

Grant Title: FORD FOUNDATION GRANTS

Area of Research: The Ford Foundation provides support for projects within its grant-making interest areas.

Deadline: Rolling deadline. Submit a brief letter of inquiry.

Amount: Based on project; Under \$200,000 may be approved locally. Over \$200,000 are considered through the New York office.

Length of Support: Based on project

Eligible applicants: 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. The foundation monitors grants through regular financial and narrative reports submitted by the grantee. The foundation directs its support to activities that are within its [current interests](#) and are likely to have wide effect. Support is not normally given for routine operating costs of institutions or for religious activities. Except in rare cases, funding is not available for the construction or maintenance of buildings.

Foundation: The Ford Foundation

Summary: The Ford Foundation is a resource for innovative people and institutions worldwide. The foundation goals are: strengthen democratic values, reduce poverty and injustice, promote international cooperation, and advance human achievement. In pursuit of its mission around the world, the Ford Foundation's grant-making activity generates ideas as well as social change. The list is long—the search for constructive ways to promote and strengthen religious diversity; social, economic and political approaches to control of the AIDS epidemic; new ideas for education reform; and use of the arts to build communities economically and socially. The Office of Communications' central goal is to make sure the best of these ideas are widely shared. Most of the foundation's grant funds are given to organizations. Although it also makes grants to individuals, they are few in number relative to demand and are limited to research, training and other activities related to its program interests.

Detailed Information: <http://www.fordfound.org/about/guideline.cfm>