WHAT IS HBCU?
Historically Black Colleges and Universities are institutions of higher education in the United States that were established before the Civil Rights Act of 1964 with the intention of primarily serving the African-American community. Most of these institutions were founded in the years after the American Civil War and are concentrated in the Southern United States. During the period of segregation in the United States prior to the Civil Rights Act, the overwhelming majority of higher education institutions were predominantly white and completely disqualified or limited African-American enrollment. For a century after the end of slavery in the United States in 1865, most colleges and universities in the Southern United States prohibited all African Americans from attending, while institutions in other parts of the country regularly employed quotas to limit admissions of blacks.

WHY SHOULD I ATTEND AN HBCU?
Attending an HBCU gives you an opportunity to meet people who have similar goals to yours, but in in a smaller setting. This allows the relationship to become stronger and gives you ample time to develop your networking skills.

HBCU BUZZ—5 REASONS TO CHOOSE A HBCU
1. The Faculty Care
2. Some of the Greats have Attended HBCU’s
3. The Life
4. Sense of Pride
5. Networking

Visit https://hbcubuzz.com/2015/03/five-reasons-you-should-attend-an-hbcu/, to learn more!

TAKE THE HBCU VIRTUAL TOUR
Visit our Website to take virtual tours and get credit for participating. We have chosen a few Colleges/Universities to Showcase this Summer as Follows:

GRAMBLING
June 22, 2020

HOWARD
July 6, 2020

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M
July 20, 2020

LISTING OF HBCU’S
Use the following link to find a listing of all 107 colleges in the United States that are identified by the US Department of Education as an HBCU and learn more about what they offer.

http://thehundredseven.org/hbculist.html