

Name Sheppard Randolph Edmonds **Field:** Drama
 Professor of Drama REAPPOINTMENT
 Dillard University, New Orleans, Louisiana

Plan of Work

To study in the experimental drama division of Yale University and to work on a project to determine the importance of the adapted play as source material for the Negro theatre.

Seeks Ph.D. Probable duration of work two years, beginning September, 1941. Will return to present position.

Personal Data

Born Lawrenceville, Virginia, April, 1900. **Age:** 41
 Married, two children.

Undergraduate Work

Oberlin College, A. B., 1926.

Graduate Work

Columbia University, A. M., 1932.
 Yale University, 1934-35
 Dublin University, quarter, 1938.
 Central School of Speech and Dramatic Arts, London, summer of 1938.

Experience

Professor, Morgan College, 1926-35, \$2400; professor, Dillard University, 1935 - , \$2800.

Accomplishments

Publications: Shades and Shadows (a book published by Meador, 1930); Six Plays for a Negro Theatre (Baker, 1934) and several articles.

Fellowships: General Education Board, 1934-35; Rosenwald Fund for eight months in Ireland and the British Isles, 1938, \$1900.

References

Barclay S. Leathem, Western Reserve University
 Frederick H. Koch, University of North Carolina
 Rudolph Moses, Dillard University
 Edward N. Wilson, Morgan College
 Allardyce Nicoll, Yale University

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$ 2,800
From Applicant	800
From Fund	\$ 2,000

Sent to Committee

AMOUNT GRANTED

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