## 2 New Staffers Join UNC Public TV Staff

## By Joyce McMilian

Two new faces grace the third floor of the Hall-Patterson building in the Mass Communications Department. These individuals are with the UNC Center for Public Television. Winston-Salem State is one of three Universities that host a **Telecommunications Education** Center (TEC) at this time. This is a new program that came into existence on November 1 of this year and if the program goes well and proves to be a valuable asset then more centers will be added to the campuses of other institutions. The other universities that house TEC are East Carolina University and Western Carolina University. These, along with WSSU, were chosen, in part, because of their location.

Feagin Harmon, received a B.S. in Botany and a B.S. in Science Education from N.C. State University in Raleigh,



Feagin Harmon and Iris Andrews-Hitchcock . Photos By: Tuttle

N.C. She went on to teach high school biology and later taught literacy at Wake Technical Community College. While at Wake, Harmon, became the coordinator for telecommunications. She is a native of Greensboro, N.C.

Iris Andrews -Hitchcock, received her B. A. in Mass Media Arts from Hampton University in Virginia and a M.A. in Educational Media from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. She gained experience in telecommunications while working with a cable company in Houston, Texas for eight years and would train all the employees in their jobs. Andrews-Hitchcock, is a native of Fayetteville, N.C.

Harmon and Andrews-Hitchcock are both Adult Learning Specialists with the UNC Center for Public Television.

TEC, not only work with public and private two-and four year post secondary institutions

but also with the public school systems. The Adult Learning Specialist work with these institutions to help them utilize the UNC Center for Public Televisions' programs and services. They show the use of public television as an educational tool. The educational The educational protool. grams can be seen on channel 26 at various times and may be taken for credit at home. This process works the same way as it does when a student registers for classes from a schedule. The telecourses, as they are called, cover various subjects and fields. Some of the courses offered are; Personal Finance and Money Management (PFMM); Economics U\$A (E-U\$A); Eyes On The Prize: History of Contemporary Civil Rights Movement (EOP) and several more. For more information on the

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