Since the early 1960s, Brown and Tougaloo have partnered to offer students, faculty, and staff at both institutions opportunities for academic and cultural enrichment.

Programs include:

- Student and faculty exchanges
- Collaborative research projects
- Administrative engagements
- Early identification programs
- Professional training opportunities
On May 18, 1964 – the 10th anniversary of the Supreme Court’s landmark Brown v Board of Education decision – Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island, and Tougaloo College, a historically black college in Jackson, Mississippi, developed a cooperative agreement. With the Civil Rights movement as a backdrop, the two institutions entered, somewhat uneasily at first, into a commitment that has continued as a unique collaborative venture, engaging the culture, academia, and histories of these distinctive institutions. To date, close to 600 students and faculty have participated in the Brown-Tougaloo relationship.

Programs for students

**SEMINER EXCHANGE** Students may attend the partner campus for a semester, take classes, and receive academic credit.

**STUDENT VISITS** Visits are usually arranged by a faculty member and tend to focus on a topic or event of interest at either campus. Visits last from a few days to a week or more.

**FACULTY FELLOWS** This program is designed to provide Brown graduate students opportunities to teach at Tougaloo and become immersed in faculty life.

**EARLY IDENTIFICATION PROGRAMS** An Early Identification Program in Medicine (EIP–Med) allows Tougaloo students early acceptance into Brown’s Alpert Medical School. A B.S./M.P.H. joint program with Tougaloo is under discussion.

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING** Students receive exposure to professional-level research in a variety of disciplines.

Programs for faculty

**FACULTY EXCHANGES** Teaching exchanges are designed to strengthen the relationship between Brown and Tougaloo by building faculty connections. Faculty have offered a single lecture or a series of lectures or workshops, and visited colleagues at the partner campus to discuss teaching issues.

**RESEARCH** This program encourages and enables collaborative research endeavors among faculty at the partner institutions.

Programs for administrators and staff

**DEVELOPMENT** Staff and administrators share expertise to enhance operations at each institution.

**ENGAGEMENT** Staff and administrators participate in commencement exercises and other institutional programs and initiatives.

By engaging the histories and cultures of two different, yet connected, institutions, we transform lives. Call us at 401-863-9106, or visit our Web site, www.brown.edu/Tougaloo, for more information.