

cases the mother could not hold a full-time job, care for her family and make progress toward a degree without some financial assistance. In the case of the adult male student, quite often the employer is helping with his tuition and we have not found the need to be so great.

We would have some problems with institutional matching funds but we could meet them in a limited way. I believe as far as our demand is concerned we could meet matching funds without too great difficulty but we have no general college funds in loans or in scholarships which are available to the part-time students. However, we believe that we could set up a fund which would match federal money.

We have no interest in work-study programs for adults because our college is small and we do not have an unlimited number of needs and, too, most of the people who could participate in a work-study program could also participate in regular employment at regular wages."

Director Mackensen of Fairleigh Dickinson University, Rutherford, New Jersey, writes in part:

"Work-study programs would be of no assistance to a part-time student fully employed during the day since hourly wage rates are higher in the local labor market. Educational Opportunity Grants would be effective for extreme hardship cases involving direct contribution of the student's earnings for family support. This type of case has occurred once or twice in the past year.

Recently, a high school senior was accepted to the Evening Division of Fairleigh Dickinson University. The student's guidance counselor requested information as to availability of financial aid for this student. The boy qualifies financially to receive an Educational Opportunity Grant—his family exists on welfare.

Prospective students such as this could benefit greatly from the Educational Opportunity Grant if such awards were available to part-time students."

Dean Robinson of Hunter College in the Bronx of the City University of New York, Bronx, New York, writes in part:

"It would seem most desirable to make it possible for deserving students—who are likely to earn a degree—to be given financial aid."

Director McGuff of Indiana Central College, Indianapolis, Indiana, writes in part:

"Possibly because of the nature of our institution—we are a private school located in a community with full and active competition to state universities—we have not experienced the problem of indicating a need for educational opportunity grants or work-study programs. Our students are employed, and more than one-third of them are receiving financial reimbursement from their employers. The average age of our students is thirty-one years. I do not believe that our experiences are typical of many of the other evening or extension programs."

Financial Aid Officer Ballentine of John Carroll University, Cleveland, Ohio, writes in part:

"The biggest problem in this area is the allocation of funds for six month periods. The demand for Work-Study has increased for 'on-campus' employment. I find it very difficult to work in a six month allotment because we have to consider financial aid for a whole year. In order to take care of the student demand, deficit spending of 'OWS' Funds may result. The matching requirement should stay at 90%-10% proportions, inasmuch as 'on-campus' employment costs the school administrative expenses which are not reimbursed. The 75%-25% ratio is not satisfactory."

Dean Mumma of the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, writes in part:

"Our cumulative enrollment during the academic year is approximately seventy-five hundred students. Virtually all of these adults are employed during the day and are taking a part-time program during the evening hours. A large percentage receive financial assistance in paying their tuition from their employers. Perhaps a thousand others are receiving support from the Federal Government because they are either on active duty or are veterans.

"We have a few scholarships, not many really, and these are advertised in our catalogue and in the metropolitan newspapers. However, we receive very few applications for these scholarships and every year we have scholarship money which is not used."