americans have purchased this right with their lives, voting is not to be taken lightly. Don't just vote! Rather, study the issues, the candidates, and even yourself and then cast YOUR VOICE in the government of the United States.

The following list of facts is intended to prompt further research into the qualifications of your future leaders:

For the Office of President-Term, 4 years-Salary, \$250,000

1. Ronald Reagan, Republican, age 73; Mr. Reagan has decreased inflation, strengthened our National Defense, and some say is responsible for the deaths of 300 plus United States Marines.

2. Walter Mondale, Democrat, age 56; Mr. Mondale proposes an arms reduction bill, increased citizen aid funds, and large tax increases.

For the Office of Governor of North Carolina-4 years-\$93,516

1. Jim Martin, Republican, age 48; Mr. Martin seeks to cut taxes and improve public education by promoting better teacher salaries.

2. Rufus Edmisten, Democrat, age 43; Mr. Edmisten has a plan for safe disposal of hazardous wastes and wants to leave taxes at their current rate until he can devise a better plan.

For the Office of United States Senator-6 years-\$72,200

1. Jesse Helms, Republican, age ; Mr. Helms supports voluntary prayer in the public schools and has been accused of being a racist.

2. Jim Hunt, Democrat, age 47; Mr. Hunt supports passage of the ERA and government funded abortions.

These candidates by no means constitute the entire ballot for their respective offices, but are considered to be the strongest candidates. If you have studied the candidates thoroughly and find that any or all fall short of your expectations, don't cheat yourself because of their deficiencies, rather go to the polls and vote for yourself.

The 1984 election could make or break the condition of the United States. Serious issues are being discussed; don't take them lightly...WEIGH THE ISSUES and then vote!

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# Local Returns Home To ECSU

by DaVia Purnell  
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Whether near or far, all roads seem to lead to home. After teaching at several national universities, an Elizabeth City native, Dr. Samuel Moore, has returned home, and it looks as if he's here to stay.

Moore, the newest member of the Modern Languages Department, sees ECSU as developing rapidly. "I want to be part of the University's progression towards growth."

This is Moore's hometown and he feels close to the people here. "I grew up here and I feel as though I know everyone."

Moore received his B.A. from Shaw University in 1970; M.A.T. from Northwestern University in 1971; and Ed.D from Oklahoma State University in 1980. He has held positions of responsibility which have assisted in the total development of individuals or institutions. Moore has

demonstrated competencies in the following areas: Curriculum Development, Reading Education, English Education, Early Childhood Education, and Language Arts.

His work experience consists of positions at Kittrell College, Kittrell, N.C.; Norfolk State College, Norfolk, Va.; and Fayetteville State University, Fayetteville, N.C.

At ECSU, Moore teaches: GE 101 Basic Communication Skills, GE 102 Composition and Literature I and GE 103 Composition and Literature II.

Moore said, "The students here at ECSU have shown a very positive attitude towards learning."

He also decided to return home because he wanted to spend his future years working and living closely with his friends and family.

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