

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Louisiana, circa 2003*

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Baptist Community Ministries	LA	IN	\$8,458,873	45
2. Baton Rouge Area Foundation	LA	CM	7,432,803	121
3. La Nasa-Greco Foundation	LA	IN	5,465,000	12
4. Irene W. & C. B. Pennington Foundation	LA	IN	4,155,526	77
5. Shell Oil Company Foundation	TX	CS	3,862,971	49
6. Entergy Charitable Foundation	LA	CS	3,303,311	37
7. Zemurray Foundation	LA	IN	2,917,825	22
8. Goldring Family Foundation	LA	IN	2,731,500	51
9. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Foundation	LA	IN	1,879,617	11
10. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	1,565,000	4
11. Oberkottler Foundation	PA	IN	1,506,746	6
12. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	1,343,000	3
13. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	1,334,888	4
14. Horace W. Goldsmith Foundation	NY	IN	1,250,000	2
15. BANK ONE Foundation	IL	CS	1,184,290	50
16. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	1,058,000	6
17. The RosaMary Foundation	LA	IN	1,006,500	19
18. The Goizueta Foundation	GA	IN	1,000,000	1
19. The Pfizer Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	1,000,000	1
20. The Gheens Foundation, Inc.	KY	IN	796,456	32
21. The Gordon and Mary Cain Foundation	TX	IN	770,000	3
22. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	759,846	5
23. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	IN	676,000	4
24. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	596,550	25
25. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	500,000	1
26. The Ella West Freeman Foundation	LA	IN	478,000	8
27. Dow Chemical Company Foundation	MI	CS	379,033	10
28. Fannie Mae Foundation	DC	CS	359,000	7
29. The Whitaker Foundation	VA	IN	348,461	2
30. Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta, Inc.	GA	CM	300,000	1
31. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	300,000	1
32. JEHT Foundation	NY	IN	250,000	1
33. The Procter & Gamble Fund	OH	CS	249,500	10
34. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	235,000	4
35. Surdna Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	225,000	1
36. Anheuser-Busch Foundation	MO	CS	200,000	1
37. The Arthur Vining Davis Foundations	FL	IN	200,000	1
38. Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	IN	200,000	1
39. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	IN	200,000	3
40. The F. B. Heron Foundation	NY	IN	175,000	3
41. The McKnight Foundation	MN	IN	175,000	1
42. State Farm Companies Foundation	IL	CS	164,163	4
43. Samuel I. Newhouse Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	118,000	5
44. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	IN	115,000	3
45. Burlington Resources Foundation	TX	CS	110,000	3
46. Community Foundation of Greater Memphis	TN	CM	110,000	2
47. The J. P. Morgan Chase Foundation	NY	CS	107,100	4
48. J. Paul Getty Trust	CA	OP	100,000	1
49. The Humana Foundation, Inc.	KY	CS	100,000	1
50. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	100,000	2
Total			\$61,852,959	671

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 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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