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JAMES ERROLL MILLER

Assistant Professor of Government  
Lincoln University  
Jefferson City, Missouri

Political Science

Excellent candidate (I rated him A- before)

Not very good marks at U (Pittsburgh) as  
an undergraduate, but better at  
U of Penn graduate school

Bunche gives no estimate - but on basis of  
one meeting.

People at Penn, Pitt, + Lincoln place him high

B+

**FISK**  
  
**UNIVERSITY**

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Marks B + C at Pittsburg - Better  
in his graduate work at Penn.

Rohlfing of Penn gives good but slight testimony  
Maddox (now at Princeton) gives very high  
praise "he stands next to Ralph Bunche  
in my estimation"

Frazier of Swarthmore also gives high praise

A definite project: cost / postage disagreed,  
but his hope of stimulating action  
is probably more optimistic in view of all  
the work already in city ports by City Levs.  
Adm. etc

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ford man but I see  
nothing to lead us to  
reverse our solid record of  
four successive term down

**Name** James Erroll Miller **Field:** Political Science  
 Assistant Professor of Government  
 Lincoln University, Missouri

**Plan of Work**

An analysis of Negro political behavior in Pennsylvania with special reference to Philadelphia and Pittsburgh since 1932.

Wishes to work for Ph. D. degree under Professor Rohlfing at the University of Pennsylvania for twelve months, beginning September 1, 1942.

Will return to present position.  
 Applied 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941.

**Personal Data** Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, December, 1908. **Age:** 33  
 Married, one child.

**Undergraduate Work** University of Pittsburgh, B. A., 1931

**Graduate Work** University of Pennsylvania, M. A., 1932, and summers of 1937 and 1941  
 University of Pittsburgh, 1932-34

**Experience** Professor of sociology, Prairie View College, 1934-35, \$1,620; instructor in history and government, Lincoln University, Missouri, 1935-36, \$2,160; professor of social science, A. and T. College, North Carolina, 1936-37, \$1,920; assistant professor of government, Lincoln University, Missouri, 1937-, \$2,880.

**Accomplishments** "The Negro and National Defense with Special Attention to Philadelphia", (1941) to be published by Public Affairs Committee, Inc.

**Scholarship:** Alternate, Harrison Scholarship - University of Pennsylvania, 1940-41; 1941-42.

**References**

Mr. Homer S. Brown, Pittsburgh  
 Dr. C. C. Rohlfing, University of Pennsylvania  
 Dr. William P. Maddox, University of Pennsylvania  
 Dr. B. H. Williams, University of Pittsburgh  
 Dr. Clarence A. Berdahl, University of Illinois  
 Dr. William Henry Dean, Atlanta University  
 Mr. Howard D. Gould, Chicago Urban League

**Budget Summary**

<b>Total Amount Needed</b>	\$2,965
<b>From Applicant</b>	1,200
<b>From Fund</b>	\$1,765

**Sent to Committee**

**AMOUNT GRANTED**

1942 DS  
1943

**Name** James Erroll Miller **Field:** Political Science  
Assistant Professor of Government  
Lincoln University  
Jefferson City, Missouri

**Plan of Work**

To prepare for publication a volume on the Negro in Pennsylvania politics since 1930 with special reference to Philadelphia.

Wishes to attend the University of Pennsylvania for one year beginning in June, 1943. Will work under the supervision of Dr. J. C. Charlesworth toward a Ph. D. degree. Has been admitted. Will return to present position.

Applied, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942.

**Personal Data** Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, December, 1908. **Age:** 34  
Married. One child. **Draft:** 3A

**Undergraduate Work** University of Pennsylvania, A. B., 1931.

**Graduate Work** University of Pennsylvania, M. A., 1932, summers, 1937, 1941, 1942

**Experience** Teacher of social sciences, Prairie View College, Texas, 1934-35, \$1620; assistant professor of government, Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Missouri, 1935 to present, \$3000.

**Accomplishments** Harrison Fellow in political science, University of Pennsylvania, 1942-43, \$600.

**References**

- Dr. J. C. Charlesworth, University of Pennsylvania
- Dr. J. T. Young, University of Pennsylvania
- Dr. C. C. Rohlfing, University of Pennsylvania
- Mr. W. C. Beyer, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Mr. H. C. Sparks, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$2330
From Applicant	230
From Fund	\$2100

Sent to Committee

