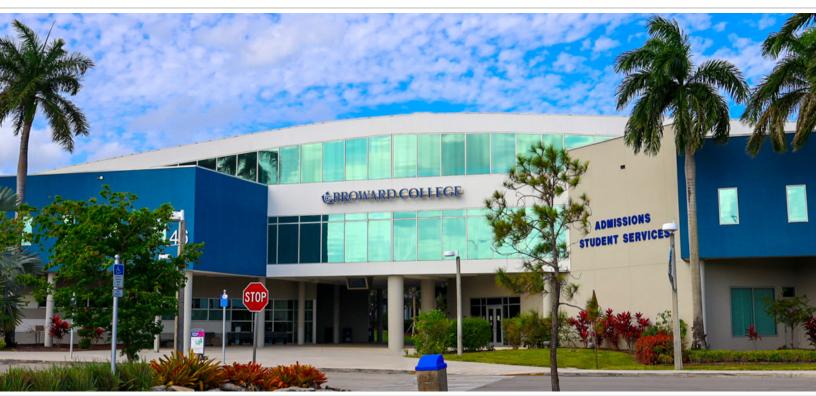


Inviting Applications and Nominations for

# Vice President of Advancement and Executive Director of the Foundation



Broward College seeks a strategic and results-driven professional to serve as the Vice President of Advancement and Executive Director of the Broward College Foundation. This senior leadership role reports directly to the President and leads the College's advancement strategy and philanthropic efforts. The role also provides executive leadership to the Broward College Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, working in close partnership with the Foundation Board of Directors to advance the College's priorities.



Established in 1960, the mission of Broward College is to achieve student success by developing informed and creative students capable of contributing to a knowledge and service-based global society.

As a public college accredited to offer associate degrees, select baccalaureate degrees, and certificate programs, the institution and its District Board of Trustees are committed to fostering a learning-centered community that celebrates empowering and engaging students, faculty and staff.

With approximately 40,000+ students and 4,000 faculty and staff, Broward College offers 167 programs in eight career pathways that include specialized certificates, two- and four-year degrees, non-degree training, workforce readiness, and an extensive list of continuing education curricula. A 2020 Florida TaxWatch study reported that Broward College substantially increases the earnings of its graduates (total income to workers within the most recent year of graduates estimated to improve by \$1.2 billion per

year), gives students the best return on investment (nearly 10 percent), and provides substantial economic impact to South Florida (more than \$1.7 billion).

In 2023, the Aspen Institute named Broward College one of the top 10 community colleges among more than 1,000 community and state colleges in the nation. This marks the fifth time the College has earned recognition as a top 10 finalist for the Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence.

Broward College is also the recipient of a transformational gift of \$30 million from philanthropist MacKenzie Scott, who made the donation along with her husband, Dan Jewett.

## **Our Culture**

At Broward College, our leaders embody a culture of competence, care, character, composure, and courage. We prioritize serving our students through integrity, transparency, and honesty.

### **Board of Trustees**

The Broward College District Board of Trustees brings together community leaders who provide dedicated leadership to the College and its activities. The Governor of the State of Florida appoints this group of outstanding local citizens. As the governing board of the College, they are the stewards of Broward College's commitment to excellence, while they guide the College and implement the goals enumerated in their mission statement. Their desire to provide students with the academic skills needed to transfer to fouryear colleges and universities, to enhance skills to be competitive in the rapidly changing job market, and to offer opportunities for continuing education, personal growth, and enrichment is a challenge they approach with enthusiasm. These community leaders are engaged in providing a future that offers increased higher education opportunities for Broward County residents.

# **Broward College Foundation**

Established in 1971, the Broward College Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and the officially designated means of making private, charitable contributions to Broward College. Our purpose is to change lives through education by providing community awareness, advocacy, and funding to the college.

The foundation's volunteer Board of Directors works closely with the college's Office of Advancement to raise money to support scholarships, academic programs, and learning facility enhancements.

We believe providing the opportunity education makes possible, to those who can benefit from it the most, is crucial to our community's future.







**Broward College is made up of** three primary campuses, which are connected to additional partnership centers, or branches, throughout **Broward County.** 

### A. HUGH ADAMS CENTRAL CAMPUS

The A. Hugh Adams Central Campus, the college's first permanent campus, is in Davie. Originally opened with seven buildings on a 152-acre site, the Adams campus is now home to the Buehler Planetarium and Observatory; Institute of Public Safety, a gold LEEDcertified facility for the training of new and veteran law enforcement officers; the Mayer Gymnasium; and a health sciences complex that includes a simulation center. The campus also features the Ralph R. Bailey Concert Hall and a visual and performing arts facility. The facility also houses the Rosemary Duffy Larson Gallery. Nearby is the Fine Arts Theatre, a 175-seat venue reserved exclusively for student theatrical productions. The University College Library is a joint research facility owned by the college in partnership with Florida Atlantic University. The Adams Campus also is home to the College Academy @ BC, a collegiate high school opened in partnership with the Broward County Public Schools in 2001.

#### JUDSON A. SAMUELS SOUTH CAMPUS

The Judson A. Samuels South Campus, named for a South Broward community leader and one of the college's most influential trustees, is on a 103-acre tract in Pembroke Pines, just west of Florida's Turnpike. The campus is home to the college's Aviation Institute, located adjacent to North Perry Airport, as well as the joint-use Broward College/Broward County South Regional Library. The library is the first building in Broward County constructed to meet the standards of the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design's (LEED) building rating system, set by the U.S. Green Building Council. Samuels South Campus has three partnership branches, including Pines Center, Miramar Town Center, and Miramar West Center.

# **NORTH CAMPUS**

The North Campus, in Coconut Creek, covers approximately 113 acres adjacent to the Florida Turnpike. Dedicated in 1972, North Campus has grown to more than a dozen buildings including the Omni Auditorium, Health Science Center II, and the Broward College/North Regional Broward County Library. North Campus also houses the college's manufacturing program and the Citrix IT Academy, part of the Citrix Academic Network.



Broward College is entering an exciting new chapter under the leadership of a new permanent president committed to positioning the institution as the number one destination for academic excellence.

For the right candidate, this is a challenging and rewarding opportunity to make a significant contribution to Broward College and its surrounding constituents by serving as the Vice President of Advancement and Executive Director of the Broward College Foundation.

This senior leadership role reports directly to the President and leads the College's advancement strategy and philanthropic efforts. This role also provides executive leadership to the Broward College Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, working in close partnership with the Foundation Board of Directors to advance the College's priorities.

# **Essential Duties & Responsibilities**

- Provide strategic leadership and oversight for the College's fundraising, donor engagement, and ad-vancement operations.
- Cultivate and maintain relationships with major donors, corporate partners, and community stakeholders.
- Serve as the executive liaison to the Broward College Foundation Board of Directors, ensuring alignment with institutional priorities.
- Oversee the development and execution of donor stewardship strategies and campaigns to increase philanthropic support.
- Collaborate with the President and senior leadership to align advancement goals with the College's vision and mission.
- Responsible for managing and leading a professional team and setting performance standards and goals.

# **Preferred Qualifications**

- Bachelor's degree required; Master's degree preferred.
- At least 10 years of progressive experience in advancement operations within higher education or non-profit sectors.
- Proven ability to lead complex advancement operations and develop high-level philanthropic strategies.
- Extensive experience partnering with boards and senior executives to support institutional advancement goals.
- Demonstrated ability to grow donor pipelines and significantly increase philanthropic investments.

- Strong executive presence with excellent skills in building relationships with an array of stakeholders.
- · Demonstrated success in leading, mentoring, and growing a team of advancement professionals.
- Strong budgeting and financial management skills to optimize resources effectively.
- Commitment to innovation and creativity in problem-solving within the advancement context.
- An equivalent combination of education and experience may be considered.

Note: See sections 1001.65 and 1004.70, Florida Statutes, for duties and responsibilities as legally required by the State of Florida.





# **Torey Alston, President of Broward College**

Mr. Torey Alston became Broward College's eighth permanent president and chief executive officer via a unanimous vote of the District Board of Trustees in January 2025, and began his tenure in February 2025. His professional experiences and personal connection to Broward County have provided him with an understanding of how vibrant and amazing the community is, and this new opportunity brings Mr. Alston back to Broward County, his hometown.

As President, Mr. Alston is committed to working with all stakeholders to build upon the strong foundation that has already been established at the College. He is empowering faculty, staff and alumni as college ambassadors, helping promote the College and sharing the many achievements to attract and retain the best and brightest while working to make Broward the number one destination for academic excellence.







Fort Lauderdale offers beautiful ocean beaches, scenic inland waterways, and a broad range of cultural offerings. With an estimated population of 186,000, Fort Lauderdale is one of the largest cities in Florida and it is known for its outstanding quality of life. The city's year-round ocean breezes and sunny days allow residents to enjoy outdoor recreation and activities throughout the year.

While continuing to be a popular tourist destination, Fort Lauderdale has successfully attracted a wide range of industries to diversify its growing economy. Today, companies and industries in the areas of marine, finance, manufacturing, high technology, aerospace, insurance, and film and television production call this ocean-side city home.

Whether strolling the city's picturesque Riverwalk, visiting a museum, or enjoying entertainment and fine dining, Fort Lauderdale is a great place to live, work, and enjoy life.

# **Application & Nomination Process**

Confidential inquiries are welcomed, and nominations are invited.



# **Applications**

# All application packets must include the following:

- 1) Cover letter that describes strengths, skills, and knowledge that will benefit this position.
- 2) Current résumé
- 3) At least five professional references with full contact and e-mail information. (References will not be contacted without the applicant's consent.)

Submit application materials online, preferably as PDFs. Additional information is requested with the submission of materials. Review of applications begins immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

**APPLY HERE** 

# **Nominations**

Submit nominations with complete contact and e-mail information for the individual being nominated.

**NOMINATE HERE** 

## **Consultant**

Kenny Daugherty, President of Myers McRae Executive Search and Consulting, is conducting this search with Brianna Douglas, Vice President, assisting. Request a conversation by e-mailing KennyDaugherty@myersmcrae.com.



Broward College subscribes to and endorses equal employment and educational opportunity. Its policies and practices will assure nondiscriminatory treatment of all persons without regard to race, color, age, national origin, religion, marital status, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, disabling condition, ethnicity, pregnancy, or any other factor or condition protected by law. In addition, the College shall not solicit, collect, maintain, or utilize genetic information, as defined in Federal regulations for any purpose. Broward College makes every reasonable effort to accommodate persons with disabilities.