

SCHOLARSHIP

March 11, 1930

Dear Mr. Woodward: In response to the suggestion in your letter of March 7 I beg to inform you that the Julius Rosenwald Fund has allocated three thousand dollars (\$3,000) as a fellowship for Dr. Carl Becker, formerly Minister of Education of Prussia, to enable him to visit and lecture at the University of Chicago during part of the year 1930-31. We shall be glad to make payments on account of this appropriation through the University of Chicago as from time to time needed and requested by you.

Very truly yours,

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Mr. Frederic Woodward
The University of Chicago
Chicago, Illinois

EDWIN R. EMBREE

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16 March 1930

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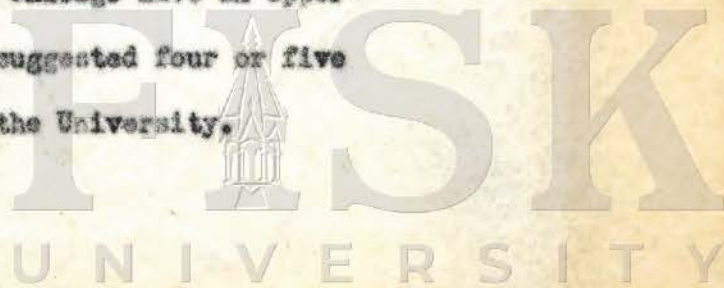
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Dear Dr. Becker:

I have cabled you today as follows:

"Suggest reaching United States September first, traveling for month, beginning lectures here October first, remaining here until December fifteenth. Two lectures a week to students in Political Science on Civic Education in Germany or Europe; two lectures a week to students in Education on Problems in Education in Germany or Europe, and four or five public lectures. Stipend three thousand dollars. Letter follows."

My reason for suggesting arrival in September is that the University is not in session at that time and you would have one of the best months of the year in which to travel about the country and familiarize yourself with such sections of American life as interest you. Our Fall Quarter begins on the first of October. I have endeavored to keep the number of lectures down so that you may be free to do some traveling even while you were in residence in Chicago. I simply want to have enough so that our students and faculty in Education and Political Science may become thoroughly familiar with your ideas. I should like also to have the people in the city of Chicago have an opportunity to hear you. I have therefore suggested four or five public lectures under the auspices of the University.



Dr. Becker

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You will understand, of course, that everything that I have proposed is subject to negotiations. We should be glad to have you lecture in other fields if you are not particularly interested in those I have mentioned. I especially wish you to feel that the compensation offered is adequate. I rely on your telling me frankly whether it is or not.

I have consulted with Mr. Abraham Flexner about this matter and find that the arrangement we propose fits in very well with his plans so that you need not feel any hesitation in accepting our invitation because of previous correspondence with him. Mr. Flexner has been kind enough to say that he would write to you seconding our invitation.

I need not tell you how enthusiastic we are at the prospect of your coming over to be with us for a time.

Very sincerely yours,

ROBT. M. HUTCHINS
President.

Prof. D. Dr. C. H. Becker,
Staatsminister a. D.,
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November 4, 1930

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My dear Mr. Embree:

One thousand dollars was paid to Dr. Becker for his series of lectures and I should be very glad to receive that amount from the Julius Rosenwald Fund. We have not been able to meet the cost of these lectures from other sources and will be very grateful to receive this payment from the Rosenwald Fund.

Very cordially yours,

Robert H. Merriam

Mr. E.R. Embree,
Julius Rosenwald Fund,
900 South Homan Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

OK - Please pay \$1,000 in full for Becker fellowship and allow balance of this assignment to revert to fellowship fund. Maybe the best way is to make out a new allocation check and ~~cancel~~ cancel the old one
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NAME OF STUDENT Dr. Carl Becker
 ADDRESS c/o Mr. Frederic Woodward *c/o Miss Hortense Friedman*
 INSTITUTION University of Chicago
 RECOMMENDED BY _____

STATEMENT OF OFFER

Mr. Embree to Mr. Woodward 3/11/30

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AMOUNT OF OFFER \$3,000 PAYMENT DATES When called for
Quarterly starting Nov. 1
 CHECKS PAYABLE TO University of Chicago - c/o Miss Friedman
 TIME PERIOD OF OFFER One Year

APPROVED BY *M. Wein*

AUTHORIZED BY *Sam Embree*

PAYMENTS

DATE	EXPLANATION	AMOUNT	DATE	EXPLANATION	AMOUNT
11/1/30	Vo. #3350	750			
	This grant was allowed to lapse Nov 17, 1930 See notation made by Mr. Embree on letter received from President Hutchins of U. of C. dated 11/4/30. Replaced by grant for \$1,000.				

