

**Name** Wilson Elbe Williams **Field:** Economics  
Graduate Student  
University of Southern California  
2035 North Catalina Street, Los Angeles

**Plan of Work**  
To continue studies for Ph.D. in Economics at University of Southern California, working under Dr. Joy Leonard. Probable duration of study one and a half years, beginning June, 1941.

Applied in 1939.

**Personal Data** Born Clemson, South Carolina, February, 1912. Single. **Age:** 29  
Parents partially dependent.

**Undergraduate Work** Fisk University, B. A., 1935.

**Graduate Work** Howard University, A. M., 1938.  
University of Southern California, 1939 -

**Experience** Various miscellaneous jobs not in his field.

*Very good*

**Accomplishments** Master's thesis: Africa and the Rise of Capitalism.  
Article in Educational Outlook Among Negroes, Jan., 1940.  
Fellowship, Howard University, 1937-38, \$300.

**References**

- Dr. Joy Leonard, University of Southern California
- Dr. Emory S. Bogardus, University of Southern California
- Dr. Abram L. Harris, Howard University
- Dr. H. M. Bond, Fort Valley State College, Georgia
- Mr. Stanley I. Posner, Woodward Building, Washington, D. C.

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$ 1,450
From Applicant	200
From Fund	\$ 1,250

**Sent to Committee**

**AMOUNT GRANTED**

