The positive educational and economic impact of Ohio’s HBCUs is large and lasting. The numbers (based on 2016 data) tell the story.

**KEY STATS:**
- HBCUs comprise 2% of the four-year institutions in the state
- Enroll 7% of all black undergraduates at public and private four-year institutions
- Award 7% of all bachelor’s degrees earned by black students

**ENROLLMENT:**
- **2,175**: Total number of black undergraduates enrolled at an HBCU in the state
- **7%**: Percentage of black male undergraduates enrolled at a four-year HBCU in Ohio
- **6%**: Percentage of black female undergraduates enrolled at a four-year HBCU in Ohio

**ECONOMIC IMPACT***:
- Total economic impact: Ohio’s two HBCUs generate **$124 million** in total economic impact.
- Total employment impact: Ohio’s two HBCUs generate **1,234 jobs** for their local and regional economy.
- Total lifetime earnings for graduates: The 407 Ohio HBCU graduates in 2014 can expect total earnings of **$1 billion** over their lifetimes.