

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Louisiana, circa 2005

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Baton Rouge Area Foundation	LA	CM	\$11,078,893	203
2. Baptist Community Ministries	LA	IN	8,917,793	50
3. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	6,750,000	7
4. Irene W. & C. B. Pennington Foundation	LA	IN	5,818,054	88
5. James H. Clark Charitable Foundation	NV	IN	5,000,000	1
6. Bush Foundation	MN	IN	4,000,000	2
7. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	3,375,000	1
8. Goldring Family Foundation	LA	IN	2,749,076	68
9. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	2,680,310	4
10. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	2,665,629	13
11. The Weatherhead Foundation	OH	IN	2,491,258	2
12. Joe W. & Dorothy Dorsett Brown Foundation	LA	IN	2,117,735	59
13. The McKnight Foundation	MN	IN	1,694,500	6
14. Entergy Charitable Foundation	LA	CS	1,295,458	35
15. Chase Foundation	IL	CS	1,258,270	57
16. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Foundation	LA	IN	1,241,036	8
17. Mississippi Common Fund Trust	MS	IN	1,235,000	2
18. Freeport-McMoran Foundation	LA	IN	1,182,469	40
19. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	1,031,600	8
20. The Dow Chemical Company Foundation	MI	CS	823,078	17
21. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	813,860	10
22. The Frost Foundation, Ltd.	NM	IN	777,857	9
23. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	750,000	2
24. Shell Oil Company Foundation	TX	CS	680,618	6
25. Samuel I. Newhouse Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	655,000	7
26. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	600,000	1
27. The Teagle Foundation	NY	IN	600,000	2
28. The RosaMary Foundation	LA	IN	552,500	11
29. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	540,000	6
30. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	CM	535,000	10
31. Oberkötter Foundation	PA	IN	530,446	15
32. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	500,000	1
33. The Sherman Fairchild Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	500,000	1
34. The Ella West Freeman Foundation	LA	IN	475,000	20
35. J. Aron Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	447,000	7
36. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	445,000	3
37. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	430,833	7
38. St. Jude Medical Foundation	MN	CS	410,000	10
39. Community Foundation of Greater Memphis	TN	CM	407,500	4
40. JEHT Foundation	NY	IN	405,000	2
41. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	400,000	1
42. The F. B. Heron Foundation	NY	IN	400,000	6
43. Valero Energy Foundation	TX	CS	386,000	20
44. Fannie Mae Foundation	DC	CS	378,399	7
45. Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation, Inc.	NC	IN	377,000	5
46. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	IN	325,000	8
47. Monsanto Fund	MO	CS	323,000	5
48. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	310,000	3
49. Alcoa Foundation	PA	CS	310,000	8
50. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	290,000	2
Total			\$81,960,172	870

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.

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

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