



## **Devin Young, Florida A & M University- c/o 2021, Law**



**Name :** Devin Young

**Your HBCU :** Florida A & M University

**Graduation Year :** 2021

**Major :** Law

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

New Brunswick, New Jersey home of Rutgers University. My mother went to St. Augustine in North Carolina.



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

In pursuit of my Juris Doctorate in hopes to enter into Politics, I wanted to understand the Law from "our" perspective, with staff who understand the hardships in this field. After getting my undergrad at a pwi and then getting my Masters, in Public Administration, at one of the most diverse schools in the Nation. Obtaining a Degree from an HBCU will exemplify my interest in returning to my community and helping the underrepresented.

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

The FAMUly! It's deeper than the degree, it's a lifestyle and network built on a family bond.

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

Classic Weekend! HBCU Rivalry Football Game and Battle of the Bands! The Marching 100 always putting on a show!!!!

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

Professor Broussard, Williams, Griffin & Carlos. Professor Broussard: Respect, she will demand yours and return even more, outside the classroom Professor Broussard has been right there from Organizing MLK day cleanups to Woman Law caucus panel discussions, helping develop character in her students. Professor Williams & Carlos: Have guided me along my academic journey, taking out the extra time to help in areas where I needed the extra help. By way of holding late office hours, sending the extra email to check-in and, holding me accountable. Professor Griffin: Most intelligent professor I have ever met, does not teach at the average pace, easily the most challenging class I have ever taken, but outside the classroom, a great mentor. Will provide me with real heart to heart advice, allows me to come to him in regards to anything at all I need

someone to speak about. Important as an African American Male to have another African American Male to talk to.



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