

# **BRIDGEPOINT EDUCATION INC**

# Reported by **BROWN MARC**

## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP **OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Brown Marc				В	Bridgepoint Education Inc [ BPI ]											
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							Director 10% Owner				
											X Office below)	cer (give title	e below)	Othe	r (specify	
13500 EVENING CREEK DRIVE					2/20/2017							ef HR O	fficer			
NORTH																
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
SAN DIEGO, CA 92128																
(City)	(State)	(Zip)											Reporting Per than One Rep		n	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1.Title of Security		100101	11011	2. Tra		2A.			. Securities	<u>_</u>	mount of Securitie	·		6.	7. Nature	
(Instr. 3)				Date		Deemed Execution	C	ode A	acquired (A) Disposed of (	or Foll	owing Reported T tr. 3 and 4)			Ownership Form:	of Indirect Beneficial	
						Date, if	(1		Instr. 3, 4 an		u. 3 and 4)			Direct (D)	Ownership	
						any			(A)					or Indirect (I) (Instr.	(Instr. 4)	
								Code V A	amount (D)	Price				4)		
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					$\overline{}$						ants, options					
Title of Derivate     Security	2. Conversion		3A. Deemed	4. Trans		5. Number o Derivative	of	6. Date Exe and Expirat			d Amount of Underlying	<ol><li>Price of Derivative</li></ol>		10. Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3) or Exercise Execution Co		Code	ode Securities			Derivative Sec			Security	Security	derivative	Form of	Beneficial			
			(Instr. 8)							nd 4)	(Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially		Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	Security				ı,	(Instr. 3, 4 a	nd						Owned Following	Direct (D) or Indirect		
					5)							Reported	(I) (Instr.			
								Date	Expiration	m: 1	Amount or		Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	(4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable		Title	Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.43	3/29/2015		A		16662		(1)	3/29/2025	Common Stock	16662	\$0	16662	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	3/29/2015		A		8023		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8023	\$0	8023	D		
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units (PSUs)	(4)	3/29/2015		A		8235		(5)	(5)	Common Stock	8235	\$0.00	8235	D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Subject to the reporting person's continuing service, this option vests and becomes exercisable as follows: (i) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, (ii) an additional 2% of the shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on each monthly anniversary of the vesting commencement date for the thirty-three months following the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date and (iii) an additional 3% of the shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on each of the 46th, 47th and 48th monthly anniversaries of the vesting commencement date. The vesting commencement date for this option is March 29, 2015.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock.
- (3) Subject to the reporting person's continuing service, the restricted stock units vest as follows: (i) 25% of the restricted stock units vest on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and (ii) an additional 25% of the restricted stock units shall vest on each subsequent anniversary of the vesting commencement date. The vesting commencement date for the restricted stock units is March 29, 2015.
- (4) Each performance stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock.

(5) Subject to the reporting person's continuing service, the performance stock units vest as follows: (i) 25% of the performance stock units vest on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, and (ii) an additional 25% of the performance stock units shall vest on each subsequent anniversary of the vesting commencement date, in each case contingent upon achievement of the stock price performance goal for the immediately preceding performance period. The vesting commencement date for the performance stock units is March 29, 2015.

**Reporting Owners** 

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Brown Marc 13500 EVENING CREEK DRIVE NORTH			SVP, Chief HR Officer				
SAN DIEGO, CA 92128							

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Diane L. Thompson, as Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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