

Dr. Charlotte G. Andrist Memorial Scholarship
2019
International Dyslexia Association
New Hampshire Branch

The Dr. Charlotte G. Andrist Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to a professional in the field of psychology or an educator from a high poverty school district dedicated to improving the lives of children with dyslexia. This inaugural scholarship will cover the registration fee for that individual to attend one of the conferences sponsored by NHIDA this year.

The Dr. Charlotte G. Andrist Memorial Scholarship was established by NHIDA with a generous gift from Ron Yoshimoto in honor of his colleague and special friend who passed away on April 20, 2019. Dr. Andrist served on the Board of Directors of Ohio and Central Ohio Branches of the International Dyslexia Association (IDA) for over 20 years. Her most recent position was Branch President of the Central Ohio Branch of IDA.

Charlotte, a school psychologist and psychology professor, was considered a major force in the field of dyslexia. Motivated by her own difficulties with reading, Dr. Andrist founded and directed two reading clinics that provided free reading tutoring while training teachers in structured literacy. An amazing teacher and advocate, Dr. Andrist impacted both students and teachers and was appreciated for her efforts to revise both national and statewide legislation including Ohio's Dyslexia Law.

NHIDA's goal is that the scholarship recipient will share materials and information from the conference with colleagues in order to advance the understanding of dyslexia and the importance of appropriate instruction for students with dyslexia.

The application deadlines are August 1, 2019 for the NH conference and September 1, 2019 for the Maine conference.

- One scholarship will be awarded to cover the recipient's registration fee for one of the conferences sponsored by NHIDA this year.
- **Note:** We encourage applicants to register early for the conference to reserve a spot.
- The scholarship award will reimburse the cost of registration to the recipient upon confirmation of attendance.
- Application is available at nh@dyslexiaida.org.
- Please email completed applications to info.nh@dyslexiaida.org, OR mail a hard copy to:
NHIDA Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 3724
Concord, NH 03302

Recipient of the scholarship for the NH conference will be notified by August 26, 2019

Recipient of the scholarship for the Maine conference will be notified by Sept. 30, 2019

Dr. Charlotte G. Andrist Memorial Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

I am applying for a scholarship to attend NHIDA's conference entitled:

Date of conference: _____

Location of conference: _____

Are you a member of IDA*? (yes/no) _____

*Scholarship award not contingent on IDA membership

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Preferred method of contact: _____

Please let us know of your interest in this scholarship by addressing the following questions.
Attach additional pages as needed.

1. In what school district or school are you currently employed? What are the ages of the students you work with?

2. What is your background in the field of psychology or as an educator in a high poverty school district? What is your experience with students who struggle with reading acquisition?

