

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Mississippi, circa 2007

| Foundation Name | Foundation State | Foundation Type ¹ | Total Dollars Awarded | No. of Grants |
|--|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| 1. W. K. Kellogg Foundation | MI | IN | \$ 21,814,629 | 13 |
| 2. Mississippi Common Fund Trust | MS | IN | 9,478,511 | 13 |
| 3. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation | FL | IN | 5,053,000 | 4 |
| 4. The Luckyday Foundation | MS | IN | 5,029,378 | 10 |
| 5. Foundation for the Mid South | MS | CM | 3,343,662 | 63 |
| 6. The Ford Foundation | NY | IN | 3,015,000 | 10 |
| 7. The Oprah Winfrey Foundation | IL | IN | 3,009,317 | 4 |
| 8. The Bower Foundation, Inc. | MS | IN | 3,002,962 | 17 |
| 9. Gulf Coast Community Foundation | MS | CM | 2,755,736 | 71 |
| 10. The Gertrude C. Ford Foundation, Inc. | MS | IN | 2,710,500 | 26 |
| 11. The Robert M. Hearin Foundation | MS | IN | 2,307,521 | 12 |
| 12. The Kresge Foundation | MI | IN | 1,800,000 | 2 |
| 13. Asbury Foundation of Hattiesburg, Inc. | MS | IN | 1,581,540 | 9 |
| 14. Marguerite Casey Foundation | WA | IN | 1,567,500 | 10 |
| 15. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation | NJ | IN | 1,567,487 | 4 |
| 16. Selby and Richard McRae Foundation, Inc. | MS | IN | 1,140,707 | 15 |
| 17. AT&T Foundation | TX | CS | 1,095,370 | 13 |
| 18. Lilly Endowment Inc. | IN | IN | 1,043,538 | 2 |
| 19. The Freedom Forum, Inc. | DC | OP | 1,010,000 | 2 |
| 20. Freeport-McMoran Foundation | LA | IN | 1,000,000 | 1 |
| 21. Ergon Foundation, Inc. | MS | CS | 737,000 | 25 |
| 22. Edwin E. & Ruby C. Morgan Foundation, Inc. | MS | IN | 712,000 | 18 |
| 23. The Community Foundation, Inc. | MS | IN | 680,000 | 12 |
| 24. Phil Hardin Foundation | MS | IN | 492,908 | 14 |
| 25. Koch Foundation, Inc. | FL | IN | 467,861 | 6 |
| 26. Community Foundation of Greater Memphis | TN | CM | 423,500 | 21 |
| 27. E. Rhodes & Leona B. Carpenter Foundation | PA | IN | 404,100 | 14 |
| 28. W. M. Keck Foundation | CA | IN | 400,000 | 1 |
| 29. The Chisholm Foundation | MS | IN | 360,000 | 15 |
| 30. Greater Houston Community Foundation | TX | CM | 341,250 | 4 |
| 31. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation | MI | IN | 326,000 | 2 |
| 32. The Gary & Diane Heavin Community Fund Inc. | TX | CS | 325,000 | 2 |
| 33. Charles A. Frueauff Foundation, Inc. | AR | IN | 325,000 | 8 |
| 34. The Annie E. Casey Foundation | MD | IN | 310,000 | 4 |
| 35. Lowe's Charitable and Educational Foundation | NC | CS | 267,000 | 11 |
| 36. Silicon Valley Community Foundation | CA | CM | 264,060 | 2 |
| 37. Fred C. and Katherine B. Andersen Foundation | MN | IN | 250,000 | 1 |
| 38. The F. B. Heron Foundation | NY | IN | 250,000 | 2 |
| 39. Homer Skelton Charitable Foundation | MS | IN | 244,596 | 15 |
| 40. Oberkötter Foundation | PA | IN | 240,434 | 5 |
| 41. ConocoPhillips Foundation | OK | CS | 240,000 | 2 |
| 42. Jessie Ball duPont Fund | FL | IN | 204,583 | 2 |
| 43. The New York Community Trust | NY | CM | 200,000 | 1 |
| 44. Engelstad Family Foundation | NV | IN | 191,200 | 1 |
| 45. Oakwood Foundation Charitable Trust | MS | IN | 186,000 | 2 |
| 46. The Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts | NY | IN | 175,000 | 2 |
| 47. Walton Family Foundation, Inc. | AR | IN | 172,537 | 1 |
| 48. Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation | CA | IN | 169,911 | 1 |
| 49. The Assisi Foundation of Memphis, Inc. | TN | IN | 151,000 | 3 |
| 50. Arkansas Community Foundation, Inc. | AR | CM | 145,000 | 4 |
| Total | | | \$ 82,982,298 | 502 |

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,339 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.