

Candidate Ellen Irene Diggs

Special Field

Secretary to Head of Sociology Department  
Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia

History and Sociology  
of American Negro

Plan of Work

I have been associated with the Phelps-Stokes Fund under Dr. DuBois for three and a half years in preliminary work on an Encyclopedia of the Negro. I should like to give my whole time for at least a year to: further study of a list of subjects which such an encyclopedia might treat together with the persons who are the best present authorities on the subjects; an indication of the best source material and available literature and also indication of such fields of study as need further investigation.

Seeks no degree. Plans a year's work.

Digest of Application

Born April 13, 1906, Monmouth, Illinois.

A. B. University of Minnesota, 1928. M. A. Atlanta University, 1933.

Tuition scholarship, Monmouth College, 1923-24; tuition, Atlanta University, 1933-34.

Secretary, Office of President, Spelman College, Atlanta, 1935-36, \$1300; Supervisor, KPA White-Collar Project, Atlanta, limited period in 1935; Secretary, Department of Sociology, Atlanta University, 1936 - , \$1800.

References

- Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, Head, Dept. Sociology, Atlanta University
- Dr. Anson Phelps Stokes, President, Phelps-Stokes Fund, Washington, D. C.
- President Rufus E. Clement, Atlanta University
- President Florence M. Read, Spelman College

Budget Summary

Total amount needed	\$2167
From applicant	---
From Fund	\$2200

Committee Notes

Granted

Documents submitted

- Photograph \*
- Exhibit material
- Transcripts \*
- University of Minnesota
- Atlanta University

Plan of work \*

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Sent to Committee 3/10

Documents returned

