



**Wendy Azrak** has been teaching Suzuki violin since 1974. She trained and worked with leading teachers and pioneers of the Suzuki method here in the United States. Before she retired in 2017, she was the director of the Scio Ridge Suzuki Studio and on the faculty of the Ann Arbor Suzuki Institute. She had an active studio in her home in Ann Arbor, Michigan where she taught both violin and viola students. In 2016, Wendy received the honor of Michigan ASTA Teacher of the Year.

Wendy is a SAA Teacher Trainer in violin and especially enjoys getting teachers started on their Suzuki journey. She also served on the SAA Board of Directors from 2014-17.

Wendy has her Bachelors and Masters degrees from the University of Michigan. She was also a Certified Music Practitioner and worked as a Bedside Musician at the University of Michigan Hospital. Currently she is retired and resides in Charlotte to be close to family.