

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of California, circa 2003*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion	Los Angeles	CA	\$79,533,495	24
2. University of California	San Francisco	CA	51,518,694	90
3. Stanford University	Stanford	CA	48,878,122	245
4. Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute (MBARI)	Moss Landing	CA	31,991,422	1
5. California Institute of Technology	Pasadena	CA	30,288,727	49
6. University of California	Los Angeles	CA	29,327,619	97
7. Peninsula Open Space Trust	Menlo Park	CA	25,564,800	12
8. University of California	Berkeley	CA	24,869,000	193
9. NewSchools Venture Fund	San Francisco	CA	24,789,786	6
10. Coalition of Essential Schools	Oakland	CA	18,828,505	3
11. University of California at San Francisco Foundation	San Francisco	CA	16,681,567	27
12. University of Southern California	Los Angeles	CA	15,989,606	95
13. Tides Foundation	San Francisco	CA	14,216,908	50
14. United Samaritans Foundation	Turlock	CA	13,215,000	31
15. Resources Legacy Fund	Sacramento	CA	11,725,500	4
16. San Diego Revitalization Corporation	San Diego	CA	11,639,117	5
17. KIPP (Knowledge is Power Program) Foundation	San Francisco	CA	11,481,759	4
18. L.A. Care Health Plan	Los Angeles	CA	10,000,000	1
19. New Technology Foundation	Napa	CA	9,800,000	1
20. University of California	Davis	CA	9,728,470	30
21. Bay Area Coalition for Equitable Schools	Oakland	CA	9,689,360	4
22. Foundation for California Community Colleges	Sacramento	CA	9,014,972	2
23. San Diego State University Foundation	San Diego	CA	8,898,632	21
24. Salk Institute for Biological Studies	San Diego	CA	8,488,250	21
25. Lenders for Community Development	San Jose	CA	8,196,153	12
26. Roman Catholic Archbishop of Los Angeles	Los Angeles	CA	8,155,200	3
27. Eisenhower Medical Center	Rancho Mirage	CA	8,054,000	6
28. Bay Area School Reform Collaborative	San Francisco	CA	8,050,000	3
29. Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center	San Diego	CA	8,040,000	4
30. Tides Center	San Francisco	CA	7,897,176	91
31. University of California	Santa Cruz	CA	7,699,249	19
32. Sierra Club Foundation	San Francisco	CA	7,673,709	23
33. California Science Center Foundation	Los Angeles	CA	7,594,000	19
34. University of California at Los Angeles Foundation	Los Angeles	CA	7,543,593	43
35. Public Health Institute	Oakland	CA	7,390,190	25
36. Walt Disney Concert Hall	Los Angeles	CA	7,000,000	2
37. K C E T Community Television of Southern California	Los Angeles	CA	6,970,000	19
38. Aspire Public Schools	Redwood City	CA	6,705,380	8
39. Resource Legacy Fund Foundation	Sacramento	CA	6,500,000	1
40. University of California	Oakland	CA	6,282,164	13
41. Childrens Health Council of the Mid-Peninsula	Palo Alto	CA	6,181,700	11
42. Museum Associates	Los Angeles	CA	6,030,550	13
43. University of California at San Diego	La Jolla	CA	5,998,494	49
44. Rudolf Steiner Foundation	San Francisco	CA	5,779,479	2
45. San Francisco Foundation Community Initiative Funds	San Francisco	CA	5,740,526	36
46. Performing Arts Center of Los Angeles County	Los Angeles	CA	5,668,500	27
47. Womens Funding Network	San Francisco	CA	5,482,000	12
48. United Way, Inc.	Los Angeles	CA	5,442,545	39
49. San Francisco Symphony	San Francisco	CA	5,376,388	29
50. San Francisco Museum of Modern Art	San Francisco	CA	5,324,976	38
Total			\$702,935,283	1,563

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. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

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