

# UNLV-TV: A new look

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The set looks quaint: a love-seat and sofa, elegant lighting, a knee-high coffee table with a floral centerpiece.

Now step back a few feet, outside the aura of light, and you see a gaggle of frantic students rushing around a dark, dungeon-like studio, most of them armed with clipboards, some with holstered walkie-talkies.

This is the set for Rebel Vision, UNLV's very own variety show.

"Most people on campus don't know that UNLV has its own TV station," said Nicole Lucas, student co-host for Rebel Vision. "We want to make them more aware of us."

Lucas said the station will broaden its coverage this year.

"We've got a whole new look," she said. "It'll have a more professional look."

Rebel Vision has a local slant, covering items as diverse as an underground student film, to the Las Vegas

campus is changing as well.

She said there are, "a lot of different people on campus now, everyone from the jeans and Birkenstock crowd to the older students coming back to school."

This is Lucas' fourth year working with Channel 31. She also works at Channel 13, a job she was offered after working there as an intern.

She is proud of the fact that Channel 31 programming is, "made by students, for students." And starting on October 1, they will be moving down the dial from Channel 31 to Channel 4, a move, according to Lucas, that will make the station more accessible to viewers.

"We'll be the same station, but a brand new channel," Lucas said.

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Gamblers, a semi-pro football team.

Lucas sees a definite change happening here at UNLV. Not only is the student population growing every year, but the face of the



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