

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.

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White Southerner

Name in full Robert Coleman Jr.

Present address Box 268 Wilberforce, Ohio

City

State

Permanent address 2314 E. 43 St. Cleveland, Ohio

City

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Present position (be specific) Instructor of Physics

Institution or organization Wilberforce University

Annual salary \$ 2,000.00

Address Wilberforce, Ohio

City

State

Specific Field Mathematical Education

Concise statement of plan of work The plan of work is two-fold. (1) To do intensive work on the doctoral dissertation, the first draft of which is now in the hands of my advisor. (2) To do further study in certain areas of Mathematics and Education

What institution do you wish to attend? Columbia University

Have you been admitted? Yes For what degree will you work? Ph.D.

Under whose supervision? Dr. W.D. Reeve

When do you wish to begin the study or project proposed? September 1940

What is your estimate of its probable duration? 1 academic year

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

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Personal History

Place of birth Dallas, Texas Date of birth Dec. 17, 1914
 Single, married, widowed, divorced Single
 Name and address of wife or husband
 Occupation and salary of wife or husband
 Number and ages of children
 Dependents None To what extent? Relationship
 Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability? None

(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 | Western Reserve Univ. | 1931-1935 | A.B. 1935 <i>(Summa cum Laude)</i> |
| University | Columbia University | 1935-37 | M.A. 1937 |
| Professional or technical | Columbia University | Summer 1938 | |
| | Columbia University | Summer 1939 | |
| Special study | | | |

Significant extra-curricular activities XXXX



Experience

Give record chronologically.

| Institution or Organization | Address | Position | Inclusive Dates | Annual Salary |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------|---|---------------|
| Wilberforce University | Wilberforce, Ohio | Instr. | 1937-1939 <i>pres- 1939-pres</i> | \$2,000.00 |
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Accomplishments

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member?

(1) Phi Beta Kappa, (2) American Mathematical Society

(3) Kappa Delta Pi

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

Have written the first draft of the doctoral thesis.

3. Publications None.

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.

- (1) Cleveland Foundation Scholarship, Western Reserve University 1931-1935
Stipend of \$1200.00 for four years college.
- (2) Dean Scholarship, Teachers College, Columbia University. Stipend of \$250.00, 1935-36. Work for M.A.
- (3) Advanced School Scholarship, Teachers College, 1936-37, Residence work for Ph.D.

Budget Estimate (if not for academic year state period)

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| Room and board..... | \$ 500.00 |
| Clothing | 50.00 |
| Insurance | 100.00 |
| Tuition | 400.00 |
| Transportation | 25.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 75.00 |
| Publication of Thesis | \$ 500.00 |
| Total amount needed | \$ 1650.00 |
| Amount applicant can provide | \$ 650.00 |
| Amount requested from Fund | \$ 1000.00 |

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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. W.D. Reeve | Prof. of Mathematics | Teachers College, Columbia Univ. |
| Mr. C. Upton | Assoc. Prof. of Mathematics | Teachers College, Columbia Univ. |
| Dr. J.B. Clark | Dept. of Mathematics | Teachers College, Columbia University. |
| Dr. D. O. Walker | President | Wabash Univ. |

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 8½" x 11" paper. Your name should be on each sheet.

SIGNATURE.....

Robert Coleman Jr.

