

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

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	\$187,407,740	11
2. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	25,151,550	164
3. Donald W. Reynolds Foundation	NV	IN	24,000,000	1
4. Alex Brown & Sons Charitable Foundation, Inc.	MD	CS	12,504,333	74
5. The Baltimore Community Foundation	MD	CM	10,541,782	240
6. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	10,532,350	157
7. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	8,211,676	74
8. The Abell Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	7,830,865	82
9. France-Merrick Foundation	MD	IN	7,548,327	94
10. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	7,437,384	12
11. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	4,203,963	14
12. The MBNA Foundation	DE	CS	4,095,000	31
13. The Whitaker Foundation	VA	IN	4,072,528	8
14. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	CM	3,936,978	53
15. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	3,831,032	20
16. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	IN	3,730,000	2
17. Lucent Technologies Foundation	NJ	CS	3,549,940	4
18. Doran Family Foundation, Inc.	MD	OP	3,468,260	5
19. Eugene B. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	3,335,000	9
20. Freddie Mac Foundation	VA	CS	3,192,852	53
21. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	2,692,000	10
22. Morris Goldseker Foundation of Maryland, Inc.	MD	IN	2,565,000	38
23. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	2,545,000	2
24. Avon Foundation	NY	CS	2,500,953	3
25. T. Rowe Price Associates Foundation, Inc.	MD	CS	2,368,920	77
26. W. W. Smith Charitable Trust	PA	IN	2,335,895	1
27. The Joseph Meyerhoff Fund, Inc.	MD	IN	2,206,699	25
28. The George Gund Foundation	OH	IN	2,080,000	3
29. The J. Willard and Alice S. Marriott Foundation	DC	IN	2,050,000	18
30. Longwood Foundation, Inc.	DE	IN	2,000,000	1
31. Garmar Foundation	MN	IN	1,923,526	3
32. Verizon Foundation	NY	CS	1,859,428	64
33. Nuclear Threat Initiative, Inc.	DC	OP	1,775,000	2
34. Tamarind Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	1,762,996	1
35. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	1,717,102	8
36. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	1,660,000	8
37. The Goldman Sachs Foundation	NY	CS	1,650,000	1
38. Annette M. and Theodore N. Lerner Family Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	1,620,000	7
39. The Freeman Foundation	NY	IN	1,401,812	6
40. Bank of America Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	1,358,000	47
41. Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc.	CT	IN	1,281,075	6
42. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	1,275,000	5
43. The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation	DC	IN	1,262,000	24
44. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	1,202,000	4
45. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	1,200,000	1
46. AEGON Transamerica Foundation	IA	CS	1,140,794	27
47. The J. P. Morgan Chase Foundation	NY	CS	1,127,000	6
48. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	1,114,235	14
49. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	1,082,000	5
50. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	1,042,608	11
Total			\$390,380,603	1,536

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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