

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the New York, NY, Metropolitan Area, circa 2005

Foundation Name	State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	\$136,896,000	271
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	96,103,583	250
3. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	67,134,508	39
4. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	55,392,431	72
5. The New York Community Trust	NY	CM	54,221,066	1360
6. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	52,190,875	67
7. The Robert W. Wilson Charitable Trust	NY	IN	40,697,615	33
8. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	34,191,442	59
9. Horace W. Goldsmith Foundation	NY	IN	26,672,500	146
10. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	26,548,075	16
11. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	23,918,000	435
12. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	21,181,979	48
13. The Peter Jay Sharp Foundation	NY	IN	21,124,210	95
14. Robertson Foundation	NY	IN	20,633,500	41
15. Citigroup Foundation	NY	CS	18,060,000	195
16. The Carson Family Charitable Trust	NY	IN	17,813,000	69
17. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	17,608,735	130
18. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	17,349,555	54
19. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	16,817,185	35
20. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	16,485,000	50
21. Lumina Foundation for Education, Inc.	IN	IN	16,140,597	20
22. The AVI CHAI Foundation	NY	IN	16,012,974	47
23. Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	IN	15,878,232	15
24. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	15,395,000	33
25. Irene Diamond Fund	NY	IN	15,083,207	67
26. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	CM	14,852,400	39
27. Henry R. Kravis Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	14,642,484	67
28. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	14,403,000	14
29. The JPMorgan Chase Foundation	NY	CS	14,235,224	339
30. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	IN	14,155,000	47
31. The Clark Foundation	NY	IN	13,535,000	117
32. The Picower Foundation	NY	IN	13,065,678	65
33. Dyson Foundation	NY	IN	13,036,000	21
34. Lewis B. & Dorothy Cullman Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	12,812,538	43
35. Gilder Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	12,642,055	63
36. Tisch Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	12,531,026	39
37. Altman Foundation	NY	IN	12,214,375	144
38. Jerome L. Greene Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	10,008,250	10
39. Skirball Foundation	NY	IN	9,858,666	35
40. Charles Hayden Foundation	NY	IN	9,793,673	103
41. Arthur Ross Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	9,290,365	42
42. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	9,160,535	13
43. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	9,118,300	15
44. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	IN	9,090,000	7
45. The Michael and Susan Dell Foundation	TX	IN	9,037,000	4
46. GE Foundation	CT	CS	9,015,667	65
47. Booth Ferris Foundation	NY	IN	8,672,000	64
48. Englander Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	8,549,127	45
49. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	8,486,235	80
50. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	8,347,189	26
Total			\$1,140,101,056	5,154

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 larger U.S. foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving). For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operate Foundation.