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HORACE ROSCOE CAYTON

Director, Parkway Community House
Chicago, Illinois

Sociology

This is the \$64 question.
Certainly we can't give him
anything like what he asks - \$6,000

1937

1938

Name Cayton, Horace Roscoe (1903) Negro
 4635 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago White Southerner

Position Research Assistant, University of Chicago Special Field Sociology
 Group

College University of Washington, 1925-31, BBA.

University University of Chicago, 1931-34

Plan of Work:

Study of the Negro upper class. First year: study of literature; organization of statistical material; completion of residence work for degree at University of Chicago. Second year: field work in several northern and southern cities and writing of study. Seeks Ph. D., which will take 2 years. *(has comp course req.)*

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$1800 for one year
 Renewed for 1938 for \$1,500.

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Articles in the Nation. Contribution to chapter on the police in Negro Politician

Defined problem for dissertation. Active in housing movement. Brought up to date the manuscript on Negro labor written with Mitchell. To be published by U of NC Press. Postponed use of 1938 fellowship until later date in order to work with Mr. Warner. Began in October, 1939, on 1938 award.

1944: Black Metropolis: Book to be published in collaboration with St. Clair Drake December of 1944 or January of 1945.



5120 So. Parkway
Chicago, Ill.

CAYTON, HORACE R.

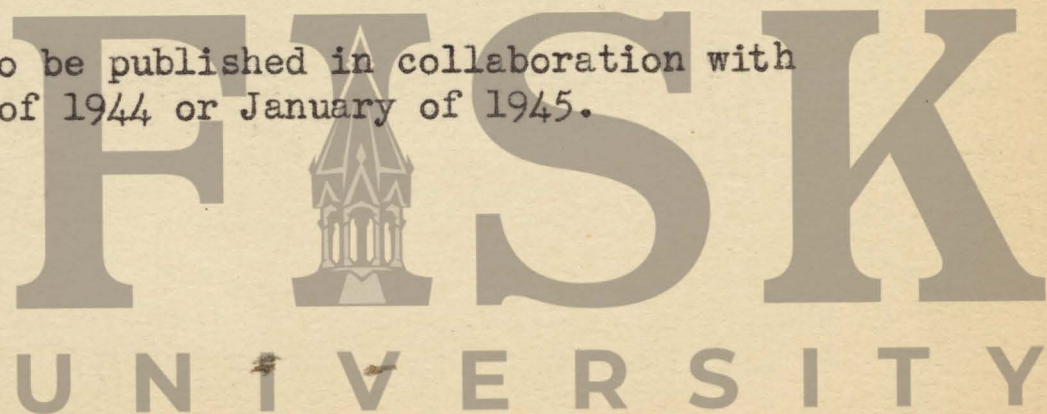
PROFESSIONAL CAREER

In 1937-38 Mr. Cayton began work toward his Ph. D. at the University of Chicago. He requested a postponement of his second fellowship, and during 1938-39 worked on a study of the Negro community in Chicago, a Federal project. Three of the reports prepared under Mr. Cayton's direction will be issued under the following titles: "The Migration and Mobility of Negroes in Chicago," by Elizabeth Johns; "Churches and Associations in the Chicago Negro Community," by St. Clair Drake; "Occupational Changes in the Negro Community, 1890-1930," by Estelle Scott.

During the summer of 1939 Mr. Cayton studied in France and Belgium. He is now continuing work toward his doctorate at the University of Chicago under his second fellowship. Sept 21, 1939.

Mr. Cayton will not, in all probability, obtain his doctor's degree. During the past year he was appointed Director of the Good Shepherd Community Center, which will begin activity in its new quarters in January of 1941. 10/23/40.

1944: Black Metropolis: Book to be published in collaboration with St. Clair Drake December of 1944 or January of 1945.



CAYTON, HORACE

PUBLICATIONS

"Negro Housing in Chicago," pamphlet published April 15, 1940, under auspices of Social Action, published by Council for Social Action of the Congregational and Christian Churches, New York. N. Y.

"Research on the Urban Negro", The American Journal of Sociology, Vol. XLVII, No. 2, September, 1941, with Elaine Ogden McNeil

Black Metropolis: in collaboration with St. Clair Drake, December 1945, Harcourt, Brace & Co.

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JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

Name Horace Roscoe Cayton
 Address 4635 S. Wabash Avenue, Chicago
 Position Research Assistant

Negro
 White Southerner

\$150

Special Field Sociology
 Group

Plan of Work

Study of the Negro Upper class. First year: study of literature; organization of statistical material; completion of residence work for degree at University of Chicago. Second year: field work in several northern and southern cities and writing of Study.

Place of study: University of Chicago for PhD (2 years) assurance of admittance.

Position: Seeks teaching and research position in university.

Digest of Application

Born 1903. Married. University of Washington, 1925-31, BBA. University of Chicago, 1931-34. 1931, 1932, 1933, research assistant at University of Chicago, \$850 yr.

Tuskegee Institute, assistant to principal, \$150. U.S. Department of Interior, special assistant, \$250. Fisk University, instructor, \$250. University of Chicago, research assistant, \$150.

Articles in Nation; contribution to chapter on the Police in Negro Politician; book reviews in American Journal of Sociology.

Applicant's References 3/2/37

Other References

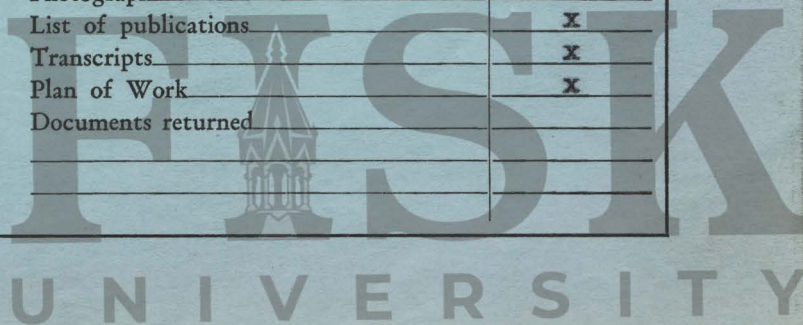
- Dr. Louis Wirth, University of Chicago
 - Dr. Robert E. Park, Fisk University
 - Dr. W. Lloyd Warner, University of Chicago
 - Dr. John Dollard, Institute of Human Relations, 203 N. Wabash Ave., Chicago ?
 - Dr. Frank Lorimer, National Resources Com., Interior Bldg., Washington ?
 - Dr. Robert Redfield, University of Chicago ?
 - Dr. Guy B. Johnson, University of N.C. ?
- Action of Committee

To be cared for better than funds than scholarship

*granted \$1800 for 1 year
 4/12/37*

PROCEDURE

Application received	3/2/37	Documents submitted:	
acknowledged	3/2/37	Photograph	X
Previous		List of publications	X
Index Card		Transcripts	X
Digest	✓	Plan of Work	X
B ✓ 3/8		Documents returned	
Submitted to Committee	✓		



Name Horace Roscoe Cayton

Field: Sociology

Director, Parkway Community House
5120 South Parkway, Chicago, Illinois

Plan of Work I wish to bring to bear on the race problem the concepts of the discipline of psychoanalysis. Although as a sociologist I would not use them exclusively, nevertheless, I feel that this field of study has never been sufficiently investigated. As a sociologist, one who has undergone the process of psychoanalysis and has studied at the Institute for Psychoanalysis, my real purpose could be better stated by saying that using the specific vehicle of Negro-white relations, I would like to examine the methodological procedure involved in applying both of these disciplines to the problem.

Requests grant for one year beginning September 1948. Wishes to attend the Institute for Psychoanalysis as well as make field observation of other therapeutic centers.

Grant in 1937.

Personal Data Born Seattle, Washington, April 1903
Married, one dependent

Age: 45

Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work University of Washington, B.S., 1931

Graduate Work University of Chicago, 1931-34

Scholarships Rosenwald Fellowship, 1937-38, renewed 1938-39, University of Chicago, \$1800 each.

Experience Research assistant, Univ. of Chicago, 1931-33, \$1500; 1933-34, \$1500; Special Ass't. to Sec'y. of Interior, Washington, D.C., 1934-35, \$3000; instructor, Fisk University, 1935-36, \$3000; Research aid, Nat'l Resources Comm., Chicago, 1936, \$3000; Director of Research Projects on Chicago Negro Community, Works Progress Admin., 1939-40, \$2700; columnist, Pittsburgh Courier, 1941- , approx. \$1200; Director, Parkway Com. House, 1941- , \$3600 - \$5000.

Accomplishments Consultant to the Committee on Economics and Race of the Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry.

Publications Books: Black Metropolis, with St. Clair Drake, 1945; Black Workers and the New Unions, with Geo. S. Mitchell, 1939; When Peoples Meet, published by Progressive Educ. Ass'n., N.Y., 1942; Northwest Harvest, chapter "The Bitter Crop", 1947.

Articles: "The Black Bug", Nation, Sep. 1931; "Negroes Live in Chicago", Opportunity, Dec. 1937, Jan. 1938 and Beacon, Dec. 1937, Jan. 1938; "Research on the Urban Negro", with Elaine Ogden McNeil, American Journal of Sociology, Sep. 1941; "Fighting for White Folks", Nation, Sep. 1942; "The Negro's Challenge", Nation, July, 1943; "The American Negro: A World Problem", Social Education, May 1944; "Should Negroes in the South Migrate North?", Negro Digest, Nov. 1944; "Have Communists Stopped Fighting for Negro Rights?" Negro Digest, Nov. 1944; "The Psychological Approach to Race Relations", Reed College Bulletin, Vol. 25, No. 1, Nov. 1946.

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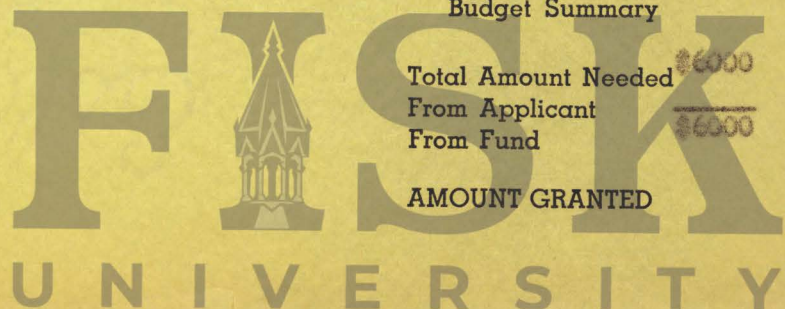
Louis Wirth, University of Chicago
Sol Ginsburg, New York City
Herbert Blumer, University of Chicago

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$6000
From Applicant	
From Fund	\$6000

Sent to Committee

AMOUNT GRANTED



Candidate **Horace R. Cayton**
 4635
 4635 South Wabash Avenue
 Chicago, Illinois

Special Field **Sociology**

Plan of Work

RENEWAL

Renewal of fellowship for 1938-39 to complete research problem, write dissertation and prepare for preliminary examination for Ph.D. at the University of Chicago.

Working with Floyd Warner & Louis Wirth

Will not begin until May 1939
 Will finish obligations to Mr Warner by July 15. Would like to begin work on his fellowship Sept 15. Take one or 2 courses with Warner. Also has completed all course work for degree. Will write app. research & study for preliminary examinations.

Digest of Application

If granted, not more than last year. Again afraid of Warner's exploitation. Johnson says one of best of degrees. Cayton wants to make himself competent in urban racial prob. Hopes he can give courses in it at U of C, NY and one point in south, gathering additional facts. That suggests, HRC agrees, to reduce to \$1500 - say this is the end. Offhand is, for use when you can work on your doctorate, and off special jobs. \$1500 granted.

1937 Grant

\$1800

References

Dr. Louis Wirth, University of Chicago

W. Lloyd Warner, " "

Dr. Robert Redfield, " "

Budget Summary

Total amount needed

From applicant

From Fund

\$2200

Granted

\$1500

Committee Notes

Documents submitted

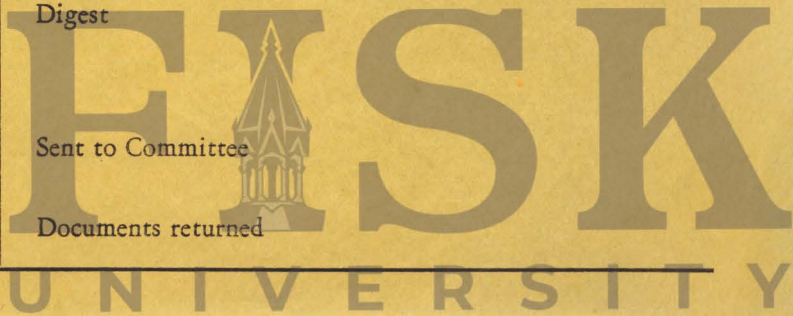
- Photograph
- Exhibit material
- Transcripts

Plan of work

Digest

Sent to Committee

Documents returned



HORACE CAYTON

Spending two months in Europe, beginning July 15; to study German intensively, as he has not yet passed that examination. Will begin using fellowship October 1.

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