

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

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Application and accompanying documents should be filed as early as possible for the convenience of the Committee on Fellowships, preferably during the early autumn. No application can be considered by the Committee unless the completely filled-out blank and all of the materials requested reach the Director for Fellowships by January 1, 1948.

Negro

White Southerner

Name in full Ernest Walter Hooper

Present address 1870 Snowden Ave. Memphis Tennessee

Permanent address 524 Greenland Drive Murfreesboro Tennessee

Present position (be specific) Tutor in History

Institution or organization LeMoyne College Annual salary \$2300 (Academic Yr.)

Address 807 Walker Ave. Memphis Tennessee

Specific Field American History

Concise statement of plan of work. One year of graduate study at the University of North Carolina, with especial emphasis on the extension of civil rights to the Negro, in preparation for taking a doctorate in American History.

Dates of period for which grant is desired. September 1948 through August 1949

What is your estimate of the total duration of the proposed project? Five years

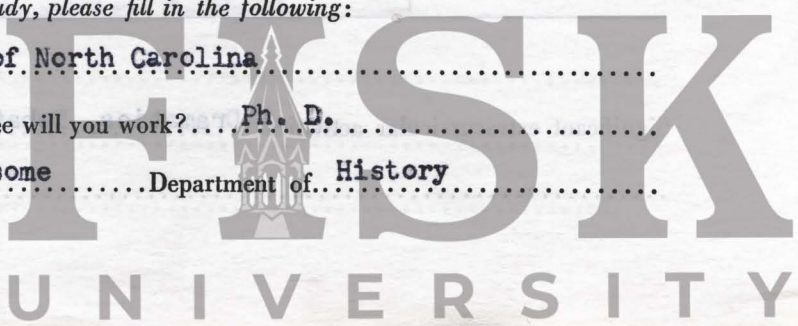
Will you return to your present position? Yes If not, for what position do you seek further training?

If you contemplate graduate study, please fill in the following:

What institution do you wish to attend? University of North Carolina

Have you been admitted? Yes For what degree will you work? Ph. D.

Under whose supervision? Professor Beale or Newsome Department of History



**Personal History**

Place of birth. Murfreesboro, Tennessee Date of birth. October 30, 1920

Single, married, widowed, divorced... Single

Name and address of wife or husband.....

Occupation and salary of wife or husband.....

Number and ages of children.....

Dependents.. None.....To what extent?..... Relationship.....

Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability?..... No

(The Committee on Fellowships reserves the right to require a full physical examination.)

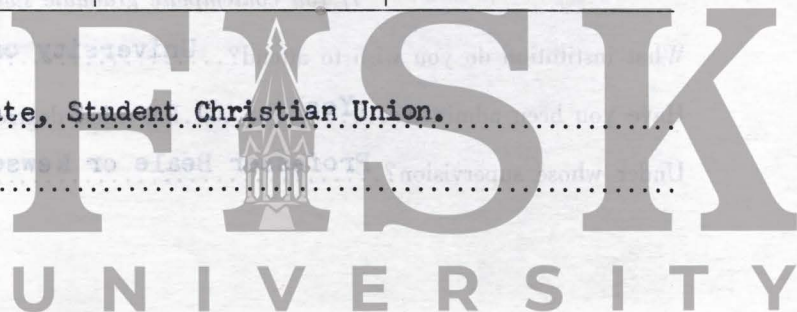
Draft status Honorable Discharge from U. S. Navy December 1945 ( 40 months service)

**Education**

One official transcript of your college and university records together with five copies must be submitted with your application. (Copies may be typed by the applicant.)

|                              | Name of Institution                 | Period of Study<br>(Give dates) | Degrees, Diplomas,<br>Certificates<br>(Give dates) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Undergraduate                | <u>Middle Tennessee State</u>       | <u>Sept. 1938 to</u>            | <u>B. S., 1942</u>                                 |
|                              | <u>College, Murfreesboro</u>        | <u>June 1942</u>                |  |
| Graduate                     | <u>University of North Carolina</u> | <u>June 1946 to</u>             |  |
|                              |                                     | <u>Sept. 1947</u>               |  |
| Professional<br>or technical |                                     |                                 |  |
| Special study                |                                     |                                 |  |

Significant extracurricular activities. Dramatics, Debate, Student Christian Union.



**Experience**

Give record chronologically.

| Institution or Organization | Address            | Position | Inclusive Dates | Annual Salary |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|----------|-----------------|---------------|
| LeMoyne College             | Memphis, Tennessee | Tutor    | 1947            | \$2300        |
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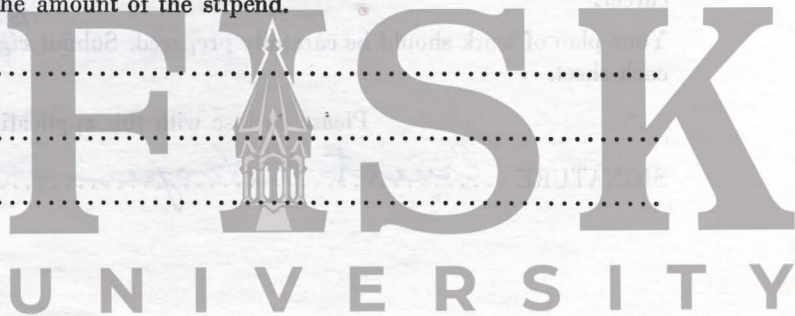
**Accomplishments**

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member?.....  
 .. By election, only the local honor fraternity at Middle Tennessee State College.....

2. What research or creative work have you done? (If in business or a profession, give evidence of standing and achievements.)

3. Publications (Books and articles. Give title, date, and publisher.)

4. List scholarships or fellowships you have previously held or now hold, stating in each case the place and period of tenure, the studies pursued during your incumbency, and the amount of the stipend.



**Budget Estimate**

Room and board..... \$.. 960.00  
 Clothing ..... 200.00  
 Insurance ..... 175.50  
 Tuition ..... 500.00 (Maximum allowed by G. I. Bill)  
 Transportation ..... 50.00  
 Miscellaneous ..... 414.50  
 ..... \$ 2300.00

(Are you eligible for GI Bill benefits?) Total amount needed \$.. 2300.00  
 Yes...  ..... No..... \* Amount applicant can provide \$.. 1280.00  
 Amount requested from Fund \$.. 1020.00

\*G. I. subsistence and tuition

If you have applied or expect to apply elsewhere for any fellowship for the same period (which is, of course, permissible), state the facts regarding such application.

**References**

List references, preferably five, from whom confidential information may be obtained concerning your professional qualifications and from whom expert opinion may be obtained as to the value and practicability of your proposed plan of work.

| Name of Reference      | Position  | Address                     |
|------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Dr. Albert Ray Newsome | Professor of History<br>University of N. C.               | Chapel Hill, North Carolina |
| Dr. Howard K. Beale    | Professor of History<br>University of N. C.               | Chapel Hill, North Carolina |
| Dr. C. C. Sims         | Professor of History<br>Tenn. State College<br>President, | Murfreesboro, Tennessee     |
| Mr. Hollis F. Price    | LeMoyne College<br>Dean,                                  | Memphis, Tennessee          |
| Mr. Paul E. Collins    | LeMoyne College   | Memphis, Tennessee          |

**Statement of Plan of Work**

Submit a statement giving detailed plans for your work during the tenure of your fellowship. This statement should include: (1) a full description of the project, including its character, scope, and significance; (2) the present state of the project (time of commencement, progress to date, etc.) and expectation as to completion; (3) the proposed university, institution of similar grade, or other place where work would be carried on, and the authorities with whom it would be done; (4) your expectation as to publication or use of the results of your study; (5) subsequent plans for your career.

Your plan of work should be carefully prepared. Submit <sup>tax</sup> eight copies typed on 8 1/2 "x11" paper. Your name should be on each sheet.

Please enclose with this application six passport-size photographs.

SIGNATURE Ernest W. Hooper

