

June 23, 1964

Princeton Bank & Trust Co.  
12 Nassau Street  
Princeton, New Jersey

Attention: Mrs. Van Sciver

Gentlemen:

This letter is in answer to your telephonic inquiry regarding the travel arrangements of the late Professor E. H. Kantorowicz during the summer of 1961.

Professor Kantorowicz was in Europe for the better part of June, July, August, and September; his trip took him to Athens, Damascus, Palmyra, Thessalonica, Rome, Florence, and Munich.

The only firm figure I have for costs of these travels was an approximate round trip boat fare on the French Line of \$1,200. I would guess that the travel in Europe would come to an additional \$700 or \$800 and I would guess further that a reasonable per diem allowance for hotels, meals, taxis, etc. would be \$15 a day.

I understand that Professor Kantorowicz listed his travel expense at approximately \$3,800. This would appear to me to be entirely reasonable. He was reimbursed by the Institute for \$2,000 even from the Faculty Travel Fund so that the remaining \$1,800 would have come from his own pocket.

I hope these facts are helpful.

Cordially yours,

Minot C. Morgan, Jr.  
General Manager

MCM:lvm

1 June 1961

Memorandum to Mr. Morgan:

This will authorize you to charge Professor Kantorowicz' travel fund and pay him the sum of \$2,000., for his expenses for a trip to Europe and the Near East this summer.

Robert Oppenheimer

Copy to Professor Kantorowicz

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

May 30th, 1961

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer  
Director's Office

Dear Robert:

This is to ask you for a portion of my travel allowance. It has accumulated to \$3,000 by now; but I believe that at present \$2,000 would be quite enough.

I plan to go to Athens and to make from there two minor trips: one to Damascus and Palmyra, a second one to Thessalonica which was long on my program. Also I might attend the International Congress of Numismatists in Rome, and look up a couple of manuscripts in Florence. I am not sure whether I can manage to see Bischoff in Munich as he suggested.

Thank you very much.

Yours as ever

EKa.

Ernst H. Kantorowicz

Boat fares (French Line)	ca. \$1,200
Plane fares Paris - Damascus	ca. \$ 200 (and return)
2 months \$10 per diem	ca. \$ 600

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY  
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

24 July 1962

MEMORANDUM TO THE FILE

Professor Kantorowicz visited Mr. Morgan in late July, and raised the subject of his pension. He is aware of the fact that other members of the faculty received letters stating that they now had a guaranteed pension of 60 percent of their present salaries. He is also aware of the fact that he and Alföldi are not included in this.

His present guarantee from us is six thousand dollars. This will not be funded in full by T.I.A.A., but will be backstopped up to six thousand dollars from general funds.

He stated that he felt there was an inequity here, particularly since he missed the full support by only one year (he was 56 at the time of his appointment).

Mr. Morgan said that this was beyond his competence, and that Professor Kantorowicz should take the matter up with the Director in the fall.

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m.e.m. 8/28/62

1 April 1958

Memorandum to Mr. Morgan:

This will authorize you to charge Professor Kantorowicz' travel fund and pay him the sum of \$2,000. This is to defray his expenses for travel to Oxford, Madrid, the Greek islands, Rome and Munich in the spring and summer of this year.

Robert Oppenheimer

Copy to Professor Kantorowicz

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

March 31, 1958

Dr. Robert Oppenheimer  
The Director's Office

Dear Robert:

Although in former years I asked for my traveling allowance after my return from Europe I would like to change this custom this year and put the horse before the cart, if this would be agreeable to you. I had so many unforeseen expenses this year, and would have to sell stocks at a not too inviting price to defray the expenses in advance, that I would appreciate the possibility of drawing on my allowance praenumerando.

I intend to leave on the "Liberté" on May 21, visit Oxford for ten days, then fly to Madrid and stay there for about three weeks to inspect the Sicilian twelfth-century liturgical manuscripts which a Spanish viceroy of the kingdom of Naples transferred, in the seventeenth century, to Spain where they are deposited now in the Biblioteca Nacional. In July, I wanted to be on the Greek Islands - Mykonos (Delos), Paros, and Rhodes - and return via Rome and Munich on the "Ile de France" on August 12th. I believe that I could cover that program with \$2,000 and that from my accumulated funds the remaining \$1,000 could be carried over to next year.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours

EKa.

Ernst H. Kantorowicz

Fac Kantorowicz

5 October 1955

Memorandum to Mr. Morgan:

This will authorize you to charge Professor Kantorowicz' travel fund and pay him \$1,500. This represents expenses for travel to Europe this summer to attend the Tenth International Congress of Historical Sciences in Rome, and other professional travel.

Robert Oppenheimer

Copy to Professor Kantorowicz

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

October 1, 1955

Dr. Robert Oppenheimer  
Director's Office  
Institute for Advanced Study

Dear Robert:

This is to inform you that my travel to Europe was devoted mainly to attending the Tenth International Congress of Historical Sciences, held in Rome, September 4th-11th, 1955, but that I used the opportunity also to go to Athens and some of the Greek islands in pursuit of my projects related to Dumbarton Oaks. My travel expenses of \$1500 are covered by the accumulation of my allowances of the last two years. I would be grateful to you if that sum could be remitted to me.

Sincerely yours

EKa.

Ernst H. Kantorowicz

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R.O.



*Kantorowicz*

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

1 October 1953

MEMORANDUM TO FILE:

Dr. Oppenheimer approved Professor Kantorowicz' request for his allowance of \$1,000 from the Faculty Travel Fund on September 28th. Details are contained in Professor Kantorowicz' memo to Dr. Oppenheimer of September 24, 1953. (v. Kantorowicz file)

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THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

September 24, 1953

Dr. Robert Oppenheimer  
Office of the Director

Dear Robert:

Miss Trinterud informs me that applications concerning the payment of travel expenses should be addressed to you. In agreement with our conversation before my departure, I therefore wish to apply for the travel allowance of \$1,000.00 granted to the faculty members for scientific or scholarly traveling. My recent journey to the Eastern Mediterranean, to Greece and Constantinople, had certainly scientific and scholarly character, although considerable work has been done by me in Paris, Rome, Siena, Bologna, and Munich, where I inspected a number of Carolingian manuscripts as well as rare books not easily available in this country. Other arrangements of any kind for covering the expenses of this journey have not been made. Also, the expenses for the travel New York to Constantinople exceed the amount applied for, not to mention the trips made on the Continent.

Sincerely yours

*EKa.*

Ernst H. Kantorowicz

*approved  
R-O.*

*9/28/53*

THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

Sept. 24-

Memorandum to Dr. Oppenheimer

From LTrinterud

Prof. Kantorowicz has asked me to give him his \$1,000 travel allowance for the current year. With your approval I will draw the check.

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