

# Report

Field trip to: Los Angeles.  
Name of participant: M. Q. Q. & W. S.

Monday  
Sept 7

∴ Labor Day, holiday.

Tuesday  
Sept 8

Organisations visited:

- (1) School of public administration  
University of Southern California.

Have seen: Dr Desmond L. Anderson  
director.

Topic covered:

Structure of the institution.  
Its curriculum and training programs  
for government officers.

The University of Southern California is a private one. The School of Public administration is a part of the University. Through the School of public administration the University offers its services to the following groups:

- men and women engaged in public service who desire an organized plan of study.
- men and women who are preparing for careers in public administration, in research, and in the performance of official functions.
- college students
- persons charged with specific

governmental responsibility.

Currently, two training programs are carried on: <sup>the first is</sup> a police executive development program. The objective is to prepare ranking officers for increasing management responsibilities and to train them in good management practices.

The second is a fire administration program. This program designed to assist the chief of the fire department and administrative officers with their current and future management problems.

Besides these special training programs, there are regular courses for full-time students and government officials. These courses are carried out on a single academic standard basis.

Similarity is found between this institution and the U.I.A in Saigon.

(2) School of law.

University of Southern California have talked with: Dean R. Kingsley.  
Topic covered: Problem of juvenile delinquency in California.

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Wednesday  
Sept 9

organizations visited:

- (1) Peking University Control Institute  
University of Southern California  
801 W. 34th street. L.A.  
(Program arranged by M. Anderson)  
Have seen: M. Robert Guthrie,  
Director.

Topic covered: organization of the  
Institute. Its objectives.

The D. C. T is a specialized training  
program of 12 weeks duration, designed  
to prepare law enforcement  
officers and others in related fields  
to work most effectively with youth  
who have problems.

Attendance is limited to 20 students  
for each 12 weeks term.

For administrative purposes, the  
Institute has been placed in the  
School of public administration.

- (2) Youth Studies Center  
University of Southern California  
801 W. 34th St. L.A.  
(Program arranged by M. Anderson)  
Have talked with: M. Don Pursint  
Deputy director.

Topic covered: Structure and objectives  
of the Y. S. Center.

The "Youth Studies Center" was established  
in July, 1958 for 5 years period  
at the University of Southern  
California through a grant from

the Ford Foundation.

The objectives of the Center are:

1. to mobilize and coordinate the efforts of faculty members in the social sciences, practitioners from youth welfare agencies in order to study the complex problem of youth and contribute to the solution of those problems.
2. to focus on the needs of all children but with special emphasis on the problem of delinquency.
3. to communicate this knowledge to personnel working with youth.

The Center is an integral part of the University and has a University committee plus an Advisory Council to provide guidance and counsel.

The Center has three major divisions: Research, Community Demonstration and Education and Training with each division having an advisory committee.

Thursday  
Sept. 10.

Organization visited:

School of Law

University of California

Greeted by: Dean Marshall.

Lunched with Dean Marshall and faculty members.

Topic covered: curriculum of the law school in California  
guided tour made inside the law school (library, class rooms ...)