TO: S/ASST (Mr. Friedman)
FROM: SEC/PERS
SUBJECT: NSA Specialists List

The attached list is forwarded for information and retention. SEC/PERS would appreciate notification if any change in participation is anticipated.

RAY H. YOUNG
Capt, Sig C
Acting Ass't Chief SEC/PERS
MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Clearance Status of Specialists

1. The below listed names are of interest to various segments of the Agency. The names are arranged in alphabetical order and show status of clearance to date. This list is a revised edition of the one prepared by this Branch on 24 August 1953.

2. Abbreviations used:
   a. Crypto - Cleared for Cryptographic and eligible for indoctrination for COMINT
   b. Uncleared - PHS sent to individual
   c. Pending - Investigation in process
   d. NSASAB - National Security Agency Scientific Advisory Board
   e. A/B - Candidate for NSASAB
   f. E/P - Electronics Panel
   g. T/P - Telecommunications Panel
   h. M/P - Mathematics Panel

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TO S/ASST
FROM Sec
DATE 18 Nov 53

FILE NO. SUBJECT
Review of Clearance Information

COMMENT NO. 1
Capt R. YOUNG/jm/251

1. Lt MacDonald of your office inquired as to status of the cases on Richard Hubert BRUCK, Robert Palmer DILLWORTH and Luis Walter ALVAREZ. A summary of each case has been prepared by SEC/PERS and is attached.

   a. Dr. DILLWORTH's case is still pending with the investigative agency. This office requested further investigation to resolve this case for a COMINT clearance decision.

   b. FBI reports on Luis ALVAREZ were reviewed. Substance of reports are given in inclosure #2. Although some background information was included in the reports, they were primarily the results of investigations of incidents of loose talk. No personal history statement was available but in view of the attached report SEC recommended on 26 Mar 53 against further consideration of Prof ALVAREZ for DD of R/D.

   c. The Director granted a waiver in Dr. BRUCK's case for a clearance to SECRET; the items to be waived were given in a DF by SEC on 3 Feb 53. A copy of the DF is included in inclosure #3. Investigation of Dr. BRUCK within the continental limits of the U.S. was completed and a clearance through SECRET given on 21 Aug 53.

2. With the exception of Luis ALVAREZ, SEC has been following a previously agreed course of action. Further action was not contemplated except as indicated.

3 Incls:
1. Memo re R. DILLWORTH
2. Memo re L. ALVAREZ: for file in SEC
3. Memo re R. BRUCK

S. WESLEY REYNOLDS
Chief, Security Division
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Arlington, Virginia

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Massachusetts Institute of Technology
211 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge 39, Massachusetts

Hill, A. G.  5 November 1953  Director, Lincoln Laboratory
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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**NOTE:**
- * - Member of National Security Agency Scientific Advisory Board
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NOTE:

Crypto Clearance - Man can be indoctrinated
F/P - Finger Print card
PHS - Personal History Statement
Pending - Clearance action initiated but not completed
NAC - National Agency Check

* - Chairmen
Clearance Status of Specialists

R/D SEC/PERS 24 August 1953
Attn: Dr. Leibler Capt. Young/60240/sn

1. The attached list of names is composed of civilian experts in some activity of interest to the National Security Agency. The names are arranged in alphabetical order and show status of clearance to date. The attached list is a revised edition of the list prepared by this branch 22 April 1953.

2. Abbreviations Used:
   a. Crypto – cleared for cryptographic and eligible for indoctrination for COMINT.
   b. Uncleared – PHS sent to individual.
   c. Pending – PHS preliminary screened, action pending on investigation.

CLAUDE J. KRAMER
Major Infantry
Chief, Personnel Security Branch

Incl:
4 Page list of names

cc: S/ASS’T – Mr. Friedman
    CIVPERS – Mr. Simler
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Clearances for ONR personnel

R/O/ERS

R/D (34) 6 August 1953

R.L. Wyllys/aa/60572

1. It is requested that full Agency clearances be obtained for the following personnel of the Mathematical Sciences Division of the Office of Naval Research:

   Dr. Mina Rees
   Dr. Edward Paulson
   Dr. Fred D. Rigby
   Dr. Charles V. L. Smith

2. These people are frequently consulted by NSA personnel, and they are concerned with certain of this Division's contracts. Their services could be even more useful had they full clearances.

FOR THE ACTING ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT:

R. A. LEHNER
Chief
Mathematical Research Division

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Clearance Status of Specialists

Mathematical Res. Div. SEC/PERS 22 Apr 53
ATTN: Dr. Leibler Capt. Young/60251/er

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Major Infantry
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Clearance

Please obtain secret crypto clearances for the following three individuals:

Dr. Fred D. Rigby
1505 Tyler Ave.
Falls Church, Virginia

Mrs. Bettie Van W. Frankl
3525 S. Wakefield
Arlington, Virginia

Mr. Joseph Jay Wolf
443 Decatur St., N.W.
Washington, D.C.

It is our understanding that (due to the connection of these individuals with certain government sponsored research at George Washington University) they already have some sort of clearance. Specifically, Mrs. Frankl has top secret clearance and atomic energy Q clearance established by ONR; Mr. Wolf has a top secret clearance established by ONR on 30 April 1951; Dr. Rigby also has a high clearance, and is a member of the CSA reserve unit, and in addition to the ONR clearance there might be a record of his clearance in OP202 files.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. GREENWOOD
LCDR, USNR
Acting Chief, 34
Name Checks

REF ID: A66414

28 August 1953

Request name checks and verification of data on the following names:

Name: Dr. Merrill Meeks Flood
Address: 303 Alta Ave., Santa Monica
Date of Birth and Birthplace: 28 November 1908, Seward, Nebraska
Employment: Project Officer, Rand Corporation
1800 4th Street, Santa Monica, Calif.
Degrees: AB Nebraska '29
AM Nebraska '30
Ph D Princeton '35

Name: Derrick Henry Lehmer
Address: 18588 Chatsmoooga Rd., Pacific Palisades, California
Date of Birth and Birthplace: 25 February 1905, Berkeley, California
Employment: Director, Institute for Numerical Analysis
University of California, Los Angeles, California
Degrees: AB Univ. of Calif. '27
MS Brown Univ. '29
Ph D Brown Univ. '30

Name: Edward James McShane
Address: 203 Maury Ave., Charlottesville, Va.
Date of Birth and Birthplace: 10 May 1904, New Orleans, Louisiana
Employment: Prof. of Mathematics, Univ. of Virginia
Charlottesville, Va.
Degrees: BS & MS Tulane '25
MS '27
Ph D Chicago Univ. '30

Name: Anson Perry Morse
Address: 12 Oak Vale Ave., Berkeley 5, California
Date of Birth and Birthplace: 21 August 1911, Ithaca, N. Y.
Employment: Prof. of Mathematics, University of Calif., Berkeley 4, Calif.
Degrees: AB Cornell '33
Ph D Brown Univ. '37
Subjects: Name Checks 28 August 1953

Name: John Wilder Tukey
Address: 706, Fine Hall, Princeton, New Jersey
Date of Birth and Birthplace: 16 June 1915, New Bedford, Mass.
Employment: Associate Prof. of Mathematics, Princeton University,
            Princeton, New Jersey
            Member of Tech. Staff, Bell Telephone Laboratories,
            Murray Hill, New Jersey
Degrees: BS '36
         MS '38
         AM Princeton '39
         Ph D Princeton '39

Name: Joseph Leonard Walsh
Date of Birth and Birthplace: September 1895, Washington, D. C.
Employment: Prof. of Mathematics, Harvard University,
            Cambridge 38, Massachusetts
Degrees: BS Harvard '16
         MS Wisconsin '17
         Ph D Harvard

Mr. Friedman has asked me for this information for the Director.

M. H. CAMPAIGNE
Chief, Mathematical Research Division
ALKEM, H. H.
ALBRECHT, A. A. - SCAMP
BEVERAGE, Harold H. - RDB Panel
BLACKWELL, David H. - SCAG
BOTTZ, Truman A. - SCAMP
BROCK, R. H. - SCAMP
BUSH, Kenneth A. - SCAMP
CAIRNS, Stewart S. - SCAG
CHRISH, Randolph - SCAMP
COOMBS, John - SCAG
CORMAN, Howard F. - SCAG
DOBSON, Joseph R. - SCAG
DILLWORTH, Robert Palmer - SCAMP
DUNCAN, Hugh S. - SCAG
DUNWELL, Stephen W. - Adv. Bd
ENGSTROM, Elmer W. - SCAG
ENGSTROM, Howard T. - SCAG
FELLER, William - Adv. Bd
FLOOD, Merrill M. - Adv. Bd
FORDESTER, Jay - SCAG
GOOD, Richard A. - SCAMP
HAFSLAD, LaVance R. - SCAMP
HALL, Dick Wick - SCAMP
HANSON, R. H. - SCAMP
HARRIS, Vincent Crockett - SCAMP
HELDUND, Gustav A. - SCAMP
HOFFMAN, Alan J. - SCAMP
HODTON, Arthur W., Jr. - Adv. Bd
HOLGATE, Robert H. - SCAG
HULL, R. W. - SCAG
HUNT, Gilbert A. - SCAG
KNIGHT, J. R. - SCAMP
JOOS, Martin - Adv. Bd
KAC, Mark - SCAG
KLEINFELD, Erwin - SCAMP
KOKEN, John C. - SCAMP
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KREIBER, Richard A. - SCAMP
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LEVIT, Robert J. - SCAMP
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MEWS, Donald - Adv. Bd
NOISE, Edwin B. - SCAMP
NORIE, Anthony Percy - Adv. Bd
NASH, ? - SCAMP
PAIGE, LOWELL J. - SCAMP
PARKER, RaIsemond Drake - CONS
PALMER, Ralph Lee - SCAG
PIERCE, ? - SCAMP
POTTER, Ralph K. - SCAG
POST, R. Dean - SCAG
REIFMAN, Joseph R. - Adv. Bd
REYES, Thomas - Adv. Bd
RICHMYER, Robert D. - Adv. Bd
ROBERTSON, Howard - SCAG
RYSER, H. J. - SCAMP
SAMUEL, Arthur - Adv. Bd
SAYRE, Ralph A. - ID/ R&D
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WIESNER, J. B. - WILKS, Samuel - SCAG
WOLF, J. J.
CONFIDENTIAL SECURITY INFORMATION

MEMORANDUM TO MR. FRIEDMAN

SUBJECT: Advisory Group

Personal History Statements, DD-398, and Fingerprint Cards are enclosed for the following named individuals:

- BEVERAGE, Harold Henry (250 Briarville Rd, Briarville, N.Y)
- BUSH, Kenneth A. (1123 W. 3rd St., Urbana, Ill)
- CHURCH, Randolph (Br. U.S. Navy Post Graduate Sch., Monterey, Calif)
- DILWORTH, Robert P. (1740 N. 12nd Ave., Pasadena, Calif)
- GOOD, Richard A. (6805 Peopleford Place, College Park, Maryland)

[Signature]

RAY H. YOUNG, Capt., Sig C
Operations Officer
Personnel Security Branch

Letters sent 29 Jan. 53 to Beveridge
Church
Samuel
MEMORANDUM TO MR. FRIEDMAN

SUBJECT: Changes to List

1. PAIGE, Lowell J. Clearance - Confidential (non-crypto)
2. SHOCKLEY, Dr. William B. Need Personal History Statement and fingerprints (see attached forms)
3. ENGSTROM, Dr. Elmer W. Clearance - Crypto

RAY A. YOUNG
Capt., SigC
1. Attention is invited to para. 8. c. (6) of attached draft.

2. With respect to security clearances of AFSASAB members, the secretariat should be informed that requests for such clearances should be submitted well in advance of their need (at least six months) and that they be accompanied by completed Personal History Statements (DD Form 398 and MHS addenda sheets, AFSA Form DD 398S) and by completed Fingerprint Charts (CSC Form No. 87). Blank forms of this nature are always available in the Security Control Division. It is also requested that complete information as to previous clearances held by individuals be submitted to the Security Control Division for verification purposes. Such information should include:

   a. Type of clearance held
   b. Date clearance was granted
   c. Name of certifying government Department or Agency
   d. If possible, the name of the Agency which conducted the original investigation.

LESLIE H. WYMAN
Colonel, Artillery
Chief, Security Control Division

Inclosure - 1
Copy No. 8 of AFSASAB Charter (Draft)
Lowell Page - Ex Sec.
Carson
J. F. Hopkins
von Neumann
Robertson
Koken
See Hall, Duke W.
Bolte
Ward, J. A.
Hedlund
Albert, A. A.
Roberts
Clifford
Beason
Hall, Marshall
Spencer, Donald C.
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Category

New Names

- Woll, J. J.
- Blockwell
- Hunt, Gilbert
- Atwood
- MacFare
- Wilkes, S. S.
- Rubenick, MA.
- Moore, G. S.
- Dilworth, R. P.
- Kuben, H. W.
- Pall, Gordon
- Pierce, W. A.
- Vlams

Not available

Participated
First person

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Tucker, A. W.  2  Not available

Hoffman, A. J.  2

Dobbs, Robert

P.O. B. 5 Jan 1904

Chicago '32

Pye, H. J.  2

Blown, George W.  3

Kleinfeild, G.  1  (statute: see by G. Albert)

Budge, R. H.  2

Harris, Vincent C.  2  (Campagne)

Nash, John  1  (Rand Corp., but now MIT; also now at Navy PG, school, monogram)

Church, Randolph

Mt. Airy, Pa.

3 Apr 1904

Carrie to get me D.0. B. & P.O. B.

* Carries to get me D.0. B. & P.O. B.
1. This Division is often embarrassed and distressed by the unavoidable delays which are encountered in securing appropriate clearances for subject personnel. Many of the delays are basically the result of insufficient information being provided this office at the inception of a case. We are anxious to do everything possible to expedite actions of this kind and, therefore, present to you herewith certain "Rules" that have to be followed and certain recommendations to accomplish better service.

2. Before any determination or initiation of investigation, requirements that have to be met:

   a. Subject meets selection standards prescribed by USCIB #5 (and amendment to SECDEF Memorandum, on Minimum Standards for Cryptographic Clearance, dated 5 June 1952).

   b. To determine above, a Personal History Statement is required.

   c. Before considering clearance, competent authority for granting the clearance must be determined. The following are "competent authority":

      (1) In the case of persons who are employed by NSA, either on full time or WAB status, the Director.

      (2) In the case of persons who are not paid by NSA, but are in a government or non-government consultant or advisory capacity - USCIB or SECDEF.

      (3) In the case of persons who are working as result of a negotiated contract or under that contract - The Service which is responsible for such negotiation, as follows:

         (a) The Army - through the Office of the Chief Signal Officer, or the Office of the Chief of Engineers

         (b) The Navy - through Bureau of Ships

         (c) The Air Force - No contracts at present
SUBJECT: Clearance of Personnel for SCAG, SCAMP, Consultant and Contractual or other Similar Association with NSA

 Comment No. 1 cont'd.

d. Where a person has had a previous clearance, if there has been a break of 18 months in his "need-to-know," a re-opened investigation is required. This means a NEW Personal History Statement and Fingerprints prepared within 60 days of the date the investigation is to be re-opened.

Note: When records of investigation are available, they should be reviewed by SEC to determine "clearability" in accordance with NSA required selection standards — this, sometimes, will avoid the necessity for making up a PHS.

3. Recommended procedure:

a. To the greatest extent possible, the Directorate, P/P, R/D, OPNS, and C/SEC shall provide SEC with a list of the names of individuals who are professionally qualified for NSA needs of this nature. In each case, the name, place of birth (P/BO) and date of birth (DOB) should be included to aid record identification.

b. SEC will proceed at once to determine:

(1) Under what jurisdiction the clearance falls — DIR, Service, SECDEF or USCIB. (Requesters will please state whether or not the individual concerned is to be employed by NSA full time or WAE, or to work under contract. If the latter, the Service which has cognizance over the contract).

(2) Those persons whose current clearance can be certified by DIR for access to NSA information.

(3) Those persons who previously have been certified by DIR as cleared for access to NSA information.

(4) Those persons whose records are incomplete but are sufficient to warrant proceeding with clearance processes.

(5) Those persons whose records indicate ineligibility for clearance.

c. For group b(3) above, if 18 months have elapsed since individual was last granted access, investigation must be re-opened and brought up-to-date; a PHS and Fingerprints are required. If less than 18 months have elapsed, clearance will normally be re-certified at once.

d. For group b(4) above, before additional investigation can be initiated, SEC must have a Personal History Statement and Fingerprint chart executed within 60 days of the date investigation is to be re-opened. Whenever possible, SEC will furnish copies of old PHS's for the individual's use in preparing the new one.

e. Once PHS's and Fingerprint Charts are on hand, SEC will arrange for the re-opening of the investigation to the extent required.
f. With the approval of the department or agency having jurisdiction, the Director is willing to grant interim clearance pending investigation, upon assurance that

(1) Individual meets selection standards (for this purpose, PHS and Fingerprints are required).

(2) A satisfactorily evaluated National Agency Check (initiated and evaluated by SEC) has been received by NSA.

(3) A satisfactorily evaluated interview by means of the polygraph, to which the individual has voluntarily consented, has been accomplished by SEC.

[Signature]

LESLIE H. WYMAN
Colonel, Artillery
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Note: Siebner says no! on SIKEN. "Very string-minded man with bad ideas." Gets 2nd rate computer completed while better people can't get 1st rate ones completed. Von Neumann much opposed to him - has all the wrong ideas.

20 Apr 53 W.D.F.
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 
FROM : 

DATE: as of 30 Jan 53

SUBJECT: ALBERT, A. A. - SCAMP - NONE - Has been contacted for Personal History Statement and fingerprints

Clearance and indoctrination (failed)
17 April 1953
(data arrived, No answer from 16 yet.)

For phone call between Mrs. Summer and Mr. A. Feb. 4. Fingerprint
4-6-5 received for Albert 3 Feb. from Bus Transfer, Dept. of Health.

[Signature]

[Stamp: Stanford, Calif.]
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Change of Clearance Status

Mathematical Res. Div.  SEC/PERS  21 Apr 53
ATTN: Dr. Leibler  Capt Young/60251/CR

1. Based on background material available, Walter Ranson Gail Baker, Adv Bd, is eligible for interim cryptographic clearance now. Indoctrination may be accomplished at your request.

2. John Wilder Tukey, Adv Bd, is eligible for cryptographic clearance and may be indoctrinated at your request.

CLAUDE J. KRAMER
Major Infantry
Chief, Personnel Security Branch

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman
CIVPERS - T. O'Brien

AN SEC

DISBANCHED
1. Two Personal History Statements were completed on Thomas Christopher RIVES and Walter Ransom Gail BAKER to the extent of information available to SEC. Please return one copy of the current completed Personal History Statement on each individual to the Security Control Division.

2. To complete the clearance on RIVES and BAKER, a completed fingerprint card is necessary. Attached are copies of the specific card that must be used. Two cards are sent on each individual to facilitate the check in event a print is smudged. Complete the blanks checked in red and return both copies on each person to the Security Control Division.

Incls:
1. Form DD398 (2) on RIVES
2. Form DD398 (2) on BAKER
3. Fingerprint chart for RIVES (2)
4. Fingerprint chart for BAKER (2)

cc: 03 - Dr. Leibler
    CIVPERS - T. O'Brien

Return RIVES - F/P chart to SEC completion
The forwarded completed copy.

Baker's
Advisory Board Personnel

8/ASST                  SEC  9 Mar 53
                             J Merry/jm/251

1. Records of Central Index list a TOP SECRET clearance, dated Mar 1950 for Baker, Walter R. G.

2. SEC has requested Baker's file from Holabird in order to obtain a PHS, which we will copy and forward to Mr. Baker for completion. It is expected to be approximately one week to ten days before receipt of this file.

FOR SEC:

WELDON W. WILSON
Major, Armor
Chief, Personnel Security Branch
MEMORANDUM TO COLONEL WILMAN:

SUBJECT: Request for Clearance

1. Please ascertain as quickly as possible the clearance status of the following person who has accepted an invitation to become a member of the Agency’s Scientific Advisory Board:

BAKER, Walter Mansom Cail
D.O.B. - 30 November 1892
P.O.B. - Lockport, New York
Home address: 47 Bay Street, Syracuse, N. Y.
Business address: General Electric Company, Syracuse, N. Y.

NOTE: Dr. Baker is Vice President and General Manager of the Electronics Division, General Electric Company. He is a member of the Signal Corps Research and Development Advisory Council; he is, or was, also a member of the Electronics Division of the Munitions Board. He therefore probably already has a clearance for Top Secret information.

2. If possible to obtain a previously completed PHS, we could send him a copy thereof and ask him merely to bring it up to date. We can get fingerprints, if not already on record, next time he comes to visit us.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Special Assistant

To: Dr. Leibler
Dr. Cairns
Nov. 30, 1892; s. Irmin and Mary Anna (Keck) B.; B.E., Union Coll., 1916,
as elec. engr., 1916; managing engr. radio dept., Gen. Electric Co.,
1930-36; head of radio engring, mfg. and sales Gen. Electric Co., 1936-39,
mgr. radio and television dept., 1939-41, since 1941; dir. Lincoln Nat.
Electric Supply Corp., Gen. Electric Credit Corp. Past pres. and fellow,
Inst, Radio Engrs.; mem. electronics div. Munitions Bd.; electronics com.,
Golf (Schenectady). Century and Liederkrantz. Onandaga Country (Syracuse,
N.Y.). Contrbr. to various elec. engr. publs. Home: 47 Ray St. Office:
General Electric Co., Electronics Park, Syracuse, N.Y.
MEMORANDUM FOR DR. FRIEDMAN (S/ASST)

SUBJECT: BENNETT, Ralph Decker, Dr.

Background investigation completed on subject in 1948 is favorable. "Q" clearance granted then which is still current. Dr. Bennett's present clearance is sufficient for the visit discussed with Capt Young.

CLAUD A. KRAMER
Major Infantry
Chief, Personnel Security Branch
Mr. Harold N. Beverage  
Director, Radio Systems Research  
MIA Laboratories Division  
66 Broad Street  
New York 4, New York

Dear Mr. Beverage:

Following your telephone conversation with Dr. Kullback he asked me to forward additional blank copies of Personal History Statements, Form DD 298, and fingerprint cards, of which four each are included.

We hope the enclosed forms will take care of your needs and regret the inconvenience your lack of copies has caused you.

Sincerely,

Harry H. Turner, Jr.  
Assistant to the Chief  
Office of Research and Development

2. Incls:  
1. DD Form 298 w/instr sheet (quad)  
2. Fingerprint cards (quad)

cc: AG  
C/B  
E/ASST  
SEO  
OIVPERS - Mr. O'Brien  
3012 (2)  
34

N/R: Mr. Beverage is a prospective member of the Ad.Ed. We are forwarding extra PHS and F/P's per his request.

Orig: W.H.Turner/60374  
29 July 53/qs
Mr. Harold J. Beverage  
Director of Radio Research Laboratory  
Radio Corporation of America  
ECI Laboratories Division  
66 Broadway Street  
New York 4, New York

Dear Mr. Beverage:

Thank you for your very prompt reply to my letter of 13 June. I hope you will not think we were impatient in response to your completing the form. In recent months some of our correspondence has gone astray and I was just checking up. There is no urgency about your returning the form but I shall look forward to their receipt within the next two or three weeks.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN  
Special Assistant

M/R: This acknowledges Mr. Beverage's ltr of 22 June stating he did receive our ltr (ser 2956) requesting PHS & F/F's (ser. 2531). Mr. Beverage is a prospective NSASAB Panel member.

W.F. Friedman/S/Asst/60493/24 Juno 53-eby
Mr. William F. Friedman  
Special Assistant  
National Security Agency  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

In reply to your letter of June 18, 1953, Serial 2956, I wish to advise that I did receive Rear Admiral J. N. Wenger's letter of May 25, 1953.

I am sorry that it has taken so long for me to fill out and return the forms which were forwarded to me. However, I now have all the information available and hope to be able to send the questionnaire to you within the next week or two.

Very truly yours,

/s/ H. H. Beverage

H. H. Beverage  
Director of Radio Research Laboratory
Mr. Harold H. Beverage
Director, Radio Systems Research
AIA Laboratories Division
66 Broad Street
New York 4, New York

Dear Mr. Beverage:

Please advise whether you ever received

Dear Admiral J. W. Nye's letter of 25 May 1953,

a copy of which is attached, and if so, when we

may expect a reply thereto.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Special Assistant

1 incl:
Copy of serial 2531,
dtd 25 May 53

cc: AO
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M/R: Mr. Beverage is a prospective NSASAB Panel member. In Ser. 2531
we requested T/F's and PHS.

W. F. Friedman/S/Asst/60493/16 June 53-sby
Dear Mr. Beverage:

The National Security Agency, formerly known as the Armed Forces Security Agency, is anxious to be able to call upon eminent scientists such as yourself for part-time services or for special consultation in cryptography and communications research, a field extremely important in the national defense. I assure you that you would be called upon for such services or consultation only on problems of a rather vital nature.

There are three types of problems in which you may be interested. The Agency sponsors a summer symposium in southern California, at which mathematical problems basic to our work are discussed. Some of these problems concern the application of known results, but the greater part of the topics involve new research. Some of the special fields most frequently involved are matrix theory, statistics, combinatorial analysis, and logic.

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Currently there is being established for the Agency an Advisory Group which, it is contemplated, will meet at regular intervals to deal with a variety of scientific subjects pertinent to the work of the Agency.

Since the Agency's work is highly classified, there are certain procedures necessary in connection with obtaining access to the work or with the procurement of personnel. If you are interested in assisting us in some of our problems, it is requested that you fill out the enclosed forms. On the Personal History Statement please fill in every blank, even if the only possible reply is "Inapplicable". In order to assist you in preparing the PHS, I am inclosing two blanks in which we have inserted whatever data we had available; you may retain one completed copy for your own files. The fingerprint card can be completed at any police station, service recruiting center, or similar activity. Two cards are inclosed, both of which are to be returned to facilitate the check in the event a print is smudged. Please complete the blanks checked in red on both copies. I realize that this will be an onerous but unavoidable inconvenience, and I offer you my apology for it.
I must emphasize that no commitment as to your services is intended or can be made at this time. When you have completed the forms, please return them to me, and I shall initiate their processing here. It may be possible then to discuss this matter in greater detail.

Again I wish to apologize for troubling you and to assure you that your assistance can be a real contribution to the national defense.

Sincerely,

J. M. WENGER
Rear Admiral, US Navy
Vice Director

2 Incls:
1. PBS, DD 398 with supplements (in dupl.)
2. Fingerprint card (in dupl.)

cc: AG
    C/S
    S/ASS'T
    SEC
    CYPHERS - Mr. T. O'Brien
    5012 (3)
    24

M/R: Mr. Beverage is a prospective member of the Ad. Bd. We are requesting PBS and F/P's.

Orig: L. S. KEENISON/60572
11 May 53/1lw
Rewritten: L. S. KEENISON/60572
21 May 53/Room.20201/avs
BEVERAGE, Harold Henry

Mathematical Res. Div.  SEC/PERS  6 May 53
ATTN: Dr. Leibler  Capt Young/60251

1. Two Personal History Statements were completed on Harold Henry Beverage to the extent of information available to SEC. Item # 1 was purposely left blank so that Mr. Beverage could enter the address which he prefers to use at this time.

2. To complete the clearance on Mr. Beverage, a completed fingerprint card is necessary. Attached are two copies of the specific card that must be used. Two cards are sent to facilitate the check in the event a print is smudged. Complete the blanks checked in red.

3. Please return both fingerprint cards and one copy of the current completed Personal History Statement to the Security Control Division.

CLAUDE J. KRAMER
Major  Infantry

2 Incls:
1. DD Form 398 w/instr sheet (dpl)
2. Fingerprint cards (dpl)

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman
CIVPERS - T. O'Brien
CIVPERS - Mr. Simler

Note: Beverages being drafted by Col. Keunig for Adm. W. signature.
4 February 1953

MEMORANDUM TO MR. FRIEDMAN:

This is to advise you that Harold H. BEVERAGE has been granted an Interim-Cryptologic Clearance with the National Security Agency.

[Signature]

LESLIE H. WYMAN
Colonel, Artillery
Chief, Security Division
"Beverage - Young will go after OSI to get file on him."

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MEMO ROUTING SLIP

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REMARKS

As per phone conversation, please see what clearance info there is on BEVERAGE Harold Henry POB - North Haven, Maine DUB - 14 Oct 1893
He is being considered for RDB Panel was talked about with Director yesterday.

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TO:

FROM:

DATE:

as of 30 Jan 53

SUBJECT:

BLACKWELL, DAVID H. - SCAG - CRYPTO - HI-ONI - NSA 302C, 2 May 52 -
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT: As of 30 Jan 53

BOTTS, TRUMAN A. - SCAMP - CRYPTO - OP202 - DF to 302C, 2 Apr 52 - Presently
Evaluation Top Secret may be employed, given if needed WAE Status

Not at SCAMP 53

f for Panels
Office Memorandum - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: As of 30 Jan 53

ERUCK, R. H. - SCAMP - No info

PHS & fingerprints sent 23 Dec. 52 - Ser. 3201 (Sue Reeves)

PHS & F/P in receipt pan Yogman D/F 25 Feb. 53 - will not be eligible for combat clearance.
RICHARD HUBERT BRUCK

See D/I dtd 18 Nov. 53

Filed under R. P. Dilworth
Dr. Richard H. Bruck  
Department of Mathematics  
North Hall  
University of Wisconsin  
Madison 6, Wisconsin  

Dear Dr. Bruck:

I appreciate your cooperation in forwarding to me the completed clearance forms which were sent you in December and regret any inconvenience caused by your receipt of similar forms from Professor Cairns, a duplication which was unintentional.

I note that you appreciate that your having a number of relatives living abroad may present some complication in connection with your clearance, but since they are all located this side of the so-called "Iron Curtain," I do not anticipate any difficulty on this score. The period of investigation may be a little longer than usual but I shall keep you informed of developments.

Again, let me assure you of our appreciation of your cooperation.

Sincerely,

J. W. WENGER  
Rear Admiral, US Navy  
Vice Director

cc: AG  
C/S  
S/ASST  
R/D (34-Dr. Leibler)

M/B: Dr. Bruck is a prospective candidate for SCAMP. This ltr acknowledges receipt of clearance forms and his ltr of 20 Jan 53 (R.S. 757).

W. F. Friedman/S/Asst/60493/18 Mar 53
R/D
ATTN: Dr. Campaigne

SEC 25 Feb 53
Capt Young/jm/251

Richard H. Bruck

1. SEC has received the necessary papers from Mr. Richard H. Bruck and is proceeding with the investigation for clearance to SECRET for SCAMP. You will be notified upon completion.

2. The Director has waived the fact that Bruck's many foreign relatives are at variance with clearance criteria.

3. Bruck will not be eligible for access to COMINT.

CC: S/ASSF

LESLIE H. WYMAN
Colonel, Artillery
Dear Admiral Wenger:

I received your letter on my return from the St. Louis meetings of the American Mathematical Society and I have spent all of my free time since that date in filling out the enclosed clearance forms. I shall be glad to do what I can. In return I should appreciate an informal preliminary opinion from you as to the likelihood of my being cleared. You will notice that I have submitted a list amounting to almost a page of relatives in Canada, Luxemburg, Belgium, France and England.

Professor S. S. Cairns of the University of Illinois also sent me a set of forms identical with the ones I received from you. I have taken it for granted that it was necessary to complete only one set of forms.

Yours very sincerely,

/s/ R. H. Bruck

R. H. Bruck
Professor of Mathematics

RHB:cks
cc: Professor S. S. Cairns
enc: DD Form 398 and supplements
    fingerprint card
    copy of serial: 3201
5 January 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF, SECURITY CONTROL DIVISION

SUBJECT: Clearance of R. H. Bruck

In a list of names given you in a memorandum dated 18 November 1952, that of BRUCK, R. H., was included, without D.O.B. or P.O.B. being indicated. I now have the following data:

BRUCK, R. H.
D.O.B. - 26 December 1914
P.O.B. - Pembroke, Ontario, Canada

Note: Prof. Bruck has been resident in the U. S. since 1940 and was granted U.S. citizenship in 1948.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Consultant
MEMORANDUM FOR W. F. FRIEDMAN

SUBJECT: Further Information for SCAMP Participants for 1953.

1. I am relaying this through NSA-34 instead of having it typed here for security reasons. I first give you some names, dates and places of birth

   R. H. Bruck, 12/26/41, Pembroke, Ontario, Canada, here since 1940, citizen since 1948.

   Kenneth A. Bush (Professor of Mathematical Statistics, University of Illinois), 2/24/14, Oneonta, N. Y. (A name not on previous list, but, I trust, not hopelessly late.) Had interim clearance for Navy-sponsored summer work at Chapel Hill.

   Richard A. Good (Mathematics Department, University of Maryland, suggested by D. W. Hall, not on previous list.) I'll try to get his date and place of birth, though you may wish to do it faster through D. W. Hall.

   Harold W. Kuhn, 7/29/25, Santa Monica, California. I quote from his letter: "As a matter of principle, I would prefer not to work on classified material. However, if this is the only means by which I can visit in Southern California this summer, I would be willing to relax this principle, considering the temporary nature of the work."

   Erwin Kleinfeld, 4/9/27, Vienna, Austria, here since June 1940, U. S. Army, July '45 to December '46, Naturalized 11/16/45, Jacksonville, Florida.

   No replies from Nash, Pierce, Ryser.

2. The following have said no, because of other commitments: S. MacLane, D. C. Spencer, A. W. Tucker.

3. R. P. Dilworth says he has top secret and "Q" clearances.

4. If Kleinfeld is out because of place of birth or Kuhn because of quoted sentence, -- in fact as soon as any one is out I'd like to know so as to halt my part of the proceedings.
TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 18 Nov 52

BRUCK, R. H.

SEE TUCKER, ALBERT WILLIAM

"Name & F. of dtd 10 Dec. 53 from Capt. Young - "No record, need completed PHS & fingerprint card."

SEE TUCKER, A.W.
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :                                      DATE: 17 Dec 52

FROM :

SUBJECT: Further info on SCAMP participants for 53 - Memo for W.F.F from S.S. Cairns.

BUSH, KENNETH A.

SEE BRUCK, R. H.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :                                      DATE: 

FROM :

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 5 Jan 53

BUSH, KENNETH A.

SEE CHURCH, RANDOLPH
2 July 1953

Dr. Arnold D. Batchens
National Bureau of Standards
Institute for Numerical Analysis
University of California
405 Hilgard Avenue
Los Angeles 24, California

Dear Sir:

In reference to our letter dated 26 June 1953 regarding the clearance of each individual participating in the SCAMP project sponsored by this Agency, the following data is forwarded for your information:

Kenneth A. Bush has now been granted an Interim Secret clearance.

Sincerely,

Leslie H. Winman
Colonel, Artillery
Chief, Security Division
As of 30 Jan 53

CAIRNS, STEWART S. - SCAG - CRYPTO - OP202
Evaluation
Professor Stewart J. Cairns  
Chairman, Department of Mathematics  
University of Illinois  
Urbana, Illinois  

Dear Stewart:  

I have both of your letters, 4 April and 7 April, to acknowledge. Please be assured that we are not in any great rush to receive back the completed Form 393 plus supplement. I am glad to note that this sort of administrative headache does not irritate you but on the contrary constitutes a source of pleasure. This is a rather unusual situation, in my experience.  

I note what you say about your impending visit and will be looking forward to seeing you on Monday, 20 April.  

Sincerely,  

WILLIAM F. FRIDMAN  
Special Assistant  

cc: Dr. Leibler  
cc: AG  
cc: C/S  
cc: S/ASST  
cc: R/D - Dr. Leibler, NSA-34  

W/R: Self-explanatory.
April 7, 1953

National Security Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Att'n Mr. W. F. Friedman

Dear Mr. Friedman:

I shall be in Washington on Friday, April 17, and on the following Monday and Tuesday. I shall be entirely free of other obligations on Monday and will devote that day to matters concerned with SCAMP and the advisory board if you wish.

I am also informing Leibler of my trip since I wish to write him on another matter.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

S. S. Cairns
Head of the Department
Dear Mr. Friedman,

Just in case any one is concerned about my seemingly unconscionable delay in returning Form DD 398 plus Supplement, let it hereby be known that I am nearing the end of my task. Before receiving your recent letter indicating that I need not be extremely particular in details which escaped my memory, I had embarked on a McCarthy-like scrutiny of my own past, with one mother, one brother, one sister and two aunts as agents. With their aid and that of a diary which I have kept (with a few suspicious gaps) since late in 1917, I have been able to reconstruct practically the entire past 48 years 10 months and 27 days (plus a few hours). Having done so exhaustive a job, I cannot bring myself to omit the last detail of finding out where I
lived from late June until mid-August of 1933, when we had left our "permanent" residence, stored our goods and not yet moved into another "permanent" residence.* That detail should be in my hands by next Tuesday or Wednesday. Meanwhile, I will have the balance of the data put in good typewritten form and will send it in as promptly as possible.

Incidentally, I assure you and anyone who may ask you, that I am in no way irritated by the requested details. On the contrary, I have genuinely enjoyed the review of my past and will carefully preserve the results of this research.

I like your idea for a best seller.
I shall hope to see you before long.

With best regards,

Stewart

*I have had some 27 residences since birth, naturally not counting the numerous roosting places during a 14-month European trip.
Mr. S. E. Cairns
Department of Mathematics
University of Illinois
Urbana, Illinois

Dear Mr. Cairns:

Thank you for your letter of 26 March 1953 to Dr. H. A. Leibler
and the enclosures of proposals and letter from Mr. John C. Koken.
At the present time we anticipate that we shall be able to support
the extension, after 1 September 1953, of your contract (ONR Moari-
07127, Task 37) under the chairmanship of Dr. Koken. This Agency
will initiate, through the Office of Naval Research, the necessary
contractual arrangements for the continuance of the research.

We profoundly regret that you will no longer be actively
engaged in this research. Your work has been of the utmost value in
the past; may we express the hope that sometime in the future you
will find it possible to resume your efforts on these problems.
Please be assured that your work has been greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

R. Rigby

M/R: Dr. Cairns has been researching under contract (ANABRANCH)
placed by Math. Research Div. through ONR. He has indicated his
desire to withdraw from active research and to have the contract
continued with Koken researching.

Originated by: R.E. WILKIS/as/31 Mar 53
Rewritten by: Dr. R.A. LEIBLER/11w/9 Apr 53

WSS/Em 20200/60572
WSS/Em 20200/60572
Mathematical Res. Div.
ATTN: Dr. Leibler

SEC/PERS
8 Jun 53
60251/6r

Warren Randolph Church has been granted a SECRET-non-crypto clearance. Do you want the National Bureau of Standards notified of this clearance?

FOR SEC/PERS:

RAY H. YOUNG, Capt., Sig C Operations Officer Personnel Security Branch

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman CIVPERS - Mr. Simler
MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF, SECURITY CONTROL DIVISION

SUBJECT: Additional Clearances for SCAMP

1. It is requested that a COMINT clearance be obtained if possible for the following persons whom we would like to invite to attend the next SCAMP session:

   a. CHURCH, Randolph
      D.O.B. - 1 April 1904
      P.O.B. - Mount Airy, Pennsylvania
      Note: Dr. Church is now employed at the U.S. Navy
            Post Graduate School at Monterey, California.

   b. BUSH, Kenneth A.
      D.O.B. - 24 February 1914
      P.O.B. - Oneonta, New York
      Note: Prof. of Mathematical Statistics, University
            of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.

   c. GOOD, Richard A.
      D.O.B. -
      P.O.B. -
      Note: Department of Mathematics, University of
            Maryland.

   d. WILWORD, Robert Palmer
      D.O.B. - 2 December 1914
      P.O.B. -
      Note: He claims to have TOP SECRET and "Q" clearances.
            Present address is 1748 N. Grand Oaks Avenue,
            Pasadena 4, California.

   e. HARRIS, Vincent Crockett
      D.O.B. -
      P.O.B. -
      Note: Assistant Prof. Mathematics Department,
            San Diego State College, San Diego, California.
            Home address: 1526 Campus Lane Drive,
            San Diego 15, California.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Consultant
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:                DATE:

FROM:             SUBJECT:

As of 30 Jan 53

COOMBS, JOHN - SCAG - CRYPTO - HI-ONI - Capt. Lane, OOT, 26
Nov 51
As of 30 Jan 53

COOMBS, JOHN - SCAG - CRYPTO - MI-ONI - Capt. Lane, COT, 26 Nov 51
1. Telcon information from Signal Corps indicates Mr. Corwith was granted cryptologic clearance by 1st Army 13 May 1952.

2. It is being requested that this clearance be confirmed in writing. In the meantime he is eligible to be cleared for NSA purposes.

WELDON W. WILSON
Major, Armor
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT:

As of 30 Jan 53

DESCH, JOSEPH R. - SCAG - INTERIM - NAC-ONI - SEC is requesting PHS and fingerprints CRYPTO
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 

FROM : 

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 5 Jan 53

WILWORTH, ROBERT PALMER

SCHURCH, RANDOLPH
Dr. Robert P. Milworth
4728 N. Grand Oaks Avenue
Millburn, California

Dear Dr. Milworth:

I deeply regret the necessity of troubling you once more, but certain additions are needed on your personal history statement, which is included. Please fill in the boxes checked in red, even though the only possible answer may be "None" or "Inapplicable." A return envelope is also included.

This request has no bearing on your participation at the Institute for Numerical Analysis this summer. The additions are needed to complete a more comprehensive analysis for possible future use.

Again, I wish to apologize for inconveniencing you and to assure you that your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

R. A. Newman
Chief
Mathematical Research Division
Office of Research and Development

Enc: 1. PH3
2. P P Form 365
3. Return Envelope

cc: 9/1582
     E04/PERS
     CIT/PB3
     AS (2)
     S013 (2)

NB: Dr. Milworth's PH3 was incomplete. Requesting complete data.

Orig: R. A. NEWMAN/214/19 June '53
En: 20200/60572
Robert Palmer (Dilworth) has been granted a SECRET non-crypto clearance.
Certain corrections are necessary on the Personal History Statement of DILWORTH. Request you contact him to have this accomplished. See correction sheet attached to Personal History Statement.

FOR SEC/ERS:

RAY H. YOUNG, Capt., Sig C
Operations Officer
Personnel Security Branch

Incl:
PSC w/corr sheet
re: DILWORTH, R.P.

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman

CONFIDENTIAL
Recommend that Robert Palmer Dilworth of the California Institute of Technology be dropped from further consideration as a SCAMP participant.

LESLIE H. WYMAN
Colonel, Artillery

cc: C/ALST - Mr. Friedman
CITFERS - Jr. Simler

V/C SEC

CONFIDENTIAL
Dear Mr. Milworth,

The National Security Agency, formerly known as the Armed Forces Security Agency, is anxious to be able to call upon eminent scientists such as yourself for part-time services or for special consultation in cryptography and communications research, a field extremely important in the national defense. I assure you that you would be called upon for such services or consultation only on problems of a rather vital nature.

There are three types of problems in which you may be interested. The Agency sponsors a summer symposium in southern California, at which mathematical problems basic to our work are discussed. Some of these problems concern the application of known results, but the greater part of the topics involve new research. Some of the special fields most frequently involved are matrix theory, statistics, combinatorial analysis, and logic.

The Agency also employs a number of people as consultants who are called upon for advice on unusual problems which arise from time to time. Again the problems entail work on both the applied and the research levels.

Currently there is being established for the Agency an Advisory Group which, it is contemplated, will meet at regular intervals to deal with a variety of scientific subjects pertinent to the work of the Agency.

Since the Agency's work is highly classified, there are certain procedures necessary in connection with obtaining access to the work or with the procurement of personnel. If you are interested in assisting us in some of our problems, it is requested that you fill out the inclosed forms. On the Personal History Statement please fill in every blank, even if the only possible reply is "Inapplicable." The fingerprint card can be completed at any police station, service recruiting center, or similar activity. I realize that this will be an onerous but unavoidable inconvenience, and I offer you my apology for it.

I must emphasize that no commitment as to your services is intended or can be made at this time. When you have completed the forms, please
return them to me, and I shall initiate their processing here. It may be possible then to discuss this matter in greater detail.

Again I wish to apologize for troubling you and to assure you that your assistance can be a real contribution to the national defense.

Sincerely,

J. R. WENGER
Rear Admiral, US Navy
Vice Director

2 Incls:
1. PHS, DT 398 with supplements (in dupl.)
2. Fingerprint card (in dupl.)

cc: AG
C/S
CONS
CIVPERS

M/R: Self-explanatory.

W. F. Friedman/CONS/60493/26 Jan 53

IDENTICAL LETTERS SENT TO:

Beverage, Harold Henry - Serial: 477
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 

FROM : 

DATE: 

SUBJECT: As of 30 Jan 53 

DUNCAN, HUGH S. - SCAG - CRYPTO - OP202 - BUSHIPS
Office Memorandum - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 6 Nov 52

DUNWELL, Stephen W., Mr.

see REDMAN

MEMO FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION

Your clearance application was approved.

Clearance granted - 6 Nov 52.

Clearance effective as of 30 Jan 53.

DUNWELL, STEPHEN W. - Ad. Bd. - No info

Date 6 Nov.

Signed, 23 Dec. 52 - Sec. 3206 (See Records)
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 

FROM : 

DATE: 

SUBJECT: 

As of 30 Jan 53

ENGSTROM, ELMER W. - CRYPTO per Wyman 6 Jan 53
BIOGRAPHIC DATA

Mr. William F. Friedman
Consultant, Room 192322
Headquarters NSA

16 January 1953

In answer to your telephone request of 16 January 1953, the information on R. A. Sawyer and E. N. Engstrom is attached.

R. E. Stiles
Head, NSA-253G

ENCL: 1

Orig. filed under Sawyer

SUBJECT: Security Indoctrinations

TO: CONS

1. The security clearance status of the individual listed below has been evaluated satisfactory for the purposes of NSA:
   a. Name: ENGSTROM, Elmer William
   b. Grade: SPECIAL EMPLOYEE

2. Security indoctrination must be accomplished as indicated below:
   (X) a. Initial indoctrination by Security Control Division in accordance with existing instructions.
   ( ) b. Reindoctrination by Security Control Division. Report to Personnel Security Branch, Room 17-105, NavSecSta, or to Physical Security Branch, Room 1036B, AHS, as appropriate.
   ( ) c. Compartmental indoctrination in accordance with NSA Memo 120-29. Please complete and forward NSA Form 944 to Security Control Division within five days after individual reports for duty.

FOR THE CHIEF, SECURITY CONTROL DIVISION:

WELDON W. WILSON
Major Armor
Asst Chief, Personnel Security Branch

cc: CIVPERS
MILPERS
MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF, SECURITY CONTROL DIVISION

SUBJECT: Additional Clearances for Advisory Board

1. It is requested that full COMINT clearances be obtained if possible for the following nominees for the Board:

a. ENGSTROM, Dr. Elmer W.
   D.O.B. - 25 August 1901
   P.O.B. - Minneapolis, Minnesota

   NOTE: Dr. Engstrom is Vice President-in-Charge - RCA Laboratories Division, Princeton, New Jersey. He is currently a member of the Research and Development Board Committee on Electronics. As such member I believe that you will find that he already has a Top Secret clearance.

b. SAMUEL, Arthur, Dr.
   D.O.B. - 5 December 1901
   P.O.B. - Emporia, Kansas

   NOTE: Dr. Samuel is currently Chairman of RD&E Panel on electronic tubes. He is employed at Electronic Laboratories, Plant No. 2, International Business Machines Corporation, Poughkeepsie, New York. He probably already has a Top Secret clearance.

c. SHOCKLEY, Dr. William B.
   D.O.B. - 13 February 1910
   P.O.B. - London, England

   NOTE: Dr. Shockley is now an American citizen, having come to the U.S. in 1913. He is currently employed at the Bell Telephone Laboratories, New York.

2. Please provide me with whatever additional forms may be required to be completed by these candidates.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Consultant
DATE:

SUBJECT:

As of 30 Jan 53

ENGSTROM, HOWARD T. - SCAG - CRYPTO - Limited check - (Cleared by written memo by BUSHIPS from Adm. Stone)
Office Memorandum

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 6 Nov 52

FELLER, William, Dr.

See REDMAN

DATE:

not clearable

SUBJECT:

As of 30 Jan 53

FELLER, WILLIAM, DR, - AU. BD - No info

not clearable

data 6 Nov.

PH+ fingerprints Dec. 53 - Jan. 54 (see Reeves)
Professor William Feller
Fine Hall, Box 708
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Professor Feller:

Receipt of your letter of 19 January with its inclosures is acknowledged, and on behalf of the Director of this Agency I wish to indicate that your cooperation and interest are very much appreciated.

It is noted that your lecture tour will take you out of the country for several months. This will give us the time needed to consider carefully the data furnished by you, and perhaps by the time you return we will be able to write you further in connection with the contribution you might be able to make in the National Defense program.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Consultant

cc: AO
C/S
CONS
SEC

M/R: Reply to CONS's request for PHS and Fingerprints in connection with clearance program for certain selected scientific personalities.

L Wyman, Col, Arty/16/60251/23 Jan 53
Revised by: W. F. Friedman/CONS/60493/26 Jan 53
National Security Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

This is in reply to your request of 23 Dec. 1952 Serial 3207. I am always glad if I can be of any real service in the National Defense Program. Accordingly, in enclose the required Statement of personal history together with four supplemental sheets and the finger print chart.

I am about to leave for a lecture tour to Sweden but shall be back in the summer.

Sincerely,

/s/ William Feller

William Feller
Higgins Professor of Mathematics.
Office Memorandum - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

FLOOD, MERRILL M. - Ad. Bd. - Eligible for CRYPTO Clearance - Blank PHS and fingerprints sent to OOT

(Sent 23 Dec 52
Ser 3210)
Request for Crypto-clearance for M. M. Flood

CONS

SEC 12 January 53

It is requested that a crypto clearance be initiated for Mr. Merrill Meeks Flood. Attached are the Statement of Personal History and Supplement, and fingerprint card filled out by Mr. Flood.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Consultant

Incls - 2
1. PHS & supplement
2. Fingerprint card
308 Alta Avenue
Santa Monica, California

31 December 1952

Dear Admiral Wenger:

Inclosed are the completed personnel forms as requested in your letter of 23 December 1952.

I shall welcome the opportunity to learn more about the activities mentioned in your letter if and when it becomes possible for you to discuss them with me.

Beginning Monday, 5 January, I shall be living and working in New York City. My office address there will be: Department of Mathematical Statistics, Columbia University, New York, N. Y.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Merrill M. Flood

Merrill M. Flood

MMF:mc

Inclosures
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Friedman
FROM : Capt. Young

SUBJECT: FLOOD, Merrill M. McPherson

1. In the discussion of the candidates for the advisory group, you indicated that you would send Personal History Statements to Mr. Merrill M. Flood. Attached are two copies of Form DD-398, one to be returned to National Security Agency, and one for Mr. Flood to keep. Both copies of the fingerprint card should be returned. The blanks checked in red on the fingerprint card should be filled in by Flood.

2. If the organization employing Flood does not have fingerprinting facilities, I am sure this service will be performed at the nearest military recruiting agency or police station.

RAY H. YOUNG
Capt., Sig Corps
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 

FROM : 

SUBJECT: 

As of 30 Jan 53

FORRESTER, JAY - SCAG - None - No action contemplated - SEC is requesting fingerprints

Eligible for interim clearance - 24 Feb 53
TO: PB.OM
FROM: Campagne
SUBJECT: Personal History Statement

Forms have been sent to MA Grischek, A A Albert, Gordon Pall, Marshall Hall on 2 Feb.

H C.

TO: PB.OM
FROM: Campagne

SUBJECT: GLEASON, Andrew - Per Off. Memo from R.H. Young, dtd 19 Mar 53:
"now eligible for access to cryptologic information. If indoctrination for COMINT is required arrangements may be made for this with the Personnel Security Branch, ext. 60251."

SEE HOW, D.W. FOR MEMO.
SUBJECT: COMINT Clearance, GODEL, William H.

TO: Chief, Security Division
National Security Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Mr. William H. GODEL, an employee in the office of the Secretary of Defense, was cleared and indoctrinated for COMINT on 18 April 1950, on the basis of a Background Investigation completed in 1949, which is presently filed in the Office of the A. C. of S., G-2, Department of the Army.

EMERY E. BELLONBY
Lt. Colonel, ARMY
SSG, G-2
Clearance Status for SCAMP

Mathematical Res. Div. SEC/PERS 22 Jun 53
ATT: Dr. Leibler 60251/C

Richard A. Good has been granted a cryptographic clearance and is eligible for indoctrination at your request.

FOR SEC/PERS:

RAY H. YOUNG, Capt., Sig C Operations Officer Personnel Security Branch

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman CIVPERS - Mr. Simler
Clearance Status for SCAMP

Mathematical Res. Div.
ATTN: Dr. Leibler
SEC/PERS  12 May 53  60251/sr

1. Richard Albert Good has been granted a clearance through Secret non-crypto for SCAMP purposes.

2. This is the only notice that SEC has sent to GOOD to this time. Do you want the Institute for Numerical Analysis notified on all the persons selected for SCAMP or just the ones scheduled for this summer?

FOR SEC/PERS:

RAY H. YOUNG, Capt., Sig C
Operations Officer
Personnel Security Branch

cc: S/ASST: Mr. Friedman
CIVPERS: Mr. Simler
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:

FROM:

DATE: 17 Dec 52

SUBJECT: Further info on SCAMP participants for 53 - Memo for W.P.F from S.S. Cairns.

GOOD, RICHARD A.

SEE BRUCK, R. H.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:

FROM:

DATE:

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 5 Jan 53

GOOD, RICHARD A.

SEE CHURCH, RANDOLPH
GREENWOOD, Robert Swine, Jr.
Mathematical Res. Div.  SEC/PERS  17 Apr 53
ATTN: Dr. Leibler  Capt Young/60251/er

1. Two Personal History Statements were completed on Robert E. Greenwood to the extent of information available to SEC. The Personal History Statement that Mr. Greenwood filled out while in a military status is not complete, and therefore, it is not sufficient for our records.

2. To complete the clearance on Mr. Greenwood, a completed fingerprint card is necessary. Attached are two copies of the specific card that must be used. Two cards are sent to facilitate the check in event a print is smudged. Complete the blanks checked in red.

3. Please return both fingerprint cards and one copy of the current completed Personal History Statement to the Security Control Division.

CLAUDE J. KRAMER
Major  Infantry

2 Incls:
1. DD Form 398 w/instr sheet (dupl)
2. Fingerprint cards (dupl)

cc: S/ASST - Mr. Friedman
    GIVPERS - T. O'Brien
Clearance of SCAMP Member

R/D
Attn: NSA 34
SEC

Capt Young/jck/240
10 Dec 53

Robert E. Greenwood has been granted a final cryptographic clearance and remains eligible for indoctrination at your request.

FOR SEC:

CLAUDE J. KRAMER
Major, Infantry
Chief, SEC/PERS

cc: Mr. Simler CIVPERS
S/ASOT <
Clearance Status

CONS
SEC

16 Jan 53
Maj KRAMER/jm/252

1. Per your request, Mr. Louis T. E. Thompson and Dr. Lawrence R. Hafstad, will be granted interim cryptologic clearances this date on the basis of previous background investigations.

2. It is requested that Statements of Personal History (DD Form 398) and fingerprint cards be furnished SEC at the time Mr. Thompson and Dr. Hafstad begin their association with this Agency so that investigation can be brought up to date.

FOR SEC:

CLAUDIE J. KRAMER
Major, Infantry
Asst Chief, Personnel Security Branch

Inclosure
Blank Form DD 398 (4)
F/P Cards
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT:

As of 30 Jan 53

COMINT Clearance

HALL, DICK WICK - SCAMP - *SECRET - Partial HI - * NSA sent ltr to MDW 12 Sept 52
by MDW for more info in order to clear for CRYPTO.
TO: Mr. LEIFLER, Richard A.
FROM: Capt. Ray H. Youn

SUBJECT: Clearance status

Andrew Gleason and Dick Wick Hall are now eligible for access to cryptologic information. If indoctrination for COMINT is required arrangements may be made for this with the Personnel Security Branch, ext. 60251.

Note: This with the Personnel Security Branch, ext. 60251.

EC:
CIVPERS - Tom O'Brien and 2/Asst.

As of 3 Feb 53 - HALL, MARSHALL & PHS forms sent per Campagne

(See memo from Campagne filed with GIRSCHICK)

3 April 1953 - cleared for COMINT (debriefed)
Office Memorandum - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 5 Jan 53

HARRIS, VINCENT CROCKETT

SKE CHURCH, RANTOLPH

[Handwritten notations]
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : 

FROM : 

DATE : 

SUBJECT :

As of 30 Jan 53 -
HEDLUND, GUSTAV A. - SCAMP - CRYPTO - HI by MDW

Not for Panel
Eliminate him
SHORTLY after our conversation this date, the Personnel Security Branch received the background investigative report on Gustav HEIDLUND. He is now eligible for clearance. This branch will indoctrinate him any time that is convenient and badge arrangements will be made at that time.

FOR SEC/PERS:

RAY H. YOUNG  
Capt. Sig 0
Office Memorandum  •  UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 18 Nov 52

HOFFMAN, A. J.

SEE TUCKER, A. W.

Memo to Mr. F. from Sec. Std 12 Dec 52 - Sec. Commerce clearance.

PHS & fingerprints sent 23 Dec 52 - Ser 3204 (See Reserve)

As of 30 Jan 53

HOFFMAN, ALAN J. - SCAMP - No info

(data 18 Nov)

" " " Cleared for not beyond secret" "

" " " 53 - R.S. 1500
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TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

HORTON, ARTHUR W., JR. • Reference ltr from Ralph Brown dtd 20 Jan 53 (R.S. 782)

Eng. for Indoe.
15 Jan. '54
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT:

HOWARD, JOHN H. - SCAG - CRYPTO - HI-ONI
As of 30 Jan 53

HUNT, GILBERT A. - SCAG - SEC is requesting PHS and Fingerprints to investigate for CRYPTO.
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT: Request for clearance - 6 Nov 52

HUNT, Gilbert A., Dr.

See REDMAN

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TO :

FROM :

SUBJECT:

Request for clearance - 18 Nov 52

HUNT, GILBERT A., DR.

SEE TUCKER, A. W.

Memos to F. from SEC. 10 Dec 51 - read RH5 + fingerprint.
ATTN: Mr. Friedman

There is no information available to preclude the employment of Robert D. Huntoon. A final determination on clearance will be made after receipt of Polygraph interview results and review of Personal History Statement. If the requirement for the interview is waived by the Director then interim clearance decision will be made after receipt of completed Statement of Personal History and fingerprint cards.

FOR SEC:

RAY H. YOUNG
Capt. SAGC
Actg. Asst. Chief, SEC/PERS
IRWIN, James Ralph
CONS-03
1. Inclosed is a summary of information developed by Background Investigation in case of Subject.

2. In view of the unfavorable information developed by investigation, I recommend that no clearance be granted to Mr. JOOS, and that he be dropped from consideration as a member of the NSA Scientific Advisory Board. Your opinion is requested.

W. WESLEY REYNOLDS
Chief, Security Division

TO: SEC
FROM: S/ASST
DATE: 10 Feb 54

Concur in your recommendation for the present. I wish to consult with certain members of NSA Scientific Advisory Board before final determination that we don't want him.

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN
Special Assistant
SUBJECT: JOOS, Martin George
DOB: 11 May 1907
FOB: Fountain City, Wisconsin

SUMMARY OF PERTINENT INFORMATION

1. The Department of State completed a background investigation on SUBJECT 31 October 1945. During the course of this investigation Professor Miles L. Hanley of University of Wisconsin advised that SUBJECT was dogmatic, self-centered, and impossible for working with other people; that he recommended SUBJECT to the Linguistic Atlas in the Summer of 1931 and SUBJECT did not live up to expectations which caused SUBJECT's dismissal (according to employment records SUBJECT resigned); and that he did not question SUBJECT's loyalty to the U. S. Professor W. F. Treadell of University of Wisconsin advised that SUBJECT had a faulty personality and was very difficult for people to work with; that SUBJECT is overbearing and irritable; that SUBJECT was a leftist liberal like Henry Wallace; and that he did not question SUBJECT's loyalty to the U. S. Four other references gave favorable testimony concerning SUBJECT.

2. A favorable background investigation on SUBJECT was completed by the U. S. Air Force, Office of Special Investigations, on 5 September 1950. During the course of this investigation Professor Miles L. Hanley of University of Wisconsin (note previous interview by State Department in 1945) advised that he has known SUBJECT for twenty-three years; that he considers SUBJECT to be honest, loyal to the U. S. government, discreet, industrious, financially reliable, and worthy of a position of trust. Three other references in the District of Columbia area recommended SUBJECT. SUBJECT's employment by the University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada, 1938 - 1942, was verified as satisfactory and it was determined that SUBJECT had no police record in Toronto.

3. The following information is extracted from Military District of Washington background investigation on SUBJECT, which was completed 11 December 1953:

   a. SUBJECT attended the University of Wisconsin 1926 - 1931 and 1934 - 1938; received MA Degree in June 1935 and PhD Degree in March 1941. Employment by University of Wisconsin as a graduate assistant of German 1935 - 1938, as an associate professor of German 1946 - 1949, and as a full professor of German 1949 - 1953 was verified as satisfactory. Employment
SUBJECT: JOOS, Martin George (continued)

at University of Michigan during Summers of 1947 and 1951, Federal employment by Signal Security Branch, Signal Service at Large, 26 August 1942 - 15 August 1946, and by U. S. Air Force Security Service 21 June 1949 - 26 August 1949, was also verified as satisfactory. Records of law enforcement agencies in Wisconsin, Michigan, Texas, and District of Columbia reflect no information concerning SUBJECT. SUBJECT has a good credit rating in Madison, Wisconsin, and Washington, D. C.

b. SUBJECT has been employed as a technical linguist by the American Council of Learned Societies, Washington, D. C., since February 1953. Dr. Mortimer Graves, Administrative Secretary of this Society, advised that he has known SUBJECT since 1942 or 1943 but was never closely associated with him until the present time; that he considers SUBJECT to be one of the top four or five linguists in the U. S.; that SUBJECT's character and integrity are above question; that he is a loyal American; and that he would recommend SUBJECT. (Records of MDW reflect that Mortimer Graves has been connected with the American-Russian Institute, the Washington Committee for Aid to China, Washington Citizens Committee to Free Earl Browder, Washington Bookshop Association, and the Institute of Pacific Relations, all of which organizations have been cited as Communist fronts.)

c. The following information which reflects adversely on SUBJECT's discretion and suitability for NSA employment was developed:

(1) Major Evelyn C. Brown, Language Research Branch, NSA, stated in substance that in her official capacity she contacted SUBJECT on 8 May 1953 at the American Council of Learned Societies; that this meeting lasted no longer than five minutes; that SUBJECT broached certain opinions concerning Communications Intelligence and tried to draw her out on the subject; that he showed knowledge of highly classified matters of NSA; that she is under the impression that SUBJECT was trying to impress her with his knowledge of NSA and its activities; that this discussion took place within hearing of several other persons; that SUBJECT made no effort to verify her connection with the NSA but accepted her at face value; and that she considers SUBJECT to be a security risk because of a lack of discretion and a desire to impress people with his knowledge.
SUBJECT: JOOS, Martin George (continued)

(2) Dr. Charles Rechenbach of NSA advised that he and SUBJECT were fellow employees at Arlington Hall Station from 1943 through 1945; that he was never intimately associated with SUBJECT; that he knows little regarding SUBJECT's background; that SUBJECT had always been difficult to get along with, was arrogant and uncooperative; that SUBJECT "has always been characterised by a somewhat overgrown ego"; that he had no knowledge of SUBJECT's return to D. C. until Major Brown's encounter with SUBJECT; that until Major Brown's report he had no reason to question SUBJECT's integrity or discretion that he could not recall any previous indiscretions on SUBJECT's part; that while employed at AHS he thought highly of SUBJECT's character and ability and considered him to be a loyal American; that if he had known that Major Brown was going to contact SUBJECT he would have gone himself because Major Brown was new to the Section; and that he has no reason to question SUBJECT's loyalty at the present time.

(3) Mr. Frank Rowlett, now with Central Intelligence Agency, advised that he was SUBJECT's supervisor at AHS from 1942 to 1946; that SUBJECT did a very good job and at that time he would have recommended SUBJECT very highly for a position of trust; that since that time he has had reason to question SUBJECT's discretion because (1) SUBJECT made either implied or direct references to his previous work at AHS during a lecture before the American Linguistic Society, and (2) in an unclassified application for a position with the Air Force Security Service SUBJECT allegedly submitted classified information; that he is not able to recall more data concerning these incidents because they occurred three or four years ago; that SUBJECT is a very egotistical person whom people usually find hard to get along with; that he has no reason to question SUBJECT's loyalty to the U. S. and doubts that SUBJECT is interested in politics at all; that SUBJECT is aware of his own ability and desires recognition; that in this desire for recognition SUBJECT may become indiscreet and a security risk while trying to impress people with importance of positions which he has held; that SUBJECT lives in a different world than the "average" person and does not feel governed by accepted rules and regulations; that he knows nothing derogatory concerning SUBJECT's character,
JOOS, Martin George (continued)

loyalty, or integrity, but in view of incidents mentioned above he feels that SUBJECT is a security risk and should not be given access to classified material. Mr. Rowlett further advised that the incident of SUBJECT divulging classified material during a lecture came to his attention through ASA channels and should be a matter of record.

d. Army Security Agency records of security violations and Investigations for the period up to 1949 do not reflect any information concerning SUBJECT. The Official Civil Service 201 File on SUBJECT, maintained at Federal Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, contains no derogatory information.

e. Thirteen additional persons knew of no adverse information concerning SUBJECT's loyalty, integrity, character, or discretion and recommended him for a position of trust. These thirteen consisted of the following:

(1) Two persons who were acquainted with SUBJECT during his childhood in Alma Center, Wisconsin. They have had no prolonged contact with SUBJECT for fifteen or twenty years.

(2) Two persons who have known SUBJECT since 1937 when they were fellow students at the University of Wisconsin, now employees of NSA, knew of nothing adverse concerning SUBJECT except that one felt SUBJECT boasted a little.

(3) Dr. Henry Lee Smith, Jr., and Dr. George L. Trager, of the Foreign Service Institute, Department of State, who have known SUBJECT since 1941 and 1934 respectively, consider SUBJECT to be a stable, intelligent, loyal American with integrity and discretion.

(4) Dr. Daniel Dribin, Chief of Training Supports Section, Office of Production, NSA, advised that he was associated with SUBJECT at AHS from latter part of 1942 to 1946; that he considers SUBJECT to be a brilliant, capable individual who is inclined to be superior in attitude; that he knows of no security violations on SUBJECT's part; that he does not consider him to be a security risk; and that he knows nothing derogatory regarding SUBJECT's character, loyalty, integrity, or discretion.
SUBJECT: JOOS, Martin George (continued)

(5) Four associates of SUBJECT on the faculty of University of Wisconsin, who have known SUBJECT since his undergraduate years, recommended SUBJECT. One of these persons, Thekla Himmy, Secretary of German Department, further advised that SUBJECT was employed in D. C. during World War II and aided in deciphering the Japanese code; and that SUBJECT received the highest civilian medal from the U. S. Army for this work. Professor William T. Bandy further advised that SUBJECT was strong-willed, demanding, and had little patience with those less capable than himself.

(6) Dr. Jane Kurath, Professor of English, University of Michigan, advised that he has been associated with SUBJECT since 1931; that SUBJECT was personable and well liked by all who knew him; that SUBJECT was definitely a loyal citizen; and that SUBJECT’s character, morals, and integrity were above reproach.

(7) Mr. Gordon Sommers, Consultant, U. S. Air Force Security Service, advised that he was slightly acquainted with SUBJECT from 1943 to 1947; that he worked with SUBJECT during the summer of 1949 at USAF Security Service, Brooks Air Force Base; that SUBJECT was a Consultant to the Commanding Officer of USAF Security Service and his duties were of a highly classified and technical nature; that he knows nothing of SUBJECT’s personal life, associates, organizational affiliations, or foreign connections; and that he does not question SUBJECT’s honesty, moral character, discretion, or loyalty to the U. S.