

## Subject Focus of Grants Awarded by Size of Foundation, circa 2009

Subject	100 Largest Foundations				1,284 Other Foundations			
	Dollar Amount	%	No. of Grants	%	Dollar Amount	%	No. of Grants	%
<b>Arts and Culture</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 4,496	0.0	73	0.2	\$ 11,210	0.1	153	0.1
Arts-Multipurpose	73,792	0.6	703	1.5	105,402	1.1	1,842	1.7
Media and Communications	187,184	1.5	577	1.2	72,924	0.7	1,180	1.1
Visual Arts/Architecture	22,246	0.2	222	0.5	45,384	0.5	591	0.6
Museums	381,150	3.1	1,217	2.5	474,908	4.8	3,156	3.0
Performing Arts	256,574	2.1	2,341	4.9	461,472	4.7	6,287	5.9
Humanities	15,371	0.1	169	0.4	59,516	0.6	527	0.5
Historic Preservation	43,860	0.4	292	0.6	84,447	0.9	1,075	1.0
Other	20,151	0.2	92	0.2	12,076	0.1	188	0.2
<b>Total Arts and Culture</b>	<b>\$ 1,004,823</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>5,686</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>\$ 1,327,338</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>14,999</b>	<b>14.0</b>
<b>Education</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 33,901	0.3	129	0.3	\$ 44,809	0.5	299	0.3
Elementary and Secondary	703,478	5.8	3,535	7.4	709,714	7.2	7,979	7.5
Vocational and Technical	5,558	0.0	38	0.1	8,103	0.1	190	0.2
Higher Education	847,702	6.9	3,012	6.3	1,089,568	11.0	6,453	6.0
Graduate and Professional	375,879	3.1	727	1.5	376,944	3.8	1,770	1.7
Adult and Continuing	44,692	0.4	202	0.4	11,597	0.1	336	0.3
Library Science/Libraries	96,806	0.8	324	0.7	78,009	0.8	752	0.7
Student Services	59,823	0.5	262	0.5	58,700	0.6	655	0.6
Educational Services	445,777	3.6	945	2.0	158,494	1.6	2,500	2.3
<b>Total Education</b>	<b>\$ 2,613,615</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>9,174</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>\$ 2,535,938</b>	<b>25.6</b>	<b>20,934</b>	<b>19.6</b>
<b>Environment and Animals</b>								
Environment	\$ 898,491	7.3	2,975	6.2	\$ 501,567	5.1	5,448	5.1
Animals and Wildlife	120,503	1.0	574	1.2	128,156	1.3	1,455	1.4
<b>Total Environment and Animals</b>	<b>\$ 1,018,994</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>\$ 629,723</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6,903</b>	<b>6.5</b>
<b>Health</b>								
General and Rehabilitative								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 76,520	0.6	196	0.4	\$ 53,634	0.5	470	0.4
Hospitals and Medical Care	468,056	3.8	1,710	3.6	765,205	7.7	5,228	4.9
Reproductive Health Care	556,427	4.6	516	1.1	29,912	0.3	501	0.5
Public Health	843,032	6.9	1,035	2.2	77,371	0.8	1,034	1.0
Other	116,048	0.9	411	0.9	72,252	0.7	754	0.7
Specific Disease	322,321	2.6	883	1.8	245,130	2.5	2,635	2.5
Medical Research	747,504	6.1	768	1.6	379,948	3.8	1,778	1.7
Mental Health	122,798	1.0	612	1.3	128,252	1.3	2,171	2.0
<b>Total Health</b>	<b>\$ 3,252,706</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>6,131</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>\$ 1,751,703</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>14,571</b>	<b>13.6</b>
<b>Human Services</b>								
Crime, Justice, and Legal Services	\$ 110,146	0.9	795	1.7	\$ 93,535	0.9	1,907	1.8
Employment	90,142	0.7	584	1.2	77,349	0.8	1,400	1.3
Food, Nutrition, and Agriculture	146,276	1.2	880	1.8	116,203	1.2	2,477	2.3
Housing and Shelter	133,113	1.1	1,906	4.0	135,695	1.4	2,738	2.6
Safety and Disaster	29,171	0.2	97	0.2	39,373	0.4	501	0.5
Recreation and Sports	183,444	1.5	738	1.5	184,909	1.9	2,583	2.4
Youth Development	139,679	1.1	1,756	3.7	230,546	2.3	4,277	4.0
Human Services-Multipurpose	441,097	3.6	5,217	10.9	758,536	7.7	14,433	13.5
<b>Total Human Services</b>	<b>\$ 1,273,069</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>11,973</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>\$ 1,636,146</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>30,316</b>	<b>28.4</b>

<b>International Affairs, Development, Peace, and Human Rights</b>	<b>\$ 981,473</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>1,916</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>\$ 243,479</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2,018</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<b>Public Affairs/Society Benefit</b>								
Civil Rights and Social Action	\$ 213,625	1.7	846	1.8	\$ 111,761	1.1	1,467	1.4
Community Improvement and Development	344,002	2.8	2,487	5.2	317,100	3.2	3,937	3.7
Philanthropy and Voluntarism	367,317	3.0	1,713	3.6	572,277	5.8	3,722	3.5
Public Affairs	505,994	4.1	1,307	2.7	180,480	1.8	2,124	2.0
<b>Total Public Affairs/Society Benefit</b>	<b>\$ 1,430,938</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>6,353</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>\$ 1,181,617</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>11,250</b>	<b>10.5</b>
<b>Science and Technology</b>								
Policy, Management, and Information <sup>1</sup>	\$ 11,565	0.1	47	0.1	\$ 11,509	0.1	92	0.1
General Science	92,313	0.8	221	0.5	89,728	0.9	663	0.6
Physical Science	78,879	0.6	203	0.4	75,245	0.8	366	0.3
Technology	62,418	0.5	133	0.3	54,313	0.5	357	0.3
Life Science	64,241	0.5	126	0.3	39,333	0.4	195	0.2
Other	3,082	0.0	1	0.0	.	.	.	.
<b>Total Science and Technology</b>	<b>\$ 312,498</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>\$ 270,128</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1,673</b>	<b>1.6</b>
<b>Social Sciences</b>								
Social Science and Economics	68,561	0.6	295	0.6	30,221	0.3	326	0.3
Interdisciplinary/Other	55,661	0.5	278	0.6	51,083	0.5	325	0.3
<b>Total Social Sciences</b>	<b>124,223</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>81,304</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>0.6</b>
<b>Religion</b>	<b>\$ 205,941</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1,627</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>\$ 245,804</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>3,531</b>	<b>3.3</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>\$ 10,573</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>\$ 5,522</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>Total Grants</b>	<b>\$ 12,228,853</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>47,763</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$ 9,908,702</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>106,901</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: The Foundation Center, 2011. Dollar figures 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 1,384 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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