

Candidate Herman George Canady

Special Field
PsychologyAssociate Professor of Psychology and Philosophy
West Virginia State College, Institute

Plan of Work

Our problem deals with variations in background and standing on the intelligence test. We hope to throw further light on the validity of the various theories of Negro-white differences in intelligence through a study of the influence of background (socio-economic status) upon differences within the Negro race in test performance. In short, with race, educational opportunity, discrimination and other similar non-racial factors held as constant as practicable, we propose to study differential test behavior which is associated with background.

Wishes to work for Ph. D. at Northwestern University, under Dr. A. R. Gilliland. One year. Will return to present position.

Digest of Application

Born October 1902, Okmulgee, Oklahoma. Married, two children.

B. A. Northwestern University 1927; M. A. 1928, 1930-31.

Professor of psychology, West Virginia State College, since 1928, \$1500 to \$2160.

Articles on professional subjects in Journal of Negro Education, Kappa Alpha Psi Journal, Journal of Applied Psychology, Opportunity, School and Society, etc.

Is applying to the General Education Board.

References

Dr. Harrison H. Ferrell, West Virginia State College
Dr. A. R. Gilliland, Northwestern University
Dr. Howard H. Long, Asst. Supt. of Schools, District
of Columbia
Mr. Fred McCuiston, General Education Board

Budget Summary

Total amount needed	\$2385
From applicant	<u>200</u>
From Fund	\$2185

Committee Notes

Granted

B+

Documents submitted

Photograph x
Exhibit material x
Transcripts x
Northwestern University

Plan of work x

Digest

Sent to Committee 3/10

Documents returned

