



All in Challenge Action Plan 2024

Introduction

Brown University students have often distinguished themselves with a fierce social conscience and an interest in pursuing justice; indeed, our students' passion for social change is one of the University's hallmarks. For more than 30 years, Brown's Swearer Center for Public Service has asked what civic responsibility do we have as scholars, students and community members to tackle the new and long-standing challenges of our changing world? How do we build the democratic practices, between scholars and practitioners, and among all community members, that will be needed to navigate this world? What obligation does higher education have to prepare ethical, effective, and engaged community members?

This All in Challenge Action Plan builds off of our history, our strategic plan, and the 2017 Higher Education and Democratic Practice (HEDP) initiative to elevate students' understanding of democracy and civic behavior, specifically related to voting. In addition to articulating voter registration and mobilization tactics, the Action Plan emphasizes the value of informed debate among people with different points of view, as well as such principles as the rule of law and ethical governance.

As always, the Swearer Center seeks to promote the role of higher education in cultivating deep democratic values, skills, and behaviors and to establish Brown as a university community that cares about civic engagement. At its core, this plan brings into action our belief that universities — and Brown in particular — are uniquely positioned to emphasize and support the bedrock elements of a successful democracy.

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Executive Summary

This plan was developed by the staff at the Swearer Center for Public Service, with additional input from our campus partners. Its purpose is to create a clear, actionable, and coordinated set of goals and strategies to increase voter registration, education and turnout for the 2024 election cycle, as well as to embed these strategies within the culture of Brown. The plan seeks methods and tools to make civic learning and democratic engagement a bedrock of the institution, honoring the University's mission to "serve the community, the nation and the world by discovering, communicating and preserving knowledge and understanding in a spirit of free inquiry, and by educating and preparing students to discharge the offices of life with usefulness and reputation." This one year Action Plan will be implemented at Brown University and with the Swearer Center's community partners in Providence, RI, with action from a coalition of students, faculty, staff, academic departments, campus life groups and Providence community members.

The plan articulates specific goals:

Short Term

- Increase Brown undergraduate presidential student voting rates from 73.9%* (estimated) in 2020 to 85% in 2024, in line with the highest-performing schools in the All-In Challenge.
- Provide clear, current, and accurate information to 100% of Brown students on voter registration and absentee ballot processes across all 50 states, utilizing increased capacity in partnership with the Registrar and centralized [Brown Votes website](#).
- Advise 100% of students who request help with election materials or voting processes with rapid and informed guidance.
- Provide 100% of faculty in the Swearer Center Engaged Scholarship program with materials to promote voter participation information in their classes (in 2019-20, there are 15 faculty in learning communities, 16 faculty leaders for ESP, and 12 faculty who have spring 2020 engaged courses designated as CBLR. Approximately 250 Brown faculty subscribe to the Swearer faculty newsletter)

Long Term

- By April 2024, formalize a decision with Brown's registrar about including Turbovote as part of the Brown course registration, pre-orientation, or enrollment process.
- By May 2024, coordinate Swearer Center workshop series on Voting Rights with a range of co-sponsors that have the goal of increasing civic learning and voter understanding of the candidates and ballot issues.
- By April 2024, formalize a decision with Brown's New Student Programs about including civic education and voter registration as part of Orientation programming.

- By August 2024, build deeper pathways of “beyond-the-ballot” opportunities for non-citizens and those who are ineligible to vote to promote civic engagement.

Leadership Coalition

The Swearer Center, led by Stark Family Executive Director Mary Jo Callan has taken a lead role in voter registration, engagement and education on campus. Mary Jo has also been appointed as Vice President for Community Engagement in the President’s Office, where civic engagement is a distinct priority of her scope of work. The Swearer Center is partnering with administrative departments, academic institutes, and student organizations as well as the local election board and Secretary of State Gregg Amore’s office to promote events and initiatives such as voter registration drives, voter access information and voter education forums. The Swearer Center funds Brown’s work with Turbovote and provides students with the tools they need both to be active and informed voters and to go beyond the ballot more deeply into engaged citizenship.

Swearer Center for Public Service

Mary Jo Callan, Vice President for Community Engagement and Stark Family Executive Director of the Howard R. Swearer Center for Public Service
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 TBD, Civic Engagement Fellow (added for 2024 election year)
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Brown University Partners

Students

Bonner Community Fellows - Sage Morgan Hubbard (Assistant Director)
 Brown Center for Students of Color - Anne Marie Ponte (Coordinator, Co-Curricular Initiatives)
 Brown College Democrats - Cecilia Marrinan (President)
 Brown Republicans - tbd
 Undocumented, First-Generation College and Low-Income Student Center (U-FLi Center) - Julio Reyes (Program Director)
 Greek Council and Program Houses - Meghan Fox (Manager)
 Stonewall House (LGBTQ Center) - Keri McDonough (Assistant Director)

No Labels at Brown - Aidan Brice

Sarah Doyle Center for Women - Felicia Salinas-Moniz (Director)
Swearer Center Student Advisory Committee - Georgina Manok (Assistant Director)

Faculty

Taubman Center for American Politics and Policy - Susan Moffitt (Director), Othniel Harris (Program Manager)
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Student Affairs

Campus Life and Student Services - Eric Estes (Vice President for Campus Life)
Campus Mail Center - Rich Morello (Manager)
Family Weekend Planning Committee - tbd
Office of the Chaplains and Religious Life - The Reverend Janet Cooper Nelson (Chaplain of the University)
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Other campus offices

Brown University Libraries - Kelly Clifton (Head of Library Community Engagement)
Brown University Graduate School - Vanessa Ryan (Co-Deputy Dean, Associate Dean of Student Development)
Brown University Medical School - Dr. Joe Diaz (Associate Dean for Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, Associate Professor of Medicine)
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Office of University Event & Conference Services - Mikele St-Germain (Associate Director)
Office Government & Community Relations - Albert Dahlberg (Assistant Vice President)

Community/National Organizations

All in Challenge - (Managing Director, ALL IN Campus Democracy Challenge, Civic Nation)
Ivy Votes Challenge - Stephanie King (Director, Strategic Initiatives, Civic Nations)
John Marion, Common Cause RI
Kristina Pieres, Generation Citizen RI

NSLVE

TurboVote - Jake Ward (Partner Support Associate Democracy Works)

Swearer Center Community Partnership Network

Local elections office coordination

Office of the RI Secretary of State, Gregg Amore

RI Director of Elections, Rob Rock

Leadership Succession Plan

Now that Brown's voter engagement efforts are housed within the Swearer Center, there are multiple team members familiar and involved with Brown Votes to ensure continuity in the event of staff transitions. Currently, the Manager of Community-Engaged Learning (Austin Wilson) takes direct lead on managing our Civic Engagement team, supported by Swearer's Communications Coordinator. Swearer's Assistant Director of Co-Curricular Learning (Joshua Rodriguez) manages the Community-Engaged Learning team and has developed an involved advising role with Brown Votes to ensure concerted action across our team. Swearer's Executive Director and Vice President for Community Engagement MJ Callan also provides high-level strategic guidance and goal-setting for the initiative. Additionally, we have formed a Brown Votes Steering Committee with administrative directors across Campus (Athletics, Registrar, Residence Life, Dean of Faculty) to ensure collaboration across campus, which is co-chaired by MJ Callan and Assistant Vice President for Government and Community Relations Albert Dahlberg.

Commitment

Brown University and the Swearer Center's re-commitment to student civic engagement and voter education was launched in 2017, when Brown President Christina Paxson charged the Swearer Center to pilot a new Higher Education and Democratic Practice (HEDP) Initiative. As part of this initiative, the Swearer Center explored the role of higher education in cultivating deep democratic values, skills, and behaviors and established itself as a university entity that cares about democratic scholarship. Citing Brown's mission, the University sought to increase student engagement in voting, voting education, civic engagement and university governance.

Brown as an institution has communicated its commitment to improving democratic engagement in multiple ways. In her 2017 Commencement Address, Brown's President Christina Paxson said,

So what I want to leave you with today is a call to live courageously. It is as essential now as it was in Roger Williams' time — if only to bridge the divides that separate us.

So what does this mean? This means having the courage to be a civically engaged citizen. After graduation, you will land somewhere — you may not even know where yet — to work, study and launch your post-Brown lives. Wherever you land, register to vote. Volunteer for a local nonprofit. Coach youth sports. Or shoot for the moon, and run for elected office...

It means having the courage of your informed convictions — doing things you believe in, even if you encounter criticism or even if you break social norms... And finally, it means having the courage to be compassionate — to empathize with others, even those whose life experiences are very different from your own...

To close, let me say this: Every historical era can be framed as “extraordinary times.” It’s trite probably to say this is that. But there is no time like the present. So on this remarkable day, at this moment of truth, take everything that Brown University has opened up to you — and live courageously. Go out into the world, fiercely, boldly and thoughtfully. Keep this lively experiment burning brightly. And don’t ever forget that people here at Brown will love you, and honor you, for doing just that.

Civic engagement is tightly woven into the co-curriculum of the Swearer Center and is aligned with several of our learning outcomes and core competencies for students, including:

Civic, Community and Public Engagement

- Understands the roots of inequality and injustice in communities and develops knowledge, skills, values and motivation needed to bring about positive social and political change.
- Understands how to identify the needs and assets of communities.
- Understands benefits and potential challenges of community-campus partnerships.
- Analyzes structural conditions that have resulted in injustice, inequality and other forms of social marginality.
- Identifies and analyzes relevant pathways for social change.
- Works collaboratively with community partners to develop and implement appropriate social change strategies.

Effective Action, Collaboration and Leadership

- Demonstrates ability to operate effectively - individually and collaboratively - in planning, coordinating, implementing and evaluating actions required to advance social change.
- Understands and articulates multiple modes of social change and interconnected systems and structures of power.

- Identifies points of entry for individual and community action to address systemic challenges and develop strategies for change.
- Identifies strengths and resources in oneself and in teams, and builds constructive and meaningful relationships.
- Navigates existing structures to yield sustainable, just and systemic change.
- Communicates clearly and effectively across contexts, in groups and in various media.
- Acts effectively as a participatory, inclusive, purposeful and process-oriented leader.

The Swearer Center’s co-curricular workshop library includes offerings specifically designed to help prepare Brown students to vote. As examples, two voter education workshops are [Democracy in RI](#), which walks students through voting procedures and exposes them to elected officials in Providence and [Civic Engagement](#), in which students research their local election candidates and bond issues, register to vote, explore voting practices elsewhere in the US, and consider why they are turning out to vote and the role they play as a leader on campus to encourage others to be civically engaged. We also run panel discussions and guest speakers who focus on “RI Politics 101” and “Careers in Campaigns” for students interested in political work as a career. In addition, we have presented about our civic engagement work at the Eastern Region Campus Compact meeting, in conjunction with our community partner, Generation Citizen, with a workshop called [Beyond the Ballot: Activating Deeper Democratic Engagement Within the University](#).

Additionally, the Office of University Communications coordinates with the Swearer Center on the topic of voting, and most recently on National Voter Registration Day and Vote Early Day, using Brown’s social media to encourage students to register to vote. Likewise, Brown included the fact that Washington Monthly listed Brown in its “Top Colleges for Student Voting” in their annual article on Brown's position in college rankings. Finally, the Brown Daily Herald runs frequent articles about civic engagement (see [Student Voter Turnout Triples](#) and [University Student Groups, Campus Centers Gear up for Midterm Elections](#) as two examples).

Landscape

Initially and historically, Swearer Center’s civic education on campus focused on tabling and voter registration. After lobbying for the University to join the NSLVE, we had access to data that enabled us to finely hone our approach and learned that our real stumbling block is helping students navigate and manage the multi-step absentee ballot process. For example, the NSLVE results revealed that nearly 80% of Brown students are already registered to vote. Thus, our focus must be not on voter registration but on voter motivation and ballot submissions.

Likewise, the NSLVE results demonstrated that the majority of Brown students vote by absentee ballot. Therefore, our previous timing of sending out voter messaging the week of the election

was ineffective, as absentee ballot voters must begin a month or two in advance on the process. Students arrive at Brown from all 50 states with 50 separate voting processes, candidates, and ballot issues. As a result, the Swearer Center has tasked a staff member with understanding voting procedures in each state and working individually with students as needed to place their vote. In 2023, we developed a partnership with Brown's Registrar to use enrolled student data for state-by-state outreach campaigns. For 2024, we plan to send every enrolled student state-specific voting information to ensure they know the deadlines for registration, absentee ballot requests, and returning their ballot. We piloted this direct email approach with all first-year students this Fall by sending our National Voter Registration information, and that particular campaign had a 90% open rate. We will study the effectiveness of the state-by-state campaign with similar metrics to gauge its effectiveness.

The Swearer Center believes that a key component of civic engagement is the ability to understand and respect differing viewpoints. Brown is predominantly a campus of Democrats. A 2015 Brown Daily Herald poll found that 58.5% of students identified themselves as somewhat liberal or very liberal, while 30.9% of students identified as very conservative, somewhat conservative or centrist on fiscal issues. According to the David Horowitz Freedom Center, the ratio of Democrats to Republicans among Brown faculty members is 30-to-1, well below that of U.S. colleges overall, in which only about 10 percent of faculty members are Republican. Yet, the University values many voices. President Paxson and Provost Locke initiated a "Reaffirming University Values" speaker series in 2016 to bring speakers with a range of political beliefs to campus. Most recently, Jeb Bush and several conservative speakers have come to campus, and were greeted with respectful questions. The student group, No Labels, seeks to promote "bipartisan cooperation on campus to solve local and national problems. We want Democrats, Republicans, Independents, and others to work together to solve the problems we face locally in Providence as well nationally. We understand that there are fundamental differences in how we approach issues and look to solve them, but agreeing to work together is the first fundamental step."

Nearly 18% of Brown University students are international students and another, smaller number fall under the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) immigration policy. Members of these population groups are usually unable to vote in the US, yet we are eager to include them in conversations about civic engagement, which apply to everyone. For these students, we have applied a strategy to go Beyond the Ballot. Outreach, which was developed in conjunction with our community partner Generation Citizen, and which includes information on engaging in a conversation with people who disagree with you, lobbying a decision-maker, writing an op-ed for a local newspaper or blog, attending a community or political board meeting, or hosting a political gathering.

Goals

Short Term

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- Provide clear, current, and accurate information to 100% of Brown students on voter registration and absentee ballot processes across all 50 states, utilizing increased capacity in partnership with the Registrar and centralized [Brown Votes website](#).
- Distribute [Brown Votes Civic Engagement Toolkit](#) with resources for all members of the campus community to promote civic engagement ahead of the election.
- Advise 100% of students who request help with election materials or voting processes with rapid and informed guidance.
- Provide 100% of faculty in the Swearer Center Engaged Scholarship program with materials to promote voter participation information in their classes (in 2019-20, there are 15 faculty in learning communities, 16 faculty leaders for ESP, and 12 faculty who have spring 2020 engaged courses designated as CBLR. Approximately 250 Brown faculty subscribe to the Swearer faculty newsletter).
- Distribute Civic Engagement Resource Kits with voter registration info to all Identity Centers, Departmental Undergraduate Groups (DUGs) and high-traffic campus centers
- By May 2024, coordinate Swearer Center workshop series on Voting Rights with a range of co-sponsors that have the goal of increasing civic learning and voter understanding of the candidates and ballot issues.
- Partner with the Rhode Island Voting Access Coalition and RI Secretary of State to host registration drives on all college campuses in the state for National Voter Registration Day in September 2024.
- Partner with University Communications to host a ‘takeover’ of Brown’s social media channels for Vote Early Day in October, 2024.
- Complete training with Residence Life and Affinity-Based Housing student leadership on TurboVote to encourage peer-to-peer Civic Engagement
- Provide resources and training to Brown Athletics Student Leadership Committee to engage student athletes, including facilitating a voter registration competition.
- Provide TurboVote training and resources to Meiklejohn Peer Advisors, Bruno Leaders, and First-year Advisors integrate voter registration into Brown’s culture of peer advising.
- Host a campus-wide Election Watch Event on the evening of November 8th
- Coordinate with CAPS, Residence Life, and other departments to provide opportunities for processing and support in the wake of potential election-related conflict

Long Term

- By Spring 2024, develop specific voter outreach plans with our campus and community partners.
- By Spring 2024, formalize a decision with Brown's registrar about including Turbovote as part of the Brown course registration or pre-orientation process.
- By Spring 2024, build deeper pathways of 'beyond the ballot' opportunities for non-citizens and those who are ineligible to vote to promote civic engagement.

National Study of Learning, Voting, and Engagement (NSLVE)

Since joining the NSLVE in 2016, the Swearer Center has been encouraged by the upwards trajectory of Brown undergraduate students' civic engagement. The 2018 midterm elections was most gratifying, as it revealed that Brown student voting increased by 31.7% from the 2014 midterm rate. Additionally, Brown's 2018 midterm voting rate of 45.1% was higher than the 2018 voting rate for all institutions (39%). These findings were gratifying for our work, yet it also indicates we have much more work to do.

Our NSLVE data demonstrates the importance of focusing not just on registration, but also on voter turnout. Our 2018 data showed that 79% of Brown students are registered to vote, similar to the 2016 data that showed that 84% of our campus population is registered (likely higher in presidential election years), but our campus-wide voting rates are not as high. In 2018, 58% of registered students voted, compared to 20% in 2014. Likewise, in 2016, 71% of our registered students voted, up from 57% in 2012. While the upwards growth is promising, the NSLVE data makes clear the need to focus on voter motivation and action. We will continue with voter registration drives starting in January for the midterms and again in September as we get closer to the election. But, our focus will be on turnout and helping students navigate the absentee ballot process.

In 2018, 56% of Brown students voted absentee, by mail, or early (another 21% voted in person and 23% were unknown and likely were also absentee). We saw a meaningful 13% decrease at Brown in the number of students voting in person from 2014 to 2018. This reinforces our knowledge that our strategy should focus on supporting absentee ballot processes.

One area that the NSLVE clearly indicates as a place of growth is around graduate student engagement. In 2014 and 2018, fewer than 30% of graduate students voted. While the rate increased 17.7% between those two elections, there is plenty of room for improvement. The Swearer Center's mission is linked to the undergraduate population at Brown, but we look forward to continuing to build off of our partnerships with Brown's Medical School, Graduate School and School of Public Health to improve these numbers.

Similarly, the NSLVE data points us to the need for improvement in specific, mostly STEM-related academic departments. In particular, the concentrations of BEO (Business, Entrepreneurship and Organizations), Engineering, and Liberal Humanities indicate lower rates of voting (it would be quite helpful, actually, if the team at the NSLVE could identify for us what majors are included in this last category). We plan on specific outreach to those departments to educate them about the data and to see how we can work with their faculty and their DUGs (Departmental Undergraduate Groups) to improve the numbers.

*Unfortunately, we have run into several difficulties with our more recent NSLVE data – due to how Brown restructured its semester schedule during the pandemic, our 2020 NSLVE data was declared inaccurate and not helpful to inform our efforts. Likewise, we are still waiting on NSLVE data from 2022 to note any changes or improvements. We are working with NSLVE to ensure we can still access their services for 2024 and are still using our earlier reports to inform our strategy, as seen above.

Strategy 2024

Our strategy will focus on four main areas:

- Voter registration, access and mobilization of students for the 2024 election, with a particular focus on absentee voting and a targeted approach to students across all 50 states. Through a deeper partnership with the Registrar, we now have a database of all eligible student voters at Brown, and will be able to launch state-by-state email outreach with specific deadlines and information to navigate the absentee ballot process.
- Investing in peer-led outreach, leveraging Brown’s unique strengths in peer advising ([Meiklejohns](#), [Bruno Leaders](#), [Identity Centers](#), [Athletic Leaders](#) and [Residence Life](#)) by training student leaders to help their peers develop voting plans as part of their welcome to Brown.
- Student co-curricular education about liberal democracy and civic engagement, specifically focusing this year on voting rights.
- Student education about ways to go Beyond the Ballot to encourage civic engagement

Voter Engagement tactics in line with strategy

- Convene a voter education taskforce with our on-campus All in Challenge partners.
- Provide multiple access points for students to easily access stamps, envelopes and help for absentee balloting through Brown’s Mail Services unit, the Libraries, the Watson and Taubman Centers, and the Swearer Center.
- Co-sponsor voter education forums, panels, workshops, and films.
- Deliver trainings on civic engagement for all Community Coordinator’s and Residence Life staff in Spring 2024

- Co-host event series on the Taubman Center's [Voting Rights Project](#) in Spring 2024.
- Set up the Swearer Center to serve as a voting resource center, with staff to provide voter registration or absentee ballot assistance; a free Notary; free printing, envelopes and postage. Students can also access materials through inter-campus mail.
- Promote our online *BrownVotes* [Library Guide](#) to provide a one-stop shopping site for students to find voter registration, issue and ballot information, and easy access to non-partisan voter guides.
- Provide TurboVote training and resources to Meiklejohn Peer Advisors, Bruno Leaders, and First-year Advisors integrate voter registration into Brown's culture of peer advising.
- Facilitate voter registration competition across Athletics teams.
- Regularly promote student registration on TurboVote through all campus mail, multiple social media sites, and in Swearer Center newsletters.
- Provide campus partners with Civic Engagement toolkits to incorporate Turbovote into their regular communications.
- Work with the Office of International Students to hold events promoting Beyond the Ballot opportunities and ways to get involved civically.
- TurboVote Registration with Graduate Student Orientation in August 2024
- TurboVote registration with pre-orientations for Bonner Community Fellows, Athletics, Third World Transition Program (TWTP), and with First Year Orientation in late August 2024
- Swearer Center voter engagement table at the Swearer Open House
- Mock Voting Booth at Student Center on the Main Green with RI Secretary of State in late September
- Partner with the RI Voting Access Coalition for National Voter Registration Day in September 2024 to have registration drives at all campuses in RI
- Social media takeover with the Office of University Communications encouraging students to register to vote according to their home state guidelines, on National Voter Registration Day, and Vote Early Day.
- Election Day special events on Tuesday, November 8: student march to the on-campus polling place in Salomon Hall (Same Day Registration is available in RI), election watch party with live data analysis, and more TBD.
- By April 2024, reach out to faculty department chairs in departments with the lowest voter turnout according to the NSLVE to share this data and discuss ways to encourage student turnout.
- By February 2024, reach out to all DUGs (Departmental Undergraduate Groups) to talk about voter participation in their specific field of study and brainstorm ways to engage more voters in their DUG.
- Co-sponsor activities with student groups including the Brown Democrats, Brown Republicans and No Labels, which include but are not limited to phone banking, canvassing, co-sponsoring voter registration tables throughout campus and sponsoring

debate viewing parties. These organizations also encourage students to participate through TurboVote. Note: while some student political organizations support partisan activities in support of particular candidates or parties, the Swearer Center and the University as a whole support nonpartisan civic engagement efforts.

Reporting

The NSLVE reports for Brown from 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018 are shared prominently on the [Swearer Center](#) and [Brown Votes](#) websites, along with reports from Swearer's Higher Education and Democratic Practice Initiative. The Swearer Center shares the outcomes of the NSLVE broadly on our social media, with campus partners, and with the Brown Daily Herald, our student run newspaper.

Evaluation

In addition to information provided by the NSLVE, the Swearer Center will evaluate our progress towards goals by tracking:

- Open rates for state-by-state email campaigns through Mailchimp
- Traffic and hits on our centralized [Brown Votes](#) site
- Turbovote sign-ups, using specific QR codes to determine which channels are most active and effective.
- Number of students who requested voting materials at multiple distribution sites on campus.
- Traffic and hits to the *BrownVotes* LibGuide.
- Specific and targeted voter outreach plans with our campus and community partners.
- Progress toward including Turbovote as part of the Brown course registration or pre-orientation process.
- Development of Swearer Center's Voting Rights Civic Engagement Series
- Deeper pathways of 'beyond the ballot' opportunities for non-citizens and those who are ineligible to vote to promote civic engagement.
- Website and other materials outlining the University's shared governance processes, as a method of democratic engagement.
- Student participation in shared governance opportunities (i.e. applicants for a specific committee position) across the University.