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Application and accompanying documents should be filed as early as possible for the convenience of the Fellowship Committee, 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 3, 1944.

Negro

White Southerner

Name in full... Dorothy Gwendolyn Williams

Present address 803 Greensferry Avenue, S. W. Atlanta Georgia
City State

Permanent address East Wharf Road Madison Connecticut
City State

Present position (be specific) Instructor in Library Science
School of Library Service,

Institution or organization Atlanta University Annual salary \$2,200

Address Atlanta University Atlanta Georgia
City State

Specific Field Library Science
Concise statement of plan of work... To formulate constructively the contribution which library service may make to a total program of adult education for Negroes in the South in the post-war world.

Dates of period for which grant is desired July 1944 - August 1945

What is your estimate of the total duration of the proposed project? 2 to 3 years

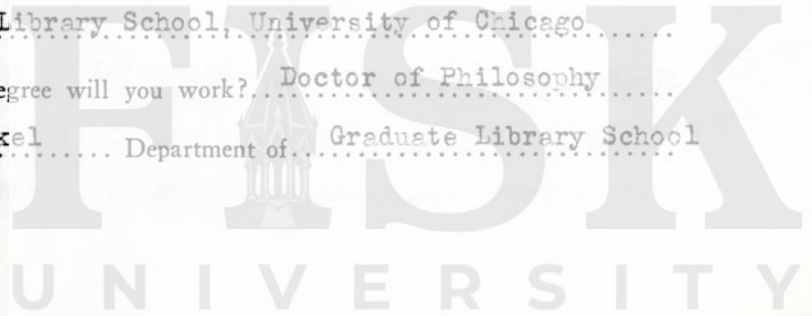
Will you return to your present position? Yes If not, for what position do you seek further training?

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

What institution do you wish to attend? Graduate Library School, University of Chicago

Have you been admitted? Yes For what degree will you work? Doctor of Philosophy

Under whose supervision? Dr. Carleton B. Joeckel Department of Graduate Library School



Personal History

Place of birth..... New Haven, Connecticut Date of birth..... September 21, 1911

Single, married, widowed, divorced..... Divorced

Name and address of wife or husband.... Edward B. Toles, 160 North Wells Street, Chicago, Ill.

Occupation and salary of wife or husband... Lawyer - Salary unknown

Number and ages of children..... None

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 -----

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 (Give dates) | Degrees, Diplomas, Certificates (Give dates) |
|------------------------------|---|--|--|
| College | Hunter College of the City of New York | Sept. 1928 - June 1932 | A.B., June, 1932 |
| University | | | |
| Professional or technical | School of Library Service, Simmons College, Boston, Mass. School of Library Service, Columbia University | Sept. 1932 - June 1933 Sept. 1940 - June 1941 | B.S. in Library Science, June, 1933 M.S. in Library Science, June, 1941 |
| Special study | Dept. of English and of Sociology, Columbia University | Summers, 1939, 1939 | |

Significant extra-curricular activities..... Editorial Board, Hunter College "Bulletin" (daily paper),
1930-32; Editorial Board, Hunter College "Wistarion" (college annual), 1931, 1932;
Sigma Tau Delta (honorary journalism society).



Experience

Give record chronologically.

| Institution or Organization | Address | Position | Inclusive Dates | Annual Salary |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Samuel Huston College | Austin, Texas | Librarian Acting | 1933-35 | \$1,200 |
| St. Augustine's College | Raleigh, North Carolina | Librarian Library | 1935-36 | \$1,650 |
| Fisk University | Nashville, Tennessee | Assistant Special | 1936-39 | \$1,750 |
| New York Public Library | New York City | Cataloger Instructor, | 1939-40 | \$1,900 |
| Atlanta University | Atlanta University | Library School | 1941- present | \$2,200 |

Accomplishments

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member? ... American Library Association; ...
 ... New York Library Association; Librarians Club of Atlanta; Association for the
 ... Study of Negro Life and History; Sigma Tau Delta.

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

"National Negro Organizations and their Publications" - M.A. Thesis, Columbia
 University, 1941.

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

"Film Forums at Atlanta University" - Library Journal, v. 68, no. 11, p. 469-70,
 June, 1943.

4. List scholarships or fellowships you have previously held or now hold, stating in each case the places and periods of tenure, the studies pursued during your incumbency, and the amounts of the stipends.

Carnegie Corporation Grant - in- Aid, Sept. 1940- June, 1941. M.S. in Library
 Science completed, Columbia University. Amount \$1,200.



(Wartime conditions cause the items for living expenses to be high - and uncertain!)

Budget Estimate

Room and board.....\$. 800
 Clothing 50
 Insurance 50
 Tuition 420
 Transportation 30
 Miscellaneous 50
 \$.....

Total amount needed \$1,400
 Amount applicant can provide \$.....
 Amount requested from Fund \$1,000

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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 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 |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| <i>let</i> Dr. Eliza A. Gleason | Director, School of Library Service | Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia |
| <i>let</i> Dr. Carl M. White | Director, School of Library Service | Columbia University, New York City |
| o Dr. Louis R. Wilson ✓ | Formerly Director, Graduate Library School Chicago, Ill. (now retired) | University of North Carolina, Durham, North Carolina |
| <i>let</i> Dr. Ira De A. Reid | Professor of Sociology | Atlanta University Atlanta, Georgia |
| o Miss Frances L. Yocom ✓ | Assistant Librarian, Fisk University | Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn. |

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 *seven copies* typed on 8½"x11" paper. Your name should be on each sheet.

SIGNATURE *Dorothy G. Williams*

