

Directory of Funds supporting Women in Education and Training

Please note that many of the Funds listed are small organisations, therefore it might take some time for initial enquiries to be answered.

| The Altrusa Careers Trust | |
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| <p>c/o Secretary PO Box 6160 Orkney KW16 3WY 0131 225 5718</p> <p>email: raye.lennie@totalise.co.uk</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For women who wish to further their career prospects• For women who wish to train after bringing up children |
| Batley Girls Scholarship Fund | |
| <p>c/o Mrs S Preston Clerk to the Trustees 26 Upper Batley Low Lane Batley West Yorkshire WF17 OAP</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grants awarded for one year only, to girls living in the former Borough of Batley pursuing a Further Education course |
| British Federation of Women Graduates (BFWG) | |
| <p>c/o Secretary 4 Mandeville Courtyard 142 Battersea Park Road London SW11 4NB 020 7498 8037</p> <p>web: www.bfwg.org.uk email: hq@bfwg.org.uk</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Annual scholarships for pre-doctoral research are offered to women of academic excellence. Financial need is not a criterion. The majority of scholarships are for research in any discipline, though some have specified subjects• Applicants must be entering into their final year of formal study towards a PhD in an approved institution in Great Britain |

Funds for Women Graduates (trading name of BFWG Charitable Foundation)

Mrs J Collett-Flatt
13 Brookfield Avenue
Larkfield
Aylesford
Kent ME20 6RU
01732 321139

web: www.ffwg.org.uk
email: jean.c@blueyonder.co.uk

- Must be studying in Great Britain at Postgraduate Level
- Evidence of ability to pay fees is required
- Grants will be a contribution only towards the living expenses of one year's academic study or research
- Main Foundation grants are offered in the final year of a PhD
- Emergency grants are for Postgraduate students currently studying in Great Britain and are solely for those in urgent need and not just short of money

The Broadlands Home Trust

Mrs M Groves
2 Winchester Close
Newport
Isle of Wight
PO30 1DR
01983 525630

- Single women under 22 years old, at school, starting work or in further education
- Preference given to young women resident in the Isle of Wight or Hampshire

Charlotte Despard Charity @ Battersea United Charities

Roger Coton
Clerk to the Trustees
Battersea United Charities
c/o Battersea District Library
265 Lavender Hill
London
SW11 1JB

- Over 25
- Resident in the area of the former Borough of Battersea for minimum of 5 years (preference given to long established Battersea families)
- Applications by post only, enclosing an SAE

| Chwarae Teg | |
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| <p>c/o Anne Howells Anchor Court Keen Road Cardiff CF24 5GR 029 2047 8900</p> <p>web: www.chwaraeteg.com email: anne.howells@chwaraeteg.com</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single mothers over 25 living / studying or seeking to attend a course in Wales |
| The Daphne Jackson Memorial Fellowships Trust | |
| <p>Department of Physics University of Surrey Guildford Surrey GU2 7XH</p> <p>web: www.daphnejackson.org email: djmft@surrey.ac.uk</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fellowships only • A first degree in science, engineering or technology. Commenced a career or completed a PhD before applying for a Daphne Jackson Fellowship • Resident in the UK |
| Dr Meena Sharma Memorial Foundation | |
| <p>MSM Foundation 14 Magdalene Road Walsall WS1 3TA</p> <p>email: Gwalior@onetel.com</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preference for disadvantaged women in India and the UK, whilst preferences are for collaborations helping women and children in India • Applications are invited from individuals, not organisations |
| Endowment Fund of the Schools of Queen Elizabeth the First, Barnet | |
| <p>Mr N A Kobish Clerk to the Trustees 28 Hillside Gardens Barnet Herts EN5 2NJ</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under 25 years old and present or expupil of Queen Elizabeth's Girls' School, Barnet |

Feminist Review Trust

Professor Dorothy Griffiths
46 Wrentham Avenue
Kensal Rise
London
NW10 3HA

web: www.feminist-review-trust.com
email: administrator@feminist-review-trust.com

- Open to men and women but have been included here as they support study and research that advances women in society
- Examples of projects supported are: research, conferences, workshops and community and oral history projects

The Hilda Martindale Trust

The Hilda Martindale Trust
Royal Holloway, University of London
Egham
Surrey
TW20 OEX

Web: www.royalholloway.ac.uk/aboutus/governancematters/thehildamartindaletrust.aspx
email: hildamartindaletrust@rhul.ac.uk

- The Trust is only able to support women, British Nationals, who are taking a course or training to follow a profession or career in areas where women are underrepresented, further eligibility criteria apply

International Federation of University Women

10 rue du Lac
1207 Geneva
Switzerland

web: www.ifuw.org
email: info@ifuw.org

- Must have completed first university degree, most awards are attributed to 2nd and 3rd year of doctoral or postdoctoral work

London Business School

London Business School
Regent's Park
London NW1 4SA
020 7000 7000

web: <http://www.london.edu/emba.html>
<http://www.london.edu/sloanfellowship.html>

- 2 Scholarships for Executive MBA Programme for women who have secured a place on the course and are self-funded
- **Sloan Fellowship Programme** for a self funding woman who has commenced application for the MSc in Management

For Women in Science

web: www.womeninscience.co.uk

- 4 Bursaries to be awarded to women pursuing advanced scientific research in universities or scientific institutions in the U.K.
- Must be research scientists who have obtained their PhD
- Must have taken a career break for at least 12 months

The Medical Women's Federation

Tavistock House North
Tavistock Square
London
WC1H 9HX
020 7387 7765

web: www.medicalwomensfederation.org.uk
email: admin.mwf@btconnect.com

- **Mature Student Bursaries:** small grants awarded annually to mature female medical students pursuing a second degree and ineligible for local authority funding. Students may apply each year (deadline 31 May) but the Federation can make no commitment to continued funding
- **Elective Student Bursaries:** small grants awarded annually to members of the organisation towards elective expenses (deadline 31 October)
- **Dr Katherine Branson Student Essay Prize:** annual essay contest for medical students (deadline 31 March)

The Royal Society

The Royal Society
6-9 Carlton House Terrace
London
SW1Y 5AG
020 7451 2500

web: www.royalsoc.ac.uk

The fellowship is open to men and women but because of its nature, it is of particular interest to women

- **Dorothy Hodgkin Fellowship:** Applicants must have between 0-4 years post doctoral researchers working in the natural sciences. Applicants must demonstrate a need for flexible working at the time of application e.g. family commitments, ill health etc

The Society for Promoting the Training of Women

The Secretary
SPTW
The Old Dairy
Appledore
Ashford
Kent
TN26 2AJ

web: <http://www.sptw.org/>
email: sec.sptw@btinternet.com

- Interest free loans only
- For women who wish to train for professional, commercial or technical work, but who are unable to pay the required fees and other expenses

Soroptimist International Great Britain and Ireland

127 Wellington Road South
Stockport
SK1 3TS
0161 480 7686

web: www.soroptimist-gbi.org
email: hq@soroptimist-gbi.Prestel.co.uk

- Open to women residing within the boundaries of Soroptimist International of Great Britain and Ireland. Preference to women developing their skills or improving their career prospects.
- Deadlines for applications are 15th of April each year

Women's Careers Foundation (Girls of the Realm Guild)

2 Watch Oak
Blackham
Tunbridge Wells
Kent
TN3 9TP

Grants and Loans

- Minimum of 21 years old; music and dance courses minimum of 16 years
- UK Citizen
- PhD and second first degrees are not supported
- Requests for applications accepted only between 1st September and 31st January for the following year academic year
- S.A.E. essential

The Women's Continuing Ministerial Fund, Archbishop's Council

WCMET
Ministry Division
Church House
Great Smith Street
London
SW1 3NZ
020 7898 1393 or 1396

email: grants@c-of-e.org.uk

- Grants to ordained women, female Accredited Lay Workers (including Church Army sisters), religious sisters to further the ministerial education of women in the Church of England and the Scottish Episcopal Church

Women's Engineering Society

Women's Engineering Society (c/o IET)
Michael Faraday House
Six Hills Way
Stevenage
Herts
SG1 2AY
01438 765506

web: www.wes.org.uk
email: ladyfinnistonaward@wes.org.uk

- **Lady Finniston Award:** To enable students to commence engineering courses where hardship might otherwise prevent them
- Engineering courses must be recognised HND or degree courses at a British University or College