



Olga Fricker / Sheila Darby Scholarship

The **OLGA FRICKER/SHEILA DARBY** Scholarship Fund has been established to help young teachers studying for their Licentiate and Fellowship qualifications. The fund is a fitting tribute to Miss Fricker & Ms. Darby, for they were always ready to give time and knowledge to help the young attain goals they had set for themselves.

Requirements for applying for aid are as follows:

- Actively teaching all levels through Grade 9
- Attend workshops and/or summer schools when possible
- Qualified Cecchetti USA member with dues in good standing
- Currently presenting students for exams

Application procedures:

Please address a letter requesting aid to the Executive Director,
director@cecchettiusa.org.

This letter should include

- Information regarding previous exams taken
- Details of previous training you feel might be pertinent
- Length of time you have been presenting students for examinations
- Your goals and estimated time frame in reaching these goals, s
- Specific use for the requested scholarship
- Two letters of recommendation from members of Cecchetti USA.

Scholarships are considered on an annual basis. **The deadline for applying is December 31 of each year.** Scholarships are awarded by March 1 of the following year. The scholarship recipient will be required to submit a report detailing the use and benefit of the scholarship and documentation of expenses by December 31 of the year of the award.