## Jamila McQueen, Morris Brown College- c/o 2021, Psychology

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Name : Jamila McQueen Your HBCU : Morris Brown College Graduation Year : 2021 Major : Psychology Minor : Biology

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

Montgomery, Alabama. My father.

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

I feel that as African Americans we should embrace and support our own colleges.

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

I came to my HBCU at age 18. During this time I have accomplished more than what I came here to do. With the blessings of the institution I became known as the youngest Miss Morris Brown College. I have been exposed to the media, radio, and have met some pretty successful people. My HBCU experience is definitely something I will not forget.

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

For the first time I have been introduced to the media as a queen, experienced a HBCU Homecoming, and have been exposed to other HBCU's and their traditions as well.

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

Dr. Mitchell, my psychology professor, has definitely made an impact on my life. She pushes and motivates one so that they are able to do what they believe in. The faith she has in me is what keeps me pushing!

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#### 6. What sports and/or extra curricular activities did you do in High School? And why?

JROTC- Wanted to pursue the military. National Honor Society- Grades were up to par. Helped with Scholarships

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### 7. What is your major? and Why did you choose it?

Psychology- I love the study of the mental process and human behavior. I want to understand why people do what they do.

#### 8. What to date has been your proudest moment @ Your HBCU?

Speaking in the MLK 50th Commemorative Service.

#### 9. What to date has been your happiest moment @ Your HBCU?

Becoming Miss Morris Brown College

# 10. What music would you recommend to others to listen to, to find strength and motivation?

Gospel

#### 11. Which professors have impacted your life the most at your HBCU?

Dr. Mitchell - Chairman of Psychology

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