

The Rockefeller Foundation

111 WEST 50th STREET, NEW YORK 20

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

CABLE: ROCKFOUND, NEW YORK
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In reply please quote: RF 62066

June 27, 1962

Dear Professor Cosio:

I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of The Rockefeller Foundation on June 22, 1962, action was taken to provide up to \$52,200 to El Colegio de Mexico toward the costs of its teaching and research program in linguistics and Spanish American literature. This sum is for use during the period ending September 30, 1965.

It is understood that the funds thus provided will be used for salary and travel for eight visiting professors, for field research in Mexico, for library acquisitions and laboratory equipment, and for graduate fellowships for Mexican students.

Payments on this grant will be made on a semi-annual basis upon receipt and acceptance of a budget for the program at the beginning of each fiscal year of the appropriation. Please send us also annual statements of receipts and expenditures. Any balance of the funds unexpended on September 30, 1965, will revert to the Foundation.

A brief public announcement of our grant will be made in the next quarterly report of the Foundation. There is, however, no objection on our part to your announcement of the grant prior to the Foundation's report if for any reason it appears to you desirable. In this connection I am enclosing as a matter of routine a printed statement of the Rockefeller Foundation policy regarding the announcement of grants.

It is a pleasure to report this action to you.

Sincerely yours,



Flora M. Rhind

Lic. Daniel Cosio Villegas, Presidente
El Colegio de Mexico
Guanajuato 125
Mexico 7, D.F.
Mexico

Copy to Dr. Antonio Alatorre

July 10, 1962.

Miss Flora M. Rhind
The Rockefeller Foundation
111 West 50th street,
New York 20, N.Y.
U.S.A.

Dear Miss Rhind:

From your kind letter of June 27, RF 62066, I learned that at a meeting of your Executive Committee action was taken to provide up to \$52,000 to our Colegio toward the costs of its teaching and research program in linguistics and Spanish American Literature.

May I ask from you the favor of accepting and transmitting to the proper authorities of the Foundation our deep appreciation.

Sincerely yours

Daniel Cosío Villegas
President

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that your Purchase Department might take care of
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| 1) Visiting Professors (2) | 3450.- | 6900.- |
| 2) Fellowships ($\frac{1}{3}$ of total cost) | 1200.- | 1200.- |
| 750 x 10 7500 = \$45000 | | |

3) Field Res. 800.-

4) Library material 1,200.-

5) Laboratory ✓ 3,500.-

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EL COLEGIO DE MEXICO

LOS PROBLEMAS INTERNACIONALES CONTEMPORANEOS

El Centro de Estudios Internacionales de El Colegio de México tiene el honor de invitar a usted a la conferencia que en inglés dictará el señor ALAN FITCH, Miembro Laborista del Parlamento de la Gran Bretaña:

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La conferencia tendrá lugar el día Lunes 29 del presente mes a las 7 p. m., en el Auditorio del Colegio, Guanajuato 125 de esta ciudad.

Terminado el acto se servirá un coctel en honor del señor Fitch.

México, D.F., 18 de octubre de 1962.

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THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION
111 WEST 50TH STREET
NEW YORK 20, N. Y.

November 20, 1962

Dear Don Daniel:

It was good to see you here recently. You will recall handing me Antonio Alatorre's memorandum of October 8, addressed to you, raising questions about the amount and distribution of the grant to El Colegio de Mexico toward the costs of teaching and research in linguistics and Spanish-American literature. This is the grant about which the Secretary of the Foundation, Miss Flora M. Rhind, informed you in her letter of June 27.

I have tried to follow up Alatorre's questions using our files and also making inquiries with Jack Harrison. While it is true that Dr. Harrison did request a revised memorandum concerning the activities of the Center of Philological Studies and made a number of suggestions, there is no notation or recollection here that assurances were given for funds in excess of the amount granted, i.e., \$52,200.

The understanding was that the budget of the linguistics and literature program over a three-year program ending September 30, 1965, would be \$91,600. The Rockefeller Foundation contribution towards this total was expected to be applied as follows: salary and travel for eight visiting professors, \$30,000; field research in Mexico, \$5,000; library acquisitions and laboratory equipment, \$10,000; graduate fellowships for Mexican students (one-third of the total fellowship assistance), \$7,200. It was then understood that El Colegio would provide \$25,000 for local teaching staff and \$14,400 for fellowship support of Mexican graduate students. There was also assurance that fellowships for up to ten students from Spanish-American countries would be provided by the O.A.S.

I hope this is the information that you hoped to receive in answer to your inquiry. Of course you know that Dr. Hardin and I will be prepared to discuss with Alatorre his activities and future needs when we visit El Colegio over the years prior to the termination of the present grant.

November 20, 1962
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I am taking the liberty of sending a copy of this letter to Mr. Alatorre.

Please extend my warm best wishes to Dr. Zavala. We hope we will be seeing you on your way back in December and also look forward to the visit with Dr. Zavala after the turn of the year.

Yours sincerely,

GERALD FREUND

Gerald Freund
Assistant Director

Dr. Daniel Cosío Villegas
UNESCO, Delegation de Mexique
Place de Fontenoy
Paris VII, FRANCE

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CC - Mr. Antonio Alatorre

México, D.F., December 24, 1962.

Mr. Rowe. S. Steel, Comptroller,
The Rockefeller Foundation
111 West 50th Street,
New York 20, N.Y.
U. S. A.

RF 62066

Dear Sir:

According with Miss Rhind's letter to us of June 27, 1962, in regard to a grant in aid to El Colegio de México to support the costs of its teaching and research program in linguistic and Spanish American literature, we are submitting a first budget to cover expenses during the first semester of 1963, as follows:

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| 1) Visiting Professors | 6,900.00 ✓ |
| 2) Fellowships | 1,200.00 ✓ |
| 3) Field research travel expenses | 800.00 ✓ |
| 4) Library materials | 1,200.00 ✓ |
| 5) Laboratory materials | 3,500.00 |

13,600.00
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The Laboratory materials and its cost is as follows:

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| 1 tape-recorder Nagra III-B | 1,045.00 |
| 4 tape-recorders Butoba MT-5 | 998.00 |
| 1 tape-recorder Wollensak T-1500 | 199.50 |
| 1 amplifier-speaker | 300.00 |
| 300 tapes (5 inches) | 450.00 |
| 100 tapes (7 inches) | 200.00 |
| 1 kymograph | 250.00 |

3,442.50
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We have been informed that your Purchase Department might take care of these acquisitions. If so, naturally, you will deduct from our budget the cost of it.

Sincerely yours

Daniel Cosío Villegas
President

THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION

111 WEST 50TH STREET, NEW YORK 20

TO

El Colegio de Mexico
Prof. Daniel Cosío Villegas, President
Guanajuato 125
Mexico 7, D.F., Mexico

VOUCHER No. 6300488

DATE January 9, 1963

The Chase Manhattan Bank draft No. 46573 drawn on Banco Nacional de Mexico S.A., payable at Mexico, to cover:

Payment in full of budgetary requirements for the first semester of 1963 under appropriation RF 62066 to cover costs of visiting professors, fellowships, field research travel expenses and library materials...US\$10,100.00

Based on the budget contained in your letter dated December 24, 1962.

D.O. 35921

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