

Name Hill, James Christian (1914) Negro
 White Southerner

Position Instructor in Economics, University of Chicago Special Field Economics Group

College Swarthmore College, B. A., 1935

University University of Wisconsin, summers of 1933 and 1934; Columbia University, 1935-36, 1937-38; University of London, School of Economics, 1936-37.

Plan of Work:

A study of the wage-earner on large scale farm units and of the lower levels of tenancy in the South, as forming an emergent problem of agricultural labor; special emphasis on organizations and disputes, and on problems of governmental policy toward them. Toward Ph. D. degree at Columbia University.

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$1,500



Teaching Fellow, Amherst College, 1938-39; Instructor, University of Chicago,
1939-40.

National War Labor
Dept. of Labor Bldg.
Washington, D.C.

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HILL, JAMES CHRISTIAN

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

In July, 1942, Mr. Hill reported that he was working with the Board of Economic Warfare in Washington.

1944: Chief, Board Agencies Review Section, National War Labor Board since Feb, 1943. Year prior to that with Foreign Economic Administration.

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yes
\$1,500

1940

JAMES CHRISTIAN HILL

25

Instructor in Economics
University of Chicago

Economics

Born in Chicago and his whole
academic career in the north.
But his family has lived in
Richmond, Va., since he was 4 years old.

He doesn't seem to me - either
from his own statement of his
project or from the letters about
him to be at the very top.

Though the letters are very strong-
likelihood that he will continue to
be jolted up by northern aristocracy
in spite of fine standing, because
of all these out- & double, I
do not put him on my ^{most} forced lists

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Name James Christian Hill **Field:** Economics
 Instructor in Economics, University of Chicago
 6202 Ellis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois

Plan of Work

A study of the wage-earner on large scale farm units and of the lower levels of tenancy in the South, as forming an emergent problem of agricultural labor, with special emphasis on organizations and disputes of these groups, and on problems of governmental policy with regard to them.

Seeks Ph.D. from Columbia University, working under Drs. Paul Brissenden and Louis Hacker. Probable duration of study one year, beginning July, 1940.

Personal Data Born Chicago, Illinois, September, 1914. Married. **Age:** 25

Undergraduate Work Swarthmore College, B. A., 1935.

Graduate Work University of Wisconsin, 1935-36.

Columbia University, 1937-38.

London School of Economics, 1936-37.

Experience

Teaching Fellow, Amherst College, 1938-39, \$1000; instructor, University of Chicago, 1939 - , \$2000.

Accomplishments**References**

Carter L. Goodrich, Professor of Economics, Columbia University
 Colston E. Warne, Professor of Economics, Amherst College
 Clair Wilcox, Professor of Economics, Swarthmore College
 J. C. Folsom, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.
 Walter N. C. Laves, Dept. Political Science, U. of Chicago
 Maynard Krueger, Professor of Economics, University of Chicago

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$1885.00
From Applicant	385.00
From Fund	\$1500.00

AMOUNT GRANTED *\$1,500*

Plan of Work x
 Transcripts x

Photograph x
 Exhibit Material

Sent to Committee

Swarthmore College
 Columbia University