



LAKE STREET CAMPUS, 1954-1986



## A BRIEF LOOK AT 60 YEARS

Our roots reach back to 1946 when Richard and Helen Brown established the American Institute of the Air, training students for broadcasting careers at a campus located on East Lake Street in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Our first major change came in 1955, when Brown Institute was adopted as our new name. More changes came to the flourishing institute; television production courses were added, as were courses in computer electronics. Brown outgrew its facilities and relocated to Lake Street and Hiawatha Avenue in 1986, operating there for a decade before moving to the current 18-acre campus in Mendota Heights, Minnesota. Continued growth in programs and degree offerings initiated two more significant changes. In 2001, Brown Institute became Brown College, and our new campus in Brooklyn Center opened its doors.

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Celebrating 60 years of  
excellence and achievement