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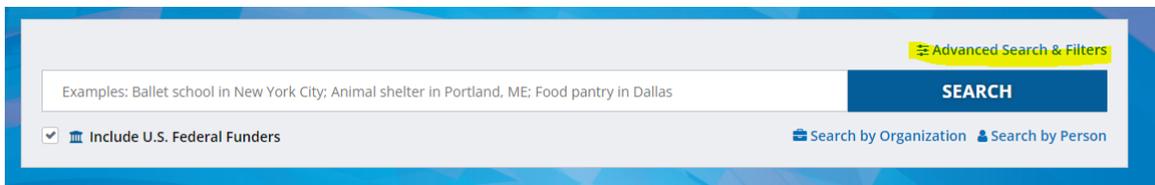
<https://libraries.emory.edu/business/research-learning/databases/foundation-directory>

Use Foundation Directory Online (FDO) database to identify grantmaking information and funding history for 140,000+U.S. and international foundations, corporations, and federal agencies .

Recommend that you also use [GuideStar](#), a useful companion database, for ensuring the most robust results.

Creating Your Customized Search

Click **Advanced Search & Filters** to open a template broken down into categories or facets for customizing your search.



Examples: Ballet school in New York City; Animal shelter in Portland, ME; Food pantry in Dallas

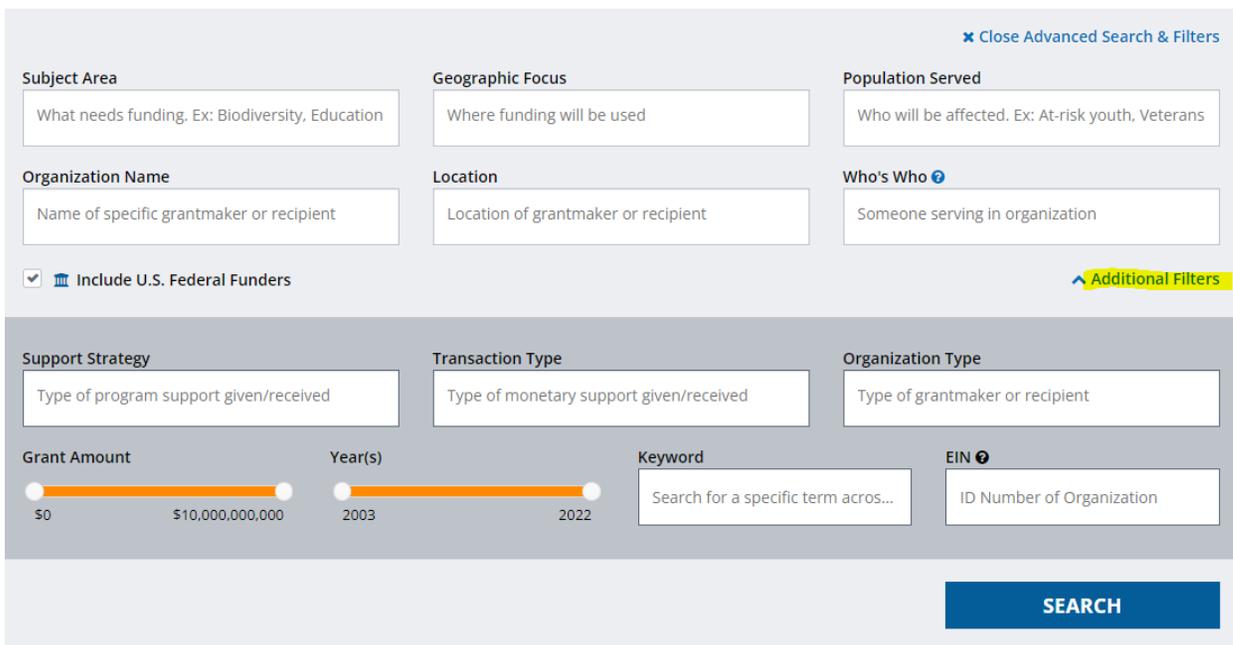
SEARCH

 Include U.S. Federal Funders

 Search by Organization  Search by Person

[Advanced Search & Filters](#)

Then click **Additional Filters** to further expand the filtering options.



[Close Advanced Search & Filters](#)

Subject Area
What needs funding. Ex: Biodiversity, Education

Geographic Focus
Where funding will be used

Population Served
Who will be affected. Ex: At-risk youth, Veterans

Organization Name
Name of specific grantmaker or recipient

Location
Location of grantmaker or recipient

Who's Who 
Someone serving in organization

 Include U.S. Federal Funders

[Additional Filters](#)

Support Strategy
Type of program support given/received

Transaction Type
Type of monetary support given/received

Organization Type
Type of grantmaker or recipient

Grant Amount
50 \$10,000,000,000

Year(s)
2003 2022

Keyword
Search for a specific term across...

EIN 
ID Number of Organization

SEARCH

Tips for Filtering Your Search

- There may not be one perfect set of criteria for your query; the best possible set of prospects are usually found by running multiple searches, using different words/phrases
- Explore each of the filter boxes (also called facets) to understand what they are best used for. To learn more about them, see *Facet Descriptions* below.
- The facets should anticipate the types of information you are trying to gather. For example:
 - *Who are you serving* – Use the **Population Served** facet. Examples might be poor, veterans, homeless.
 - *What you are doing for the population* – Use **Subject Area** and /or **Keyword** facets. Examples might be job training, counseling, wheelchairs
 - *Why the service is needed* – Use **Subject Area** and/or **Keyword** facets. Examples might be employment, workforce development
 - *Where is the population located* – Use the **Geographic Focus** facet. Examples might be Africa, France, U.S., New York
 - *What type of support do you need* – Use the **Support Strategy** facet. Examples might be capital, infrastructure, network building, equipment, evaluation.

Facet Descriptions

Click on the links below to learn more about each facet; scroll down and look at tabs for A-Z Lists, Browse the Hierarchy, and Search

- [Subjects](#) Describes WHAT is being supported. Example: Elementary Education or Clean Water Supply.
- [Populations](#) Describes WHO is being supported. Example: Girls or People with Disabilities.
- [Organization Type](#) Describes WHAT type of organization is providing or receiving support.
- [Transaction Type](#) Describes HOW support is being provided.
- [Support Strategies](#) Describes HOW activities are being implemented.
- [Geographic Area Served](#) Details WHERE the impact of funding is taking place. Example: a recipient is located in Washington, DC but provides rural programs in Kenya.

Following are a few examples of the facets and options to refine them:

The image shows two facets from a search interface. The first facet, 'Geographic Focus', is highlighted with a yellow bar. It features a grid of purple buttons for various African regions: Africa (region), Sub-Saharan Africa (region), Eastern Africa (region), Southern Africa (region), South Africa (Country), Western Africa (region), Central Africa (region), and Northern Africa (region). Below the grid is a list of checkboxes, with 'Africa (region)' selected. The second facet, 'Population Served', is also highlighted with a yellow bar. It has a search input field with the placeholder text 'Who will be affected. Ex: At-risk youth, Veterans'. Below the input is a list of checkboxes under the heading 'Health ^'. The options are: 'People with disabilities', 'People with intellectual disabilities', 'People with learning disabilities', 'People with other disabilities', and 'People with physical disabilities'. All checkboxes in this facet are currently unselected.

Following is an example of a completed custom search using multiple facets

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following filters and options:

- Subject Area:** Text input with placeholder "What needs funding. Ex: Biodiversity, Education".
- Geographic Focus:** A grid of buttons for Africa regions: South Africa (Country), Africa (region), Northern Africa (region), Eastern Africa (region), Central Africa (region), Southern Africa (region), Western Africa (region), and Sub-Saharan Africa (region). Each button has an 'x' icon to remove it.
- Population Served:** Text input with "People with physical disabilities" selected.
- Organization Name:** Text input with placeholder "Name of specific grantmaker or recipient".
- Location:** Text input with placeholder "Location of grantmaker or recipient".
- Who's Who:** Text input with placeholder "Someone serving in organization".
- Include U.S. Federal Funders:** A checked checkbox with a building icon.
- Support Strategy:** Text input with placeholder "Type of program support given/received".
- Transaction Type:** Text input with placeholder "Type of monetary support given/received".
- Organization Type:** Text input with placeholder "Type of grantmaker or recipient".
- Grant Amount:** A slider from \$0 to \$10,000,000,000.
- Year(s):** A slider from 2003 to 2022.
- Keyword:** Text input with "wheelchairs" entered.
- EIN:** Text input with placeholder "ID Number of Organization".
- SEARCH:** A large blue button at the bottom right.

Working with Search Results

After you run the search, a quick data snapshot displays with the number of **Grantmakers**, **Grants**, **Recipients**, and accessible **990 Tax forms**. Immediately below this snapshot is a preview of the returned organizations, with an option to **View All**, and download or print a list (PDF/CSV output)

434 Grantmakers ▼	1,657 Grants ▼	103 Recipients ▼	5,983 990 Tax Forms ▼
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[View Grantmakers Only](#)

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Total Dollar Value of Grants: \$44,443,121

Grantmakers (434)

Grantmaker	City	State	Country	Total Assets	Total Giving	Amount Funded	Grant Count	RFPs
Fidelity Investments Charitable Gift Fund	Boston	MA	United States	\$21,223,553,156	\$3,764,811,986	\$159,600	126	
Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	Charlotte	NC	United States	\$8,919,572	\$309,128,133	\$67,367	85	
Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta, Inc.	Atlanta	GA	United States	\$1,027,179,645	\$134,123,843	\$337,484	72	
United States Department of Health and Human Services	Washington	DC	United States	N/A	\$12,100,000	\$18,917,709	61	
Georgia Power Foundation, Inc.	Atlanta	GA	United States	\$171,011,049	\$12,414,249	\$388,024	56	

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Grants (1,657)

Grantmaker	Recipient	Recipient City	Recipient State	Recipient Country	Primary Subject	Year	Grant Amount
Seattle Foundation	Shriners Hospitals for Children	Atlanta	Georgia	United States	Children's hospital care	2022	\$19,339
Silicon Valley Community Foundation	Shriners Hospitals for Children	Atlanta	Georgia	United States	Children's hospital care	2022	\$11,700
Silicon Valley Community Foundation	Shriners Hospitals for Children	Atlanta	Georgia	United States	Children's hospital care	2022	\$5,000
Silicon Valley Community Foundation	Shriners Hospitals for Children	Atlanta	Georgia	United States	Children's hospital care	2022	\$5,000
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Recipients (103)

Recipient	City	State	Country	Grant Amount Received	Grant Count
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	Atlanta	GA	United States	\$2,984,414	304
Extra Special People, Inc. Platinum	Watkinsville	GA	United States	\$4,009,856	187
Als Association of Georgia Gold	Atlanta	GA	United States	\$525,363	148
Multiple Sclerosis Society, National Georgia Chapter	Atlanta	GA	United States	\$342,300	135

Once you have pulled up a list, you can then click on the name of the organization and drill down to learn more about it and output a complete report.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Grantmaker	City	State	Country	Total Assets	Total Giving
<input type="checkbox"/>	The San Diego Foundation	San Diego	CA	United States	\$1,065,212,876	\$72,631,008
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ford Foundation	New York City	NY	United States	\$14,245,104,704	\$520,233,236
<input type="checkbox"/>	Abilis Foundation	Helsinki		Finland	N/A	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bayer Fund	St. Louis	MO	United States	\$37,380,901	\$16,992,333
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bernard and Audre Rapoport Foundation	Waco	TX	United States	\$49,450,006	\$2,426,588
<input type="checkbox"/>	The Greehey Family Foundation	San Antonio	TX	United States	\$195,203,048	\$11,802,809
<input type="checkbox"/>	The Arthur B. Schultz Foundation	Lander	WY	United States	\$4,788,692	\$177,000
<input type="checkbox"/>	World Forgotten Children Foundation	Hershey	PA	United States	\$158,165	\$13,789
<input type="checkbox"/>	Garfield Weston Foundation	London		England	\$64,848,049	\$89,276,324

On the upper far right, select **Tools>PDF** to print/download the full report

On the upper far left, **Menu** shows you all the “sections” of the report; click on a section for easy navigation, or just scroll down through the entire report.

Note: Not all sections may be available for each organization.

Find Funding > Search Results > Grantmaker Search Results > Grantmaker Record

Profile Last Updated: 11/22/2021 Grant Information Last Updated: 10/13/2022

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What is a Form 990?

Exempt organizations must file a tax return called a Form 990 with the IRS each year to comply with federal regulations. There are several versions of Form 990: public charities file a Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-N; private foundations file Form 990-PF (PF stands for Private Foundation). Forms 990 and 990-PF can be vital tools for grantseekers, nonprofits, and donors when researching a foundation or nonprofit. These are accessible via the **Financials** section of the organization's report.

Learn more about these filings and how they can support your research.

<https://learning.candid.org/resources/knowledge-base/what-is-a-990-990-pf/>

<https://www.foundationsearch.com/Assistance/help-form990.aspx>

Financials ^

FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED 2017-06-30

\$21,223,553,156
TOTAL ASSETS

\$3,764,811,986
TOTAL GIVING

Gifts Received: \$6,834,013,677

Expenditures: \$3,834,825,046

Qualifying Distributions: N/A

Giving Activities include:

\$3,764,811,986 for grants

990 FORMS

View 990:

[Learn more](#) about the information displayed in Forms 990 and 990-PF, as well as processing errors announced by the IRS.