

# Anglo-Catalan Society

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*Secretary*

Dear ~~Committee Member~~,

Dr. Derek Lomas has made the very useful suggestion that the Society should circularise in Catalan details of our Scholarship. They could be sent to the main professors in Barcelona, Valencia and Palma. It is felt that in this way <sup>we shall</sup> receive applications from the most suitable candidates, who would also have the benefit of knowing the exact rules governing the Scholarship, instead of relying on hearsay

I have drafted the conditions of our award, which is based on that we once drew <sup>w/</sup> when the Scholarship was established.

I would like to point out that I have introduced some modifications, within the original spirit of the award I hope. The main one is that the Scholarship should be open to both British and Catalan candidates. I feel that this would broaden our choice of candidates and have perhaps even longer term results. I think it is an encouragement that we owe to the students that take up Catalan at our Universities.

May I have your comments on the enclosed draft, or changes, or suggestions? After hearing from all the Members, the Secretary would run some copies of the circular and send them as suggested above, and to the Professors in British Universities where Catalan is taught.

Regarding the two applications we have had for this year, the consensus of opinion seems to favour Srta. Cerdà. I shall write to her, and in view of the late hour I think we can dispense with the testimonials she offered to send.

Ben cordialment,

