

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Seattle, WA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2005

Foundation Name	State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	\$391,229,433	112
2. The Seattle Foundation	WA	CM	24,625,253	646
3. The Norcliffe Foundation	WA	IN	10,272,235	125
4. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	7,720,373	23
5. The Foster Foundation	WA	IN	4,810,467	53
6. M. J. Murdock Charitable Trust	WA	IN	4,072,200	23
7. Gary E. Milgard Family Foundation	WA	IN	3,301,987	32
8. The Russell Family Foundation	WA	IN	3,086,500	47
9. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	2,995,300	9
10. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	IN	2,978,920	1
11. Stuart Foundation	CA	IN	2,859,598	25
12. Medina Foundation	WA	IN	2,690,000	102
13. Northwest Area Foundation	MN	IN	2,429,883	6
14. The Stewardship Foundation	WA	IN	1,993,518	65
15. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	1,784,500	22
16. Freeman Foundation	NY	IN	1,738,299	4
17. Ben B. Cheney Foundation	WA	IN	1,561,000	41
18. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	1,550,000	2
19. Islands Fund	WA	IN	1,515,000	29
20. Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	CA	IN	1,458,864	5
21. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	1,430,000	6
22. Burroughs Wellcome Fund	NC	IN	1,425,000	4
23. John Templeton Foundation	PA	IN	1,325,000	1
24. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	1,250,000	3
25. Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation	WA	CS	1,160,000	25
26. Howard G. Buffett Foundation	IL	IN	1,095,624	2
27. Oberkottler Foundation	PA	IN	1,088,500	6
28. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	1,030,000	4
29. Rasmuson Foundation	AK	IN	1,000,000	1
30. The Grainger Foundation Inc.	IL	IN	1,000,000	1
31. Weberg Trust	AZ	IN	1,000,000	3
32. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	985,928	27
33. The Dana Foundation	NY	IN	958,809	3
34. The Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	CS	938,100	34
35. The Henry Luce Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	930,000	2
36. Amgen Foundation, Inc.	CA	CS	816,040	31
37. V. Kann Rasmussen Foundation	MA	IN	750,000	1
38. Key Foundation	OH	CS	724,798	30
39. Cisco Systems Foundation	CA	CS	712,054	3
40. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	701,058	3
41. Marguerite Casey Foundation	WA	IN	615,000	19
42. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	600,000	5
43. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	589,445	3
44. U.S. Bancorp Foundation, Inc.	MN	CS	568,008	20
45. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	549,400	8
46. J. Paul Getty Trust	CA	OP	523,400	3
47. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	IN	500,000	1
48. Windgate Charitable Foundation, Inc.	AR	IN	500,000	1
49. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	500,000	1
50. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	485,100	3
Total			\$500,424,594	1,626

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 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 metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

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