

## MARY ELISABETH JOHNSON

Assistant Professor of French and Spanish,  
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Student, Sorbonne, Paris, France

Language and Literature

Strong testimony same for  
Jasinski (with whom she would study) who says:  
"does not seem to me a first class  
candidate - - - two years necessary - - -  
without being brilliant, she has made a very  
good impression"

Since she is over age, I think there  
is not evidence of enough talent to  
justify an award.

Name Mary Elisabeth Johnson Field: Language and Literature  
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Plan of Work To do the necessary research and write a doctoral thesis on the subject  
 "Militant Ideas in the Writings of Jules Michelet". This is to be done  
 in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the doctorate at the University of Paris.

Requests grant from September 1948 to June 1949. Wishes to study under  
 the supervision of Dr. Rene Jasinski in the Department of Faculte des Lettres, University  
 of Paris.

Personal Data Born Hartford, Connecticut, January 1908 Age: 40  
 Single Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work Howard University, A.B., 1927

Graduate Work Middlebury College, Vermont, A.M., 1934  
 " " , summers 1945-46-47

Experience Assistant Profess, Virginia Union University, Richmond, 1927- , \$2100.

Accomplishments Romantisme chez Madame Bovary de Flaubert; L'etude de l'unanimisme -  
 Knock de Jules Romain; Les Quakers vus par Voltaire; Les idees  
 pedagogiques de Fenelon.

Scholarships French government Tuition Scholarship, Middlebury College, summer 1945,  
 \$100; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Grant for 1947-48, University of Paris,  
 \$700.

References  
 Maurice Coindreau, Princeton University  
 Rene Jasinski, University of Paris  
 A. P. Davis, Howard University  
 J. M. Ellison, Virginia Union University  
 G. B. Hancock, " " "

## Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$1650
From Applicant	
From Fund	\$1650

AMOUNT GRANTED

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