

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Social Sciences, circa 2007

Recipient Organization	State/Country	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. University of Nevada at Las Vegas Foundation	NV	\$ 27,500,000	2
2. Yale University	CT	15,718,000	7
3. Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences	CA	10,000,000	1
4. Institute of International Education	NY	6,675,000	3
5. Population Reference Bureau	DC	5,509,961	5
6. University of Pennsylvania	PA	5,482,791	8
7. Population Council	NY	5,418,093	6
8. New York University	NY	5,360,700	15
9. Stanford University	CA	5,261,182	20
10. Aspen Institute	DC	5,169,272	33
11. Gerontological Society of America	DC	5,034,000	2
12. International Crisis Group	DC	5,000,000	1
13. Council on Social Work Education	VA	4,739,983	1
14. Jerusalem Institute for Israel Studies	Israel	4,700,000	1
15. New York Academy of Medicine	NY	4,685,376	1
16. University of California	CA	4,677,960	8
17. Georgetown University	DC	4,511,112	6
18. Families and Work Institute	NY	4,416,952	2
19. Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars	DC	4,269,100	17
20. Wesleyan University	CT	4,245,000	2
21. Social Science Research Council	NY	3,935,000	8
22. Asia Society	NY	3,246,567	3
23. Johns Hopkins University	MD	3,212,543	16
24. University of Maryland-College Park Foundation	MD	3,000,000	1
25. Mathematica Policy Research	NJ	2,553,400	1
26. Institute for Advanced Study	NJ	2,365,549	5
27. National Geographic Society	DC	2,225,206	10
28. Columbia University	NY	2,137,739	9
29. Brookings Institution	DC	2,100,322	11
30. Middlebury College	VT	2,000,000	1
31. Harvard University	MA	1,945,000	19
32. American Bar Association Fund for Justice and Education	IL	1,880,000	2
33. Intercollegiate Studies Institute	DE	1,815,000	18
34. Emory University	GA	1,787,353	1
35. Boston College	MA	1,703,664	7
36. School of American Research	NM	1,671,000	3
37. Center for Strategic and International Studies	DC	1,650,000	23
38. Monterey Institute of International Studies	CA	1,576,160	3
39. National Bureau of Asian Research	WA	1,535,000	7
40. Institute for Humane Studies	VA	1,467,000	12
41. Aspen Institute	CO	1,455,750	11
42. Santa Fe Institute	NM	1,340,000	6
43. Acton Institute for the Study of Religion and Liberty	MI	1,306,250	15
44. Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research	Netherlands	1,300,000	1
45. American Academy of Arts and Sciences	MA	1,224,440	10
46. Beal Institute for Strategic Creativity	Canada	1,216,478	1
47. University of Chicago	IL	1,202,109	10
48. American Pardes Foundation	NY	1,115,000	5
49. University of Wisconsin	WI	1,113,945	6
50. University of California	CA	1,094,346	1
Total		\$ 194,549,303	367

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.