

1940

Name Cuthbert, Marion Vera

1896

Negro   
White Southerner

Position Secretary on Department of Study staff, National  
Board of the Y.W.C.A., New York

Special Field Education  
Group

College Boston University, B. S., 1920

University Columbia University, M. A., 1931.; Ph. D., 1942.

Plan of Work:

A study of the position of the Negro college woman. Columbia University, Teachers College. Working for Ph. D. 1 year. Under Doctors Spence, Brunner, Cottrell, and Walker. Title of dissertation "Education and Marginality: A Study of the Negro Woman College Graduate".

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$2,000.

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Has published following books: Juliette Derricotte, 1933; April Grasses, 1936; We Sing America, 1936, and number of magazine articles.

Held fellowship from National Council on Religion in Higher Education, 1930-32, studies leading to M. A. in psychology, and toward degree of Ph. D. in higher education. (\$2,500)

Teacher of English, Burrell Normal School, Florence, Ala., 1920-25; principal of the school, 1925-27; Dean of Women, Talladega College, 1927-30; National Board of the Y. W. C. A., 1932-39. Plans to resign when she begins fellowship.

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Miss Cuthbert received her Ph. D. degree in 1942, from Columbia University.

140 Bradhurst Ave., Apt. 6D (h)  
New York City

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CUTHBERT, MARION

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Returned to post as Secretary on the National YWCA Board Staff. 8/10/41

9/25/44: Staff member of Department of Personnel Service and Instructor  
in Sociology, Brooklyn College.

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PUBLICATIONS

EDUCATION AND MARGINALITY, doctor's thesis, Columbia University, published 1942  
by American Book-Stratford Press, Inc., New York.

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\$2,000

1940

MARION VERA CUTHBERT

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Secretary, National Board of the YWCA  
600 Lexington Avenue, New York

Education

Remarkably fine letters  
An interesting topic which this  
scholar could explore incisively  
(the position of Negro college women)  
Only objection I see is that she is  
older than we normally want to  
consider

Turned down by FSB  
March 20-1940

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Marion Vera Cuthbert

Education

Name

Secretary, National Board of the Y.W.C.A.  
600 Lexington Avenue, New York City

Field:

140 Beadhurst Av.  
NYC

Plan of Work

The position in society of Negro college women.

One year largely given to collecting and arranging materials obtained through questionnaires, interviews and the literature in the field; and preparation of first drafts of the work. Six months for re-writing.

Wishes to attend Teachers College, Columbia University, working for Ph.D. under Doctors Spence, Brunner, Cottrell, Walker. Probable duration of study a year and a half, beginning September, 1940. Will return to present position.

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Personal Data

Born St. Paul, Minnesota, March, 1896. Single

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Age:

University of Minnesota, 1915-15.

Undergraduate Work

Boston University, B. S. 1920.

Columbia University, M. A., 1921.

Graduate Work

Teachers College, Columbia University, 1921-25  
(part time)

Experience

Teacher of English, Burrell Normal School, Florence, Alabama. 1920-25, \$4200; principal, same, 1925-27, \$1800.

Dean of women, Talladega College, 1927-30, \$2400.

Secretary, National Board Y.W.C.A., 1932 - , \$3000.

Accomplishments  
Publications

Three books - Juliette Derrigoite, 1935; April Granger, 1936; No Sing America, 1936.

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Pamphlet - "Democracy and the Negro," Social Action, 1936.

A number of magazine articles.

Fellowship from National Council on Religion in Higher Education, Columbia University, 1930-32, \$2500.

Is also applying to YCB - declined by YCB

References

- Dr. Donald P. Cottrell, Teachers College, Columbia University
- Dr. Helen M. Walker, Teachers College, Columbia University
- Dr. Edmund deS. Brunner, Teachers College, Columbia University
- Miss Ann Elizabeth Neely, 600 Lexington Avenue, New York City

Budget Summary

\$3000.00

Total Amount Needed  
From Applicant  
From Fund

\$3000.00

AMOUNT GRANTED

\$2,000  
2000

Plan of Work X  
Transcripts X  
Boston University  
Teachers College

Photograph X  
Exhibit Material

Sent to Committee

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