

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

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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 5, 1940.

Negro

White Southerner

Name in full James Alfred Ford

Present address Apartment #3, 528 State Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana
City State

Permanent address School of Geology, L.S.U., University, Louisiana
City State

Present position (be specific) Research Associate in Archeology, School of Geology

Institution or organization Louisiana State University Annual salary \$1,800.00

Address School of Geology, University, Louisiana
City State

Specific Field Southeastern Archeology

Concise statement of plan of work Academic: To attend Columbia University to work toward the Ph.D. degree in Anthropology. Research: To prepare a synthesis of Southern archeology.

What institution do you wish to attend? Columbia University, New York, New York.

Have you been admitted? No For what degree will you work? Ph.D. (Anthropology)

Under whose supervision? Dr. Duncan D. Strong

When do you wish to begin the study or project proposed? Fall term, 1940

What is your estimate of its probable duration? Three semesters

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

Personal History

Place of birth Water Valley, Mississippi Date of birth February 12, 1911
 Single, married, widowed, divorced Married
 Name and address of wife or husband Apartment #3, 528 State St., Baton Rouge, La.
 Occupation and salary of wife or husband Secretary to Vice-President of the Louisiana State University, \$1800.00
 Number and ages of children None
 Dependents Two To what extent? partial Relationship Mother
Wife's sister
 Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability? No

(The Committee on Fellowships reserves the right to require a full physical examination.)

Education

One official transcript of your college and university records together with four 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	<u>Mississippi College, Clinton, Mississippi</u>	<u>1/15/28-5/16/29 9/1/29-2/28/30 11/6/30-2/28/31 12/6/32-5/16/33</u>	
University	<u>Louisiana State Univer- sity, University, La.</u>	<u>10/14/34- 4/30/36 graduate study 1936-1937</u>	<u>A.B. (Sociology) 1936</u>
Professional or technical	<u>University of New Mexico Albuquerque, New Mexico</u>	<u>7/31/37-8/31/37</u>	
Special study	<u>University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan</u>	<u>9/20/37- 6/15/38</u>	<u>M.A. (Anthropol- ogy) 1938</u>

Significant extra-curricular activities Mississippi College, worked in Mississippi State Museum; Louisiana State University, conducted research in Louisiana pre-history; University of Michigan, studied in Ceramic Repository under Dr. James B. Griffin

Experience

Give record chronologically.

Institution or Organization	Address	Position	Inclusive Dates	Annual Salary
See attached statement				

Accomplishments

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member? Society for American Archeology (Fellow). (Present Chairman of) Southeastern Archeological Conference. American Anthropological Association.
2. What research or creative work have you done? (If in business or a profession, give evidence of standing and achievements.) Assisted in working out archeological chronology of Bering Straits region (1930). Developed chronology of Eskimo cultures at Point Barrow (1931-32, 1936). Assisted in prehistoric researches in Georgia (1934). Historical archeology, Georgia (1934). Worked out details of pre-history of Lower Mississippi Valley region (1927-29, 1933, 1935, 1937-to present). Archeological reconstruction, Ocmulgee National Monument (1937).
3. Publications See attached list

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.
Scholarship at Louisiana State University - 10/14/34-4/30/36 at \$30.00 per month session 1934-35; \$50.00 per month session 1935-1936.

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Budget Estimate (if not for academic year state period)

Room and board.....	\$ 1,200.00
Clothing	200.00
Insurance	120.00
Tuition	280.00
Transportation	150.00
Miscellaneous	100.00
.....	\$
Total amount needed	\$ 2,050.00
Amount applicant can provide	\$ 300.00
Amount requested from Fund	\$ 1,750.00

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If you have applied or expect to apply elsewhere for any fellowship for the same period (which is 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
Dr. James B. Griffin	Assistant Curator of Anthropology	Museums Building, Ann Arbor, Michigan
Dr. John R. Swanton	Ethnologist	Bureau of American Ethnology, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.
Mr. Frank M. Setzler	Head Curator	U.S. National Museum
Mr. Henry B. Collins	Archeologist	Bureau of American Ethnology, Washington, D.C.
Dr. A.R. Kelly,	Chief, Division of Archeological Sites,	Branch of Historic Sites, National Park Service
		U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Washington, D.C.

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 the 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 complete and carefully prepared. Submit six copies typed on 8 1/2" x 11" paper. Your name should be on each sheet

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<u>Institution or Organization</u>	<u>Address - Position</u>	<u>Inclusive Dates</u>	<u>Annual Salary</u>
Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Capitol Building, Jackson, Mississippi	Worked as field archeologist, survey of western Mississippi	5/20/27-8/31/27	\$50.00 per month and expenses
(Same)	(Same)	5/21/28-8/31/28	\$50.00 per month and expenses
(Same)	(Same)	5/20/29-8/31/29	\$75.00 per month and expenses
U.S. National Museum, Washington, D.C.	Assistant to H.B. Collins, Jr. Archeology, St. Lawrence Island, Alaska	3/1/30-10/30/30	\$75.00 per month and expenses
(Same)	In Charge, Archeological excavations at Point Barrow, Alaska	3/1/31-11/30/32	\$75.00 per month and expenses
National Research Council, Washington, D.C. (Grant-in-Aid)	In charge archeological survey of east-central Louisiana	5/20/33-8/25/33	Expenses
Bureau of American Ethnology, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.	Assistant to F.M. Setzler, archeological excavations at Marksville, Louisiana	9/1/33-12/1/33	\$100.00 per month and expenses
(Same)	Assistant to A.R. Kelly, archeological excavations at Macon, Georgia	12/15/33-4/7/34	\$180.00 per month
Georgia Park Service	In charge excavations at Brunswick, Georgia	5/1/34-6/20/34	\$140.00 per month
Southeastern Fair Association, Atlanta, Georgia	In charge, planning and construction of Indian Villages	7/1/34-10/5/34	\$180.00 per month
Louisiana State University, University, Louisiana	Scholarship in Archeology	10/14/34-5/18/35	\$30.00 per month
(Same)	In charge archeological field-work in Louisiana	5/21/35-8/30/35	\$50.00 per month and expenses

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Louisiana State University, University, Louisiana	Scholarship in Archeology	9/1/35- 4/30/36	\$50.00 per month
U.S. National Museum and National Geographical Society, Washington, D.C.	Assisted H.B. Collins, Jr. I was in charge of survey of Arctic Coast, Alaska	5/1/36- 10/15/36	\$150.00 per month and expenses
Louisiana State University, University, Louisiana	Research Assistant in Archeology	11/1/36- 5/30/37	\$133.33 per month
United States National Park Service, Washington, D.C.	In charge archeological reconstruction at Ocmulgee National Monument, Macon, Georgia	6/1/37- 7/1/37 and 8/1/37 - 9/15/37	\$150.00 per month and traveling expenses
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico	Field Assistant, Chaco Canyon Field School	7/1/37- 7/31/37	Expenses
Louisiana State University, University, Louisiana	Research Associate in Archeology	7/1/38- present date	\$150.00 per month and field expenses



NOTE: Since a number of assignments were for less than one year's duration, salary is given throughout by the month.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

1935 "An Introduction to Louisiana Archeology", Louisiana Conservation Review, Louisiana Department of Conservation, vol. 4, January, pp. 8-11, figs. 1-6.

1935 "Outline of Louisiana and Mississippi Pottery Horizons", Louisiana Conservation Review, Louisiana Department of Conservation, vol. 4, March, pp. 33-38, figs. 1-12.

1935 "Ceramic Decoration Sequence at an Old Indian Village Site Near Sicily Island, Louisiana", Anthropological Study No. 1, Louisiana Department of Conservation, pp. 1-41, figs. 1-12, pls. I-V.

1936 "Analysis of Indian Village Site Collections from Louisiana and Mississippi", Anthropological Study No. 2, Louisiana Department of Conservation, pp. 1-285, figs. 1-50.

1937 "An Archeological Report on the Elizafield Ruins", Georgia's Disputed Ruins, Edited by E. Merton Coulter, The University of North Carolina Press, Chapel Hill, pp. 190-225.

1937 Book Review: American Antiquity, vol. 3, no. 2, October, pp. 195-196.

1938 "A Chronological Method Applicable to the Southeast", American Antiquity, vol. 3, no. 3, January, pp. 260-264, figs. 1.

1939 "Archeological Exploration in Louisiana During 1938", Conservation Review, Louisiana Department of Conservation, Winter, pp. 15-17, figs. 1-4.

In Press
with Gordon
Willey "Crooks Site, A Marksville Period Burial Mound in LaSalle Parish, Louisiana", Anthropological Study No. 3, Louisiana Department of Conservation. Approximately 200 pages, 48 figures.

Completed with G.I. Quimby and Preston Holder "Louisiana Sites of the Tchefuncte Period", Anthropological Study No. 4, Louisiana Department of Conservation, Approximately 125 pages, 40 figures.

In Preparation with Gordon Willey "The Greenhouse Site Near Marksville, Louisiana", Anthropological Study No. 5, Louisiana State Department of Conservation. Approximately 450 pages, 130 figs.