

Brown University –Tougaloo College Partnership (BTP)  
**Update**  
 Current and proposed activities

*This table is an overview of BTP activities. Individual programs are described under five category headings - Exchanges; Professional Development; Collaborative Research; Training Programs; Administrative Level Engagement.*

| <b>Exchanges</b>                  |   |   |  |
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| <b>Title</b>                      | <b>Description</b>  | <b>Management</b>   | <b>Status/update</b>   |
| Semester student exchanges (1964) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A student semester exchange program for academic and cultural enrichment.</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>           Maitrayee Bhattacharyya<br/> <i>Assistant Dean for Diversity Programs</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>           Abdul Turay, PhD<br/> <i>Provost, VPAA</i></p>               | <p><b>Active</b><br/>           Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6 participants 2008-9</li> <li>2 participants in 2007-8</li> <li>239 participants since inception.</li> </ul> |
| Faculty exchanges (1964)          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Faculty designed projects for academic and cultural enrichment of faculty, students, and the general academic community.</li> <li>New ‘virtual’ exchange initiated in 2007.</li> </ul> | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>           Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/> <i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>           Abdul Turay, PhD<br/> <i>Provost, VPAA</i></p>                      | <p><b>Active</b><br/>           Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 participants 2008-9</li> <li>1 participant in 2007-8</li> <li>98 participants since inception.</li> </ul>   |
| Bernstein Scholars (2007)         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provides financial support to student initiated projects that foster the BTP.</li> <li>Priority given to student semester exchange participants.</li> </ul>                            | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>           Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/> <i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>           Professor Larry Ray<br/> <i>Student &amp; Faculty Exchanges</i></p> | <p><b>Active:</b><br/>           Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 participants in 2008</li> </ul>  |

| <b>Exchanges (cont.)</b>                               |  |   |   |
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| Title  | Description  | Management  | Status/update   |
| Student Leaders (2008)                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1-2 day visits to foster student led collaborations.</li> </ul>   | <b>Brown coordinator</b><br><b>Valerie Wilson, PhD</b><br><i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i>   | <b><u>Active:</u></b><br>Update: 10/08 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Tougaloo students to Brown April ,2008</li> <li>29 Honors students visited Brown in 2006</li> </ul>     |
| Chaplaincy Exchange (2008)                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To enhance the development of spiritual leaders from both campuses</li> </ul>   | <b>Brown coordinator</b><br><b>Janet Cooper-Nelson,</b><br><i>College Chaplain</i>  | <b><u>Active:</u></b><br>Update 10/08 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prorams being discussed.</li> </ul>  |
| Spring Break visits (1996 – 2008)                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5-7 day visits designed to acquaint students with Tougaloo and the BTP.</li> </ul> <i>(absorbed into the Student Leaders program in 2007)</i> | <b>Brown coordinator</b><br><b>Karen Allen Baxter, MS</b><br><i>Producer, Managing Director, Africana/ Rites and Reason Theatre</i>   | <b><u>Inactive</u></b><br>Update: 10/07 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 students visit Brown, 2008</li> <li>17 students and 6 faculty participants since inception.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Professional Development</b>                        |  |   |   |
| Title  | Description  | Management  | Status/update   |
| Brown -Tougaloo Faculty Fellows Program (2007)         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brown graduate students teach at Tougaloo for 1-2 semesters.</li> </ul>   | <b>Brown coordinator</b><br>Valerie Wilson, PhD<br><i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i><br><br><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br>Abdul Turay, PhD<br><i>Provost, VPAA</i> | <b><u>Active</u></b><br>Update: 10/08 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6 requests for 2008-9</li> <li>1 Fellow at Tougaloo, Fall 2007</li> </ul>                                  |
| Early Identification Program (EIP) in Medicine (1976 ) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The EIP in Medicine places selected Tougaloo students in Brown’s medical school.</li> </ul>   | <b>Brown coordinator</b><br>Alicia Monroe, MD<br><i>Professor of Family Medicine</i><br><br><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br>Abdul Turay, PhD<br><i>Provost, VPAA</i>         | <b><u>Active</u></b><br>Update: 3/08 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 students for 2008</li> <li>1 student for 2009</li> <li>69 participants since inception.</li> </ul>        |

| <b>Professional Development (cont.)</b>      |  |   |  |
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| Title  | Description  | Management  | Status/update  |
| Summer Research-<br>(1992 )                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summer research opportunities on either campus. Includes the Leadership Alliance program.</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/><i>Executive Director, The Leadership Alliance</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>Abdul Turay, PhD<br/><i>Provost, VPAA</i></p>   | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 participant, at Brown,2008</li> <li>• 2 participants at Brown, 2007</li> </ul>                           |
| BS/MPH Program in<br>Public Health<br>(2005) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The BS/MPH will place selected Tougaloo students in the Brown MPH program.</li> <li>• Brown students may be involved in Jackson Heart Study activities.</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>Patrick Vivier, MD PhD<br/><i>Associate Professor, Community Health &amp; Pediatrics</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>Wendy White, MPH<br/><i>Coordinator Jackson Heart Study</i></p>                       | <p><b>Proposed</b><br/>Update: 31008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program being finalized.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Collaborative Research</b>                |  |   |  |
| Title  | Description  | Management  | Status/update  |
| Slavery & Justice<br>(2007)                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A flexible initiative to provide students and faculty opportunities for scholarly inquiry.</li> <li>• Research conference being planned for 2009.</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/><i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>Steve Rozman, PhD<br/><i>Director, Center for Civic Engagement and Social Responsibility</i></p>             | <p><b>Proposed</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research conference planned for Fall 2009 at Tougaloo.</li> </ul>  |
| An Education<br>Collaboration<br>(2005)      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program activities and research initiatives between the Education Departments at Brown and the Education Division at Tougaloo.</li> <li>• EIP -MAT program, Teaching Fellows, Faculty exchanges.</li> </ul> | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>Adeline Becker, PhD<br/><i>Executive Director, The Education Alliance</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>Marilyn Houston-Coleman, EdD<br/><i>Dean, Division of Education, Supervision and Instruction</i></p> | <p><b>Proposed</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Programs are being discussed. EIP, Faculty and Student exchanges, Teaching Fellows, research.</li> </ul> |

| <b>Collaborative Research (cont.)</b>   |  |   |   |
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| Title   | Description  | Management  | Status/update   |
| John Nicholas<br>Brown Center for<br>the Study of<br>American<br>Civilization<br>(2007) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A wide array of programs, exchanges and fellowships.</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/>Anne Valk, PhD<br/><i>Associate Director for Programs</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>OW Johnson, PhD<br/><i>Interim VPAA</i></p>  | <p><b>Active:</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multiple programs being discussed.</li> </ul>              |
| Freedom Now!<br>(2002)  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An archival research project that documented the Mississippi Freedom Movement, the BTP.</li> <li>Created a website</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Brown coordinators</b><br/><b>Susan Smuylan, PhD</b><br/><i>Associate Professor of American Civilization</i></p>  | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 10/07</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Active website.</li> </ul>                                  |
| <b>Training Programs</b>  |  |   |   |
| Title   | Description  | Management  | Status/update   |
| Student Summer<br>Research  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Summer research in a variety of disciplines including Neuroscience, Community Health, International Health and Public Policy.</li> <li>Coordinated with the Leadership Alliance Summer Research program.</li> </ul> | <p><b>Brown coordinator and course instructor</b><br/>Rebecca D. Burwell, PhD<br/><i>Associate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/>Richard McGinnis, PhD<br/><i>Dean, Division of Natural Science</i></p>                             | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 3/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 participants 2008</li> <li>2 participants 2007.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Training Programs (cont.)</b>  |  |   |   |
| Title   | Description  | Management  | Status/update   |
| Summer Studies  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opportunities for students to work at Brown as RA's and TA's.</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/>Scott Allard, PhD<br/><i>Asst. Professor of Political Science and Public Policy</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/><b>Steve Rozman, PhD</b><br/><i>Director, Center for Civic Engagement</i><br/><i>Co-director, HBCU Faculty Network</i></p> | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 participant, summer 2008/</li> </ul>                      |

| Administrative Level Engagement            |   |   |  |
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| Title                                      | Description   | Management  | Status/update  |
| Program recruitment                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Members of both academic communities attend the partner campus to recruit all programs.</li> </ul>                                   | <p><b>Brown coordinator for EIP-Med</b><br/>Alicia Monroe, MD<br/><i>Professor of Family Medicine</i></p> <p><b>Brown coordinator for Students</b><br/>Maitrayee Bhattacharyya<br/><i>Assistant Dean for Diversity Programs</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo coordinator</b><br/><b>Professor Larry Ray</b><br/><i>Coordinator, Student and Faculty Exchanges</i></p> | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recruitment scheduled for fall 2008.</li> </ul>  |
| Outreach and Community Involvement         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Emmett Till.</b> A reenactment of the trial of Emmett Till and the staging of Ifa Bayeza's "The Ballad Of Emmett Till"</li> </ul> | <p><b>Brown coordinator</b><br/><b>Karen Allen-Baxter</b></p>   | <p><b>Active</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>coordinated with Africana Studies</li> <li>Planned for 2009-2010.</li> </ul>                                 |
| Smart classrooms (2007)                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Installation of smart classrooms on both campuses to facilitate collaboration.</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/>Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/><i>University Coordinator for the BTP</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Abdul Turay, PhD<br/><i>Provost</i></p>  | <p><b>Active:</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brown installations on-going</li> <li>Tougaloo pending for 2008 with partial support from Brown.</li> </ul> |
| Tougaloo Faculty Development Center (2008) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New center to promote and foster faculty development.</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/>Valerie Wilson, PhD<br/><i>University coordinator for the BTP</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Abdul Turay, PhD<br/><i>Provost</i></p>  | <p><b>Active:</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussions on-going.</li> </ul>  |
| Libraries (2007)                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improving access to scientific literature at Tougaloo.</li> <li>Literacy training best practices.</li> </ul>                         | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/>Orthella Moman<br/><i>Head of Library Services</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Harriette Hemmasi<br/><i>University Librarian</i></p>   | <p><b>Active:</b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussions underway</li> </ul>   |

| <b>Administrative Level Engagement (cont.)</b> |  |   |   |
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| Civil Rights Museum in Mississippi             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Museum location awarded to Tougaloo College</li> </ul>  | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/><i>Valerie Wilson, PhD</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Beverly Hogan, PhD<br/><i>President</i></p> | <p><b><u>Active:</u></b><br/>Update: 10/08</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Site awarded to Tougaloo College</li> </ul> |
| Commencement Participation                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presidential participation in commencement ceremonies.</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/><i>Valerie Wilson, PhD</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Beverly Hogan, PhD<br/><i>President</i></p> | <p><b><u>Active:</u></b></p>  |
| Development                                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A collaborative fundraising is campaign is desired.</li> <li>• Inclusion into Brown's Campaign has been requested.</li> </ul> | <p><b>Brown Coordinator</b><br/><i>Valerie Wilson, PhD</i></p> <p><b>Tougaloo Coordinator</b><br/>Beverly Hogan, PhD<br/><i>President</i></p> | <p><b><u>Pending:</u></b></p>   |