



# Brown Parent and Family Capstone Gift Opportunities

**The magnitude of the graduation milestone inspires many families to make a “capstone gift”—a special pledge that celebrates the graduate’s Brown experience. Below are some examples of capstone gifts that resonate with our Brown families.**

## **ENDOWMENT GIVING OPPORTUNITIES**

### **Undergraduate financial aid**

Help bring more talented students to Brown by establishing a scholarship or financial aid fund.

*Endowed financial aid funds start at \$100,000. Named scholarships start at \$250,000.*

### **Faculty support**

Support Brown’s commitment to recruiting and retaining the professors who will propel their departments—and their students—to even greater heights.

*An endowed dean’s faculty fund begins at \$500,000. Named professorships start at \$2 million. Over time, families may add gifts to their faculty funds and convert them into named professorships.*

### **Athletics equipment and travel funds**

Provide support for new equipment, enhanced practice space, travel to competitions, and coaches’ discretionary funds. Couple your gift with an annual-use commitment to make an immediate as well as an enduring impact.

*Endowed athletic funds start at \$100,000.*

### **Named rooms and spaces**

Expand and upgrade physical spaces across campus to support the innovation, collaboration, and excellence that characterize a Brown education.

*Opportunities exist throughout campus to name spaces in recognition of your family’s connection to Brown.*

## **DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION**

**Brown’s commitment to diversity and inclusion** and its long track record of scholarship related to race, ethnicity, religion, gender, and sexuality have positioned the University to make meaningful contributions to some of the most complex and difficult conversations our society faces today.

*Gift opportunities range from supporting existing endowments for globally influential research centers such as the Simmons Center for the Study of Slavery and Justice and the Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity in America to establishing a visiting professorship with a gift of \$2 million.*



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## IMMEDIATE-USE OPPORTUNITIES: THE BROWN ANNUAL FUND

### / The Brown Fund

Support Brown where it's most needed.

### / Impact Funds

Strengthen specific, high-priority University initiatives through targeted philanthropic opportunities.

*Gifts can be made to the BrownConnect Fund, Pathways to Diversity and Inclusion Fund, and Campus Sustainability Fund.*

### / Affinity Scholarships

Promote a vibrant community of diverse perspectives on campus.

*Gifts can be made to the Inman Page Black Alumni Council (IPC) Brown Annual Fund (BAF) Scholarship, the International Brown Annual Fund Scholarship, and the Mercedes Domenech Brown University Latino Alumni Council (BULAC) Brown Annual Fund (BAF) Scholarship.*

### / Professional School Annual Funds

Advance the work of the University's professional schools.

*Gifts can be made to the Brown Medical Annual Fund, the School of Engineering Annual Fund, and the School of Public Health Annual Fund.*

## MULTI-YEAR OPPORTUNITIES

*Amplify your impact with a multi-year gift.*

### / Brown Annual Fund Scholarship

Provides need-based financial aid for a deserving undergraduate student.

*Minimum gift of \$25,000/year for four years.*

### / BrownConnect Internship Fund

Ensures financial support for and access to high-quality internship and research opportunities.

*Minimum gift of \$20,000/year for four years.*

*\*Scholarships and internships may be named in honor of an individual or family.*



## LEGACY GIVING

Solidify Brown's place among the institutions that mean the most to your family by joining the College Hill Society, a community of supporters who have included Brown in their estate or deferred giving plans. Many options are available to help you achieve your philanthropic priorities in a tax-efficient way.

[plannedgiving.brown.edu](https://plannedgiving.brown.edu)



## ALUMNI BRICK WALKWAY

Honor your student's time at Brown by purchasing an inscribed brick in the Maddock Alumni Center gardens with a tax-deductible gift of \$250.

[brown.edu/go/walkway](https://brown.edu/go/walkway)



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