

1 September 1971

Professor Donald K. Price  
Dean of the John F. Kennedy School of Government  
Littauer Center 121  
Harvard University

Dear Don,

I take the liberty of passing on to you the biography of Douglas Kinnard, who has expressed an interest in coming to Harvard as a post-doctoral fellow for the 1972-73 academic year. I have sent him a copy of the Dean's Report of the John F. Kennedy School of Government. My purpose in writing at this time is to ask that I be informed if an application from Kinnard should come under consideration at the School.

I shall be away until the middle of October. I hope you are having a pleasant summer.

Sincerely yours,

Matthew Meselson

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Douglas Kinnard

BORN: 13 September, 1921, Morristown, N.J.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

BS	US Military Academy	1944
MS	Princeton University (Politics)	1948
MA	George Washington University (International Affairs)	1961
MA	Princeton University (Politics)	1972 (Prospective)
PhD	Princeton University (Politics)	1973 (Prospective)

PROBABLE COURSE OFFERINGS:

Major: International Relations

Theories of International Politics  
International Politics  
International Organization  
International Law  
American Foreign Policy Since World War II  
US Defense Policy Since World War II  
Western Europe and the Atlantic Community

Minor: American Government

American Government and Governmental Processes  
Public Administration (Federal)  
Administrative Behavior  
Military Politics

BACKGROUND:

Professional Army Officer from graduation from West Point until voluntary retirement in 1970 at age 48. Nominated by President to Brigadier General at age 45.

Teaching assignments in the Army include Lecturer and Group Discussion Leader (1949-51) in General Subjects (World Affairs and Public Administration), US Army Artillery School. Assistant Course Director (1965-66) at US Army War College (Lecturer and Seminar Leader on International Affairs and US Defense Policy).

Staff assignments include Assistant Secretary of the Army General Staff (1957-59); Special Assistant to the Supreme Allied Commander Europe (1961-64); Chief of Operations Analysis US Military Assistance Command Vietnam (1966-67); Assistant for Nuclear Planning Affairs in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs (1967-68); and, final Army assignment, Chief of Staff of the Second Field Force in Vietnam (1969-70).

Awards include the Distinguished Service Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star for Heroism, and the Air Medal for Valor.

PROJECTED AVAILABILITY:

Option 1 (Earliest): September 1972. Research for dissertation completed. Writing of same to be done during academic year of 1972-73. PhD, June '73.

Option 2: January 1973. Dissertation completed, PhD, June 1973.

Option 3 (Latest): Summer 1973. PhD awarded. Final semester spent on preparing dissertation for publication, writing articles, teaching at Princeton.