

Resources

Helpful Websites

Foundation Center – foundationcenter.org

Find the books, free orientation sessions, training courses, and online tutorials you need to learn about foundations and fundraising, proposal writing, nonprofit management, and how to use their tools and resources.

Grants.gov – grants.gov

Grants.gov is your source to find and apply for federal government grants. There are over 1,000 grant programs offered by all federal grant making agencies. Grants.gov allows organizations to electronically find and apply for more than \$400 billion in federal grants research.

Rural Assistance Center – www.raconline.org

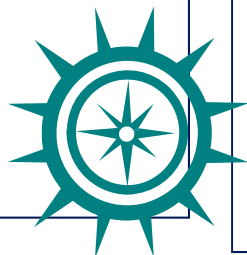
RAC helps rural communities and other rural stakeholders access the full range of available programs, funding, and research that can enable them to provide quality health and human services to rural residents.

Additional Print Resources

Nebraska Foundation Databook
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
Government Assistance Almanac

Other titles under the following subjects are available for reference or check-out:

Endowments
Foundations
Fund raising
Grants-in-aid
Nonprofit organizations



As a Foundation Center Cooperating Collection library, Hastings Public Library provides local access to the **Foundation Center's core print resources** and the **Foundation Directory Online database** (focusing on grant sources available to nonprofit organizations).

Foundation Center's Print Resources

Print materials are housed in the Grant Center collection or reference area. Most titles are available for check-out.

Board Member's Book

The Foundation 1000

The Foundation Directory, Vol. 1 & 2

Foundation Fundamentals

Foundation Grants to Individuals

Foundation Today Series: Yearbook

Guide to Funding for International and Foreign Programs

Guide to Grantseeking on the Web

Guide to Proposal Writing

Guide to U.S. Foundations, Their Trustees, Officers, and Donors

Guide to Winning Proposals

National Directory of Corporate Giving

National Guide to Funding in Health

Securing Your Organization's Future

Foundation Directory Online Database

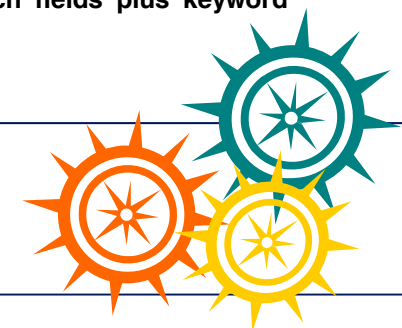
This online directory provides a wealth of information for the grant seeker. The database may be accessed from the two Online Research computers at Hastings Public Library. Licensing restrictions prohibit us from offering remote access to this database.

Updated continuously, Foundation Directory Online publishes the most accurate details available on U.S. funders and their grants

Over 90,000 U.S. foundations and corporate donors, 900,000 recent grants, and more than 400,000 key decision-makers

Four databases of grantmakers, grants, companies, and IRS 990s

Up to 36 search fields plus keyword searching



Services

Wireless Internet access for laptop users

Computer lab equipped with Microsoft Office and Internet and access to laser printers (color—25¢/page, black-and-white—10¢/page)

Photocopier (10¢/copy), printer from Online Research computers (10¢/page), and typewriter

Free orientation sessions for using the collection and Foundation Directory Online. Contact the Library for dates and times.

About the Cooperating Collection



Hastings Public Library is a Cooperating Collection of the Foundation Center (<http://foundationcenter.org>).

As a member of this nationwide network of libraries, community foundations, and other nonprofit agencies, Hastings Public Library provides free public access to grantmaker directories, books on fundraising and nonprofit management, and the Foundation Center's electronic database, *The Foundation Directory Online*. The fully searchable database includes detailed profiles of all active U.S. foundations, as well as an extensive file of recent grants awarded by the nation's top funders.

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Grants Research Information



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