

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Los Angeles, CA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2008

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. The Annenberg Foundation	CA	IN	\$ 62,568,378	262
2. Eli & Edythe Broad Foundation	CA	IN	55,633,948	63
3. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	IN	52,273,043	339
4. Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	CA	IN	39,265,202	29
5. The California Endowment	CA	IN	36,435,988	107
6. Weingart Foundation	CA	IN	36,359,649	250
7. The Lincy Foundation	CA	IN	35,455,726	98
8. Skirball Foundation	NY	IN	29,186,666	50
9. Lucasfilm Foundation	CA	CS	18,027,338	1
10. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	IN	17,751,000	78
11. The Ralph M. Parsons Foundation	CA	IN	17,457,000	179
12. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	16,807,138	12
13. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	IN	15,279,500	76
14. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	14,877,746	43
15. The John & Dorothy Shea Foundation	CA	IN	14,561,709	25
16. UniHealth Foundation	CA	IN	14,361,592	88
17. Saban Family Foundation	CA	IN	13,243,083	17
18. California Community Foundation	CA	CM	12,954,619	229
19. Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation	CA	IN	12,801,143	36
20. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	12,605,184	35
21. Orange County Community Foundation	CA	CM	11,692,957	318
22. Robert A. Day Foundation	CA	IN	11,046,227	29
23. Sumner M. Redstone Charitable Foundation	MA	IN	10,769,855	4
24. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	10,727,000	13
25. BP Foundation, Inc.	IL	CS	10,670,000	19
26. Thomas & Dorothy Leavey Foundation	CA	IN	9,761,636	43
27. Blue Shield of California Foundation	CA	CS	9,409,561	114
28. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	9,010,000	20
29. Dan Murphy Foundation	CA	IN	8,894,000	51
30. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	8,875,000	13
31. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	8,619,500	214
32. Carrie Estelle Doheny Foundation	CA	IN	8,585,630	304
33. The Roberts Foundation	CA	IN	8,010,000	1
34. Bill Hannon Foundation	CA	IN	7,995,000	33
35. Colburn Foundation	CA	IN	7,823,000	25
36. Nooril-Iman Charitable Foundation, Inc.	MA	IN	7,584,000	1
37. The Kenneth T. and Eileen L. Norris Foundation	CA	IN	6,940,150	196
38. The Capital Group Companies Charitable Foundation	CA	CS	6,933,671	270
39. Chartwell Charitable Foundation	CA	IN	6,772,833	77
40. Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	IN	6,772,800	45
41. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	6,425,266	29
42. William H. Hannon Foundation	CA	IN	6,370,858	70
43. Alfred C. Munger Foundation	CA	IN	6,280,750	12
44. Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	CS	6,209,250	192
45. Henry L. Guenther Foundation	CA	IN	6,144,000	46
46. The Benjamin M. Rosen Family Foundation	NY	IN	6,025,000	2
47. Wasserman Foundation	CA	IN	5,935,780	36
48. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	5,794,000	26
49. The Fletcher Jones Foundation	CA	IN	5,750,000	9
50. Fritz B. Burns Foundation	CA	IN	5,537,500	54
Total			\$ 765,270,876	4,283

Source: The Foundation Center, 2010. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,490 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 only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

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