

**Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Performing Arts, circa 2003\***

<b>Foundation Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Dollar Amount</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	\$17,931,000	47
2. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	16,483,900	100
3. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	14,209,333	36
4. The Kresge Foundation	MI	13,518,000	12
5. The Shubert Foundation, Inc.	NY	12,465,000	262
6. The Ford Foundation	NY	10,547,311	81
7. The Peter Jay Sharp Foundation	NY	9,690,000	36
8. The Walt and Lilly Disney Foundation	CA	8,750,000	2
9. The New York Community Trust	NY	7,912,020	155
10. The Sidney Kimmel Foundation	PA	7,850,000	3
11. The Ann and Gordon Getty Foundation	CA	7,831,763	120
12. The Starr Foundation	NY	7,211,600	47
13. Eugene B. Casey Foundation	MD	6,914,500	2
14. Irene Diamond Fund	NY	6,695,000	41
15. The Philadelphia Foundation	PA	6,652,550	32
16. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	6,583,500	10
17. The Wallace Foundation	NY	6,500,000	11
18. Skirball Foundation	NY	6,347,200	14
19. The Helen F. Whitaker Fund	PA	6,213,331	40
20. The Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation	GA	6,076,500	26
21. The William Penn Foundation	PA	6,064,397	23
22. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	5,896,476	20
23. Colburn Foundation	CA	5,817,539	15
24. Muriel McBrien Kauffman Foundation	MO	5,774,445	61
25. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	5,765,000	6
26. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	5,598,000	14
27. Horace W. Goldsmith Foundation	NY	5,248,000	52
28. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	4,925,000	85
29. The Fan Fox and Leslie R. Samuels Foundation, Inc.	NY	4,890,000	95
30. Howard Heinz Endowment	PA	4,804,200	19
31. The Wortham Foundation	TX	4,755,000	19
32. Dyson Foundation	NY	4,212,400	10
33. Bank of America Foundation, Inc.	NC	4,179,313	124
34. Howard Gilman Foundation, Inc.	NY	3,869,000	50
35. Community Foundation Silicon Valley	CA	3,691,535	22
36. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	3,593,250	14
37. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	3,564,446	56
38. The Cleveland Foundation	OH	3,523,300	61
39. The San Francisco Foundation	CA	3,520,381	60
40. The Brown Foundation, Inc.	TX	3,306,480	33
41. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	3,302,500	44
42. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	3,148,000	19
43. The Minneapolis Foundation	MN	3,128,317	31
44. Hall Family Foundation	MO	3,070,000	5
45. Surdna Foundation, Inc.	NY	3,017,000	28
46. Jerome L. Greene Foundation, Inc.	NY	3,010,000	7
47. The Holland Foundation	NE	3,008,175	4
48. The Eugene McDermott Foundation	TX	2,995,000	9
49. Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation, Inc.	NJ	2,942,012	63
50. AT&T Foundation	NY	2,914,900	76
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$309,916,574</b>	<b>2,202</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,010 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 all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.