

HERBERT LEON BRYAN

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Sociology

*Not distinguished grades at  
College of City of N. Y. or  
Columbia. Excellent letters*

Name Herbert Leon Bryan Field: Sociology

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## Plan of Work

An analysis of population changes, dependency, birth, and mortality rates among Negroes in the Harlem area during the decade 1930-40.

Wishes to work for Ph. D. at Columbia University under Professor R. M. MacIver. Has been admitted. Requests grant for one year beginning July or September; estimated total duration of project, one and a half years.

Personal Data Born Jacksonville, Florida, May 1913. Age: 28  
Married, wife social worker. One child, two partial dependents. 3-A

Undergraduate Work College of the City of New York, B. S. 1933.

Graduate Work Columbia University, A. M. 1936, 1936-38.

Experience Investigator, New York City Emergency Relief Bureau, 1934-35, 1936, \$1560; statistician, Mayor's Commission on Conditions in Harlem, 1936, \$1430; New York State Department of Social Welfare, junior statistician, assistant statistician, 1936- , \$2000 to \$2825.

*Good case -*

Accomplishments Master's Thesis: "Birth Rates and Death Rates in Relation to Dependency in Selected Health Areas in Harlem"

Edited Social Statistics, publication of State Department of Social Welfare, from August 1940 to October 1941.

Has placed first in Civil Service examinations for Senior Statistician, New York State, New York City (twice). No appointments.

*Letter to Frazier*

## References

E. Franklin Frazier, Howard University  
R. M. MacIver, Columbia University  
Frank A. Ross, Editor, Journal of American Statistical Association

Dr. David M. Schneider, State Department of Social Welfare, Albany, New York

Elmer A. Carter, New York Department of Labor

## Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$1,750
From Applicant	250
From Fund	\$1,500

Sent to Committee

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