

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of California, circa 1998*

Recipient Organization	State	Total Dollars	
		Awarded	No. of Grants
1. University of California	CA	\$96,561,808	469
2. Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute (MBARI)	CA	33,642,978	1
3. Stanford University	CA	33,176,478	182
4. Packard Humanities Institute	CA	30,000,000	2
5. Music Center of Los Angeles County	CA	20,727,220	35
6. Lucile Packard Foundation for Children	CA	20,515,000	2
7. Tides Center	CA	12,696,885	86
8. University of Southern California	CA	12,272,749	96
9. University of California-San Diego	CA	10,102,945	52
10. Trust for Public Land	CA	9,763,000	23
11. Association for the Cure of Cancer of the Prostate (CaP CURE)	CA	9,658,250	19
12. Survivors of the Shoah Visual History Foundation	CA	9,395,914	12
13. Santa Clara University	CA	9,033,000	14
14. California Institute of Technology	CA	8,621,089	35
15. RAND Corporation	CA	8,254,507	24
16. Loyola Marymount University	CA	8,128,533	21
17. Asian Art Museum of San Francisco	CA	7,741,350	10
18. University of California at Berkeley Foundation	CA	7,497,268	12
19. Archdiocese of Los Angeles	CA	7,216,500	13
20. Salk Institute for Biological Studies	CA	6,751,930	21
21. United Way, Inc.	CA	6,449,235	42
22. Northern California Grantmakers	CA	6,164,000	33
23. Exploratorium	CA	6,071,300	21
24. United Friends of the Children-Bridges	CA	6,014,167	2
25. University of California at Los Angeles Foundation	CA	5,929,000	46
26. University of California at Santa Cruz Foundation	CA	5,891,000	6
27. United Way, The	CA	5,823,332	36
28. Museum Associates	CA	5,785,200	7
29. Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF)	CA	5,410,333	26
30. Center for Civic Partnerships	CA	5,328,881	2
31. Roman Catholic Archbishop of Los Angeles	CA	5,300,845	3
32. Public Health Institute	CA	5,270,407	25
33. Childrens Hospital of Los Angeles	CA	5,008,000	13
34. National Academy of Education	CA	4,921,000	1
35. Gardens Regional Hospital and Medical Center	CA	4,875,000	1
36. Bay Area School Reform Collaborative	CA	4,714,194	10
37. Los Angeles Womens Foundation	CA	4,650,673	13
38. Mount Saint Marys College	CA	4,424,084	16
39. California Institute of the Arts	CA	4,128,044	19
40. California State University	CA	4,057,244	45
41. San Joaquin River Parkway and Conservation Trust	CA	4,000,000	1
42. Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion	CA	3,935,500	11
43. Golden Gate National Parks Association	CA	3,778,000	7
44. Scripps Research Institute	CA	3,734,643	12
45. San Francisco Museum of Modern Art	CA	3,645,400	24
46. K Q E D	CA	3,607,487	26
47. Japanese American National Museum	CA	3,470,200	11
48. Sacramento City Unified School District	CA	3,448,729	5
49. Boys and Girls Club of Los Angeles, Challengers	CA	3,414,403	9
50. National Economic Development and Law Center	CA	3,368,210	15
Total		\$504,375,915	1,617

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,009 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.