

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

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CHICAGO

Classification I. Negro

II. White Southerner _____

III. Specific Field Anthropology

Concise statement of plan of work

A request for fellowship aid in order to complete work
for the master of arts degree in social anthropology -
work to be done at University of Chicago under Professor
Lloyd Warner and Professor Radcliffe Brown.

Personal History

Name in full Drake, John Gibbs Saint Clair

Present address Dillard University, New Orleans, Louisiana

Telephone CR 1105

Permanent address 515 North New Street, Staunton, Virginia

Present occupation research assistant in social anthropology and instructor Salary \$ 1000/yr.

Place of birth Suffolk, Virginia

Date January 2, 1911

Single, married, widowed, divorced single

Date of marriage _____

Name and address of wife or husband _____

Occupation and salary of wife or husband _____

Number and age of children _____

Dependents two To what extent? one, partially;
one, entirely Relationship mother and uncle

Name of nearest relative mother Address 515 N. New St.,
Staunton, Virginia Occupation domestic service

Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability? no

The Fellowship Committee reserves the right to require a full physical examination.

UNIVERSITY

Education

1. Give a summary of your education in the following form:

	Name of Institution	Period of Study (Give dates)	Degrees, Diplomas, Certificates (Give dates)
High School	Booker T. Washington	1924-1927	Diploma, 1927
College	Hampton Institute	1927-1931	B.S., Education, '31
University	Columbia University	summer 1936	
Technical			
Professional			
Special Study	Pendle Hill School for Social and Religious Study, Walling- ford, Pennsylvania. (A Quaker graduate center)	1931	school does not award degrees

An official transcript and four copies of your college and university records must be submitted with your application.

2. Extra-curricular activities:

My extra-curricular interests were mainly literary. school paper, debating, membership in writers' club and society for study of Negro history. Edited school paper, Hampton Script, one year. Co-editor of yearbook, '31, the Ocular.

3. Give a list of the 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.

My attendance at Pendle Hill was made possible through a work-fellowship. I devoted a portion of my time to work with the Joint Committee on Race Relations of the Society of Friends. For the last two years I have worked with Allison Davis of Dillard in his analysis of an anthropological field study. Two grants of \$1000 each from the Julius Rosenwald Fund have made this employment possible.

Experience

(Students should include all part-time work they have done.)

Institution or Organization	Address	Position	Under Direction of	Salary
Joint Committee on Race Relations, Society of Friends	20 S. 12th St., Phila.	field-worker (1932)	Helen Bryan	\$ 500 scholarship to P.H.*
Christiansburg Ind. Inst.	Cambria, Virginia	(32- teacher ('33)	A.M. Walker	\$ 765 per year
Va. State College Extension Summer School	Cambria, Virginia	('33 teacher, ('34)	" " "	\$ 100 per summer
Rosenwald Fund and Dillard University	New Orleans, La.	research assistant	Allison Davis	\$1000 per year

* Fendle Hill

Accomplishments

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

none

2. What advanced work, research, or creative work have you already done?

A two-months field study in Adams County, Mississippi

3. List of publications No scientific publications. Magazine articles in Christian Century, Friends Intelligencer, Crisis, Opportunity

Plans for Work

1. For what position do you seek further training? high school or college teaching and research

2. What course of study do you wish to take? social anthropology

3. For what degree are you working? Master of Arts

4. In what institution do you wish to study? University of Chicago

5. Under whose supervision? Professor W. Lloyd Warner



6. Have you assurance that you will be admitted to this institution? no

7. If you are not planning study at an institution, indicate the type of special work you propose to do _____

8. If awarded a fellowship

When would you wish to begin the study proposed? In either July or September of 1937

What is your estimate of its probable duration? One year and two summers

Statement of Plan of Work

Submit on separate sheets a statement giving detailed plans for your work during your tenure of a fellowship. This statement should include (1) a description of the project, including its character and scope, and the significance of its presumable contribution; (2) the present state of the project, time of commencement, progress to date, and expectation as to completion; (3) the proposed university, or institution of similar grade, or the place where the work would be carried on, and the authorities, if any, with whom the work would be done; (4) your expectation as to publication or use of the results of your study; and (5) subsequent plans for your career. *This statement should be complete and carefully prepared.* (Please submit one more copy of PLAN OF WORK than the number of your references.)

References

Submit a list of references from whom further confidential information may be obtained concerning your 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
<u>3-1</u> Dr. William Stuart Nelson	Pres., Dillard University	New Orleans, La.
Prof. W. Lloyd Warner	Instructor, Chicago U.	Chicago, Illinois
Prof. W. Allison Davis	Prof., Sociology and Anthropology	Dillard University
Dr. Douglass Steere	Professor, Philosophy, Haverford College	Haverford, Penna.
Mr. A. M. Walker	Pres., Christiansburg I.I.	Cambria, Virginia

If you have applied or expect to apply elsewhere for any fellowship or scholarship for the same period, state the facts regarding such application.

SIGNATURE

J. G. St. Clair Drake

PLACE AND DATE OF MAILING

February 26, 1937