

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Louisiana, circa 2002*

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Baptist Community Ministries	LA	IN	\$9,891,628	42
2. Baton Rouge Area Foundation	LA	CM	6,582,070	133
3. Lavin Family Foundation	IL	IN	5,000,000	1
4. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	3,942,583	11
5. Irene W. & C. B. Pennington Foundation	LA	IN	3,678,375	58
6. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	2,760,000	3
7. The Ella West Freeman Foundation	LA	IN	2,685,000	13
8. Zemurray Foundation	LA	IN	2,508,771	23
9. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	2,250,000	1
10. Shell Oil Company Foundation	TX	CS	1,931,087	39
11. The RosaMary Foundation	LA	IN	1,908,826	19
12. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	1,449,113	11
13. BANK ONE Foundation	IL	CS	1,385,495	58
14. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	1,291,000	5
15. Oberkötter Foundation	PA	IN	950,000	5
16. The Gheens Foundation, Inc.	KY	IN	805,432	39
17. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	765,450	22
18. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	731,055	2
19. Bush Foundation	MN	IN	580,000	2
20. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	550,300	2
21. Tenet Healthcare Foundation	CA	CS	535,000	12
22. Dow Chemical Company Foundation	MI	CS	503,041	14
23. Horace W. Goldsmith Foundation	NY	IN	500,000	1
24. The Goizueta Foundation	GA	IN	500,000	1
25. The Pfizer Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	500,000	1
26. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	500,000	1
27. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	488,000	2
28. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	475,000	6
29. Robert R. McCormick Tribune Foundation	IL	IN	463,000	5
30. The UPS Foundation	GA	CS	400,000	3
31. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	350,000	2
32. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	325,000	1
33. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	IN	300,000	2
34. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	300,000	1
35. The McKnight Foundation	MN	IN	290,000	3
36. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	260,000	3
37. Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation, Inc.	NC	IN	250,000	5
38. The Hearst Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	250,000	3
39. The Whitaker Foundation	VA	IN	238,513	1
40. The Procter & Gamble Fund	OH	CS	235,500	13
41. Fannie Mae Foundation	DC	CS	235,000	9
42. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	IN	230,000	4
43. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	190,000	2
44. Communities Foundation of Texas, Inc.	TX	CM	185,000	4
45. BP Foundation, Inc.	IL	CS	161,000	8
46. J. Aron Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	148,000	6
47. The Grousbeck Family Foundation	CA	IN	130,000	2
48. Gannett Foundation, Inc.	VA	CS	126,300	8
49. Burlington Resources Foundation	TX	CS	123,550	3
50. Samuel I. Newhouse Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	123,000	6
Total			\$60,961,089	621

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,005 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 only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the state. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.

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