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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

| Name and Add Dackerman Ch | | ng Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bridgepoint Education Inc [BPI] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|-------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | | |
| 13500 EVENING CREEK DRIVE NORTH | | DRIVE | 05/05/2014 | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP of Human Resources | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| SAN DIEGO, | CA 92128 | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non- | Derivative | Secu | rities Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficial | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--------|----------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi corr Dispos (Instr. 3, | sed of | ` ′ | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 05/05/2014 | | M | 1,557 | A | \$ 0.585 | 4,625 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/05/2014 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 1,557 | D | \$ 15.5392 (2) | 3,068 | D | |

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|-------|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 0.585 | 05/05/2014 | | M | | 1,557 | (3) | 11/27/2017 | Common Stock | 1,557 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dackerman Charlene

13500 EVENING CREEK DRIVE NORTH SAN DIEGO, CA 92128

SVP of Human Resources

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Signatures

/s/ Diane L. Thompson, as Attorney-in-Fact 05/06/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The sale of shares reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan entered into by the reporting person on December 6, 2013.
- Represents the weighted average share price of an aggregate total of 1,557 shares sold in the price range of \$15.38 to \$15.70 by the (2) reporting person. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) This option became 100% vested and exercisable on April 14, 2009.

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