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ELISE EVANS HARRIS

Graduate Art Student
Art Institute of Chicago

Art

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Name Elise Evans Harris

Field: Art

Graduate Student working for Master of Art Education, Art Institute of Chicago
6543 St. Lawrence Avenue, Chicago, Illinois

Plan of Work To complete a portfolio of sketches, illustrating the specialized arts and crafts of Africa as shown in the people's native costumes.

Requests grant for one year beginning September, 1946. Seeks training as teacher in the Art Department of a grammar or high school, vocational school or college where emphasis may be placed on Negro Art. Wishes to continue study at the Art Institute of Chicago under the supervision of Miss Kathleen Blackshear.

out - poor tests, no indication of background -

Personal Data

Born Chicago, Illinois, April, 1905
Divorced.

Age: 41
Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work

University of Chicago
Northwestern University

Professional**Graduate Work**

Massachusetts School of Art, Boston, Diploma, 1926.
Art Institute of Chicago, B.A.E., 1945 (M.A.E. anticipated 1946).
Academie Julien, Paris, France, 1926-27.
Ecole Pigier, Paris, France, Certificate, 1927.

Experience

Family Service Organization, Louisville, Kentucky, Case Worker, 1931, \$1500; Unemployment Relief Service, Chicago, Illinois, Case Worker, 1931-34, \$1500; Family Service Organization, Louisville, Kentucky, Case Worker, 1934, \$1620; Chicago Relief Administration, Chicago, Illinois, Casework Supervisor, 1934-42, \$1680; Cook County Bureau of Public Welfare, Chicago, Illinois, Case Worker, 1942-44, \$2220.

Accomplishments

Independent Citizens Committee of Arts, Sciences and Professions, Inc. Finalist and \$50 prize winner 1944 American Fashion Competition sponsored by The Chicago Tribune. Design adapted to commercial pattern.

Publications

Columnist Trend of Fashion, Chicago Defender, 1927 and 1934.

References

Kathleen Blackshear, Art Institute of Chicago

Daniel Catton Rich, " " "

Katharine Kuh, " " "

Maudelle Bousfield, Principal, Wendell Phillips High School, Chicago, IL

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Total Amount Needed	\$2,500
From Applicant	-
From Fund	\$2,500

Sent to Committee

AMOUNT GRANTED