



## **Brian Cousins, Allen University- c/o 2013, Education**



**Name :** Brian Cousins

**Your HBCU :** Allen University

**Graduation Year :** 2013

**Major :** Education

### **1. Where are you from? Who introduced you to HBCUs?\***

I'm from Washington D.C, I did my research on my own.



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### **2. Why did you choose an HBCU over a pwi?\***

I believe HBCU's teach African-Americans that it is ok to have something of your own and that a higher education can be given by your own people

### **3. What is the story of your "experience" at Your HBCU given its heralded status as a stellar and prestigious institution?\***

When I first stepped on Campus, I could feel the rich history and power of my people. A higher education and the pride of my people was rich.

### **4. "First time" experiences at your HBCU?\***

My first time not having my mom wake me up for class lol. In college you have to have discipline.

### **5. Who are the professors that have impacted your life in and out of the classroom? How did they do that?\***

Too many to name and some of deceased, I wish I could thank them for helping me become who I am.



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