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MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 18, 1987
TO: Deans and Directors
FROM: Robert B. Holmes *R. B. Holmes*
RE: Update on the Martin Luther King, Jr. -
Rosa Parks Visiting Professorships Program

On November 12, 1986, Dr. Niara Sudarkasa wrote to you with a description of the new Visiting Professorships Program that is being funded by the Martin Luther King, Jr. - Rosa Parks Educational Fund. With Dr. Sudarkasa's departure, I will be helping out for the time being in order to assist in the coordination of the King-Parks Educational Fund.

Nine distinguished minority scholars from the United States and Canada will be visiting the campus this winter and spring. Information about some of the Visiting Professors was in the February 16th issue of the University Record (see attached), and further information will be published in the University Record on March 2.

Funds are still available for a limited number of Visiting Professorships in the Winter and Spring terms of 1987. Early visits during the Fall term are also a possibility. If you wish to nominate potential candidates for Visiting Professorships, or resubmit nominations that you may have submitted previously, please send a short letter within the next two weeks indicating the reasons for selecting the nominee and brief biographical information to Dr. Annette Bardouille-Crema, Room 3052, Fleming Building. If you would like any additional information about the program please call Dr. Crema at 764-3982.

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Minority scholars here to share expertise

Nine distinguished minority scholars will be on campus during March and April as visiting professors under the Martin Luther King/Rosa Parks Educational Program.

The Program supports visiting professorships for minority scholars, fellowships for minority graduate students and "College Day" programs to introduce school children from groups underrepresented in postsecondary education to the potential of college educations.

Five of the scholars — whose appointments begin in early March — their U-M affiliations as visiting professors, and dates of their appointments follow.

— Bernard Anderson, assistant dean and adjunct professor of industry at the
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University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business, will visit the School of Business Administration March 2-8. On March 5, 4-6 p.m., he will discuss "Economic Progress in a Changing Economy: Implications for the Black Community" in the Wolverine Room, Assembly Hall, School of Business Administration. A reception will follow in the Executive Lounge of the Assembly Hall. For information, contact Prof. Alfred Edwards, 763-0121.

— Benny Andrews, associate professor of art at Queens College in New York and former director of the Visual Arts Programs of the National Endowment for the Arts, will visit the School of Art March 1-14. His public lecture, "An Evening with Benny Andrews," will be given on March 2 in 2104 Art and Architecture Building, North Campus, following a 6-7 p.m. reception in the Jean Paul Slusser Gallery. For information, contact Prof. Alfred F. Hinton, 936-0684.

— Mary Elizabeth Carnegie, retired editor of *Nursing Research* and a consultant in scientific writing, will be at the School of Nursing March 1-31. On March 4, she will lecture on "Blacks in Nursing: The Invisible History," beginning at 4:15 p.m. in the Rackham Amphitheater. A reception will follow in the Hussey Room of the Michigan League. For information, contact Prof. Shake Ketefian, 764-9454.

— Homer Alfred Neal, professor of physics and former provost at the State University of New York-Stony Brook, will visit the Department of Physics March 2-13. He will deliver two lec-

tures: "Magnetic Polaron Effects in Diluted Magnetic Semiconductors and Their Superlattices," 4 p.m., March 3, in Room 2038, Randall Laboratory; a colloquium, "Undergraduate Science Education in the United States," 4 p.m., March 4, in Room 296, Dennison. For information, contact Prof. Michael Longo, 764-4445.

— Julian Samora, professor emeritus of sociology at the University of Notre Dame and head of the Notre Dame Press during a period when it published important books on the history of Hispanics in the United States, will be affiliated with the Program on Latino Studies March 8-22.

On March 13, Latino Studies will hold a panel discussion, 3-5 p.m., in the Anderson Room, Michigan Union. Titled "The Struggle for Citizenship: Blacks and Hispanics in American History," the panel will include Samora; U-M sociology Prof. Reynolds Farley; Prof. Thomas Holt, Department of History and the Center for Afro-American and American Studies; and Silvia Pedraza-Bailey, assistant professor of sociology and of American culture. The moderator will be Donald Deskins, professor of sociology and urban planning.

Samora will discuss "Chicanos: the Mexican-American Experience" from 7 to 9 p.m., March 20, at Trotter House, 1443 Washtenaw Ave. For information, contact Prof. Pedraza-Bailey, 764-9934.

Later schedules will be announced in a future issue of the *Record*.