

## Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Performing Arts, circa 2005

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Overture Foundation	WI	\$41,540,537	28
2. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	25,855,633	45
3. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	19,517,000	50
4. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	15,438,500	100
5. The Shubert Foundation, Inc.	NY	13,512,500	283
6. The Brown Foundation, Inc.	TX	12,722,629	36
7. The Wallace Foundation	NY	11,210,000	9
8. The Ann and Gordon Getty Foundation	CA	9,758,038	124
9. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	9,650,000	19
10. The Kresge Foundation	MI	9,600,000	11
11. The Peter Jay Sharp Foundation	NY	8,384,000	40
12. The Holland Foundation	NE	8,165,631	11
13. The Walt and Lilly Disney Foundation	CA	7,943,244	2
14. The Starr Foundation	NY	7,940,600	54
15. The Ford Foundation	NY	7,885,100	71
16. The McKnight Foundation	MN	7,365,000	59
17. Irene Diamond Fund	NY	7,252,712	35
18. The William Penn Foundation	PA	7,117,630	33
19. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	6,372,000	78
20. Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	6,340,500	54
21. Colburn Foundation	CA	6,277,705	24
22. The Riley Foundation	MS	5,930,000	4
23. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	5,835,000	5
24. The Crawford Taylor Foundation	MO	5,694,579	6
25. Muriel McBrien Kauffman Foundation	MO	5,624,718	66
26. The New York Community Trust	NY	5,552,660	178
27. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	5,540,000	124
28. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	5,400,000	4
29. Communities Foundation of Texas, Inc.	TX	5,365,433	23
30. The Cleveland Foundation	OH	5,224,500	40
31. The Lenfest Foundation, Inc.	PA	5,050,000	6
32. Horace W. Goldsmith Foundation	NY	4,832,500	47
33. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	4,787,450	111
34. Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta, Inc.	GA	4,371,499	34
35. The Fan Fox and Leslie R. Samuels Foundation, Inc.	NY	4,249,000	88
36. The Wortham Foundation	TX	4,061,500	20
37. The Philadelphia Foundation	PA	4,059,050	27
38. Skirball Foundation	NY	3,822,592	15
39. The Harold & Mimi Steinberg Charitable Trust	NY	3,723,900	65
40. Fidelity Foundation	MA	3,399,000	15
41. The San Francisco Foundation	CA	3,359,248	147
42. Evelyn and Walter Haas, Jr. Fund	CA	3,345,000	3
43. Jerome L. Greene Foundation, Inc.	NY	3,318,250	6
44. Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation, Inc.	NJ	3,218,700	71
45. Chase Foundation	IL	3,145,100	68
46. The Oregon Community Foundation	OR	3,026,506	56
47. The Kovner Foundation	NJ	2,950,000	2
48. Harman Family Foundation	DC	2,860,000	3
49. George S. and Dolores Dore Eccles Foundation	UT	2,654,927	28
50. Bush Foundation	MN	2,651,920	16
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$372,901,991</b>	<b>2,444</b>

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 larger U.S. foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving and the top ten foundations in each state). 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.