

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for International Affairs, circa 2003*

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	\$128,566,271	62
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	112,427,122	489
3. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	46,923,433	139
4. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	36,487,561	157
5. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	34,316,500	90
6. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	19,636,738	44
7. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	17,838,600	72
8. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	17,492,500	14
9. The Starr Foundation	NY	16,387,770	73
10. The Freeman Foundation	NY	13,698,841	54
11. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	13,484,611	39
12. Citigroup Foundation	NY	12,906,350	241
13. Open Society Institute	NY	10,234,680	57
14. Nuclear Threat Initiative, Inc.	DC	9,722,294	28
15. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	8,557,796	65
16. Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc.	CT	6,918,370	36
17. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	5,251,000	12
18. The Danforth Foundation	MO	5,250,000	2
19. Richard & Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	5,036,630	62
20. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	5,000,000	1
21. Lucent Technologies Foundation	NJ	4,959,645	8
22. The Buffett Foundation	NE	4,305,545	7
23. The New York Community Trust	NY	4,012,410	93
24. Turner Foundation, Inc.	GA	3,934,190	36
25. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	3,620,500	19
26. Robert W. Woodruff Foundation, Inc.	GA	3,200,041	2
27. The Oak Foundation U.S.A.	MA	3,091,564	18
28. The Goldman Sachs Foundation	NY	3,040,000	4
29. Moriah Fund	DC	2,988,000	66
30. Banyan Tree Foundation	DC	2,931,286	14
31. The Alvin and Fanny Blaustein Thalheimer Foundation, Inc.	MD	2,886,101	2
32. Tamarind Foundation, Inc.	NY	2,785,405	2
33. Sarah Scaife Foundation, Inc.	PA	2,695,000	12
34. GE Foundation	CT	2,509,473	31
35. The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation, Inc.	WI	2,482,500	32
36. The John Merck Fund	MA	2,266,148	36
37. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	2,137,500	8
38. The Gottesman Fund	DC	2,000,500	6
39. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	1,952,000	12
40. Community Foundation Silicon Valley	CA	1,943,343	23
41. Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Inc.	NY	1,825,000	20
42. The Lincy Foundation	CA	1,798,039	2
43. The San Francisco Foundation	CA	1,728,570	32
44. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	1,723,630	4
45. Compton Foundation, Inc.	CA	1,720,425	49
46. Wallace Global Fund	DC	1,686,747	28
47. Levi Strauss Foundation	CA	1,674,265	26
48. The Sandy River Charitable Foundation	ME	1,560,000	12
49. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	1,549,718	20
50. Flora Family Foundation	CA	1,532,270	27
Total		\$602,676,882	2,388

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.