U.S. Foundations: A Review of International Funding Priorities

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PART I

Executive Summary

The following study was commissioned by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) Bureau for Asia & the Near East (ANE) to gather information on the funding priorities of U.S. foundations operating in the region. Data for 56 foundations that have international giving programs are included in this study. The Foundation Center’s database and the foundations’ own web sites are the primary sources of information. Overall trends in international giving, as indicated by the Foundation Center, include a growth in the number of foundations supporting international programs, as well as an increase in the amount of funds disbursed for these programs. For the foundations represented in the study, our findings indicate that funding in the ANE region is concentrated in the Democracy and Governance and Population, Health, and Nutrition sectors. The study concludes that a wealth of information on foundation giving is available to assist those working in international development. In addition, opportunities exist for third parties to help foundations identify funding needs and priorities and to help match funders with grantseekers.

Introduction

After eliminating foundations that only support domestic programs, data for 56 U.S. foundations that currently fund international programs are included in this study. With a few exceptions, the foundations represented gave at least $1,000,000 in grants in the most recent fiscal year for which data are available. The amount of these funds distributed to international programs is not readily available and is not included in this study. The foundations’ data are presented in a spreadsheet organized by regions and sectors, as defined by USAID. A more comprehensive document is provided as a supplement to the spreadsheet. The results represent approximately 500 hours of work.

Objectives

The original objectives of the study were: to better understand the priorities and funding levels of the more recently established foundations operating in the ANE region, to gather information that would be useful to both USAID/Washington and field missions on possible sources of funding for local nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), and to identify those foundations that potentially could be interested in funding activities in sectors where USAID is disengaging. However, the requester’s interest quickly grew to include foundations that give at least $1,000,000 per year in grants and who give some support to international programs. The result is a sample of current funding programs in ANE by sector. Data are also included for the other USAID regions, in the interest of fully representing each foundation’s activities.
Methodology

The primary source of information for this study is the Foundation Center, an independent nonprofit clearinghouse for information on foundations, corporate giving, and related subjects. The resources at the Foundation Center Library and on the Foundation Center web site: (http://www.fdncenter.org) were used to find foundations that work in the ANE region. Information about individual foundations was taken directly from the foundations’ web sites, when available. For those foundations that do not have a web site, information available on the Foundation Center database was used.

The search for foundations began with two rankings of private foundations available on the Foundation Center web site: “Top 100 U.S. Foundations by Asset Size” (http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/trends/top100assets.html) and “Top 100 U.S. Foundations by Total Giving” (http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/trends/top100giving.html). The next step was a search of the Foundation Center’s database of private foundations, corporate grantmakers, and community foundations on CD-ROM at the Foundation Center Library, using the software FC Search. The database was searched for grantmakers that identified themselves as having an interest in any country in the ANE region, as well as broad interest in the region. Finally, a ranking of the ten largest foundations in the subject category “International Affairs, Development, & Human Rights” was reviewed: all ten of these foundations were already captured in the sample.

Results

The data collected are represented in spreadsheet and document format. Of the 56 grantmakers detailed in the spreadsheet and document, the majority are private foundations, with a few corporate grantmaking programs also included. The data show the areas in which each grantmaker currently invests its international funds, categorized by the USAID sectors of Democracy and Governance (DG); Economic Growth and Agricultural Development (EGAD); Environment (ENV); Humanitarian Assistance (HA); Human Capacity Development (HCD);

1 The Foundation Center Library used in this study is located at: 1001 Connecticut Avenue at K Street, Suite #938, Washington, D.C. 20036. Locations for Foundation Center libraries in other cities can be obtained at the Foundation Center’s web site: http://www.fdncenter.org


3 Information on The Freeman Foundation (NY) is not included since its international giving programs are only for exchange programs at colleges and universities.

4 A private foundation is an independent grantmaking organization established to aid social, educational, religious or other charitable activities. A corporate grantmaking program is legally an independent grantmaking organization with close ties to the corporation providing funds. (The Foundation Center. 1999. Foundation Giving: Yearbook of Facts and Figures on Private, Corporate and Community Foundations. Page 42, Figure 13, “General Characteristics of Four Types of Foundations.”)
and Population, Health, and Nutrition (PHN). For each grantmaker, funding for a particular sector is indicated by a “Y” in the spreadsheet, if no funds are provided for a sector this is indicated by an “N.” In the case that a grantmaker funds a certain sector but does not specify a country or region, this is represented by a “*G” in the spreadsheet, showing that the grantmaker funds activities in this sector globally but does not specify a regional preference. This information is provided for each grantmaker by every USAID region: Africa, Asia & the Near East (ANE), Europe & Eurasia (E&E), and Latin America & the Caribbean (LAC).

Also included is a document that complements the spreadsheet and provides additional information on the 56 grantmakers included in the study. In addition to the basic information available in the spreadsheet, the following information is provided for each foundation:

- **About the Foundation**, includes a brief description of the foundation and other relevant information.
- **Region**, specifies the regions the foundation operates in, according to USAID terminology.
- **Area**, describes the sectors the foundation supports, according to the foundation’s own terminology.
- **Current International Program Examples**, provides brief descriptions of international programs the foundation currently funds.
- **Applying for a Grant**, lists important information for grantseekers, including funding restrictions and where to obtain additional information.
- **Contact Information**.

Trends and Observations

International grantmaking by U.S. foundations encompasses both giving to organizations in the United States for international activities and giving to local organizations throughout the world. Although a comprehensive review of trends in international grantmaking has never been undertaken, the Foundation Center—in cooperation with the Council on Foundations—conducted a 1997 study on U.S. grantmaking foundations. While a complete summary of their findings is available as Annex A, some of the major trends and observations are as follows:

- Foundation funding, including international funding, has grown in the 1990s and is expected to continue to do so in the future.
- International giving by foundations grew 18 percent after inflation, matching growth of all funding.
- International programs continue to secure 11.5 percent of foundation support.

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• Half of foundations make international grants.
• Overseas funding grew rapidly in the 1990s, outpacing the growth of funding of U.S. international programs.
• Post–Cold War funding priorities shifted to include greater emphasis on development, health and family planning, education, and human rights and civil liberties.
• Funding priorities vary by region.
• International grantmakers increased funding for special population groups.
• International giving will grow more focused and strategic, and greater collaboration and increased partnerships are expected.
• Funders will move into new program areas.
• More attention will be directed to the philanthropic sector overseas.

With respect to the ANE region, the study found that in Asia international development was the top funding priority. International affairs (including peace and security), health, public affairs, and civil society programs were also strong priorities in the region. In our sample of 56 foundations, most of the funding in the ANE region is in two sectors: Democracy and Governance (predominantly civil society and peace and security programs) and Population, Health, and Nutrition.

Many foundations in the study specify that they only fund nonprofit organizations that are public charities according to section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code. Foundations are permitted to fund individuals and organizations that are not public charities, but certain expenditure restrictions do apply. It therefore makes it easier for an organization to secure funding from foundations if they are a public charity. The Foundation Center can provide guidance to organizations on how to achieve public charity status.6

Lessons Learned and Next Steps

• The growing scarcity of public funds in the United States has led to budget reductions for agencies such as USAID. As a result, NGOs currently funded by USAID may need to find replacement or supplemental nongovernmental funding sources. USAID could assist NGOs in this effort by directing grantseekers to appropriate funding sources.
• The Foundation Center Library and web site have a wealth of resources available to the public at no charge. These resources include: a searchable fundraising database that covers close to 50,000 U.S. foundations and corporate givers, directories on foundations, profiles of the 1,000 largest foundations in the United States, and guides for grantseekers. USAID staff, as well as international NGOs seeking program funds, could be encouraged to take advantage of these resources to increase their knowledge of funds available in their sector or region.
• A variety of resources are available on-line, including sites that bring grantmaking organizations and grantseekers together via the Internet. One such group, Virtual Foundation

http://www.virtualfoundation.org/, is an on-line philanthropy program that supports grassroots initiatives around the world. The organization, founded in 1996 by ECOLOGIA, an international non-profit organization that has supported environmental movements and groups across Eurasia since 1989, posts project proposals on their web site, where they are read and funded by on-line donors. USAID staff and international NGOs could utilize these groups to match programs to available funds. Using the example of groups such as Virtual Foundation, USAID could encourage the formation of similar groups operating on a larger scale.

- The growth in the number of private foundations and corporate giving programs, as well as the increase in giving and assets, can be attributed in part to the creation of new wealth in our technology-based economy, as well as to stock market performance and a strong economy. International giving, while modest when compared with total giving, is also increasing and can be expected to either remain the same or increase in the future. USAID could play a role in encouraging foundations, particularly those that have demonstrated an international commitment in the past, to direct their current and potential resources towards international programs. With respect to the ANE region, USAID could initially begin with foundations that have demonstrated an interest in giving to the region in the past, such as the Ford Foundation, the Rockefeller Foundation, the David and Lucile Packard Foundation, and the Open Society Institute (part of the Soros Foundations Network).

- As more companies enter new markets and expand their presence internationally, initiatives designed to strengthen the communities in which they operate can be expected to increase. USAID could work with corporations both to identify community needs and to connect them with existing NGOs that could assist them in carrying out programs.

- While most private foundations and corporate donors have identified areas in which they prefer to operate, USAID could play a role in shaping understanding of critical issues, thus opening up new avenues for potential funding. In this way, USAID could increase the value of international giving programs by helping to ensure that areas that need funding are addressed.

- The information included in this study highlights some major funders and their current international funding priorities. However, despite the work represented by this study, further research would provide information on funders currently not included. In addition, while the information provided is presently valuable, it will quickly become outdated as funders alter their priorities and shift their resources. Therefore the information will require regular updates to retain its value.
PART II
U.S. FOUNDATIONS BY REGION AND SECTOR

See following spreadsheet.
### Selected U.S. Foundations with International Programs

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*DG:* Development and global relations; *EGAD:* Education and global access and development; *ENV:* Environment; *HA:* Health; *HCD:* Humanitarian; *PHN:* Population health; *COMMENTS:* Primarily in the Caribbean and Central America; Primarily where AT&T has a significant business presence; Education for Burmese refugees; Public policy research.
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- **AT&T Foundation**: Primarily where AT&T has a significant business presence
- **Baptist World Alliance**: Education for Burmese refugees
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### Selected U.S. Foundations with International Programs

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PART III
PROFILES OF U.S. FOUNDATIONS

See following document.
About the Foundation:
The Corporation supports initiatives that address specific community needs and solve root problems, that apply innovative solutions to complex problems, that fill gaps in the service delivery system and help those who need services gain access, and that serve minority or disadvantaged people.

We provide general operating and program grants that make 3M communities a better place to live. Local civic and professional organizations received assistance for efforts targeted to economic and community development and job training. We fund programs in trade, economics and law that foster a free-enterprise system.

Region(s):
E&E

Area(s):
Arts and culture; Community development; Democracy and governance; and Education, health, and social welfare

Current International Program Examples:
Chronically ill children need laughter as well as medicine. In fact, laughter sometimes is the best medicine. 3M Turkey knows this and contributes to the Theodora Foundation, an international organization dedicated to bringing fun and entertainment to kids who must spend months inside sterile hospital environments.

School children in Turkey can feel safer crossing the street thanks to a donation of highly reflective traffic signs by 3M Turkey. 3M employees also distributed traffic safety brochures to students and reflective arm bands and book bag stickers to help make the children more visible.

Applying for a Grant:
The Corporation awards grants only in areas where 3M is located.

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Fax: (7) (095) 288-9792

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obuhovo 192288
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Fax: (7)(812) 172-7365
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**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1991 in New York, offering support primarily for the welfare of women and children in the indigenous populations of Latin America. International giving is primarily in Mexico and Guatemala.

**Region(s):**
LAC

**Area(s):**
Children’s services; Latinos; Visual arts and photography; and Women

**Current International Program Examples:**
Not Available

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required. No deadlines

**Contact Information:**
The Daniele Agostino Foundation, Inc.
870 United Nations Plaza, No. 35C
New York, NY 10017
Contact: Flavia Robinson, President
Fax: (212) 752-1668
E-mail: dafound@worldnet.att.net
**Foundation Name**: Altman Foundation, Jenifer  
**URL**: http://www.jaf.org  
**Year Founded**: 1991  
**Assets (in U.S. Dollars)**: 15,395,472  
**Total Grants (in U.S. Dollars)**: 1,115,304  
**FY End Date**: 6/30/98

**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1991 in CA. The Jenifer Altman Foundation is a private foundation dedicated to the vision of a socially just and ecologically sustainable future through program interests in environmental health, mind-body health and improved childcare. Jenifer Altman was a Senior Research Associate of Commonweal, a health and environmental research institute in Bolinas, California. She established the Jenifer Altman Foundation shortly before her death in 1991.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
At-risk children and youth; Biodiversity and sustainable human development; Citizens network for sustainable development; Environmental health (in particular, medical waste concerns in the U.S); Grassroots efforts in the U.S.; International sustainable development; and Projects in mind-body health

**Current International Program Examples:**

**World Wildlife Fund**
$10,000, Research on the developmental effects of synthetic chemicals on thyroid hormones
This grant supported scientific research by Rosiland Rolland, D.V.M., on the effects of synthetic chemicals on thyroid hormone and vitamin A, focusing on their developmental effects in fetuses and children.

**Srishti**
$6500, Medical Waste Incineration campaign in India
This grant supported SRISHTI’s Medical Waste Incineration campaign in India. This campaign is working to block the introduction of medical waste incinerators in India, educate health care administrators about safer alternatives and assist other groups which are concerned with eliminating dioxin and other chemical contaminants from the medical waste stream. Essential Information, Inc./Multinationals Resource Center served as the fiscal sponsor for this grant.

**Chiapas Mayan Weaving Co-op**
$10,000 / 2 years, Mayan weaving initiative in Chiapas, Mexico
Chip Morris has worked in Chiapas, Mexico for 20 years and is deeply concerned with the cultural heritage and current challenges of the indigenous peoples in this region. This grant supported his efforts assisting the Highland Mayan weaving co-ops develop their products for the global textile market. The fiscal sponsor for this grant was Aid to Artisans.

**Applying for a Grant:**

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An application to the Jenifer Altman Foundation is also treated as an application to the Mitchell Kapor Foundation (MKF) and StarFire Fund (SFF), two like-minded foundations. Before writing a full proposal, please send us a concept letter which briefly tells us about your organization, outlines your project and states the amount you seek. If you already have a prepared proposal you are sending to other foundations, you may send that along with the concept letter. You can send the concept letter by mail, facsimile or e-mail. After we have reviewed your concept letter or basic proposal, if we believe there is a possible fit with our interests, we will let you know how best to proceed. For more information go to: http://www.jaf.org/appinstruct.html

Contact Information:
Jenifer Altman Foundation
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Bolinas, CA 94924
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Fax: (415) 868-2230
American Friends Service Committee
http://www.afsc.org  
1917
UNK
UNK
UNK

About the Foundation:
The American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) is a Quaker organization that includes people of various faiths who are committed to social justice, peace, and humanitarian service. Its work is based on the Religious Society of Friends (Quaker) belief in the worth of every person, and faith in the power of love to overcome violence and injustice. Founded in 1917 to provide conscientious objectors with an opportunity to aid civilian victims during World War I, today the AFSC has programs that focus on issues related to economic justice, peace-building and demilitarization, social justice, and youth, in the United States, and in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Middle East.

Region(s):
Africa, ANE, E&E, Global, LAC

Area(s):
Economic justice; Health; Humanitarian service; Peace-building and demilitarization; Social justice; Training; and Youth

Current International Program Examples:
The work of AFSC’s International Division reaches to more than 30 countries. Programs of relief and reconstruction, training and support to local groups and movements, dialogue, and peace-building/reconciliation respond to local and regional needs and provide insight and information that is shared in the United States and elsewhere.

AFSC work in Africa includes support of a program in Guinea-Bissau, with a focus on women in development; a program in Mozambique, working to improve economic and living conditions for rural women; a program of relief, reconstruction, and long-term development in Somalia; and regional work in Southern Africa focusing on demilitarization and demobilization, democratization, and economic justice, from a base in Zimbabwe.

AFSC work in Asia includes village level development assistance projects in Laos, Vietnam and Cambodia (e.g. irrigation, drinking water, food production, credit) relief and development assistance to North Korea, and regional international affairs work in northeast Asia with a focus on relations with North Korea. Work in Cambodia also includes training in prosthetics, community work with the disabled and support for local capacity to curb violence.

From a base in Budapest, Hungary, the AFSC supports relief projects and local peace groups in ex-Yugoslavia and works to help improve the human rights of Roma (Gypsies) and of women, in Southeastern Europe.
In Brazil, AFSC has a program to train health agents in Sao Paulo working with women and men of the favelas and supports leadership training for popular groups in the Northeast; a regional international program based in Ecuador deals with issues of basic rights in border areas and works to promote youth leadership skills; work in Haiti is multi-faceted community development and training; in Honduras, AFSC works with rural farmers on training and sustainable development and promotion of alternative markets; in Guatemala, AFSC supports popular movements. From a base in Philadelphia, AFSC supports and provides training opportunities to non-governmental organizations in Cuba, and in Mexico cooperates on a short-term community service program with a local development organization.

AFSC program in the Middle East includes cooperation with a local board to manage the East Jerusalem Legal Aid and Information Center; support for several projects in Israel addressing especially the needs of Sephardic and Arab communities; a regional international affairs program based in Amman, Jordan; and a youth initiatives project in Palestine offering training and other support to community youth organizations.

The Quaker United Nations Office (QUNO) in New York brings a Quaker perspective to select UN agenda issues including disarmament/peace-building, women’s human rights, and sustainable development. QUNO works in close cooperation with parallel Quaker work at the United Nations in Geneva, administered by the London-based Quaker Peace and Service.

Continuously since 1917, the Emergency and Material Assistance Program has provided material assistance to victims of war and natural disaster, refugees and displaced people, and desperately poor people. Regional collection centers in High Point, NC, Cambridge, MA, and Richmond, IN, and many local groups send donations of clothing and other supplies to the warehouse in Philadelphia, where shipments are prepared for destinations at home and abroad.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Contact AFSC for more information.

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Europe: idew@afsc.org
Latin America/Caribbean: idlac@afsc.org
Middle East: idme@afsc.org
United Nations: qunony@pipeline.com
Emergency and material assistance program: TMoore@afsc.org
To comment or ask a question about AFSC or the web site: afscinfo@afsc.org
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**About the Foundation:**
The American Himalayan foundation was founded in 1979 to respond to some pressing problems in the region. We began our work with the remarkable Sherpas of Nepal, answering their pleas for education with school and scholarship. We have since responded to similar requests in Ladakh, Bhutan, Pakistan and Tibet. In Dharamsala, India, we work closely with the Dalai Lama’s government-in-exile to help Tibetan refugees in their difficult struggle to survive. Over time, we have expanded our focus to include health care, cultural preservation and environmental conservation. Within these four areas, AHF supports projects that are on a human scale and that directly benefit people who live in each region. We deeply respect the Himalayan community, our projects respond to their priorities. This responsiveness characterizes everything AHF does. The Himalayan people are our partners, they initiate direct and manage our projects to the fullest extent possible. The AHF supports and funds projects directly. We also join with other organizations in larger, cooperative endeavors. But in every case, AHF projects involve local commitment and community participation.

**Region(s):**
ANE

**Area(s):**
Cultural preservation; Education; Environmental conservation; and Health care

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Cultural Preservation**
The AHF is fully committed to preserving the Himalaya’s multi-cultural heritage from the restoration of sacred sites to the construction of a traditional Tibetan woodblock printing press. The AHF helps provide the dignity of decent shelter for Tibetan refugees, especially the indigent and elderly. We also give a hand to the Drikung Kagyu Bakery in a Tibetan Settlement in Dehra Dun, where Tibetans can acquire useful skills and become more self-sufficient.

**Education**
Providing schools has always been central to the Foundation’s work. We support a wide range of educational programs throughout the Himalayan region that benefit children teenagers and women who often otherwise would not have a chance to receive and education. We built Kanchenjunga Tibetan Schools in eastern Nepal and Korphe School in Pakistan. We support Tibetan Children’s Villages, where in 17 location throughout India and Nepal, 10000 refugee children learn to be citizens of the world while remaining grounded in their own culture and language. AHF supports the Soga Transit School for Tibetan refugee youth in Dharamsala, the Nepal Youth Opportunity Foundation in Kathmandu and Child Haven in Bhaktapur. We sponsor the Manakamana Women’s college Fund in Nepal and the Tibetan Women’s Scholarship Fund.
to support dedicated students with scholarships in health care, education and environmental sciences.

**Environmental Conservation**
With Sir Edmund Hillary, the Foundation has planted a million trees in Solu Khumbu (Nepal) and sponsored micro-hydro projects to reduce wood consumption. We help build clean water projects and fund appropriate technology, cooking and heating efforts. New funds have been provided for the Gangotri Conservation Project at the headwaters on the Ganges River in Uttarkesh, to clean up and preserve one of Asia’s most sacred sites. We also support the Jajarkot Permaculture Project in western Nepal, which gives farmers hands on training in sustainable agriculture.

**Health Care**
Health care is one of the most basic and pressing needs for many of the Himalaya. AHF works to provide this care as effectively and compassionately as possible, even in remote regions. We have helped build the Hospital and Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children in Kathmandu, where Dr. Ashok Banskota, a world-renowned orthopedic surgeon, enables crippled, destitute children to lead new healthy lives. The Foundation has supplied mobile clinics in Tibet, vaccinations in Bhutan and health outputs in Mustang. Together with SEVA the AHF funds eye camps that perform sight saving cataract surgery in remote hill areas of Nepal and Sikkim.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Contact American Himalayan Foundation for more information.

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Fax: (415) 434-9960
E-mail: ahfsfo@igc.apc.org
About the Foundation:
The Arca Foundation was established in 1952 as the Nancy Reynolds Bagley Foundation. From the start, Arca’s grantmaking has focused on empowering citizens to help shape public policy. Also from the beginning, the foundation’s work has had an international as well as domestic dimension. Arca’s first grants supported groups working on population policy and women’s rights, issues of great importance to Mrs. Reynolds. As second- and third-generation family members joined the board, its grantmaking changed to reflect new concerns: environmental issues in the 1970s, U.S. foreign policy toward Central America and Cuba in the 1980s and ‘90s, and the urgent need to curb corporate domination of our politics through genuine campaign finance reform.

Region(s):
Africa, Global, LAC

Area(s):
Democratization; Education; Environment; Human consequences of globalized production; Human rights; Health; Labor standards; Media; and U.S. policy toward Cuba

Current International Program Examples:
Council on Foreign Relations
$75,000
To support the Council’s Cuba in Transition project, including educational conferences, exchanges, and other activities.

Citizenship Education Fund
$25,000
For the International Affairs Department to regularly convene non-governmental organizations and activists doing research, education, and policy analysis on democratization and the promotion of human rights in Africa.

Doctors of the World
$50,000
To help stem a deadly tuberculosis epidemic in South Africa, by training large numbers of community health workers in the correct implementation of the most effective treatment strategy, Directly Observed Therapy [DOTS].

Global Exchange
$50,000
To advocate that companies in the shoe and garment manufacturing industries become more responsible to the needs of workers, communities and the environment, and to develop “benchmarks” for responsible corporate behavior.

**International Labor Rights Fund**  
$50,000  
To conduct education and advocacy to help strengthen international standards on child labor.

**Institute for Public Accuracy**  
International Media Project, $25,000  
To support a new national consortium of public policy experts to rapidly respond to media statements from conservative think tanks, to widen the bounds of media discussion around crucial issues like environmental regulations, military spending, foreign policy, and social programs.

**Lawyers Committee for Human Rights**  
$50,000  
To advance human rights, the promotion of the rule of law, and the protection of human rights around the world.

**National Security Archive**  
Fund for Peace, $40,000  
For the Archive’s Human Rights and Freedom of Information Project, to conclude documentation, investigation and analysis of human rights work in Honduras and Guatemala, and for the Archive to use the Freedom of Information Act model with a regional federation of human rights ombudspersons, to expand openness in government throughout the hemisphere.

**U.S./Guatemala Labor Education Project**  
$25,000  
To organize the coffee and banana industries in Guatemala and nearby Central American countries to address the most deplorable effects of globalization by building independent unions, and to mobilize outside resources to work together to build cross-national struggles against multi-national corporations.

**Applying for a Grant:**  
The Arca Foundation has no standard application form.  
Please see [http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/arca/guide.html](http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/arca/guide.html) for more information.  
Giving to U.S.-based groups in the Western Hemisphere for national and international programs.

**Contact Information:**  
The Arca Foundation  
2040 S St., N.W. Suite 200  
Washington, DC 20009-1151, USA  
Telephone: (202) 822-9193  
Fax: (202) 785-1446  
Email: fdncenter.org/grantmaker/arca/index.html

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**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1984 in NY. The AT&T Foundation invests globally in projects that are at the intersection of community needs and AT&T’s business interests. Emphasis is placed on programs that serve the needs of people in communities where AT&T has a significant business presence, initiatives that use technology in innovative ways, and programs in which AT&T employees are actively involved as contributors or volunteers.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Arts & Culture; Civic & Community Service; and Education

Within these areas, the following types of activities are funded:
AIDS; Animals/wildlife preservation/protection; Arts, cultural/ethnic awareness; Civil rights; Community development; Continuing education; Disaster preparedness/services; Economic development; Education, community/cooperative; Elementary/secondary education; Engineering school/education; Environment, natural resources; Health care; Higher education; Human services; International affairs; International exchange; Libraries/library science; Media/communications; Medical care, rehabilitation; Mental health/crisis services; Museums; Performing arts; Music; Philanthropy/voluntarism; Public affairs; Public health; Safety/disasters; Science; Teacher school/education; Visual arts; Women, centers/services; Youth development

**Current International Program Examples:**
**Arts & Culture**
The AT&T Foundation believes that artistic creativity is a complex and important form of communication, and that thriving cultural institutions are a key to community well-being. To that end, the Arts & Culture Program supports innovative artistic projects by nationally and internationally recognized arts and cultural institutions.

**Civic & Community Service**
The AT&T Foundation supports a variety of comprehensive civic and community service programs that fall within our specific areas of focus. We are especially interested in projects that utilize technology to advance one or more of our objectives.

**Education**
The AT&T Foundation supports education programs that focus on the use of technology to enhance teaching and learning. Through the AT&T Learning Network as well as Invitational Grants, the AT&T Foundation concentrates on the role of technology in education and its capacity to connect students, teachers, classrooms, institutions and communities.
Applying for a Grant:
AT&T Foundation funds are typically disbursed through invitational programs or by applications that we solicit from and with selected nonprofit organizations. Even in the case of invited proposals, prior commitments and finite resources require us to decline many funding requests that appear to meet our guidelines and funding criteria. Funding guidelines can be viewed at: http://www.att.com/foundation/guidelines.html

If after reading the above stated policy you still choose to apply to the AT&T Foundation, you should submit a brief letter of introduction and description of your organization/project. If your organization and its activities are local in scope — in the United States or in another country — you should contact one of the AT&T Regional Offices. A list of the regional offices can be viewed at: http://www.att.com/foundation/offices.html

Contact Information:
AT&T Foundation
32 Ave. of the Americas, 24th Floor
New York, NY 10013
Telephone: (212) 387-4801
Fax: (212) 387-5809
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Baptist World Alliance | [http://www.bwanet.org](http://www.bwanet.org) | 1905 | UNK | UNK | UNK

**About the Foundation:**
The Baptist World Alliance, the official global fellowship of Baptists, uniting 191 Baptist conventions/unions was started in London, England, in 1905 at the first Baptist World Congress. Ninety years later, the BWA still exists to provide fellowship, meet human need, lead in evangelism and work for justice.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Development; Evangelism; Fellowship; Justice; Relief; and Women’s issues

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Justice**
Since it began, Human Rights, including Religious Freedom, has been at the forefront of the work of the Baptist World Alliance.
Current concerns are:
1. The Karen refugees from Burma in Thailand without adequate food and medical supplies and under constant threat of invasion from Burmese soldiers.
2. Religious freedom in Romania and Bulgaria.
3. Recognition of Belgium Baptists as a church and not a cult.
4. Religious freedom for Baptists and other believers in the Middle East.
5. Racism in North America.
6. Tribal and ethnic conflict, one example of which is the Naga and Kuki conflict in Northeast India.
7. Persecuted Christians in Indonesia and other countries who are beaten, stoned, have their churches burned because of their faith in Jesus Christ.

**Relief, Development and Fellowship:**
Baptist World Aid is the compassionate arm of the Baptist World Alliance, supporting three areas of ministry:
1. Relief: Famine, Disaster and Refugee
2. Sustainable Development: Agricultural, Health and Education
3. Fellowship Assistance to Baptists: Religious printing, Church building and renovations, Medicines and Food supplements, and Hospitality assistance for conferences and meetings.

**Applying for a Grant:**
All projects need to be sponsored by, or have the written endorsement of, a BWA member body and/or mission in the country of need, since they will be responsible for administering the...
program to ensure proper accountability. Requests from individuals or churches cannot be considered.

**Contact Information:**
Baptist World Alliance
6733 Curran Street
McLean, VA 22101
Telephone: (703) 790-8980
Fax: (703) 893-5160

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Bergstrom Foundation, Inc., Erik E. and Edith H.

**Founding Year:** 1981
**Assets:** $46,658,308
**Total Grants:** $1,090,598
**FY End Date:** 09/30/97

**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1981 in CA. Provides support for family planning and improving reproductive health in Latin America.

**Region(s):**
LAC

**Area(s):**
Family planning; Reproductive health; and Youth, pregnancy prevention

**Current International Program Examples:**

- **AVSC International**
  $120,000
  Toward projects in Latin America to make available surgical and long-lasting methods of contraception.

- **International Projects Assistance Services (IPAS)**
  $654,216
  Toward Latin American field operations to improve reproductive health services.

- **Pathfinder International**
  $99,000
  Toward programs to support activities in Latin America to expand and improve services for reproductive health.

- **Planned Parenthood Federation, International**
  $98,017
  Toward study to introduce manual vacuum aspiration for treating incomplete abortion into countries in Central America.

- **Population Services International**
  $50,000
  Toward radio campaign to market contraceptives in Venezuela.

- **World Neighbors**
  $100,000
  Provide family planning as part of agricultural extension work and to incorporate family planning within training work in Andean region of South America.
Applying for a Grant:
Applications not accepted. Giving on a national basis for work in Latin America. No grants to individuals. Contributes only to pre-selected organizations. Unsolicited requests for funds not considered or acknowledged.

Contact Information:
Erik E. and Edith H. Bergstrom Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 520
Palo Alto, CA 94302-0520
Contact: Erik E. Bergstrom, President
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**About the Foundation:**
BP Amoco strives to be a good citizen. This is reflected in our active support for the people and communities where we operate. Our commitment takes many forms. Around the world we’re involved in urban renewal schemes, arts sponsorship, road safety and health campaigns, adult literacy drives and matched fund initiatives. Our teaching programme, ‘Science Across the World,’ has been adopted by schools in more than 40 countries. Through the Amoco Foundation we contribute to community and educational organizations in 33 countries.

**Region(s):**
ANE, E&E, LAC

**Area(s):**
Community development; Education; Engineering/technology; Environment, natural resources; Health; Mathematics; Science; and Youth services

**Current International Program Examples:**
In Angola and Venezuela we have pioneered the use of social impact assessments to help improve our social contribution. In Poland we have established a business environmental advisory service for local suppliers and other companies. We sponsor medical treatment in Bolivia. In Colombia we’re maximizing the local content of our projects in jobs and procurement and have contributed to a new child care centre and a major reforestation scheme. Both in Singapore and the United States we are encouraging households to save and sort waste for recycling.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required. Initial approach: Letter or proposal. Copies of proposal: 1 Board meeting date(s): April, July, and November. Deadline(s): Before September for the following year. Final notification: December.

**Contact Information:**
BP Amoco Foundation, Inc. (Formerly Amoco Foundation, Inc.)
200 E. Randolph Drive
Chicago, IL 60601
Telephone: (312) 856-6305
Additional telephone: (312) 856-6306
Fax: (312) 616-0826
E-mail: foundation@bpamoco.com
Brackett Foundation, The  http://brackett.colgate.edu/  1997  UNK  UNK  UNK

**About the Foundation:**
The Brackett Foundation, established in April 1997, is a small not-for-profit foundation organized to help educate refugees. The trustees are Thomas Brackett, Elizabeth Brackett, Hannah Newhall, and John Novak. The Foundation seeks support from friends, family and other foundations, and it has received tax-exempt status from the Internal Revenue Service.

**Region(s):**
ANE

**Area(s):**
Education

**Current International Program Examples:**
There are now over one hundred thousand Burmese refugees living in refugee camps in Thailand. These people come from all walks of life, some are hill tribe people who have never attended school, others have university degrees. Their most basic needs for food, shelter and medical care are being met by church and humanitarian groups. However some refugees have lived in Thailand for ten to twelve years or more, and simply providing basic needs is not enough to sustain their culture over long periods of time. At first the refugees could support schools for their children, at least through primary school, and some camps could provide high school classes as well. But in the last few years the Karen government has been unable to provide for these schools, and thus the Karen are in danger of losing a generation of educated leaders. We believe that we can best help our refugee friends by helping them to educate themselves and their children. Education provides a focus for daily life, it helps to build community, and in the end is vital to the preservation of democratic ideals without which little hope exists for peace in Burma. The Brackett Foundation raises funds to develop, support and monitor these education projects.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Contact the Brackett Foundation for more information.

**Contact Information:**
PO Box 8
Hamilton, NY 13346
Telephone: (315) 824-3435
Fax: (315) 824-4910
E-mail: tom@cs.colgate.edu
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**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1942 in WI as the Allen-Bradley Foundation, Inc.; adopted present name in 1985. Support for projects that cultivate a renewed, healthier, and more vigorous sense of citizenship, at home and abroad. Projects will reflect the assumption that free men and women are genuinely self-governing, personally responsible citizens, able to run their daily affairs without the intrusive therapies of the bureaucratic, social service state. Projects reflecting this view of citizenship and civil society may be demonstrations with national significance; public policy research in economics, politics, culture, or foreign affairs; or media and public education undertakings. Local support is directed toward cultural programs, education, social services, medical and health programs, and public policy research.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Arts; Economics; Education; Higher education; History/archaeology; Humanities; International affairs; International affairs, foreign policy; Political science; Public affairs; Public affairs, citizen participation; Public policy, research; and Youth development, citizenship

**Current International Program Examples:**
- **American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research**
  $810,000
  For fellowship, Bradley Lecture Series and Foreign and Defense Policy Studies Program.

- **Heritage Foundation**
  $825,000
  For Domestic Policy Studies Program, Bradley Resident Fellows, State Relations Department and Senior Fellow in Southeast Asian Studies.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required. Initial approach: Letter of inquiry. Copies of proposal: 1
Deadline(s): Mar. 1, July 1, Sept. 1, and Dec. 1. Final notification: 3 to 5 months

**Contact Information:**
The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 510860
Milwaukee, WI 53203-0153
Telephone: (414) 291-9915
Fax: (414) 291-9991

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**About the Foundation:**
Trust established in 1953 in NY; successor fund incorporated in 1982 in FL as Bristol-Myers Fund, Inc., and subsequently in 1990 as Bristol Myers Squibb Foundation. The Bristol-Myers Foundation supports philanthropic initiatives that help extend and enhance human life. Funded by Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, the Foundation’s activities support a broad range of programs that address important health matter and social issues around the world.

**Region(s):**
Africa, Global

**Area(s):**
Health care; Health education; and Humanitarian assistance

**Current International Program Examples:**
The Women’s Health Education Program, which supports novel approaches to educating women about their health and well-being, primarily through Better Health for Women: A Global Health Program.

SECURE THE FUTURE™, a $100 million, five-year commitment to address the serious problem of HIV/AIDS among women and children in southern Africa, through community outreach programs as well as research support.

Donations of pharmaceutical products to people in need in developing countries and to victims of natural disasters and civil unrest throughout the world.

Contributions to community organizations in countries and localities where Bristol-Myers Squibb maintains offices, manufacturing facilities and research centers.

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Foundation does not support conferences, courtesy advertising, endowments, for-profits, fraternal groups, individuals, political organizations, religious/sectarian organizations (usually), social organizations, special events, United Way organizations, and veterans’ groups. Application form not required. See 1997 report of charitable contributions (available on-line at: http://www.bms.com/aboutbms/index.html) for more information.

**Contact Information:**
The Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation, Inc. (Formerly The Bristol-Myers Fund, Inc.)
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New York, NY 10154
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**About the Foundation:**
Carnegie Corporation of New York was created by Andrew Carnegie in 1911 to promote the advancement and diffusion of knowledge and understanding. The last of Carnegie’s great endowments, it is the only one established as a grantmaking foundation. Under Carnegie’s will, grants must benefit the people of the United States, although up to 7.4 percent of the funds may be used to benefit the people of some countries that are or have been members of the British overseas Commonwealth. Overseas grants are currently concentrated in Commonwealth Africa. Grants in “noncharter” countries are occasionally made when their substantial purpose is the advancement and diffusion of knowledge and understanding among the people of the United States.

**Region(s):**
Africa, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Democracy; Education; International Development; and International Peace and Security

**Current International Program Examples:**
The International Peace and Security program will largely build on previous activities of the Corporation related to the nonproliferation of weapons of mass destruction, development in Russia and the other post-Soviet states, and U.S.-Russian relations, with the discontinuation of some major themes. The program will seek to bring the best available knowledge to bear on problems of world peace and security and draw public and policy attention to critical issues through analysis and dissemination of the findings to policymakers, scholars, the media, and the general public. Longer-term grants will be made to a smaller number of independent centers of excellence in policy research and analysis. More stress will be placed on project support rather than on general operating support. Other vehicles for the Corporation’s grantmaking will include bilateral and multilateral working groups on critical issues; conferences and workshops; training fellowships; and scholarly exchanges. Some initiatives will be taken in cooperation with other funders. The program will have three specific foci: Nonproliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction; Russia and Other Post-Soviet States; New Dimensions of Security

Cross-Program Initiative on Higher Education in the Former Soviet Union. A collaboration between the Corporation’s programs on Education and on International Peace and Security, this initiative will address the deteriorating conditions of scholarship in the humanities and social sciences in the former Soviet Union. There is an urgent need to nurture a new generation of scholars and scientists in the post-Soviet states, while safeguarding the contributions that previous generations have made to world culture and civilization, notwithstanding the repressions of the past seventy years. Working with the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur...
Foundation, the Corporation will assess the needs of the social sciences and humanities and seek ways in which, within the terms of the charter, it can strengthen institutions of higher learning and research in the post-Soviet states. The Corporation is not accepting unsolicited proposals in this area until further notice.

The Corporation’s assistance to the African continent began in 1926, aimed at building African university systems and libraries in Commonwealth countries through the 1960s. In the 1970s it promoted the practice of public interest law in South Africa and, in the 1980s and 1990s, fostered science and technology policy development, research on women’s health, education, and legal status, and the use of electronic information systems in key scientific and academic institutions. In the International Development program, the Corporation is returning to its historical interests in higher education and library development in Commonwealth Africa. It will also explore a few discrete opportunities concerning the rule of law.

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Corporation accepts requests for funding at all times of the year. There are no application forms or deadlines. The staff tries to respond to grantseekers within four months of the receipt of a request. Grantseekers are asked to submit a brief letter of inquiry or concept paper that clearly and concisely describes the project’s aims, its significance, its duration and the amount of funds required. The document should not exceed five pages. At a later date, grantseekers may be asked to submit a full proposal and additional materials. A request to submit a full proposal is not an indication of the Corporation’s intention or commitment to award a grant.

**Contact Information:**
Carnegie Corporation of New York
437 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10022
Telephone: (212) 371-3200
Fax: (212) 754-4073
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**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1964 in PA. Grants primarily for public policy research, particularly in the areas of government and international affairs.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Crime/law enforcement; Government/public administration; International affairs; Political science; and Public policy research

**Current International Program Examples:**
- **American Foreign Policy Council**
  - $100,000
  - For general operating support.

- **Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis**
  - $100,000
  - For economic and finance security research.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Initial inquiries to the Foundation should be in letter form signed by the organization’s President, or authorized representative, and have the approval of the Board of Directors. The letter should include a concise description of the specific program for which funds are requested. Additional information must include a budget for the program and for the organization, the latest audited financial statement and annual report and Board of Director’s list. A copy of the organization’s current ruling letter evidencing tax exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service Code is required. Additional information may be requested if needed for further evaluation. The Foundation normally considers grants at quarterly meetings. However, requests may be submitted at any time and will be acted upon as expeditiously as possible.

**Contact Information:**
The Carthage Foundation
1 Oxford Ctr.
301 Grant St., Ste. 3900
Pittsburgh, PA 15219-1489
Telephone: (412) 392-2900
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**About the Foundation:**
For democracy to succeed, the business community must become a leading advocate for market oriented reform and democratic governance. The Center for International Private Enterprise (CIPE) is an affiliate of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. CIPE works in four principal areas: a grants program that currently supports over 90 indigenous organizations in developing countries, an award winning communications strategy, training programs, and technical assistance through field offices. Since its inception in 1983, CIPE has funded more than 550 projects in 70 countries and has conducted management training programs throughout the world. CIPE receives funding from the National Endowment for Democracy and the United States Agency for International Development. CIPE has received support for specific programs from IBM, Coca-Cola, Ernst & Young, Capitol Health Partners, The Pew Charitable Trusts, RJ Reynolds Tobacco and the United States Information Agency.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Communications; Democracy; Indigenous organizations in developing countries; Management training programs; Market oriented reform; Technical assistance; and Women in business

**Current International Program Examples:**
CIPE’s Grants Program
Supports business organizations and think tanks in developing countries that are working on the objectives listed below.
CIPE’s strategy for 1999 focuses on the following key issues:
• Foster the growth of open markets and expand trade
• Support entrepreneurship as a means of lessening the income gaps between and within countries
• Build knowledge of how markets function in a democracy
• Combat corruption and to support democratic values
• Reform institutional structures bringing the informal sector into the formal economy
• Strengthen the role of women-owned businesses and women’s business associations
• Promote privatization as a key step to improved competitiveness.

CIPE’s award winning communications strategy combines an electronic Forum on Economic Freedom, CIPE’s award-winning Web site, and the internationally known magazine Economic Reform Today. ERT is distributed in 97 countries and is printed in English, Spanish and Ukrainian with periodic readers in Arabic, Bulgarian, Chinese, French, Polish, and Russian.
Women in business and women’s business associations have become an integral part of CIPE’s global strategy. CIPE’s women’s program began as an outgrowth from the 1997 strengthening women’s business associations’ conference. Since the conference, CIPE has instituted a bi-monthly newsletter for women entrepreneurs and association leaders identified through the CIPE conference. This past year CIPE has developed two new partnerships with women’s business organizations – The Egyptian Business Women’s Association and The Georgian Association “Women In Business.” Additional grants are planned for 1999 including a regional conference for African women in business.

Applying for a Grant:
CIPE responds to proposals from partner organizations with management and technical assistance and financial support. A centerpiece of the CIPE program is that partner organizations generate matching funds as a counterpart to CIPE assistance.

Contact Information:
Center for International Private Enterprise
1155 15th Street NW, Suite 700
Washington DC 20005
Telephone: (202) 721-9200
Fax: (202) 721-9250
E-mail: cipe@cipe.org
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**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1969 in NY. Chase seeks to improve the well-being and vitality of communities in which the bank operates through financial contributions, technical assistance, and by encouraging Chase employees and retirees to volunteer for and financially support nonprofit organizations. Chase also aims to serve as a leader in corporate social responsibility and community support in the eyes of its customers, employees, shareholders, and the community at large. Chase supports the following focus areas (in priority order) in the tri-state region, across the nation, and around the world: 1) Community development and human service needs of the residents of Chase communities in the areas of housing, economic development, and social services. 2) Pre-collegiate education, systematic school reform, training and employment experience for youth, minorities, and disadvantaged adults, and the bank’s diversity and recruitment initiatives. 3) Artistic development of all cultures through dance, film and video, music, theater, and visual and performing arts. 4) The marketplace of ideas, examination of public policy issues, and organizations intended to help other nonprofits operate more efficiently.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Artistic development; Community development; Education; and Public policy issues.

**Current International Program Examples:**
Not available

**Applying for a Grant:**
Giving on an international basis in 50 developing countries where the company has an office. Contact the Chase Manhattan Foundation for more details.

**Contact Information:**
The Chase Manhattan Foundation
600 5th Ave., 3rd Fl.
New York, NY 10020
Telephone: (212) 332-4100

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**About the Foundation:**
Corporate giving program. Chevron supports communities where it does business and where its employees live and work. While it wants to make a difference in our communities, Chevron simply cannot provide assistance to every worthy cause. Chevron focuses its activities in the following two areas: Education, with emphasis on efforts to promote excellence in math and science; human resources development; equal access and quality in schools; and Environment, with emphasis on conservation or habitat and wildlife preservation.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Community activities; Education; and Environment

**Current International Program Examples:**
Education, with emphasis on efforts to promote excellence in math and science education. Today’s youth will be solving tomorrow’s problems, and a major task for our society is to prepare them to meet the challenges ahead. As Chevron depends on a workforce skilled in math and science, nearly 40% of our contributions budget is targeted for education in these disciplines.

Environment, with emphasis on conservation or habitat and wildlife preservation. Chevron’s policies are often manifested in many small solutions, such as the way the company monitors wildlife during the course of everyday operations. To succeed in our goal to be recognized worldwide for environmental excellence, we must be an exemplary environmental citizen and be welcomed by the communities where we operate. Projects to preserve endangered species and habitats demonstrate the company’s interest in safeguarding the future.

International Community Development. In many areas of the world, Chevron’s contributions program contributes to a sustainable development model consisting of a range of social projects, from building schools to supporting medical clinics – all with input from local communities.

**Applying for a Grant:**
National organizations and organizations located outside the U.S. should contact headquarters.

**Contact Information:**
Chevron Corporation Contributions Program
575 Market St.
San Francisco, CA  94105
Telephone: (415) 894-4193

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China Medical Board of New York, Inc.

**Year Founded**: 1928
**Assets (in U.S. Dollars)**: 205,817,066
**Total Grants (in U.S. Dollars)**: 8,489,473
**FY End Date**: 6/30/97

**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1928 in NY, to extend financial aid to the Peking Union Medical College and/or like institutions in the Far East or the United States of America. The board’s activities are: 1) to assist institutions in improving the health levels and services in Asian societies, and 2) to assist institutions in improving the quality and increasing the numbers of appropriate health practitioners in these societies. Supports programs in medical research, staff development, cooperative planning, and library endowment only at designated national medical schools, nursing schools, and schools of public health in Hong Kong, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Laos, Myanmar, Tibet, and the People’s Republic of China.

**Region(s):**
ANE

**Area(s):**
Health care; Health organizations; Libraries/library science; Medical research; Medical school/education; and Nursing care

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Peking Union Medical College**
$1,050,000 for 2 grants
$550,000 toward establishing comparative study of modern approaches to prevention and therapy of post-menopausal osteoporosis in Chinese women.
$500,000 toward search for genetic basis for hypertension among ethnic Tibetans, population with high incidence of hypertension.

**West China University of Medical Sciences, School of Allied Health Professions**
$900,000
Toward development fund.

**Xian Medical University**
$600,000
Toward continued and expanded activities of Continuing Medical Education Program conducted cooperatively by academic medical institutions in provinces of Northwest China.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Applications not accepted. Giving limited to East and Southeast Asia, including the People’s Republic of China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, and Thailand.
Contact Information:
China Medical Board of New York, Inc.
750 3rd Ave., 23rd Fl.
New York, NY 10017-2701
Telephone: (212) 682-8000
About the Foundation:
Corporate giving program. Citibank invests in programs to stimulate economic growth, increase educational opportunities and enrich everyday lives in its communities around the world. The company’s priorities are community development and education, with more than 70 percent of grants reserved for these purposes. Second-tier interests are arts and culture, health and human services and the environment, where relatively fewer and smaller grants are made.

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Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Arts and culture; Community development; Education; Environment; and Health and human services

Current International Program Examples:
Banking on Education and Banking on Enterprise are Citibank’s and the Citicorp Foundation’s principal philanthropic initiatives worldwide.

Banking on Education is a $25 million, decade-long commitment to create “smarter classrooms” and “smarter schools.” Grants support the local development and use of new learning technologies in communities from Miami, Sioux Falls and Washington, DC, to Prague, Johannesburg and Hong Kong. For example, in Hungary we have supported, with contributions and Citibank expert technologists, the recent completion of a PC lab for one of the local teacher training schools.

Through the $10 million Banking on Enterprise program, we are helping to make available small loans that enable some of the world’s poorest people to start and expand small businesses. In addition to grants, we provide financial support, lending, training, board members and management expertise to community development financial institutions around the world. We also are working with Junior Achievement in Latin America and Central Europe to encourage entrepreneurship by leveraging technology.

Applying for a Grant:
Corporate Grants of $5,000 or more are available to not-for-profit organizations with annual budgets greater than $500,000. CitiGrants provide up to $4,000 to neighborhood-based not-for-profit organizations. Application form not required. Contact headquarters for the nearest Contributions Committee Representative for the specific guidelines of that committee. In some Citibank locations, local contributions committees use an application form which may be obtained by contacting them directly.

**Contact Information:**
Citibank/Citicorp Corporate Contributions Program
 c/o Citibank Corporate Contributions
 850 3rd Ave., 13th Fl., Zone 10
 New York, NY 10043
 Telephone: (212) 559-0173
About the Foundation:
The Coca-Cola Foundation, the philanthropic arm of The Coca-Cola Company, reaches out to refresh the lives of those we serve; since 1989, our Foundation has focused on helping others through education. We help people learn — by offering scholarships, helping build schools and libraries, and donating books, among other activities — because we believe that is the best way we can reach out and help build stronger communities, strengthening lives in the process. The Coca-Cola Foundation touches the future by providing college scholarships to many students who otherwise would not be able to attend — including students who are the first in their families to go to college.

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Education; Environment; and International exchange programs

Current International Program Examples:
Coca-Cola First Generation University Scholarships program.
$1,000,000
Nearly 700 students from remote villages of China will be given the opportunity to attend college.

Duke University
$50,000
Payment toward a $250,000 commitment. To support the Hart Leadership Program -- international internships in public policy programs.

University of Florida Foundation
$100,000
Payment toward a $425,000 commitment. To support an international program which provides students with the opportunity to offer humanitarian service while living in a developing country.

Botswana
We sponsor a collect-a-can program in partnership with the government, our suppliers and members of the community. The program currently recycles one out of every two beverage cans.

Costa Rica
Our local bottler has launched two pilot projects to encourage the development of recycling systems for plastic packaging.
Mozambique
Our bottler has installed a wastewater treatment plant that treats wastewater effluent to our high Company standards before being discharged, even though the local city does not have a wastewater treatment system.

Philippines
Our system has organized a school campaign called “Yes, You Can!” that focuses on the collection and recycling of used beverage cans. The program encourages students to collect used beverage cans in order to earn prizes for their schools. Many of the cans collected are donated to Tahanang Walang Hagdanan-TWH (House with No Steps), an organization for the disabled that recycles cans into tubing for wheelchairs, crutches and other mobility aids.

South Africa
Our system is a sponsor of the Delta Environmental Centre, a nonprofit company that aims to enable people to improve the quality of their environment by promoting the management and sustainable use of all resources through innovative education and training programs. We recently helped the organization reach an even larger audience by sponsoring the organization’s internet site.

Vietnam
Our system sponsors the “Green and Forever Green Planet Contest,” a nationwide essay and painting contest for children with the theme on environmental protection. Organizers received almost 800,000 written entries and over 2,000 hand-made works related to environmental protection in 1998.

Applying for a Grant:
See Guidelines and Application for complete information.
Application address:
The Coca-Cola Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Drawer 1734
Atlanta, GA 30301

Contact Information:
The Coca-Cola Foundation, Inc.
1 Coca-Cola Plz., N.W.
Atlanta, GA 30313-3009
Telephone: (404) 676-2568
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**About the Foundation:**
Formerly The Barbara Gauntlett Foundation, Inc. The Barbara Delano Foundation (BDF) is a San Francisco-based 501(c)(3) foundation devoted to the protection of wildlife and its habitats and improving humankind’s treatment of animals. Concentrating first on environmental safeguards in international development programs, energy efficiency in Eastern Europe and building environmental standards, BDF has more recently changed its focus to wildlife habitat and species protection and the welfare of animals.

**Region(s):**
Africa, ANE, E&E, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Animals/wildlife, endangered species; Environment, forests; and Natural resources

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Africa**
- Environmental Investigation Agency

**East and Central Africa**
- African Wildlife
- Born Free Foundation
- David Shepherd Conservation Foundation
- Endangered Species Project
- Friends of Conservation

**Global**
BDF researchers have visited sites in the Middle East, Africa and the Far East to investigate the devastating effects that the trade in shark fins is having on shark populations.
- Center for Marine Conservation
- Swiss Coalition for the Protection of Whales

**India and Pakistan**
- Cat Action Treasury
- David Shepherd Conservation Foundation
- Environmental Investigation Agency
- Wildlife Protection Society of India
- Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society

**Latin America**
- American Bird Conservancy
- Galapagos National Park Service

Pan-Asian
- Global Survival Network

The Russian Far East
- Global Survival Network /Phoenix

Southeast Asia
- Environmental Investigation Agency
- Global Survival Network
- Global Witness
- Orangutan Foundation International
- University of Montana
- Wildlife Fund Thailand

Southern Africa
- International Rivers Network/Kalahari

Applying for a Grant:
The Foundation will only consider applications for support of the conservation and habitat protection of the following animals: large cats, great apes, rhinos, bears, elephants, birds, marine mammals, sharks, and marine turtles. The Foundation will not accept applications for general support, overheads and administration or research not directly related to the implementation of a conservation program. The Foundation prefers to support organizations that focus on hands-on field work and avoid heavy administrative costs and/or projects with clear and achievable objectives with quantitative assessment. In exceptional circumstances the Foundation will consider emergency funding. Please refer to the guidelines for proposals for additional information, available on-line at: http://www.bdfoundation.org/.

Contact Information:
Barbara Delano Foundation
450 Pacific Avenue, Second Floor
San Francisco, CA 94133
Telephone: (415) 834-1758
Fax: (415) 834-1759
E-mail: bdf@igc.apc.org
Delmar Foundation, The
Charles

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**About the Foundation:**
Independent foundation.

**Region(s):**
LAC

**Area(s):**
Education; Inter-American studies; and Reproductive health

**Current International Program Examples:**
Provides support to Mexfam, the Mexican Family Planning Association, a non-profit organization, governed by volunteers.

Provides support to the Pan-American Development Foundation for operating support.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required.

**Contact Information:**
The Charles Delmar Foundation
918 16th St., NW, No. 203
Washington, DC 20006
Telephone: (202) 293-2494

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**About the Foundation:**
The Ford Foundation is a resource for innovative people and institutions worldwide. Our goals are to: strengthen democratic values, reduce poverty and injustice, promote international cooperation, and advance human achievement.

**Region(s):**
Africa, ANE, E&E, LAC

**Area(s):**
Community and resource development; Economic development; Education, Knowledge and religion; Governance and civil society; Human development and reproductive health; Human rights and international cooperation; and Media, arts and culture

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Academia Istropolitana Nova (Slovakia)**
Purpose: For a social science graduate school.
Program: Education, Media, Arts and Culture
Unit: Education, Knowledge and Religion
Subject: International Studies
Amount: $ 300,000 Date/Period: 01/01/1998 - 12/31/2000

**Dar es Salaam, University of (Tanzania)**
Purpose: For research on the transition to democracy in Tanzania.
Location: Nairobi, Kenya
Program: Peace and Social Justice
Unit: Governance and Civil Society
Subject: Civic Participation
Amount: $ 145,000 Date/Period: 12/01/1997 - 11/30/1999

**Economic Research Forum for the Arab Countries, Iran & Turkey (Cairo)**
Purpose: For a national survey and research on the impact of Egypt’s economic reform policies on employment.
Location: Cairo, Egypt
Program: Asset Building and Community Development
Unit: Community and Resource Development
Subject: Research and Policy
Amount: $ 183,000 Date/Period: 07/01/1998 - 06/30/2000

**Forest Stewardship Council, A.C. (Mexico)**
Purpose: To develop national standards for certification of sustainable forest management.
Program: Asset Building and Community Development
Unit: Community and Resource Development
Subject: Land and Water Management
Amount: $ 250,000 Date/Period: 07/01/1998 - 06/30/2000

Applying for a Grant:
Applications are considered throughout the year. Activities supported by grants and program-related investments must be charitable, educational or scientific, as defined under the appropriate provisions of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code and Treasury Regulations. For more information, go to: http://www.fordfound.org/ford_frame3.cfm

Contact Information:
Ford Foundation
320 East 43rd Street
New York, NY 10017
Telephone: (212) 573-5000
Fax: (212) 351-3677
For addresses of global offices go to: http://www.fordfound.org/global/global_frame.cfm
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**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1989 in CA. Focus on fundamental ecological issues: 1) Forests and habitats, including campaigns that deal with the root causes of this problem as well as funding for activists fighting to preserve rainforests; 2) Grassroots activism in areas as diverse as agriculture, economics, and bioregionalism; 3) Aid to traditional native societies to maintain their economic, political, and cultural sovereignty; and 4) Campaigns to educate the public about and to resist the growth of the new macroeconomic trends (international free trade agreements which work to the detriment of Third World peoples and the natural world).

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Agriculture; Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Environment; International affairs; and International economic development

**Current International Program Examples:**
- **Fundacion Educacion, Ciencia y Ecologia**
  - $439,565
  - $273,000 for general support
  - $166,565 for regranting program

- **International Society for Ecology and Culture**
  - $85,000
  - $45,000 for IFG Europe program
  - $40,000 for general support

**Applying for a Grant:**

**Contact Information:**
Foundation for Deep Ecology
1555 Pacific Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94109
Telephone: (415) 771-1102

About the Foundation:
The Freedom Forum is a nonpartisan, international foundation dedicated to free press, free speech and free spirit for all people. The foundation pursues its priorities through conferences, educational activities, publishing, broadcasting, online services, fellowships, partnerships, training, research and other programs. The Freedom Forum funds only its own programs and related partnerships. Unsolicited funding requests are not accepted. Operating programs are the Newseum at The Freedom Forum World Center headquarters in Arlington, Va., the First Amendment Center at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn., the Media Studies Center in New York City and the Pacific Coast Center in San Francisco. The Freedom Forum also has operating offices in Cocoa Beach, Fla., Buenos Aires, Hong Kong, Johannesburg and London. The Freedom Forum was established in 1991 under the direction of Founder Allen H. Neuharth as successor to the Gannett Foundation, which was created by Frank E. Gannett in 1935. The Freedom Forum does not solicit or accept financial contributions. Its work is supported by income from an endowment now worth more than $1 billion in diversified assets.

Region(s):
Africa, ANE, E&E, Global, LAC

Area(s):
First amendment issues; and Media

Current International Program Examples:
Organizing international forums on global media issues. Developing and managing a network of news and journalism libraries in Central and Eastern Europe, Russia, Asia, Latin America and Africa. Administering programs that bring international journalists to the USA for study and internships. Training international journalists through partnerships with other media organizations.

Applying for a Grant:
The foundation conducts national and international initiatives to promote its priorities. It does so primarily through programs rather than grants.

Contact Information:
The Freedom Forum World Center
1101 Wilson Blvd.
Arlington, VA 22209
Telephone: (703) 528-0800
Fax: (703) 284-2836
E-mail: news@freedomforum.org
### Gates Foundation, William H.

[http://www.gatesfoundations.org/WHGfoundation](http://www.gatesfoundations.org/WHGfoundation)

**Year Founded:** 1994  
**Assets (in U.S. Dollars):** 312,420,756  
**Total Grants (in U.S. Dollars):** 18,899,416  
**FY End Date:** 03/31/98

**About the Foundation:**

In August 1999, the William H. Gates Foundation (WA) announced its merger with the Gates Learning Foundation (WA), to become effective January 1, 2000. The new foundation will be called the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation [http://www.gatesfoundations.org](http://www.gatesfoundations.org). Gifts received from Bill and Melinda Gates of more than $5 billion in each of the first three quarters of 1999 brings the total asset base of the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation to more than $17 billion, making it the largest private foundation by assets in the United States. The combined total giving from the Gates foundations as of 8/26/99 exceeds $500 million.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Health

**Current International Program Examples:**
Improving the health of women and children -- particularly in the developing world -- is a chief aim of the William H. Gates Foundation. Priority areas include increasing access to voluntary family planning services; expanding services to enable women to safely carry and deliver babies; and preventing cervical cancer. The Foundation’s first major effort in improving access to healthcare is the establishment of the Bill and Melinda Gates Children’s Vaccine Program. The goal of this $100 million program is to significantly reduce the time it currently takes for vaccines to reach children living in poor countries. Through December of 1998, the William H. Gates Foundations have given $133 million in Global Health grants.

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Foundation does not accept unsolicited proposals.

**Contact Information:**
William H. Gates Foundation  
PO Box 23350  
Seattle, WA 98102

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About the Foundation:
The German Marshall Fund of the United States is an independent U.S. foundation created to serve the transatlantic community. The Fund’s mission is to deepen understanding, promote collaboration and stimulate exchanges of practical experience between Americans and Europeans, particularly those in the national and local policy communities. The Fund was created in 1972 by a gift from the German people as a permanent memorial to postwar Marshall Plan aid.

Region(s):
E&E

Area(s):
Civil rights, race/intergroup relations; Community development; Economics; Environment; Environment, energy; Immigrants/refugees; International affairs, foreign policy; International affairs, goodwill promotion; International studies; Media/communications; Political science; Public policy, research; and Social sciences

Current International Program Examples:
Given its mandate to work in all of Europe, since 1990 the Fund has placed special emphasis on grantmaking in Central and Eastern Europe. The Fund’s goal is to promote cooperation and networking between the United States, Western Europe and the newly democratic countries of Central and Eastern Europe in the areas of political, economic, and environmental reforms.

Economics
This program concentrates on projects that improve policymakers’ understanding of innovative solutions to international challenges facing our societies and of the most effective ways to strengthen international cooperation. Grants are awarded for conferences, study tours and other forums bringing together Americans and Europeans. While the Fund lacks the resources to support basic analysis, it does support dissemination of information through publications and meetings.

Environment
The Environment program supports initiatives that increase understanding of policy differences between the United States and Europe. It also encourages the exchange of best practices on issues of shared concern. The Fund will consider grants where there are clear opportunities for a better-informed transatlantic policy dialogue and an exchange of practical experience about the use of economic and financial instruments, technical and institutional innovations and fresh approaches to lessening friction. Topics of special interest currently include transportation and urban growth and transatlantic concerns with both global climate change and biotechnology.

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Immigration and Integration
The largest portion of the program’s funding is granted as institutional support to Key Institutions in Europe and the United States for comparative research and analysis of immigration and integration policies. A second aspect of the Immigration and Integration program focuses on the integration of newcomers into their host societies.

Policy and Opinion Leaders
The Policy and Opinion Leaders program endeavors to enlarge and deepen the community of U.S. and European politicians, government officials, journalists, business leaders and scholars committed to, and knowledgeable about, transatlantic relations; and facilitate informal discussions between such individuals on critical transatlantic and global issues.

Applying for a Grant:
Initial inquiries should be submitted in a letter or brief proposal, written in English. All proposals should be sent to the Fund’s Washington, DC or Berlin offices. Applications are considered throughout the year. Proposals are acknowledged upon receipt and are reviewed to determine whether they fit the Fund’s areas and budget. For more information, go to: http://www.gmfus.org/gg.html

Contact Information:
The German Marshall Fund of the United States
11 Dupont Circle, NW
Suite 750
Washington, DC 20036
Telephone: (202) 745-3950
Fax: (202) 265-1662
E-mail: info@gmfus.org
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**About the Foundation:**
Trust established in 1949 in CA. The foundation is interested in the following major areas: the environment, international development and peace and justice, human and social services, religion, and education.

International Program: The Foundation believes that global security is achieved through improving the conditions that support and enhance peace and reconciliation and an individual’s quality of life. Cognizant of, and concerned about, the deteriorating conditions and growing needs of individuals worldwide, the Foundation seeks to support programs that promote a spirit of self-determination, self-sufficiency, dignity and harmonious human relations.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
International development; and Peace and justice

**Current International Program Examples:**
Community development projects that enable individuals or groups to act on their own behalf. The Foundation lends special attention to programs that seek to reduce poverty, enable women to improve the quality of their lives, and encompass small-scale sustainable agriculture.

Conflict resolution projects that encourage individual, family and/or community reconciliation in order to heal wounds resulting from loss, conflict and civil war and to establish or rekindle the conditions of trust necessary for peaceful coexistence.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form required.
Initial approach: Proposal outline (no more than 8 pages);
For more information go to: http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/grenville

**Contact Information:**
The Greenville Foundation
283 2nd St., E.
Sonoma, CA 95476
Telephone: (707) 938-9377
Fax: (707) 939-9311
Hewlett Foundation, The William and Flora

http://www.hewlett.org

1966 1,766,610,354 38,648,532 12/31/97

About the Foundation:
The Hewlett Foundation, incorporated as a private foundation in the State of California in 1966, was established by the Palo Alto industrialist William R. Hewlett, his late wife, Flora Lamson Hewlett, and their eldest son, Walter B. Hewlett. The Foundation’s broad purpose, as stated in the articles of incorporation, is to promote the well-being of mankind by supporting selected activities of a charitable nature, as well as organizations or institutions engaged in such activities. The Foundation concentrates its resources on activities in education, performing arts, population, environment, conflict resolution, family and community development, and U.S.-Latin American relations. Some subareas of interest to the Foundation are listed in the program descriptions that follow. Special projects outside these broad areas may from time to time be approved by the Board of Directors. Although the Hewlett Foundation is a national foundation, with no geographic limit stipulated in its charter, a proportion of disbursable funds has been earmarked for projects in the San Francisco Bay Area. The Foundation has a strong commitment to the voluntary, nonprofit sector. It will therefore assist efforts to improve the financial base and efficiency of organizations and institutions in this category. Proposals that show promise of stimulating private philanthropy are particularly welcome.

Region(s):
Global, LAC

Area(s):
Conflict resolution; Education; Environment; Family and community development; Performing arts; Population; and U.S.-Latin American relations

Current International Program Examples:
International Conflict Resolution (by invitation). The Foundation supports a limited number of organizations that are working on the international application of conflict resolution techniques and the development of practice-relevant theory related to ethnic, ideological, religious, racial, and other intergroup conflict around the world. Applicants in this area are expected to show significant field-level involvement with conflicts that have international ramifications. This is the only category of the conflict resolution program in which overseas initiatives are considered.

The Foundation reserves a small portion of its funds to support, on a selective basis, organizations and environmental leaders of exceptional national or global merit (with preference accorded to past grantees of the Foundation) whose work does not necessarily reflect a Western focus.

Rapid population growth continues to be a significant worldwide problem, despite the impact organized family planning programs have had in reducing fertility. The Foundation has three
primary goals in this area: to increase the involvement of the public and private sectors, the media, and educational institutions in population issues; to improve the delivery of family planning and related reproductive health services; and to evaluate and help replicate the impact of educational and economic development activities on fertility.

The Hewlett Foundation’s U.S.-Latin American Relations program is an invitation-only program that provides support to institutions in both the United States and Latin America for research, training, exchange, and outreach activities that address the central issues in Latin American development and the varied relationships between the United States and the countries of Latin America. The mission of the program is to improve hemispheric relations in order to promote democratic governance, economic growth with equity, and environmentally sustainable development in the Americas.

Applying for a Grant:
In its grantmaking decisions as well as in its interests and activities, the Hewlett Foundation is wholly independent of the Hewlett-Packard Company and the Hewlett-Packard Company Foundation.

Because the program descriptions are brief and are under continuing review, the most efficient means of initial contact with the Hewlett Foundation is a letter of inquiry, addressed to the president. The letter should contain a brief statement of the applicant’s need for funds and enough factual information to enable the staff to determine whether or not the application falls within the Foundation’s areas of preferred interest or warrants consideration as a special project. There is no fixed minimum or maximum with respect to the size of grants; applicants should provide a straightforward statement of their needs and aspirations for support, taking into account other possible sources of funding.

Proposals are considered according to set timetables.

Contact Information:
The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation
525 Middlefield Road, Suite 200
Menlo Park, CA 94025
Telephone: (650) 329-1070
Fax: (650) 329-9342
About the Foundation:
To make the most effective use of IBM resources and expertise, IBM has selected priority issues and key initiatives for investment. Our main focus is Education. We also provide smaller grants in the areas of Adult Education and Workforce Development, Arts and Culture, Communities in Need, and the Environment. In addition, we provide opportunities for IBM employees to support their communities and the issues they care about through Employee Giving.

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Adult Education and Workforce Development; Arts and Culture; Communities in Need; and Environment

Current International Program Examples:
Adult Training and Workforce Development
Technology can be a powerful tool in education and job training programs for adults, helping broaden opportunities and strengthening programs available to adults in need of new skills and employment. It also can help simulate real job conditions, make the acquisition of education and skills more effective and help people get the network of support they need to obtain and retain employment.

Education
IBM realizes the worldwide power and importance of education. Through our Corporate Education Policy, and major initiatives such as Reinventing Education, KidSmart, and Project FIRST, IBM hopes to promote knowledge and skills which will which ensure thriving communities around the globe.

Environment
IBM’s support of the environment promotes the optimal use of leading-edge technology to conduct environmental research to offer new knowledge and enhanced understanding of these important issues.

Helping Communities in Need
Wherever IBM does business around the globe, we form connections to communities and support a range of civic and nonprofit activities that help those in need. In all our efforts, we demonstrate how technology can enrich and expand access to services and assistance.

Applying for a Grant:

Information for each foundation was taken directly from the foundation’s own web site or from the Foundation Center’s searchable foundation and grants database, available free of charge at any Foundation Center library.
Nonprofit organizations or educational institutions wishing to submit unsolicited proposals to IBM should make an initial inquiry in the form of a two-page letter. In the event that the proposal is of interest to IBM, additional information will be requested.
For more information, go to: http://www.ibm.com/ibm/ibmgives/grant/grantapp.html

Contact Information:
Corporate Community Relations
IBM Corporation
New Orchard Road
Armonk, NY 10504
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**About the Foundation:**
Giving to help people of developing nations in their endeavors to solve some of their problems, to attain a better standard of living, and to obtain a reasonable degree of self-sufficiency. Grants are made in four general areas: 1) Agriculture - research and production, 2) Health - medical, nutrition, and water, 3) Education - formal at all levels and research, and 4) Social Development - cultural, economic, community, and entrepreneurial activity. Some aid to refugees and grants for population planning are given.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Agriculture; Education; Health; and Social development

**Current International Program Examples:**
Not available.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form required, contact organization for more information.

**Contact Information:**
The International Foundation
c/o Carrico Assocs., P.A.
1700 Rte. 23 N., Ste. 170
Wayne, NJ 07470-9113
Telephone: (973) 227-6107

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**About the Foundation:**
The W. Alton Jones Foundation is a private grant making foundation focusing on global environmental protection and the prevention of nuclear war or other massive release of radioactive material. The W. Alton Jones Foundation was established in 1944 by W. Alton Jones “to promote the well-being and general good of mankind throughout the world.” The goals of the foundation are to build a sustainable world by developing new ways for humanity to interact responsibly with the planet’s ecological systems, and build a secure world by eliminating the possibility of nuclear war and by providing alternative methods of resolving conflicts and promoting security.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Environment; International affairs, arms control; and International affairs, peace

**Current International Program Examples:**

**The Secure World Program**
The Secure World Program seeks to build a secure world, free from the nuclear threat. The foundation addresses this challenge by: promoting Common Security and strategies related to how nations can structure their relationships without resorting to nuclear weapons; devising and promoting policy options to control and eventually eliminate existing nuclear arsenals and fissile materials; stemming proliferation of nuclear weapons and related materials; addressing threats to global sustainability by preventing the massive release of radioactive material; and assessing and publicizing the full costs of being a nuclear-weapon state. Within each of these issues, the foundation funds work on a restricted set of program initiatives.

**The Sustainable World Program**
The Sustainable World Program supports efforts that will ensure that human activities do not undermine the quality of life of future generations and do not erode the Earth’s capacity to support living organisms. The foundation addresses this challenge with a tight focus on issues whose resolution will determine how habitable the planet remains over the next century and beyond: maintaining biological diversity; ensuring that human economic activity is based on sound ecological principles; solving humanity’s energy needs in environmentally sustainable ways; and avoiding patterns of contamination that erode the planet’s capacity to support life. Special funds are set aside in the Sustainable World Program to support grassroots efforts of organizations working from local to statewide levels. Within each of these issues, the foundation funds work on a restricted set of program initiatives.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Most of the Foundation’s grantmaking occurs through Foundation-initiated programs. Unsolicited inquiries are considered, although proposals not directed toward the Foundation’s priorities, are unlikely to be funded. Before submitting a proposal, a letter of inquiry should be sent to the Foundation describing the goals of the project and summarizing, in brief, the means by which these goals will be met and the amount of funding to be requested. The letter should be no more than two pages in length. The Foundation responds to all inquiries.

**Contact Information:**
W. Alton Jones Foundation, Inc.
232 East High Street
Charlottesville, VA 22902-5178
Telephone: (804) 295-2134
Fax: (804) 295-1648
E-mail: earth@wajones.org
About the Foundation:
The W. K. Kellogg Foundation is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to apply knowledge to solve the problems of people. Its founder W. K. Kellogg, the cereal industry pioneer, established the Foundation in 1930. Since its beginning the Foundation has continuously focused on building the capacity of individuals, communities, and institutions to solve their own problems.

Programming activities center around the common vision of a world in which each person has a sense of worth; accepts responsibility for self, family, community, and societal well-being; and has the capacity to be productive, and to help create nurturing families, responsible institutions, and healthy communities.

Region(s):
Africa, LAC

Area(s):
Basic education and youth; Community/civil society organizations; Food systems; Rural development; and Philanthropy and volunteerism

Funding for Leadership; Information Systems/Technology; Capitalizing on Diversity; and Social and Economic Community Development is woven throughout the above programming interests.

Current International Program Examples:
Africa: Botswana, Lesotho, Mozambique, South Africa, Swaziland, and Zimbabwe.

Policy Dialogue Forum
Through this Forum, civil society organisations; academics; local, provincial, and national governments; and citizens--including youth and women from rural and urban areas--will be involved in ongoing policy discussions around issues of critical concern to improving life at the local level. To involve local communities and to bring regional and global issues to the local level, the Forum will function at the regional, national, provincial, and local levels using accessible host institutions and the electronic media. Issues discussed will be documented and circulated to appropriate referral points for further exposure, debate, and action.

Latin America & the Caribbean
The UNI Program
(A New Initiative in the Education of Health Professionals: Partnership with the community) is a cooperating effort between the university, the health services and community organizations. Supporting synchronic change processes, UNI’s objective is the integrated development of innovating models and of leaderships. New teaching models, new local health system models, new forms of community action, for the development of better professionals and for better health
service rendering. New leaderships to develop, institutionalize and disseminate the models. Through 20 projects in 10 countries, the UNI concept is being socially constructed, in theory and in practice, undertaking pledges and contributing to the reforms necessary for the educational and health sectors of Latin America and the Caribbean.

Applying for a Grant:
Application forms are not used by the Foundation. Instead, grant applicants are asked to write a one- or two-page preproposal letter to the Foundation, describing the basic problem to be addressed and the plan for solving the problem. The Foundation gives prompt consideration to all preproposal letters. If the proposed project falls within the Foundation’s programming interests and guidelines, and if Foundation priorities and resources permit further consideration, conferences may follow. The organization may be asked to develop a more detailed proposal. For more information go to: http://www.wkkf.org/HowToApply/Default.asp

Contact Information:
W.K. Kellogg Foundation
One Michigan Avenue East
Battle Creek, Michigan 49017-4058
Telephone: (616) 968-1611
Knight Foundation, John S. and James L.  
http://www.knightfdn.org  
1950  
1,247,860,819  
45,696,701  
12/31/98

**About the Foundation:**
The John S. and James L. Knight Foundation was established in 1950 as a private foundation independent of the Knight brothers’ newspaper enterprises. It is dedicated to furthering their ideals of service to community, to the highest standards of journalistic excellence and to the defense of a free press. In both their publishing and philanthropic undertakings, the Knight brothers shared a broad vision and uncommon devotion to the common welfare. It is those ideals, as well as their philanthropic interests, to which the Foundation remains faithful.

**Region(s):**
E&E, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Arts and Culture; Community initiatives, Education; Journalism; and Press freedom activities

The Foundation also remains flexible enough to respond to unique challenges, ideas and projects that lie beyond its identified program areas, yet would fulfill the broad vision of its founders.

**Current International Program Examples:**
**Habitat for Humanity International**  
$1,000,000 emergency grant  
To build housing in Nicaragua and Honduras, two Central American nations ravaged by Hurricane Mitch, has been approved by trustees of the Foundation.

**Inter American Press Association Press Institute**  
$1,133,000 (over three years)  
For a program to protect journalists in Latin America and investigate crimes committed against them.

**Knight International Press Fellowship Program**  
A program that has sent nearly 100 U.S. news executives and journalists on international assignments in the past five years to help build a free press worldwide has received funding to continue through the year 2000 from the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation. A $2.4 million grant will keep the Knight International Press Fellowship program operating by sending senior newsroom executives, business managers and veteran reporters to fragile democracies in Eastern Europe, the former Soviet Union and Latin America. The Foundation awarded $3 million in 1993 to what is now the International Center for Journalists to establish the program, and renewed the funding in 1996 with an additional $3,786,671.

**Applying for a Grant:**
With the exception of special initiatives, the Foundation does not have deadlines for submitting proposals. Proposals are accepted throughout the year and are reviewed on a rolling basis. If a proposal is appropriate and complete, it will be scheduled for board review. Generally, it is at least six months between submission and board review, but the time may vary depending on the circumstances and timing of a proposal. Knight Foundation’s board of trustees meets quarterly in March, June, September and December. See [http://www.knightfnd.org/how_to_apply/how_to_apply.html](http://www.knightfnd.org/how_to_apply/how_to_apply.html) for complete information. Note: The Foundation prefers NOT to fund international programs and organizations, EXCEPT U.S.-based organizations supporting free press around the world.

**Contact Information:**
John S. and James L. Knight Foundation  
One Biscayne Tower, Suite 3800  
2 S. Biscayne Blvd.  
Miami, FL 33131-1803  
Telephone: (305) 908-2600
About the Foundation:
The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation is a private, independent grantmaking institution dedicated to helping groups and individuals foster lasting improvement in the human condition. The Foundation seeks the development of healthy individuals and effective communities; peace within and among nations; responsible choices about human reproduction; and a global ecosystem capable of supporting healthy human societies. The Foundation pursues this mission by supporting research, policy development, dissemination, education and training, and practice.

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Ecosystems conservation and policy; Global arms reduction and security policy; and Population

Also: special initiatives and supports projects that promote excellence and diversity in the media, and the MacArthur Fellows Program, which awards fellowships to exceptionally creative individuals, regardless of field of endeavor.

Current International Program Examples:
The Program on Global Security and Sustainability focuses on arms reduction and security policy, ecosystems conservation and policy, and population, and on three cross-cutting themes: concepts of security and sustainability; new partnerships and institutions; and education about United States interests and responsibilities.

Applying for a Grant:
Each program has individual guidelines. For information, go to: http://www.macfdn.org
Grants increasingly initiated by the board. Application form not required.
Initial approach: Letter of inquiry (2 to 3 pages). Copies of proposal: 1
Board meeting date(s): Monthly, except January, April, July, or August
Final notification: 8 to 10 weeks

Contact Information:
John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation
140 S. Dearborn St., Suite 1100
Chicago, IL 60603-5285
Telephone: (312) 726-8000
Fax: (312) 920-6258
TDD: (312) 920-6285
About the Foundation:
The McKnight Foundation is a private philanthropic organization founded in Minnesota in 1953 by William L. McKnight and his wife, Maude L. McKnight. Mr. McKnight was president and chief executive of the 3M Company. The Foundation, however, has no affiliation with 3M. The mission is to improve the quality of life for present and future generations and to seek paths to a more humane and secure world.

Region(s):
Africa, ANE, Global

Area(s):
Conflict resolution; Health services; and Women’s economic opportunities

Current International Program Examples:
Our modest program of international giving seeks to empower those who have been limited in the past by a lack of opportunities for self-sufficiency and to help organizations develop skills and techniques to prevent conflicts or resolve them peacefully. Two-thirds of our grantmaking is in six countries—three in Africa and three in Southeast Asia. Grants for conflict resolution are made anywhere in the world.
We focus on these areas:
- Enhancing women’s economic opportunity and the well-being of their families in Tanzania, Uganda, and Zimbabwe.
- Strengthening the capacity of local leaders to deliver health services and human development programs for the people of Laos, Vietnam, and Cambodia.
- Enhancing the resolution of international conflict through preventive diplomacy and assisting in the prevention or resolution of human rights violations, particularly for internally displaced persons.

Applying for a Grant:
Write a brief letter describing your organization or project. Your letter will be read by program staff to determine whether McKnight can consider funding the project. If so, a full proposal will be requested. For details see: [http://www.mcknight.org/apply.htm](http://www.mcknight.org/apply.htm)

Contact Information:
The McKnight Foundation
121 South 8th Street, Suite 600
Minneapolis, MN 55402
Telephone: (612) 333-4220
Fax: (612) 317-0766
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**About the Foundation:**
The Andrew W. Mellon foundation, a Not-for-Profit Corporation under the laws of the State of New York, is the result of the consolidation on June 30, 1969 of Old Dominion Foundation into Avalon Foundation with the name of the latter being changed to The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. The purpose of the Foundation is to “aid and promote such religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational purposes as may be in the furtherance of the public welfare or tend to promote the well-doing or well-being of mankind.”

**Region(s):**
Africa, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Africa and LAC: Conservation and the environment
Global: Population and forced migration

**Current International Program Examples:**
**Conservation and the Environment Program**
Our current program is devoted to basic research on how natural ecosystems work. It emphasizes the support of leading institutions, innovative research, and the training of promising doctoral and post-doctoral researchers. We concentrate on the United States with occasional support for joint projects with institutions in Latin America and South Africa. Within the broad field of ecosystems research and training, we focus on botany and terrestrial ecosystems because of their key importance within larger systems and because other funding sources pay the least attention to them.

**Population**
The Mellon Foundation’s population program makes grants totaling roughly $13 million a year in the following program areas: reproductive biology, applied contraceptive development, social science research on population issues in developing countries, delivery of reproductive health services in developing countries and in New York City, and population policy analysis. General emphases which cut across several program areas are the provision of flexible institutional--rather than project--support, and career-development support for junior investigators. Grants are usually made for a three-year period and are usually made to US institutions.

**Program in the Field of Refugees and Forced Migration**
In 1996, the Foundation’s Trustees agreed to the establishment of a small program in the field of refugees and forced migration. The goal of the program is to strengthen the activities of US relief and humanitarian organizations through support for applied research and training. So far, grants totaling roughly $6 million have been made. Grants in the refugee program are made
Information for each foundation was taken directly from the foundation’s own web site or from the Foundation Center’s searchable foundation and grants database, available free of charge at any Foundation Center library.

Applying for a Grant:
Applications are reviewed throughout the year, and no special forms are required. Ordinarily, a short letter setting forth the need, the nature, and the amount of the request and the justification for it, together with evidence of suitable classification by the Internal Revenue Service and any supplementary exhibits an applicant may wish to submit, are sufficient to permit consideration by the staff. Applicants must recognize, however, that the Foundation is able to respond favorably to but a small fraction of the requests that it receives. Only rarely is a grant made in response to an unsolicited proposal outside defined areas of interest, and prospective applicants are encouraged to explore their ideas informally with Foundation staff (preferably in writing) before submitting formal proposals. The Foundation does not make grants to individuals or to primarily local organizations. See the program descriptions on the Foundation’s web site for information on who to address letters to for the various programs: http://www.mellon.org

Contact Information:
The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation
140 East 62nd Street
New York, NY 10021
Telephone: (212) 838-8400
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**About the Foundation:**
Established in 1970 in NY as a trust. Grants are made in the following areas: to medical teaching hospitals for research on developmental disabilities in children; to preserve environmental quality in rural New England and globally; to promote nonproliferation of nuclear weapons; to support reproductive rights initiatives; to advance international human rights; and to support job creation and training in the northeastern U.S.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Child development, education; Child development, services; Civil liberties, reproductive rights; Employment; Employment, services; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Human rights (international); International affairs, arms control; Medical research; and Political science

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Human Rights Watch**
$125,000
To monitor, document and publicize human rights violations around world, including special emphasis on China and independent republics that comprised former Soviet Union.

**Lawyers Committee for Human Rights**
$100,000
For NGO Partnership Program, which offers legal protection for local human rights organizations.

**Monterey Institute of International Studies**
$75,000
For continued support for work to build nuclear nonproliferation profession in former Soviet Union by providing training for young specialists and technical assistance to nongovernmental organizations.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Grants usually made at the initiation of the fund. Applications not accepted. Generally, no support for large organizations with well-established funding sources. No grants to individuals, or for endowment or capital fund projects.

**Contact Information:**
The John Merck Fund
11 Beacon St., Suite 1230
Boston, MA 02108
Telephone: (617) 723-2932
Fax: (617) 523-6029
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**About the Foundation:**
The Moriah Fund was established in 1985 to perpetuate a philosophy of giving that is rooted in Jewish values. These values include: a concern for the disadvantaged and an emphasis on self-help; a commitment to equity and justice; and a desire to improve the quality of life for Jews and non-Jews alike. In accordance with these values, the mission and operations of the Moriah Fund incorporate a concern for the basic needs of all people – especially the most vulnerable – and for the well-being and continuation of the Jewish people.

Headquartered in the District of Columbia, the Fund seeks to promote pluralism and democracy, help disadvantaged people gain self-sufficiency and control over their lives, promote women’s health and human rights, foster sustainable development, and protect and preserve the environment. The Fund focuses on areas where private funding can make a difference, that is, areas that receive inadequate government funds or that leverage additional public and private support through advocacy and the modeling of innovative programs.

**Region(s):**
ANE, Global

**Area(s):**
Community development; Environment; Family planning; Family services; Human rights; Leadership development; Natural resources; and Reproductive health

**Current International Program Examples:**

- **Bank Information Center**
  $75,000
  To provide information and small grants to developing country NGOs to improve environmental policies and projects of multilateral development and for Transparencia Sociedad Civil.

- **Nature Conservancy International**
  $249,000
  For Pronatura Peninsula de Yucatan’s Community Outreach Program, Southern Appalachian Forest Coalition staff training, Rapid Ecological Assessment, community-based conservation in Honduran Mosquitia, Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore, Center for Compatible Economic Development, community outreach and population/environment program in the Andean and Southern Cone region, and to restore tall-grass prairie ecosystems in Oklahoma.

- **Planned Parenthood Federation, International**
  $75,000
  For PROFAMILIA, youth center in Cali, Colombia and Trainers’ Guide on Sexual Health.
Tides Center
$210,000

Applying for a Grant:
All inquiries should be directed to the Washington, DC office. Application must include proposal checklist obtained from the foundation. Application form not required.

Contact Information:
Moriah Fund
1634 I St., NW Suite 1000
Washington, DC 20006
Telephone: (202) 783-8488
Fax: (202) 783-8499
Mott Foundation, Charles Stewart

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**About the Foundation:**
The mission of the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation is to support efforts that promote a just, equitable and sustainable society. The Mott Foundation’s grantmaking is organized in four programs: Civil Society; Environment; Flint; and Poverty. The Mott Foundation makes grants in the U.S. and around the world. About 20 percent of our grants are international.

**Region(s):**
Africa, E&E, Global

**Area(s):**
Civil Society; and Environment

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Civil Society**
The mission of the Mott Foundation’s Civil Society program is to strengthen citizen and nonprofit sector engagement in support of free and pluralistic democratic societies, with primary geographic focus on the United States, Central/Eastern Europe and Russia, South Africa, and at the global level.

**Environment**
The mission of the Mott Foundation’s environmental grantmaking is to support the efforts of an engaged citizenry working to create accountable and responsive institutions, sound public policies, and appropriate models of development that protect the diversity and integrity of selected ecosystems in North America and around the world. The environmental program areas are: Reform of International Finance and Trade; Conservation of Freshwater Ecosystems in North America; and Special Initiatives.

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Foundation has no formal application form. Letters of inquiry, including a brief description of the project and the range of needed funding, are acceptable for initial contact. Check the website for further information and addresses for regional offices:
http://www.mott.org/about/how_to_apply.htm

**Contact Information:**
Charles Stewart Mott Foundation
1200 Mott Foundation Building
Flint, Michigan 48502-1851
Phone: (810) 238-5651
Fax: (810) 766-1753
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**About the Foundation:**
Grants for child development, civil rights and justice, population control, environmental preservation, peace, and arms control and disarmament.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Child development, education; Civil rights; Environment; International affairs, arms control; International affairs, peace; and Population studies

**Current International Program Examples:**
- Center for Reproductive Law and Policy
  - $30,000
- Institute for Policy Studies
  - $40,000
- Tides Center
  - $25,000
  - For Institute for Global Communications program.

**Applying for a Grant:**
- Application form required.
- Initial approach: Letter requesting guidelines
- Copies of proposal: 1
- Board meeting date(s): Spring and Fall
- Deadline(s): February 1 and August 1
- Final notification: For positive responses only

**Contact Information:**
The New-Land Foundation, Inc.
1114 Ave. of the Americas
New York, NY 10036-7798
Telephone: (212) 479-6162
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**About the Foundation:**

The David and Lucile Packard Foundation provides grants to nonprofit organizations in the following broad program areas: Science, Children, Families, and Communities, Population, Conservation, Arts, Organizational Effectiveness, and Philanthropy. The Foundation provides national and international grants.

**Region(s):**
Africa, ANE, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Arts; Children, families and communities; Conservation; Organizational effectiveness; Philanthropy; Population; and Science

**Current International Program Examples:**

Recognizing that science has always been an international undertaking and that the solution of global problems in the coming century will increasingly require cooperative work among scientists in different countries, the Foundation is planning a new program to encourage excellence in research in developing countries. Guidelines will be developed during 2000.

Mexico, the fourth most biologically rich nation in the world, contains lush tropical forests, vast deserts, snow-covered mountains, alpine tundra, pine-oak forests, coastal lagoons, estuaries, and reefs. The Foundation will likely concentrate its work on preserving important marine and coastal systems by targeting critical ecoregions for focused activity in the areas of public policy, economic analysis, and public education and constituency development, with particular emphasis on the Gulf of California and Baja California.

In China, the Foundation will support efforts to develop clean energy policies, to train mid- and high-level managers in energy efficiency, and to reform energy management practices in key sectors of the economy such as transportation and utilities.

**Applying for a Grant:**

Grants given only to tax-exempt, charitable organizations.

For more information: [http://www.packfound.org](http://www.packfound.org)

**Contact Information:**
The David and Lucile Packard Foundation
300 Second Street, Suite 200
Los Altos, CA 94022
Telephone: (650) 948-7658

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Ploughshares Foundation

About the Foundation:
Independent foundation. Established in 1990 in IL.
Fields of interest: Civil rights, race/intergroup relations; Environment; Foundations (community); Homeless; Human services; International development

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Civil rights, race/intergroup relations; Environment; Foundations, community; Homeless; Human services; and International development

Current International Program Examples:
Amnesty International USA
$25,000
For unrestricted support

Catholic Relief Services
$44,000
For unrestricted support

Oxfam America
$110,000
For unrestricted support

Applying for a Grant:
No grants to individuals.
Application form not required.
Initial approach: Proposal
Deadline(s): None

Contact Information:
Ploughshares Foundation
108 W. Grand Avenue
Chicago, IL 60610
Telephone: (312) 321-9700
About the Foundation:
The Rockefeller Brothers Fund (RBF) is a philanthropic organization dedicated to improving the well-being of all people in the transition to global interdependence. On July 1, 1999, the RBF and the Charles E. Culpeper Foundation merged. Under the name of the Rockefeller Brothers Fund, the major grantmaking programs of both foundations will be continued. On July 1, 1999, the Charles E. Culpeper Foundation of Stamford, Connecticut, merged with the RBF, bringing the Fund’s total assets to approximately $670 million.

The Fund’s major objective is to improve the well-being of all people through support of efforts in the United States and abroad that contribute ideas, develop leaders, and encourage institutions in the transition to global interdependence. Attention is focused on locally based problems and grantees, but in the context of global concerns. To maximize resources, projects are concentrated from time to time in different geographic regions. At present those regions include the United States, East Central Europe, East Asia, and the Russian Far East.

Region(s):
Africa, ANE, E&E

Area(s):
ANE, E&E: Sustainable Resources; Global Security; and Nonprofit Sector
South Africa: Education

Current International Program Examples:
Nonprofit Sector
To promote the health and vitality of the nonprofit sector, both nationally and internationally, particularly in those regions of the world where the Fund is engaged in other aspects of its program.

One World: Global Security Program
To contribute to the emergence of a more just, sustainable, and peaceful world by improving the cooperative management of transnational threats and challenges.

One World: Sustainable Resource Use
To foster environmental stewardship which is ecologically based, economically sound, culturally appropriate, and sensitive to questions of intergenerational equity.
South Africa
To improve the quality and accessibility of basic education for children and adults in South Africa, in the areas of early childhood development, lower primary learning, and adult basic education and training.

Applying for a Grant:
A preliminary letter of inquiry is recommended for an initial approach to the Fund. Such a letter, which need not be more than two or three pages in length, should include a succinct description of the project or organization for which support is being sought and its relationship to the Fund’s program, information about the principal staff members involved, a synopsis of the budget, and an indication of the amount requested from the Fund. Letters of inquiry are accepted in English only, and should be addressed to Benjamin R. Shute, Jr., Secretary, at the offices of the Fund. The review of inquiries is ongoing throughout the year. For more information, go to: http://www.rbf.org/howapply.html

Contact Information:
Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Inc.
437 Madison Ave., 37th Fl.
New York, NY 10022-7001
Telephone: (212) 812-4200
Fax: (212) 812-4299

**About the Foundation:**
Over the course of the past year the Foundation affirmed John D. Rockefeller’s original mandate “to promote the well-being of mankind throughout the world.” Within this mandate, however, it was decided that the mission for the 21st century should be: The Rockefeller Foundation is a knowledge-based, global foundation with a commitment to enrich and sustain the lives and livelihoods of poor and excluded people throughout the world.

**Region(s):**
Africa, ANE, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Creativity and culture; Food security; and Health equity

**Special Programs:** Communication; Education; Partnerships; Philanthropy; and Population

**Current International Program Examples:**

**Creativity and Culture**
To preserve and renew the cultural heritage of people who have been excluded from the benefits of a globalizing world, to promote the free flow of ideas in the public sphere and to support diverse creative expression in the arts and humanities. As in the past, our work will concentrate in the United States. But we will increasingly extend into Latin America, Africa and the Muslim world. The work plan for Creativity & Culture focuses on maintaining momentum while exploring new opportunities. The work plan contains three subthemes: Resilient and Creative Communities; Knowledge and Freedom in the Public Sphere; Creativity and Innovation in a Global Age.

**Food Security**
To help achieve food security for all through the generation of agricultural policies, institutions and innovations that can provide sustainable livelihoods for the rural poor in regions of developing countries bypassed by the Green Revolution. Because food security and agricultural systems are so differentiated across locations, the program will encourage the adaptation of programs to local circumstances within a global framework. Our work will align with three program subthemes: Enabling Farmer Participation; Applying Science and Technology; Strengthening Policies and Institutions.

**Health Equity**
To advance global health equity by pursuing the reduction of avoidable and unfair differences in the health status of populations. The program will concentrate its work in sub-Saharan Africa and south and Southeast Asia, the regions of the world facing the most serious health challenges.

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We will work within three subthemes: Harnessing the New Sciences; Resourcing Public Health; Strengthening Global Leadership.

**Special Programs**  See web site for further information: [http://www.rockfound.org/](http://www.rockfound.org/)
- Population and the Cairo Agenda
- African Higher Education
- Communication for Social Change
- Public/Private Partnerships
- Global Philanthropy

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Foundation is a proactive grantmaker — that is, the officers and staff seek out opportunities that will advance the Foundation’s long-term goals, rather than reacting to unsolicited proposals. Foundation officers receive more than 12,000 proposals each year, 75 percent of which cannot be considered because their purposes fall outside the Foundation program guidelines. It is important to note that as a matter of policy the Foundation does not give or lend money for personal aid to individuals, support attempts to influence legislation, or, except in rare cases, provide general institutional support, fund endowments or contribute to building and operating funds.

**Contact Information:**
The Rockefeller Foundation
420 Fifth Avenue
New York, NY, 10018-2702
Telephone: (212) 869-8500
About the Foundation:
Established in 1989 in CA. Giving primarily to study/remedy issues affecting women and children; some international support for human rights, with emphasis on women’s rights.

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Civil rights; Civil rights, immigrants; Civil rights, women; Education; Human rights (international); Immigrants/refugees; International economic development; International migration/refugee issues; Media/communications; and Women

Current International Program Examples:
Delphi International Group
$42,000
For STAR Project

Human Rights Watch
$75,000

Women in Law and Development in Africa
$35,000

Women, Law and Development International
$95,000

Applying for a Grant:
No grants to individuals, or for direct services. Application form not required.
Initial approach: 2-page proposal. Copies of proposal: 1
Board meeting date(s): February and August.
Deadline(s): January and July

Contact Information:
Shaler Adams Foundation
Presidio Bldg. 1016, Lincoln Blvd. & Torney Ave.
P.O. Box 29274
San Francisco, CA 94129-0274
Telephone: (415) 561-6570
Fax: (415) 561-6491
E-mail: shaler@igc.apc.org
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**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1935 in NC. The mission of the Smith Richardson Foundation is to contribute to important public debates and to help address serious public policy challenges facing the United States. The Foundation seeks to help ensure the vitality of our social, economic, and governmental institutions. It also seeks to assist with the development of effective policies to compete internationally and advance U.S. interests and values abroad.

**Region(s):**
ANE, E&E

**Area(s):**
Economics; Education; Foreign policy; Government/public administration; International affairs; International studies; Political science; Public policy research; Social sciences; and Youth pregnancy prevention. Some programs are U.S. based only.

**Current International Program Examples:**
**Domestic Public Policy Program**
Environmental Resources Trust
$150,000
Developing a New Generation of Policies to Solve Environmental Problems
This grant supports research on environmental policies that use market-based incentives to meet environmental standards.

**International Security and Foreign Policy Program**
Asia Society
$118,635
Mongolia in the Twenty-First Century: From Commissars to Capitalists? This grant supports the research and writing of a book on the political and economic evolution of Mongolia.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Most projects funded are initiated by the foundation. The staff does not meet with applicants. Application form not required. Initial approach: 3- to 5-page concept paper. Decisions on requests for grants greater than $50,000 and for multi-year grant support are made quarterly. Proposals for grants of $50,000 or less are reviewed on an ongoing basis and are handled as promptly as possible. For more information go to: [http://www.srf.org](http://www.srf.org)

**Contact Information:**
Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc.
60 Jesup Rd.
Foundations were taken directly from the foundation's own website or from the Foundation Center's searchable foundation and grants database, available free of charge at any Foundation Center library.

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**About the Foundation:**
The numerous nonprofit foundations created by the philanthropist George Soros are linked together in an informal network known as the Soros Foundations Network. At the heart of this network are the “national foundations,” a group of autonomous organizations operating in over 30 countries around the world, principally in Central and Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union but also in Guatemala, Haiti, Mongolia, and Southern Africa. All of the national foundations share the common mission of supporting the development of open society. To this end, they operate and support an array of initiatives concerned with arts and culture, children and youth, civil society development, economic reform, education at all levels, legal reform and public administration, media and communications, publishing, and health care. The Open Society Institute (OSI) and the Open Society Institute-Budapest (OSI-Budapest) assist the national foundations by providing administrative, financial, and technical support, as well as by establishing “network programs” to address certain issues on a regional or network-wide basis. In 1997, the organizations of the Soros Foundations Network spent a total of $428.4 million on philanthropic activities. The largest portion of these expenditures was devoted to education.

**Region(s):**
America, ANE, E&E, LAC

**Area(s):**
Arts and culture; Children and youth; Civil society development; Economic reform; Education; Health care; Legal reform and public administration; and Media and communications

**Current International Program Examples:**
International Initiatives within the framework of organizations supported by George Soros can be divided into the following categories. First, purely international initiatives that are concerned with topics of interest for the larger world community, for example migration and landmines. Secondly, initiatives that deal with the arts and education, like science education and the Documentary Fund. And lastly, there are country-specific initiatives that deal with a limited geographic area, like Burma and Central Eurasia.

The Burma Project assists Burman refugees as well as refugees from other ethnic groups by providing opportunities for education, job training, and communication. The Project also promotes international awareness of the oppressive living conditions created by the country’s military dictatorship. In 1997, the Project provided humanitarian aid and supported training programs for refugees exiled along Burma’s border. For example, the Project contributed funds to the Burmese Border Consortium, an alliance of organizations that helps refugees who, for a variety of reasons, rather than crossing into Thailand remain camped just inside the Burmese border.

Information for each foundation was taken directly from the foundation’s own website or from the Foundation Center’s searchable foundation and grants database, available free of charge at any Foundation Center library.
Applying for a Grant:
Refer to the web site for application information specific to each international project: http://www.soros.org

Contact Information:
Open Society Institute
400 W. 59th Street
New York, NY 10019
Telephone: (212) 548-0600
Fax: (212) 548-4679
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**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1955 in NY. Grants largely for education with emphasis on higher education, including scholarships under specific programs; support also for culture, health, welfare, and social sciences.

**Region(s):**
Global

**Area(s):**
Arts; Education; Health care; Health organizations; Higher education; Human services; and Social sciences

**Current International Program Examples:**
- **Asia Society**
  $5,000,000
  For capital campaign, payable over 5 years.

- **International AIDS Vaccine Initiative**
  $4,000,000
  For general support, payable over 3 years.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required.
Initial approach: Letter
Copies of proposal: 1
Board meeting date(s): February and September
Deadline(s): None
Final notification: Varies

**Contact Information:**
The Starr Foundation
70 Pine Street
New York, NY 10270
Telephone: (212) 770-6883
Fax: (212) 425-6261
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**About the Foundation:**
Trust established in 1962 in WA. At least 85 percent of funds paid for evangelical religious organizations whose ministries reach beyond the local community; grants primarily for Christian organizations, foreign missions, and youth ministries; some support also for local social service agencies.

**Region(s):**
Africa, ANE

**Area(s):**
Christian organizations/churches; Community development; International affairs, peace; International economic development; Leadership development; Theological school/education; Youth development, religion; Youth development, services; and Youth, services

**Current International Program Examples:**
- **African Enterprise**
  - $90,000
  - For general support

- **Middle East Media**
  - $100,000
  - For SAT-7 program

- **Mission Aviation Fellowship**
  - $50,000
  - For general support

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required. Initial approach: Letter
Copies of proposal: 1. Deadline(s): None. Final notification: 90 days
Application address: P.O. Box 1278, Tacoma, WA 98401

**Contact Information:**
The Stewardship Foundation
Tacoma Financial Center, Suite 1500
1145 Broadway Plaza
Tacoma, WA 98402
Telephone: (253) 620-1340
Fax: (253) 572-2721
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**About the Foundation:**
Giving for “integrated approaches to population stabilization, environmental protection, conservation and sustainable development.” Areas of interest include: improving reproductive health and family planning services; enhancing educational, economic, and political opportunities for women, with emphasis on girls and teens; building links between population and environment issues through field-based programs, research, and policy; and promoting the preservation of biodiversity in Latin America and the Caribbean through conservation-based development and eco-regional planning.

**Region(s):**
Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Environment; Population; Reproductive health; and Women

**Current International Program Examples:**
Not available.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Unsolicited requests for funds not considered. Application form required.

**Contact Information:**
The Summit Charitable Foundation, Inc.
1990 M St., N.W.
Suite 250
Washington, DC 20036
Telephone: (202) 785-1724
Fax: (202) 857-0025
E-mail: info@summitfdn.org
Tinker Foundation, Inc., The [http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/tinker](http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/tinker)

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**About the Foundation:**
The Tinker Foundation was created in 1959 by Dr. Edward Larocque Tinker. His lifelong interest in the Iberian tradition in the Old and New Worlds directed the Foundation’s overall focus on Latin America, Spain and Portugal. More recently the Foundation has included in its mandate the support of projects concerning Antarctica, a region of significant interest on an international scale.

**Region(s):**
LAC

**Area(s):**
Economic policy; Environmental policy; Foreign policy; and Governance issues

**Current International Program Examples:**

- **Amigos de Sian Kaan**
  $114,000
  For project strengthening Environmental Policy Program in Quintana Roo, payable over 3 years.

- **Center for Sustainable Development in the Americas**
  $58,000
  To design Small Enterprise Support Account (SES), part of Central American Fund for Sustainable Development, providing stable, long-term financing for regional projects.

- **Corporacion LatinoAmericana para el Desarrollo**
  $65,000
  To improve administration of justice in Ecuador by strengthening implementation and understanding of citizens’ constitutional rights and responsibilities under constitutional reforms.

- **Council on Foreign Relations**
  $240,000
  For Latin American Program, including Study Group in Brazil, seminar series on economic and political events in Latin America, Re-inventing North America roundtable series on emerging economic and cultural trends in Canada, Mexico and U.S. and conference identifying and integrating new generation of policymakers and analysts into policy debate, payable over 3 years.

- **Environmental Law Institute**
  $80,000

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To strengthen capacity of Latin America’s private sector for achieving sustainable development, U.S. training modules, seminars and publications, payable over 2 years.

**Fundacion Poder Ciudadano**

$90,000
To create model for monitoring campaign finance.

**Northwestern University, Center for International and Comparative Studies**

$65,500
For comparative analysis on success of governmental administrative reforms.

**Organization for Tropical Studies.**

$79,000
To design and organize decisionmakers’ course for business leaders from Central America and establish Advisory Committee of representatives from Central American corporations and business schools, payable over 2 years.

**Torcuato di Tella University, School of Law**

$66,000
For project to introduce economic principles into legal reasoning in Argentina.

**Applying for a Grant:**
Giving limited to projects related to Latin America, Spain, Portugal, and Antarctica. No support for projects concerned with health or medical issues or the arts and humanities. No grants to individuals, or for building or endowment funds, equipment, annual campaigns, operating budgets, annual appeals of community funds, or production costs for film, television, and radio projects.

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The Tinker Foundation, Inc.
55 E. 59th Street
New York, NY 10022
Telephone: (212) 421-6858
Fax: (212) 223-3326
E-mail: tinker@tinker.org
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**About the Foundation:**
The Turner Foundation supports activities directed toward preservation of the environment, conservation of natural resources, protection of wildlife, and sound population policies. The Foundation supports organizations that “provide education and activism on preservation activities and seek to instill in all citizens a sense of common responsibility for the fate of life on Earth.”

**Region(s):**
E&E, Global, LAC

**Area(s):**
Energy; Forests/habitat; Population; and Water/toxics

**Current International Program Examples:**
To protect rivers, lakes, wetlands, aquifers, oceans and other water systems from contamination, degradation, and other abuses. Consideration will be given to some international programs.

To protect the atmosphere and other natural resources by promoting energy efficiency, renewable energy and improved transportation policies and practices. Domestic and International.

To defend biodiversity by protecting natural habitats. Domestic and International. Internationally, priority consideration will be given to Mexico, Argentina and Russia.

Worldwide development of policies and practices which will reduce population growth by addressing the relationships between population growth, global resources, the status of women and girls, and access to family planning and reproductive health services.

**Applying for a Grant:**
The Foundation does not provide funding for buildings, land acquisition, endowments, or start-up funds. Additionally, the Foundation does not fund films, books, magazines, or other specific media projects. The Foundation does not provide support to individuals. The Foundation does not pay the administrative costs for submitting a grant.

The Foundation awards grants to organizations on an annual basis. Prior to submitting a grant application for continued support, reapplying organizations must file a report updating their activities.
The Foundation’s board meets four times annually. Within four weeks of receiving your proposal, the Foundation will notify you by mail as to the cycle your proposal has been assigned, as well as any additional information that might be needed to complete your application. See http://www.turnerfoundation.org/turner/application.html for full details.

Contact Information:
Turner Foundation
One CNN Center
Suite 1090 - South Tower
Atlanta, GA 30303
Wallace Genetic Foundation, Inc.  
1959 65,196,577 2,945,700 12/31/98

**About the Foundation:**
Incorporated in 1959 in NY. The Wallace Genetic Foundation provides support for agricultural research and preservation of farmland, health and nutritional research, and sustainable development.

**Region(s):**
E&E, LAC

**Area(s):**
Agriculture; Animal welfare; Cancer research; Health associations; Media research; Natural resource conservation and protection; Nutrition; and Public policy

**Current International Program Examples:**
- Environmental Defense Fund, $100,000
- Henry A. Wallace Institute for Alternative Agriculture, $255,000
- Nature Conservancy, $113,660
- Organic Farming Research Foundation, $40,000
- Politics of Food Program, $50,000

**Applying for a Grant:**
Application form not required.
Initial approach: One or two page letter and proposal. Copies of proposal: 1

**Contact Information:**
Wallace Genetic Foundation, Inc.
4900 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Suite 220
Washington, DC 20016
Telephone: (202) 966-2932
Fax: (202) 362-1510
E-mail: WGFDN@aol.com

Information for each foundation was taken directly from the foundation’s own web site or from the Foundation Center’s searchable foundation and grants database, available free of charge at any Foundation Center library.
About the Foundation:
The Wallace Global Fund is guided by the vision of the late Henry A. Wallace, former Secretary of Agriculture and Vice-President under Franklin D. Roosevelt. Committed to serving the general welfare, his life exemplified farsightedness, global vision, and receptivity to new ideas. He was keenly interested in scientific innovation as a force to enhance human well-being and had an abiding faith in the individual’s spirit and capacity to bring about sound and just social change. The mission of the Wallace Global Fund is to catalyze and leverage critically needed global progress towards an equitable and environmentally sustainable society.

Region(s):
Global

Area(s):
Consumption; Environment; Female genital mutilation; Outreach and education; Population; and Poverty alleviation

Current International Program Examples:
Consumption
The Wallace Global Fund is exploring strategies to promote sustainable consumption. There is growing recognition that industrial nations must reduce and shift consumption patterns to ensure that future generations have adequate resources, and that those same generations do not inherit an unmanageable amount of waste. The Fund welcomes proposals that address institutional consumption of natural resources in a creative and leveraged way.

Environment
The Wallace Global Fund’s grantmaking in this arena seeks to address the profound concerns scientists, policymakers, and citizens have raised about the full cost of human activity on the planet. Through support for innovation and recognition of the cross-cutting nature of risks and solutions, the Wallace Global Fund is working to build and strengthen the base of knowledge about, as well as popular and political support for, environmentally sustainable development. The Fund seeks initiatives which integrate environmental objectives into public and private economic and policy decisions of global significance, and strengthen civil society participation in international economic and environmental governance.

Female Genital Mutilation
The practice of FGM has profound implications for women’s reproductive health and equity in Africa, as noted by the International Conference on Population and Development’s Cairo Plan of Action. This is the only program area of the Fund not focused on sustainable development. The Fund has, for historical reasons, made limited funds available for the support of highly leveraged initiatives to eradicate the practice of female genital mutilation.
Outreach and Education
The Wallace Global Fund supports selected projects that lie outside traditional program guidelines but which the Fund believes support and advance overall progress toward sustainable development. The Fund welcomes innovative, inter-disciplinary, and cross-cutting proposals of global significance which work to engage diverse constituencies, increase public awareness, encourage international cooperation and collaboration, and/or strengthen capacity within institutions.

Population
Population pressures exacerbate many of the fundamental obstacles to sustainable development: environmental degradation, poverty, gender inequity, and poor health. Recognizing the scale and complexity of the population issue, the Wallace Global Fund seeks initiatives which expand reproductive choices for women as a way to improve the lives of women and their families and slow the growth of human populations.

Poverty Alleviation
The Wallace Global Fund supports efforts to address how financial markets and public and private development institutions can more adequately address both equity concerns and the reduction of poverty via microfinance. Through support for policy work - with a focus on regulatory reform and the increased involvement of commercial banks - the Fund is supporting selected efforts in the microenterprise field.

Applying for a Grant:
The Wallace Global Fund recommends submission of a concept paper, not to exceed three pages, prior to submission of a full proposal. This paper, accompanied by a brief letter of inquiry, should state: the problem(s) being addressed, the goal of the initiative, specific objectives, accompanying strategies, as well as anticipated results, requested grant amount, project time period with start and end dates, and primary contact person. Applicants will be informed if a full proposal is warranted, at which time prospective grantees should submit materials and supporting documents as outlined below.

Contact Information:
Wallace Global Fund
1990 M Street, NW, Suite 250
Washington, DC 20036 USA
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Fax: (202) 452-0922
E-mail: tkroll@wgf.org
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International grantmaking constitutes an unusually complex cross-section of philanthropy. Its boundless scope and intricate topography present a formidable challenge for research. Geographically, it encompasses both giving in the U.S. for international activities and giving throughout the world. Topically, it is also without boundaries. U.S. foundations support on an international level nearly every activity, issue, and scholarly pursuit they fund domestically. Increasingly, the issues foundations tackle transcend borders, with the effect that the distinctions between domestic and international programs have become blurred.

Over the past decade the field of international grantmaking has gone through enormous changes due to the geopolitical transformation of the world. The blooming of democracy and more open societies has opened up new geographic areas for grantmakers. At the same time, the explosive growth of indigenous nongovernmental organizations (NGOs) in many countries has stimulated vast new opportunities for funding overseas in nearly every philanthropic field. In a relatively short period of time, international grantmaking has become as diverse and complex in its scope as giving domestically. It has also become more localized.

A comprehensive review of trends in international grantmaking has never been undertaken. This study fills that gap for one important source of private support—U.S. grantmaking foundations. The study was conducted by the Foundation Center with the support and collaboration of the Council on Foundations. Its broad purpose is to foster better understanding among funders, nonprofits, and the international community of the role that foundations play in the international field and about the ways that they practice international grantmaking.

Components of the study include a brief history of U.S. international grantmaking and a review of some of the factors that have facilitated the recent growth in funding overseas; an analysis by subject, purpose, and geographic focus of nearly 12,000 international grants awarded in 1990 and 1994; a discussion of current practice and future trends in international grantmaking based on interviews with grantmakers; profiles of more than 60 leading foundation and corporate international grantmakers; and commentary on international funding by three distinguished practitioners, including two from outside the U.S.

This report is one of a series of benchmark studies produced by the Foundation Center on major fields of philanthropy. Research was guided by an advisory committee representing grantmakers, scholars, and other experts in the international field.

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**Growth of Giving to Overseas Recipients by Major Regions, 1990 to 1994 (current dollars)**

The bar chart shows the growth of giving to overseas recipients by major regions from 1990 to 1994. The data is based on a sample of grants of $10,000 or more from 821 foundations for 1990 and 1,020 foundations for 1994. Grants to overseas recipients, e.g., in Europe, may be for programs conducted in other countries or regions.
Funding Trends in the 1990s

The following analysis presents both actual giving data on nearly 39,000 grantmaking foundations and estimated total international giving. Estimates are based on the percent of international giving of a sample of foundations as a proportion of the total giving reported by all foundations.

Foundation Funding Grows in the 1990s; International Funding Also Rises: From 1990 to 1994, U.S. independent, corporate, and community foundation giving rose from $8.7 billion to $11.3 billion, an increase of 30 percent. Adjusted for inflation, the rise was 14 percent. Although growth was slower than in the late 1980s, foundation gains were nevertheless steady. International grantmaking by U.S. foundations also grew at a healthy pace in the 1990s. In 1994, foundations awarded an estimated $966 million for all international activities, a gain of almost $200 million since 1990. Adjusted for inflation, the rise was 11.3 percent, slightly behind overall actual giving. (In contrast, gains in international funding for the more than 1,000 larger foundations in the study sample described below were much higher—18 percent in real terms—and exactly matched the growth rate for all funding.)

International Grantmaking Trends

The following data derive from an analysis of grants of $10,000 or more authorized or paid by 821 foundations in 1990 and 1,020 foundations in 1994. Giving by these funders represented over 50 percent of all foundation grant dollars in each of those years. These primarily large funders provided more than two-thirds of estimated total international giving by all foundations.

International Giving Climbs 18 Percent After Inflation; Matches Growth of all Funding: From 1990 to 1994, international giving by foundations in the sample grew from $508.2 million to $679.4 million, up $171 million or nearly 34 percent. In real terms, giving rose 18 percent, matching the growth rate for all funding. The number of international grants climbed to 6,649, a 30 percent rise. New foundations and other funders reporting international grants for the first time accounted for roughly half of the added grant dollars.

International Programs Hold Steady at 11.5 Percent of Foundation Support: No major shifts in either the share of international grant dollars or share of number of grants were evident during the study years. Roughly one in nine grant dollars and one in eleven grants went to international programs in 1990 and 1994. In contrast to recent stability, the share of international giving by foundations has doubled since the early 1980s.

Half of Foundations Make International Grants; 153 Devote at Least One-Tenth to International Causes: In 1994, 479 foundations—nearly one-half of the Grants Index sample—made at least one international grant. International giving was modest compared with all funding, totaling less than 5 percent for most funders. Yet 153 foundations—large and small, independent and corporate—gave at least one-tenth of their grants for international programs; 75 gave at least one-quarter; and 31 gave one-half or more.

Overseas Funding Grows Rapidly in 1990s, Outpacing Growth of Funding of U.S. International Programs: U.S. funders became far more active overseas in the 1990s, leading to striking changes in international grantmaking patterns. From 1990 to 1994, funding of overseas recipients grew five times faster than funding of U.S.-based programs. The amount of overseas giving by sampled foundations climbed from $166 million to $289 million, a rise of 74 percent. The largest international funders led this trend. Grants overseas by the top ten funders grew seven times faster than their grants to U.S.-based programs. Despite this rapid growth, U.S.-based recipients received about 57 percent of all international funding in 1994, down from 67 percent in 1990.

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*Based on a sample of grants from The Foundation Grants Index for the years indicated.

International Giving as a Percentage of All Giving by Foundations in The Foundation Grants Index, 1982–1994*
Post-Cold War Funding Priorities Shift: During the Cold War and through the start of the 1990s, international affairs/peace and security was the preeminent funding area in the international field. In the 1990s, sweeping geopolitical changes caused funders to reassess their international programs, and dramatic shifts occurred in broad funding priorities. These included a greater emphasis on development, health and family planning, education, and human rights and civil liberties; and a decline in spending for international affairs. Funding dropped steeply for international affairs policy and research, exchanges, and peace and security. In the peace and security field, funding for national security programs declined while support increased for arms control and conflict resolution, which is one of the fastest growing areas of the field.

Grantmaking Diversifies as Funders Take on Local Issues: The closer involvement of foundations with local groups in the 1990s has led to an expansion and diversification of grantmaking programs. Grantmaking abroad now closely mirrors the complexity of domestic grantmaking. Funding has increased at the grassroots level for community improvement and human service programs, primary health care programs, primary and secondary education, adult and continuing education programs, media and communications, historic preservation, the performing arts, migration and refugee issues, and civil liberties.

Funding Priorities Vary by Region: International development was the top funding priority in Latin America, Eastern and Central Europe (ECE), and Asia; it ranked second among priorities in sub-Saharan Africa and in the Middle East and North Africa. Health and family planning was the top priority in sub-Saharan Africa and in Western Europe, where much of the funding supported international health organizations active in developing countries. Health was also a top priority in Asia and Latin America. International affairs, which includes peace and security, was the top priority in the Middle East and ranked second in the ECE, Western Europe, and Asia. Support for public affairs and civil society programs was strongest in the ECE countries, the Middle East, and Asia; human rights was a higher priority in sub-Saharan Africa than in any other region; and arts funding was a high priority in Western Europe, while the social sciences received strong support in Latin America.

Funding for Special Population Groups Rises: Support for special population groups increased in international grantmaking in the 1990s, just as it increased in all U.S. funding in the 1980s. Grants for special population groups represented nearly 28 percent of funding in 1994, up from only 22 percent in 1990. Among the

Percentage of International Grant Dollars by Major Program Area, 1990 and 1994

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Total Amount = $208,221,472

Total Amount = $679,432,522

*The public/society benefit category includes grants for public affairs, philanthropy, and general grants to promote civil society. Note that civil society grants are also found in other categories, such as human rights and international development.

Comparison of Major Beneficiary Groups of International Grants vs. All Grants, 1994*

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principal beneficiary groups, funding nearly doubled for women and girls and for immigrants and refugees, increased by nearly three-fourths for children, and grew by at least half for minorities and the economically disadvantaged. The rate of growth was also high for men and boys, crime and abuse victims, people with AIDS, and substance abusers. One likely explanation for the rapid increase in funding for these groups involves the dramatic rise in overseas giving discussed throughout this analysis and the concurrent growth in support for community-based groups.

Future Trends

The following results were drawn from in-depth interviews with representatives of 26 international grantmakers conducted in early 1997.

Funding Levels Expected to Remain Steady or Increase, Although Concerns Exist: Most grantmakers expected the level of funding for their international programs to either remain the same or to increase. However, increasing “globalization” is causing dislocations and economic insecurity in the U.S. and other countries. Some of the large foundations expressed concern that these developments—combined with government cutbacks in domestic social programs—will create more demand for funding domestic programs and reduce the resources available for international purposes. Most of the mid-size and smaller funders expected interest to grow because of the increasing interdependence of countries and declining differentiation between “domestic” and “international” issues in grantmaking programs. All funders expected that corporate international giving will continue to gain as more companies become global.

International Giving Will Grow More Focused and Strategic: Foundations anticipate the trend toward more focused and strategic grantmaking to continue in both domestic and international giving. Respondents also expected greater collaboration among funders and increasing partnerships with multilateral lending agencies, the private sector, local government, and European and Japanese funders. Funders also predicted a greater willingness among foundations and corporate grantmakers to share best practices.

Funders Will Address Emerging Program Areas: A large majority of independent foundations reported their movement into new program areas, including women’s political participation, the role of men in reproductive health, sustainable resource use, urban issues, creating a stable society in the former Soviet Union, democratization/governance/civil society, redefining security, addressing ethnic conflict, and educating the American public about international issues.

More Attention Will be Directed to the Philanthropic Sector Overseas: Several respondents are supporting the development of the charitable sector overseas—in Eastern and Central Europe, the former Soviet Union, South Africa, and Mexico. This new interest of grantmakers in promoting citizen action and philanthropy is likely to increase in the future.

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