

**Subject Focus of Grants Awarded by Size of Foundation, circa 2007**

Subject	100 Largest Foundations				1,239 Other Foundations			
	Dollar Amount	%	No. of Grants	%	Dollar Amount	%	No. of Grants	%
<b>Arts and Culture</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 5,393	0.0	66	0.1	\$ 11,503	0.1	160	0.2
Arts--Multipurpose	143,748	1.1	829	1.7	105,768	1.2	1,727	1.7
Media and Communications	118,099	0.9	579	1.2	89,300	1.0	1,172	1.2
Visual Arts/Architecture	45,982	0.4	273	0.5	51,182	0.6	703	0.7
Museums	301,327	2.4	1,323	2.6	411,743	4.6	3,138	3.1
Performing Arts	334,045	2.6	2,585	5.2	411,392	4.6	6,260	6.2
Humanities	23,838	0.2	203	0.4	65,270	0.7	706	0.7
Historic Preservation	42,731	0.3	308	0.6	98,379	1.1	1,174	1.2
Other	22,189	0.2	101	0.2	11,830	0.1	220	0.2
<b>Total Arts and Culture</b>	<b>\$ 1,037,351</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>6,267</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>\$ 1,256,369</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>15,260</b>	<b>15.2</b>
<b>Education</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 47,065	0.4	161	0.3	\$ 18,064	0.2	205	0.2
Elementary and Secondary	868,222	6.9	3,999	8.0	652,220	7.3	7,272	7.2
Vocational and Technical	5,757	0.0	43	0.1	9,380	0.1	191	0.2
Higher Education	933,049	7.4	2,744	5.5	1,143,784	12.7	6,633	6.6
Graduate and Professional	276,288	2.2	798	1.6	314,605	3.5	1,908	1.9
Adult and Continuing	9,141	0.1	147	0.3	12,726	0.1	321	0.3
Library Science/Libraries	124,611	1.0	373	0.7	71,592	0.8	809	0.8
Student Services	88,286	0.7	315	0.6	64,646	0.7	696	0.7
Educational Services	180,863	1.4	1,403	2.8	124,088	1.4	2,081	2.1
<b>Total Education</b>	<b>\$ 2,533,283</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>9,983</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>\$ 2,411,104</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>20,116</b>	<b>20.0</b>
<b>Environment and Animals</b>								
Environment	\$ 783,175	6.2	2,679	5.4	\$ 447,995	5.0	5,244	5.2
Animals and Wildlife	121,724	1.0	582	1.2	118,910	1.3	1,379	1.4
<b>Total Environment and Animals</b>	<b>\$ 904,899</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>3,261</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>\$ 566,905</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6,623</b>	<b>6.6</b>
<b>Health</b>								
General and Rehabilitative								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 50,528	0.4	226	0.5	\$ 47,405	0.5	395	0.4
Hospitals and Medical Care	533,867	4.2	1,681	3.4	500,390	5.6	4,474	4.5
Reproductive Health Care	236,071	1.9	518	1.0	35,914	0.4	590	0.6
Public Health	1,226,422	9.7	1,020	2.0	89,127	1.0	1,144	1.1
Other	169,265	1.3	406	0.8	62,236	0.7	608	0.6
Specific Diseases	584,564	4.6	1,213	2.4	199,113	2.2	2,347	2.3
Medical Research	554,876	4.4	748	1.5	363,361	4.0	1,622	1.6
Mental Health	153,145	1.2	796	1.6	104,424	1.2	1,902	1.9
<b>Total Health</b>	<b>\$ 3,508,738</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>6,608</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>\$ 1,401,969</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>13,082</b>	<b>13.0</b>
<b>Human Services</b>								
Crime, Justice, and Legal Services	\$ 133,205	1.1	989	2.0	\$ 84,520	0.9	1,636	1.6
Employment	63,471	0.5	696	1.4	70,256	0.8	1,247	1.2
Food, Nutrition, and Agriculture	540,939	4.3	656	1.3	72,837	0.8	1,566	1.6
Housing and Shelter	170,340	1.3	1,846	3.7	125,318	1.4	2,344	2.3
Safety and Disaster Relief	26,588	0.2	209	0.4	44,074	0.5	429	0.4
Recreation and Sports	77,083	0.6	812	1.6	211,390	2.4	2,531	2.5
Youth Development	166,078	1.3	1,769	3.5	223,411	2.5	4,057	4.0
Human Services--Multipurpose	523,331	4.1	5,429	10.9	699,723	7.8	12,835	12.8
<b>Total Human Services</b>	<b>\$ 1,701,036</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>12,406</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>\$ 1,531,529</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>26,645</b>	<b>26.5</b>
<b>International Affairs, Development, and Peace</b>								
	\$ 769,423	6.1	1,805	3.6	\$ 206,476	2.3	1,761	1.8

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<b>Public Affairs/Society Benefit</b>								
Civil Rights and Social Action	\$ 179,541	1.4	926	1.9	\$ 88,748	1.0	1,384	1.4
Community Improvement and Developm	554,887	4.4	2,659	5.3	266,098	3.0	3,616	3.6
Philanthropy and Voluntarism	341,842	2.7	1,725	3.5	456,451	5.1	3,444	3.4
Public Affairs	282,440	2.2	1,251	2.5	188,145	2.1	2,153	2.1
<b>Total Public Affairs/Society Benefit</b>	<b>\$ 1,358,711</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>6,561</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>\$ 999,442</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>10,597</b>	<b>10.6</b>
<b>Science and Technology</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 6,581	0.1	57	0.1	\$ 12,558	0.1	87	0.1
General Science	161,329	1.3	372	0.7	74,967	0.8	510	0.5
Physical Science	85,613	0.7	208	0.4	78,963	0.9	541	0.5
Technology	50,901	0.4	341	0.7	36,029	0.4	307	0.3
Life Science	82,654	0.7	149	0.3	46,113	0.5	193	0.2
<b>Total Science and Technology</b>	<b>\$387,080</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1,127</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>\$248,630</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>1,638</b>	<b>1.6</b>
<b>Social Sciences</b>								
Social Sciences and Economics	75,490	0.6	217	0.4	40,865	0.5	369	0.4
Interdisciplinary/Other	135,714	1.1	353	0.7	43,377	0.5	386	0.4
<b>Total Social Sciences</b>	<b>211,203</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>84,242</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<b>Religion</b>	<b>\$ 179,985</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1,334</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>\$ 272,940</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3,876</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>\$ 63,665</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>\$ 14,927</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>Total Grants</b>	<b>\$ 12,655,376</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>49,964</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$ 8,994,533</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100,428</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009. Dollar figures expressed in thousands; due to rounding, figures may not add up. 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.

<sup>1</sup>Includes a broad range of supporting activities or organizations identified by 18 "common codes."

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