

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Higher Education, circa 2007

Recipient Organization	State/Country	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. University of California at Berkeley Foundation	CA	\$ 111,112,176	14
2. Duke University	NC	102,914,447	59
3. Indiana University Foundation	IN	72,212,545	13
4. Tufts University	MA	56,970,151	28
5. Columbia University	NY	30,082,860	74
6. Cornell University	NY	29,848,255	38
7. Harvard University	MA	26,832,376	94
8. Claremont McKenna College	CA	21,625,220	11
9. Stanford University	CA	21,278,916	132
10. University of Texas	TX	20,564,492	66
11. Carnegie Mellon University	PA	20,562,008	22
12. Ohio State University Foundation	OH	19,230,844	48
13. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	MA	18,412,556	39
14. University of Utah	UT	18,216,737	25
15. University of Wisconsin Foundation	WI	17,840,388	26
16. Davidson College	NC	17,615,435	22
17. New School	NY	16,801,406	26
18. Santa Clara University	CA	16,715,000	9
19. Ave Maria University	FL	16,465,500	2
20. Juilliard School	NY	16,408,800	17
21. John Brown University	AR	15,451,832	10
22. University System of Maryland Foundation	MD	15,062,000	7
23. University of Colorado Foundation	CO	14,509,236	6
24. University of Chicago	IL	13,960,598	46
25. New York University	NY	13,955,516	43
26. Brown University	RI	12,960,757	55
27. University of the Ozarks	AR	12,611,000	3
28. University of California	CA	12,568,656	64
29. Rice University	TX	12,426,252	21
30. Colorado College	CO	12,199,495	22
31. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	NY	12,197,022	11
32. Harding University	AR	11,895,000	4
33. University of Michigan	MI	11,451,448	45
34. Rhodes College	TN	10,580,062	24
35. Dartmouth College	NH	10,211,697	39
36. Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation	NJ	10,161,106	1
37. University of Pennsylvania	PA	10,146,201	53
38. Alverno College	WI	10,031,338	13
39. University of Virginia	VA	10,003,000	18
40. United Negro College Fund	VA	9,598,265	43
41. University of Oklahoma Foundation	OK	9,467,415	20
42. Johns Hopkins University	MD	9,389,143	55
43. Washington University	MO	8,985,992	27
44. Mount Holyoke College	MA	8,977,911	13
45. Yale University	CT	8,689,835	55
46. University of California	CA	7,999,846	28
47. Brandeis University	MA	7,945,044	31
48. University of Notre Dame	IN	7,709,390	32
49. Princeton University	NJ	7,104,927	51
50. College of the Holy Cross	MA	7,054,501	10
Total		\$ 997,014,597	1,615

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,339 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.