

## Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Museums, circa 2007

Recipient Organization	State/Country	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Newseum	DC	\$ 29,443,659	3
2. Science City at Union Station	MO	27,414,108	1
3. Metropolitan Museum of Art	NY	18,377,119	78
4. Smithsonian Institution	DC	16,848,859	45
5. Museum of Modern Art	NY	16,548,432	81
6. Museum of Fine Arts	MA	15,646,893	32
7. Detroit Institute of Arts	MI	15,004,520	13
8. American Museum of Natural History	NY	14,833,242	61
9. California Science Center Foundation	CA	13,700,000	21
10. Barnes Foundation	PA	11,375,000	6
11. Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art	AR	10,000,000	1
12. Nelson Gallery Foundation	MO	9,001,782	10
13. Philadelphia Museum of Art	PA	8,961,350	19
14. Kirkpatrick Science and Air Space Museum at Omniplex	OK	8,859,717	9
15. Amon Carter Museum of Western Art	TX	8,056,603	5
16. National Gallery of Art	DC	7,522,807	34
17. Museum Associates	CA	7,256,000	11
18. Carnegie Institute	PA	6,933,325	26
19. Dallas Museum of Art	TX	6,853,646	23
20. Exploratorium	CA	6,436,000	20
21. Autry National Center of the American West	CA	6,343,000	10
22. Museum of Fine Arts, Houston	TX	6,324,454	24
23. Robert W. Woodruff Arts Center	GA	6,249,980	1
24. Union Station Kansas City	MO	6,056,980	4
25. Wildlife Experience	CO	6,035,000	5
26. Reynolda House	NC	6,015,000	2
27. Los Angeles County Museum of Art	CA	5,725,175	8
28. Paley Center for Media	NY	5,653,634	14
29. Museum of Science and Industry	IL	5,623,525	19
30. Fort Worth Museum of Science and History	TX	5,525,000	10
31. Art Institute of Chicago	IL	5,480,580	22
32. Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum	MA	5,433,400	17
33. Childrens Museum of Indianapolis	IN	5,351,250	9
34. National Constitution Center	PA	5,032,512	15
35. Museum of Contemporary Art	FL	5,015,000	2
36. Cleveland Museum of Art	OH	4,730,479	12
37. San Francisco Museum of Modern Art	CA	4,724,614	49
38. Georgia O'Keeffe Museum	NM	4,681,120	13
39. California Academy of Sciences	CA	4,669,467	29
40. National Infantry Foundation	GA	4,244,402	5
41. Seattle Art Museum	WA	4,145,070	28
42. Field Museum of Natural History	IL	3,996,000	24
43. Frist Center for the Visual Arts Foundation	TN	3,877,500	3
44. Peabody Essex Museum	MA	3,807,395	23
45. Jewish Museum	NY	3,779,833	18
46. Grand Rapids Art Museum	MI	3,679,300	8
47. Houston Museum of Natural Science	TX	3,648,712	14
48. Whitney Museum of American Art	NY	3,383,517	32
49. August Wilson Center for African American Culture	PA	3,348,000	11
50. Science Center of Iowa	IA	3,290,000	9
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$ 404,942,961</b>	<b>939</b>

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. The search set includes all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.