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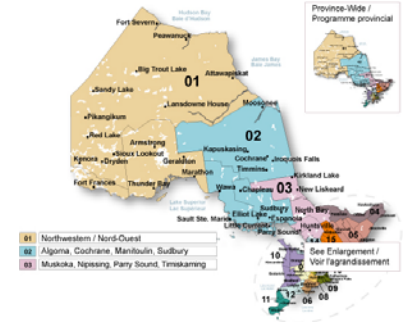
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ONTARIO TRILLIUM FOUNDATION (Toronto, ON)

The Ontario Trillium Foundation (OTF) is fundamentally different from most other foundations. It does not have endowments. The OTF receives funding annually, and quite a lot of it, from one source – the Government of Ontario.

Unlike any other foundation, the OTF receives an annual allocation from the Government, and invests all of it each year. This year, OTF's 26th, it will be disbursing \$110 million to not-for-profits in the social services, arts, sports and environment sectors throughout its 16 districts across Ontario. Next year, it will be \$120 million. In terms of size and reach, the OTF is both very large and very broad. And in Canada, indeed in North America – that makes it very different and very special. The residents of Ontario must be very proud.



Deadlines for application cycles are: March 1, July 1, November 1.

<http://www.trilliumfoundation.org/cms/en/index.aspx>

- **4Cs Foundation** (Halifax, NS)

Located in Halifax, 4Cs is a private foundation that supports community-based fine art projects in public schools.

- **Abbotsford Foundation** (Abbotsford, BC)

This community foundation supports a wide range of programs and activities in the Abbotsford, B.C. area.

- **Aboriginal Healing Foundation** (National, Ottawa, ON)

Our mission is to encourage and support Aboriginal people in building and reinforcing sustainable healing processes that address the legacy of physical abuse and sexual abuse in the residential school system, including intergenerational impacts.

- **Aga Khan Foundation Canada** (International)

A private, non-denominational development agency that promotes sustainable and equitable social development in Asia and Africa, without regard to race, religion or political persuasion. AKFC also acts as a catalyst for the discussion and understanding of critical global issues in Canada, links Canadian institutions and expertise with counterparts in the developing world, and runs a variety of management training workshops and programs aimed at improving the quality of development assistance.

- **Alberta Ecotrust Foundation** (Alberta: Calgary, AB)

The Alberta Ecotrust is an environmental grantmaking foundation created through the cooperative efforts of a number of founding corporations and environmental, non-governmental organizations. The Alberta Ecotrust provides financial support to non-profit community and environmental groups for practical and educational projects that involve public participation and benefit the natural environment.

- [Alberta Foundation for the Arts](#) (Edmonton, AB)

The mission of the Alberta Foundation for the Arts is to assist all Albertans to fully participate in the cultural life of the province. A beneficiary of Lottery Fund proceeds, the AFA reports to the Minister of Community Development. The Board is responsible for the disbursement of grants, prizes, competitions, and program contacts; and acquiring, exhibiting, and preserving art. Administrative, consultative and technical support is provided by the Arts, Recreation and Libraries Branch.

- [Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research \(AHFMR\)](#) (Edmonton, AB)

We support a community of researchers who generate knowledge that improves the health and quality of life of Albertans and people throughout the world. Our long-term commitment is to fund basic, patient and health research based on international standards of excellence and carried out by new and established investigators and researchers in training.

- [Alberta Historical Resources Foundation \(AHRF\)](#) (Edmonton, AB)

The goal of the AHRF is to support community-based heritage initiatives including historical building restoration, research and publications, educational projects, historical markers, and area conservation. The foundation also provides operational funding to several major provincial heritage organizations dealing with museums, archives, history and genealogy.

- [Alberta Law Foundation](#) (Regional: Calgary, AB)

This foundation is the recipient of the interest which banks, credit unions, trust companies, and treasury branches must pay on clients' funds held in lawyers' general trust accounts. The foundation funds various legal initiatives, including law libraries, Aboriginal legal programs, and legal aid programs.

- [Alberta Real Estate Foundation](#) (Alberta)

The foundation supports real estate initiatives which benefit the industry and the people of Alberta. It is funded by interest earned on real estate brokers' pooled trust accounts. It uses these funds to: promote and undertake the education of related professionals and the public in respect of the real estate industry; law reform and research in respect of the real estate industry other projects and activities to advance and improve the real estate industry.

- [Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation](#) (Alberta)

The Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks & Wildlife Foundation was formed as a result of the merger between the Alberta Sport Council and the Recreation, Parks & Wildlife Foundation. Its mission is to facilitate and enhance activities, lifestyles and legacies through the development of active partnerships in sport, recreation, parks and wildlife programs.

- [Allstate Foundation of Canada](#) (National: Markham, ON)

Established in 1977, the foundation was created to provide grants to charities and not-for-profit organizations that are involved in a variety of activities and/or educational initiatives around crime prevention, road safety and home safety.

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- [Altamira Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Reaches out through grants to fund child/youth-related charitable organizations that focus on health and education. Through the Foundation, Altamira will provide opportunities to give children the right to grow up in a safe environment, the right to an education, and the right to become productive citizens by acquiring skills to assist them in securing employment.

- [Alva Foundation](#) (Regional: Toronto, ON)

Established in 1965, the purpose of the foundation is to support Canadian organizations that help families in need and children at risk.

- [Animal Aid Foundation](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)

The Animal Aid Foundation is a volunteer-based, charitable fundraising organization whose mission is to financially support local animal charities. It will consider applications for general operating funds with respect to veterinary medical care, as well as applications for special projects such as spay/neuter programs, adoption programs, and public education programs.

- [Animal Welfare Foundation of Canada](#) (National: Burlington, ON)

Incorporated as a federal non-profit foundation in 1965, the principal function of the Foundation is to accept donations and legacies and to apply such monies exclusively to the benefit of animals. The foundation is interested in supporting, financially, projects and activities which will further the cause of animal welfare in Canada.

- [Atkinson Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

Provides grants for innovative, Ontario-based projects that focus on either early childhood education and development and/or economic justice.

- [Banting Research Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Banting Research Foundation supports young, promising Canadian researchers at the outset of their careers, doing a broad range of basic medical research. Since 1925, our grants have been instrumental in launching the careers of many scientists who have gone on to make medical discoveries that have impacted global health. These include the purification of the anti-blood clotting agent, heparin, and the creation of the heart pacemaker.

- [Beautiful Plains Community Foundation](#) (Manitoba)

An community foundation that makes grants in the Town of Neepawa, the Rural Municipalities of Rosedale, Langford, and Lansdowne, and the Village of Brookdale, Manitoba. Interests include culture, health care, education, recreation, heritage, environment and other charitable purposes including those involving the disabled.

- [Max Bell Foundation](#) (Calgary, AB)

The foundation reflects the spirit of its founder by challenging Canadians to use private sector initiative and entrepreneurship to improve their society. Current program priorities include health, education and communication.

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- [Better Day Alliance Foundation](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)
The BDAF supports charitable organizations in the Greater Toronto Area by providing funds for special events or activities such as holiday parties, craft supplies, outings etc. The application for funds is easy and can be done online.
- [Bowen Island Community Foundation](#) (Local: Bowen Island, BC)

Our mission is to enrich the quality of life on Bowen Island by providing a way for individuals and organizations with varied interests and levels of giving to contribute back to their community, both during and after their lifetime.
- [Brainerd Foundation](#) (Regional: Seattle, WA)

The Brainerd Foundation's mission is to protect the environmental quality of the Pacific Northwest and to build broad citizen support for environmental protection. Its geographic funding region includes British Columbia, the Yukon Territory, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, and Alaska. To be considered for grant funds, applicants must be involved in direct efforts to defend endangered ecosystems or in programs that augment regional conservation efforts within this geographic funding region.
- [Brandon Area Community Foundation](#) (Local: Brandon, MB)

Incorporated in 1965, the foundation invests the contributions it receives in a perpetual endowment fund and uses the income earned to make grants to a wide range of charitable groups that benefit local communities in Southwestern Manitoba.
- [Branscombe Family Foundation](#) (Regional: Niagara Falls, ON)

Founded in 1977 by Frank and Mildred Branscombe, the foundation's current objectives are to promote higher education for students graduating from secondary schools and to assist in the improvement of the quality of health care and selected social programs in the Regional Municipality of Niagara.
- [Brant Community Foundation](#) (Local: Brantford, ON)

A non profit, charitable organization that exists to oversee endowment funds set up by members of the community and to make charitable grants to local organizations and charities.
- [Breakfast Clubs of Canada](#) (National: Boucherville, QC)

A national foundation dedicated to supporting community-based nutrition programs for schoolchildren by raising awareness and funding on their behalf. It is Breakfast Clubs of Canada's dream that all children will have an equal chance to start their school day with a nutritious breakfast in an environment that promotes self-esteem.
- [Breakfast for Learning, Canadian Living Foundation](#) (National: North York, ON)

The mission of Breakfast for Learning is to ensure that every child goes to school well nourished and ready to learn. As the only national nonprofit organization whose sole mandate is to support child nutrition programs, Breakfast for Learning fosters parental involvement and community ownership in all of the programs we support.

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- [Samuel and Saidye Bronfman Family Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, PQ)

The foundation provides funding to nonprofits dealing with challenging social, cultural and educational issues. Its Urban Issues Program supports projects uniting urban conservation with community development, to protect and enhance community life inside city neighborhoods.

- [Bullitt Foundation](#) (Regional: Seattle, WA)

The mission of the Bullitt Foundation is to protect, restore, and maintain the natural physical environment of the Pacific Northwest for present and future generations. The foundation invites proposals from nonprofit organizations that serve Washington, Oregon, Idaho, British Columbia, western Montana, and coastal Alaska from Cook Inlet to the Canadian border.

- [Burns Memorial Fund](#) (Local: Calgary, AB)

The Burns Memorial Fund is comprised of three funds that serve families of police officers, families of firefighters, and low-income children. It provides grants to individuals and community organizations, contributing to the education, health and wellness of young Calgarians.

- [Calgary Arts Development](#) (Local: Calgary, AB)

Calgary Arts Development invests municipal arts funding from the City of Calgary to support operating costs and special projects for arts organizations in Calgary. They invest in 119 organizations of all artistic disciplines through annual operating grants. In addition, they invest in 25-50 special projects in a given year.

- [Calgary Foundation](#) (Calgary, AB)

Exists to encourage the increased flow of resources to community needs, to create and manage permanent endowment funds to meet those needs and to respond to emerging needs that come with changing times.

- [Canada Council for the Arts](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

The Canada Council for the Arts is a national arm's length agency which provides grants and services to professional Canadian artists and arts organizations in dance, media arts, music, theatre, writing and publishing, interdisciplinary work and performance art, and visual arts.

- [Canada Trust Friends of the Environment Foundation](#) (National: London, ON)

A non-profit organization established by Canada Trust that provides funding support for initiatives that make a positive impact on the Canadian environment.

- [Canadian Foundation for Dietetic Research \(CFDR\)](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Canadian Foundation for Dietetic Research is the pre-eminent funder of applied nutrition and dietetic research in Canada. CFDR contributes to the health of Canadians by generating funds for applied nutrition and dietetic research.

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- [Canada Foundation for Innovation](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

An independent corporation established by the federal government in 1997 to strengthen Canadian capability for research. The CFI will achieve this objective by committing funds over the next five years in the development of research infrastructure in Canada.

- [Canadian Health Services Research Foundation](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

The foundation funds research which examines such things as the governance, financing, effectiveness and efficiency of the health system from the perspective of the managers and policy makers working in it.

- [Canadian Million Dollar Round Table Charitable Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Awards grants annually to a variety of charities across Canada. Funded by top life insurance professionals, the foundation awards up to \$5,000 per request to worthy charitable projects recommended by foundation members.

- [Canadian Nurses Foundation](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

The only national charitable organization promoting health and patient care in Canada by fostering excellence in nursing through: nursing research grants, study awards for higher education and specialty certification, and financial support for other educational purposes.

- [Canadian Race Relations Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Advances its mission, goals and objectives through its sponsorship program for Initiatives Against Racism. The Foundation's sponsorships are normally in the range of \$500 to \$5,000 per project.

- [Canadian Tire Foundation for Families](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation works to provide a helping hand to families in crisis by ensuring life basic needs are met: food, shelter, clothing and essential goods.

- [Canadian Women's Foundation \(CWF\)](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

As Canada's first and only national public foundation for women and girls, CWF has earned a reputation as an organization that is accessible to grass-roots women's groups. CWF supports results-oriented solutions to the problems faced by women and girls.

- [Canucks for Kids Fund](#) (Regional: Vancouver, BC)

The foundation provides much needed support to children's charities, education and grassroots hockey programs. With the on-going help of individuals and corporate partners, the foundation works with Canucks players and management to have a positive impact in the community.

- [Carthy Foundation](#) (National: Calgary, AB)

Established in 1965, the Carthy Foundation is a private foundation that works to enhance the future prosperity of Canada by creating opportunities with, and providing education for young people.

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- [Catherine Donnelly Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Inspired by the vision of Catherine Donnelly, the foundation seeks radical and creative ways of responding to the most urgent needs of society in the areas of housing initiatives, adult education initiatives and opportunities and environmental enhancement initiatives.

- [Central Okanagan Foundation](#) (Regional: Kelowna, BC)

The Central Okanagan Foundation is a community based, volunteer organization which exists to preserve and foster philanthropy by providing a medium for all, regardless of their means, to put something back into the community in perpetuity.

- [Chatham Kent Community Foundation](#) (Local: Chatham, ON)

A nonprofit, charitable organization that oversees permanent endowment funds set up by members of the Chatham-Kent community and makes charitable grants to local organizations and charities.

- [Fondation Lucie et André Chagnon](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The foundation's mission is to contribute to the development and improvement of families' health through poverty and disease prevention, focused primarily on children and their parents.

- [Catherine Donnelly Foundation, The](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Seeks radical and creative ways of responding to the most urgent needs in society in the areas of housing initiatives, adult education initiatives, and environmental enhancement initiatives.

- [Central City Foundation](#) (Local: Vancouver, BC)

Twice a year, the Central City Foundation entertains grant applications from a myriad of not-for-profit groups providing a vast array of services to Vancouver's inner city. Its mission is to support safe affordable housing and programs that enhance the lives of people in need in the inner city.

- [Change Foundation, The](#) (Provincial: Toronto, ON)

Incorporated by the Ontario Hospital Association in 1995, the foundation was endowed with part of the proceeds of the sale of Blue Cross in 1996 with a mandate to promote, support and improve health and the delivery of health care through four activity areas: applied research and analysis; development program; education; and grants to charities.

- [Children's Aid Society of Halifax Foundation](#) (Local: Halifax, NS)

The foundation provides grants to the Children's Aid Society of Halifax, and to community based groups located in Halifax in partnership with the Children's Aid Society. The foundation also makes grants available to children in care, or formerly in care, from other parts of the province.

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- [CIBC World Markets Children's Miracle Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Foundation programs have three key objectives: raise the quality of life for children in the communities served by CIBC World Markets; demonstrate our dedication in helping to prepare Canadian children for future success; encourage volunteerism and foster community involvement on the part of our employees.

- [Clarity Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Clarity is a registered charitable organization that exists to contribute to society by raising funds and awareness for important world issues. They encourage individuals to understand the hardships endured by people around the world, and fund a wide variety of social causes throughout the world.

- [Coast Capital Savings Foundation](#) (Regional: BC)

The Coast Capital Savings Foundation is dedicated to supporting initiatives, programs and partnerships that build or enhance leadership skills for youth. Leadership skills are essential in enabling youth to develop character, confidence and values that promote the goals of healthy behaviour.

- [Columbia Institute](#) (National: Vancouver, BC)

The foundation is committed to investing in human and social capital for the benefit of all Canadians. It works to fund innovative social research with practical implications, to develop and fund new scholarships that promote re-training and life-long learning, and to promote the collaborative and inclusive involvement of citizens in decision-making and community building.

- [Commonwealth Foundation, The](#) (International: London, UK)

An intergovernmental organization funded by Commonwealth governments. It provides travel grants and facilitates networking and training opportunities to encourage inter-country exchange and co-operation among non-governmental organizations, professional and cultural bodies of the 54 Commonwealth countries.

- [Community Foundations of Canada](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

Works to enhance the quality of life and vitality in Canadian communities by supporting and promoting the fund development, grantmaking and leadership of community foundations.

- [Community Foundation of Greater Grande Prairie](#) (Regional: Grande Prairie, AB)

The foundation inspires philanthropy by providing a way for anyone to leave a lasting legacy to the community through permanent endowment building, responsible grants, and leadership to meet community needs today, tomorrow and forever.

- [Community Foundation of Greater Kingston](#) (Kingston, ON)

The foundation is dedicated to enhancing and strengthening the quality of life in the Kingston, Ontario, area. It offers opportunities to concerned and caring citizens to give something back to the community which has nurtured them.

- [Community Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador](#) (Regional: St. John's, NL)

The aim of the Community Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador is to promote the well-being of the people of Newfoundland and Labrador and to contribute to the development of healthy communities. Grants are awarded on a semi-annual basis in the spring and fall of each year.

- [Community Foundation of Ottawa](#) (Ottawa, ON)

The Community Foundation of Ottawa is a trusted leader and valued resource dedicated to building a complete community. We accomplish this by: * attracting gifts to a continuously growing endowment and providing prudent management of the funds under our care; * disbursing grants that enhance the quality of individual and community life; and * identifying and addressing opportunities for collaboration and dialogue on community issues. We earn the community's respect and support by being innovative and flexible, and by maintaining the highest standards of excellence, efficiency and accountability in all of our endeavours.

- [Community Foundation of Prince Edward Island](#)

The foundation is a registered, non-profit body which provides a means for individuals, families, community groups, corporations, even private foundations, to support charitable activities and contribute to many diverse needs in Prince Edward Island communities.

- [Comox Valley Community Foundation](#) (Courtenay, BC)

This BC community foundation supports a wide range of community projects and offers a lasting way for residents of the Comox Valley area to contribute to the betterment of their region.

- [Cornerstone 52 Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

Since February 14, 1989, this volunteer group of Toronto business executives, in partnership with individuals and corporations, has donated more than \$1,400,000 to selected Canadian children's charities.

- [Cottonwood Foundation](#) (International: White Bear Lake, MN)

Provides small grants to grassroots organizations worldwide that are working for a sustainable future by combining all of the following: protecting the environment, promoting cultural diversity, empowering people to meet their basic needs, and relying on volunteer efforts.

- [Counselling Foundation of Canada](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Foundation was formed to create and enrich counselling programs and improve the technical skills of counsellors. The object of the Foundation is to engage in charitable and educational activities for the benefit of people; thus enabling them to improve their lifestyles and make a more effective contribution to their communities.

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- [Courtney Napier Foundation](#) (National: Chateauguay, QC)

A nonprofit, charitable organization that is dedicated to funding lung cancer research while working in tandem with professionals and other foundations. They support families suffering from cancer as well as programs focused on lung cancer awareness, lung cancer research and anti-smoking campaigns especially focused on youth.

- [CRB Foundation](#) (International: Montreal, QC)

The foundation, established by Andrea and Charles Bronfman has a mission to foster the unity of the Jewish people whose soul is in Jerusalem, and enhance Canadianism.

- [Davies Charitable Foundation](#) (Local: Kingston, ON)

The Davies Charitable Foundation is a registered, nonprofit, charitable organization founded by Michael R.L. Davies, former owner and publisher of the Kingston Whig-Standard. The purpose of the foundation is to support individuals and organizations within the local district in the areas of the arts, education, health and sports. They also offer a yearly fellowship valued at \$10,000.

- [Dr. Geoffrey R. Conway Memorial Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation accepts letters of inquiry with a deadline of November 1 every year. The letter of inquiry should be no more than two pages and should include a description of the project, a brief description of the organization's history and activities, and the amount of funding requested.

- [Donner Canadian Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Seeks to encourage individual responsibility and private initiative to help Canadians solve their social and economic problems. The founder, William Henry Donner (1864-1953), was an American industrialist and philanthropist, whose values are still reflected in the philosophy of the Foundation.

- [Drayton Valley Community Foundation](#) (Regional: Drayton Valley, AB)

The mission of the foundation is to provide for the changing needs and enhance the quality of life of our community by securing and managing our community leadership and financial resources.

- [Dreamcatcher Fund](#) (National: Ohsweken, ON)

The Dreamcatcher Fund enhances First Nations communities and its people through contributions that will be of benefit socially, culturally, healthfully, and economically in a wholistic manner. The foundation accepts grant applications in the areas of sports and recreation, educational support, arts and culture, and health support.

- [Peter F. Drucker Canadian Foundation](#) (National: London, ON)

- [Drummond Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The foundation's granting falls into three main areas: health care, community, and the socially disadvantaged. Grants to the community are particularly focused on the care of the elderly, while grants made to the socially disadvantaged are usually to organizations who deliver immediate relief to the poor, typically street missions. Grants are made annually in December.

- [Durham Community Foundation](#) (Regional: Whitby, ON)

The foundation's mission is to provide the citizens of Durham Region with the opportunity to make financial gifts that are invested, the returns of which support the unique needs of the community and their individual interests, while creating a lasting legacy that keeps on giving to charities in the region.

- [Eckhardt-Gramatté Foundation](#) (Winnipeg, MB)

The Eckhardt-Gramatté Foundation is a charitable organization for the purpose of the advancement of public appreciation, understanding and knowledge of the music and artistic works of the composer S.C. Eckhardt-Gramatté and the expressionist Walter Gramatté. Over the years the Foundation has maintained an extensive archive, in addition to sponsoring exhibitions, concerts, recording projects and publications, facilitating academic research, and endowing several orchestras and universities.

- [Edmonton Community Foundation](#) (Edmonton, AB)

Exists to help the people of Edmonton and area by encouraging philanthropy and funding charitable activities. Through contributions from donors, the Foundation assembles and administers permanent pools of capital so the returns can be perpetually reinvested in the community.

- [Education Matters](#) (Local: Calgary, AB)

Formerly the Calgary Board of Education Foundation, this organization's mission is to promote and facilitate public engagement with public education and to enhance and enrich the education offered to all students – enabling them to fully realize their potential and become valued and contributing citizens, locally and globally.

[EJLB Foundation](#) (National: Montréal, QC)

The EJLB Foundation has two main areas of interest: medical and scientific research in all areas of neuroscience that pertain directly or indirectly to schizophrenia and mental diseases; and protection of the environment principally through (i) the acquisition and preservation of natural areas of ecological significance or of importance to the urban fabric; and (ii) environmental scientific research. The Foundation also supports, on a case by case basis, a variety of other environmental endeavours.

- [Endswell Foundation](#) (Regional: Vancouver, BC)

Endswell works to be a catalyst for positive change. Through a strategic selection process, we invest charitable dollars in what we feel are the most effective and visionary environmental groups in BC, working on issues with the greatest potential to leverage impact.

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- [EnerGreen Foundation](#) (National: Calgary, AB)

Fosters development of renewable and alternative energy through projects that have positive social and environmental impact. Preference is for locations in Canada. However, prospective projects worldwide are considered.

- [Justin Eves Foundation](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

A nonprofit organization dedicated to securing revenues for research into learning disabilities and to provide financial support for learning disabled youth to attend post-secondary education at institutions able to accommodate their needs.

- [Face The World Foundation](#) (Vancouver, BC)

Formed in early 1991, this charitable foundation helps the less fortunate members of the Vancouver community through innovative and entertaining fundraising events.

- [FACTOR](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Foundation To Assist Canadian Talent On Records (FACTOR) is a non profit foundation that provides funds for the Canadian recording industry. FACTOR is dedicated to providing assistance toward the growth and development of the Canadian independent recording industry. The foundation administers the contributions of 12 sponsoring broadcasters and seven of the eight components of the Department of Canadian Heritage's Sound Recording Development Program.

- [Fig Tree Foundation](#) (International: Calgary, AB)

A Calgary-based group dedicated to helping disadvantaged populations around the world by raising funds for international organizations delivering aid and development programs in the field. The FTF is committed to supporting projects that demonstrate the best potential return of every dollar raised, as measured by the net positive impact on the lives of our end users.

- [Sir Joseph Flavelle Foundation](#) (Regional: Toronto, ON)

The mandate of the Sir Joseph Flavelle Foundation is to fund Ontario-based initiatives which intend to have positive social impact while subsequently supporting and providing an opportunity for decedents of the Flavelle family to celebrate the importance of giving back to the community.

- [Fondation Sibylla Hesse](#) (Longueuil, PQ)

This private foundation works to improve the conditions of the elderly as well as children and young people, primarily in the area of health care and poverty, as well as the promotion of arts and culture. The website is only available in French.

- [Fondation Baxter & Alma Ricard](#) (Sudbury, ON)

The foundation's mission is to offer French Canadians living in a linguistic minority situation the opportunity to pursue graduate studies in the best schools in the world without having to go into debt.

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- [Forzani Group Foundation](#) (National: Calgary, AB and Laval, PQ)

Provides financial support to other registered charities, Canadian amateur athletic associations and other qualified donees whose activities involve the promotion of physical fitness, health and wellness, the prevention and relief of sickness and disability, or the participation and education in sports across Canada.

- [Foundation Fighting Blindness](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

A non-profit charitable organization who's mission is to support and promote research directed to finding the causes, treatments and ultimately the cures for retinitis pigmentosa, macular degeneration and related diseases of the retina that lead to blindness and to communicate that information to our constituents.

- [Foundation for Sports](#) (Manitoba)

Administered by Sports Manitoba, the foundation supports the scholarship of young athletes in the province.

- [Frontenac Heritage Foundation \(FHF\)](#) (Local: Kingston, ON)

A nonprofit organization created to promote the preservation of buildings that contribute to the heritage of Kingston, Ontario, the County of Frontenac and the Islands, and Loyalist Township.

- [Gainey Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The Gainey Foundation carefully examines all funding requests submitted by registered charitable organizations that offer environmental and/or arts education programs for youth.

- [Glassco Foundation](#) (National: Calgary, AB)

This organization's mandate is to seek out children's issues in Canada and overseas, provide financial and organizational assistance as well as on site support.

- [Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation](#) (International: Seattle, WA)

Bill and Melinda Gates hope to make an enduring contribution toward increasing access to innovations in education, technology, and global health. More than seventeen billion dollars in endowments have been set aside for these causes.

- [Gairdner Foundation](#) (International: Toronto, ON)

A nonprofit corporation devoted to the recognition of outstanding achievement in biomedical research worldwide. The Foundation is not affiliated with any government or private enterprise and accepts direction only from its own independent medical advisory board.

- [GlaxoSmithKline Foundaiton](#) (National: Mississauga, ON)

Established in Canada in 1989, the GlaxoSmithKline Foundation is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for Canadians. We are committed to finding creative ways to achieve community wellness. The foundation supports and works with many organizations, primarily in the areas of health care and health promotion, science education, hospice palliative care, and patient advocacy.

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- [Good Foundation](#) (Regional: Waterloo, ON)

The object of the foundation is to make grants for charitable, religious, and educational purposes. It makes grants in the areas of arts, education, health, heritage, and social services.

- [Walter and Duncan Gordon Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Dedicated to supporting programs that strengthen Canada and enhance the well-being of all Canadians. Within its areas of interest, the Foundation funds innovative ventures that seek to make a discernible impact on the future of Canada by encouraging social action and strengthening the development of public policy.

- [Halifax Foundation](#) (Halifax, NS)

The Halifax Foundation serves the whole of the Halifax Regional Municipality, capital of the Province of Nova Scotia.

- [Lyle S. Hallman Foundation](#) (Waterloo, ON)

The foundation focuses its giving in the Waterloo Region, supporting health, education and children's initiatives that inspire and grow individual and community potential.

- [Hamilton Community Foundation](#) (Hamilton, ON)

Dedicated to enriching the quality of life in the City of Hamilton and surrounding area, the Hamilton Community Foundation has a mission to serve as a leader, catalyst, and resource for philanthropy, and make strategic grants in such fields as the arts and heritage, education, environment, health and human services, and recreation.

- [Harbinger Foundation](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)

Funds local organizations doing international relief work. The priority area is water, and more specifically, access to clean water, sanitation and hygiene in the developing world.

- [Heart and Stroke Foundation](#) (National)

Provides funding opportunities for heart and stroke research.

- [Lotte and John Hecht Memorial Foundation](#) (Vancouver, BC)

The foundation provides funding to support alternative medicine, economic education, and organizations that help the needy.

- [Heritage Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador](#) (St. John's, NF)

The sole organization in the province mandated to preserve one of the most visible dimensions of Newfoundland and Labrador culture - its architectural heritage. The Foundation, an invaluable source of information for historic restoration, supports and contributes to the preservation and restoration of buildings of architectural or historical significance.

- [HOPE \(Volleyball\) Foundation](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)

A public foundation that raises funds and awareness for local charities that have a particular need and do not receive significant funding from government or other foundations.

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- [Hospital For Sick Children Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

We invest our communities' contributions in outstanding paediatric care, research, and education to help children at The Hospital for Sick Children, throughout Canada, and around the world.

- [Huronia Communities Foundation](#)

Serves the people of the Huronia, Ontario region by building permanently endowed charitable funds for the community and making philanthropic grants.

- [Imperial Oil Charitable Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Our desire is to make a difference in those communities where we have a significant presence. Our emphasis is on children and education, with about two-thirds of Imperial's donations going to programs that enrich the lives of children under the umbrella of the Esso Kids Program.

- [Imperial Tobacco Canada Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The Imperial Tobacco Canada Foundation was created in 2005 for the purpose of investing in communities throughout the country, in three primary focus areas - arts and culture, human services, and post-secondary education. Donations in the last two categories encompass such spheres as public health and welfare, particularly health care for the aged, and the funding of scholarships, fellowships and a number of academic research projects.

- [International Grenfell Association](#) (Regional: St. John's, NL)

The mission of the International Grenfell Association is to provide funds in support of initiatives that benefit the health, education, social and cultural well-being of the people of Northern Newfoundland and coastal Labrador, working in partnership with government and other agencies.

- [Ivey Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

This foundation works on forest conservation and sustainability issues. Ivey Foundation typically provides support to national or provincial charitable environmental organizations with a demonstrated capacity and capability to effect change.

- [Jean Ripley Foundation for Child Development](#) (Local: Montreal, QC)

Applications for funding are accepted throughout the year, with funding recipients being announced in July and August. Programs that will be considered include pre-school programs, after-school programs, day programs, and program tuition subsidies, and programs in the areas of art, music, literacy, and special needs programming are also welcome to apply.

- [Jewish Community Foundation of Montreal](#) (Local: Montreal, QC)

The foundation awards grant for innovative projects within the Montreal Jewish Community. Recipients represent a wide spectrum, including social services, health, culture, and education.

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- [Jewish Foundation of Manitoba](#) (Provincial: Winnipeg, MB)

The foundation supports applications that are of interest and value to our community, as a Jewish Community, in Manitoba. Its primary granting focus is on the Winnipeg area.

- [Joe Brain Foundation](#) (Winnipeg, MB)

The Joe Brain Foundation Inc. is a private Canadian foundation which provides small grants to Manitoba based registered charitable organizations.

- [Junior League of Edmonton](#) (Local: Edmonton, AB)

An organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

- [Junior League of Toronto](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)

A women's organization that strives to be the organization of choice for voluntarism and community partnership by educating and training members to be effective leaders and volunteers, researching changing community needs and then developing or expanding direct service projects or programs to meet those needs, and providing trained volunteers, administrative guidance, and financial support to community services.

- [Kahanoff Foundation](#) (International: Calgary, AB)

The Kahanoff Foundation is a private Canadian foundation that funds traditional and innovative charitable programs in Canada and Israel in the areas of health, education, culture, social services, philanthropy and community development, and research.

- [Kinsmen Foundation](#) (Provincial: Saskatoon, SK)

The foundation meets once a month to disperse the funds raised through its annual Telemiracle. The foundation acts as an avenue of last resort. All the monies raised through Telemiracle are spent in Saskatchewan to help Saskatchewan children and adults with physical and mental disabilities. Grants from the Kinsmen Foundation have been given for specialized transportation equipment, communication and visual aids, mobility units, therapeutic pools, and sheltered workshops/activity centres. The smallest grant has been for \$88.00 and the largest for \$1 million.

- [Kitchener and Waterloo Community Foundation](#) (Local: Waterloo, ON)

The Kitchener and Waterloo Community Foundation improves the quality of life in Kitchener-Waterloo and area, now and for generations to come, by building community endowment, addressing needs through grantmaking, and providing leadership on key community issues.

- [Leon and Thea Koerner Foundation](#) (Regional: Vancouver, BC)

Provides grants to stimulate and invigorate the cultural and educational communities in British Columbia by enabling institutions, organizations or individuals to undertake programs and/or projects that would not be possible without special assistance. The foundation considers grant applications in the areas of cultural and creative arts, social services, and higher education.

- [Krembil Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Grants are focused on helping people through medical research, education and social services. Their primary focus is funding research projects in medicine; particularly those that have difficulty obtaining funding yet have the potential to produce life-altering results. They have also funded several social programs including addiction counseling/rehabilitation, financial advocacy and planning, mental health issues and social awareness, as well as children's educational programs.

- [Laidlaw Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

This organization concentrates on a new youth organizing for change program; the strengthening of core capacity of youth led organizations; helping non-youth organizations become more inclusive to youth; building a youth social infrastructure through multi-year funding of intermediary support groups; helping in the convening of agents interested in exploring issues related, to youth engagement; and commissioning research, position papers and policy analysis.

- [Daniel Langlois Foundation for Art, Science, and Technology](#) (International: Montreal, PQ)

A private nonprofit foundation whose purpose is to further artistic and scientific knowledge by fostering the meeting of art and science in the field of technologies.

- [Law Foundation of British Columbia](#) (Provincial: Vancouver, BC)

The foundation uses its income for the benefit of the public of the Province of British Columbia, by supporting programs which advance and promote the rule of law and a just society.

- [Law Foundation of Ontario](#) (Regional: Toronto, ON)

The Law Foundation of Ontario (LFO) was established in 1974 to establish and maintain a fund for legal education and legal research, legal aid, and the establishment, operation, and maintenance of law libraries. The LFO awards grants to organizations for law-related projects and initiatives. To date, the LFO has given out over \$140 million in grants to various organizations and individuals and \$450 million to Legal Aid Ontario.

- [Lawson Foundation](#) (National: London, ON)

Directs its energies and granting dollars to enrich the development of very young children, their families and caregivers, and to enhance the delivery of cancer and diabetes health services through projects addressing community-based, patient-centred care within a regional or national perspective.

- [Leonard Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation is a financial assistance program for students enrolled in an undergraduate degree program in a Canadian university or affiliated college.

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- [Lesbian & Gay Community Appeal Foundation](#) (Local: Toronto, ON)

The foundation works to build and support individuals and groups that enhance the development of the LGBT communities. It provides funding for projects and programs in the areas of education, health, human rights and arts and culture.

- [Lethbridge Community Foundation](#) (Lethbridge, AB)

For 30 years, this foundation has been building an endowment fund and offering grants to community groups in the Lethbridge area.

- [Lions Club International Foundation \(LCIF\)](#)

Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) is the grantmaking arm of Lions Clubs International (LCI). The foundation's mission is to support the efforts of Lions clubs around the world in serving their local and global communities by funding humanitarian service projects.

- [London \(ON\) Community Foundation](#) (London, ON)

Makes grants to organizations in London, and Middlesex, Elgin and Oxford counties, to enhance the quality of life. It solicits and accepts charitable gifts for the purpose of establishing and building permanent endowment funds.

- [Lupina Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

A private, charitable foundation established in April 2000 to support research and innovation related to health and society issues.

- [Lymphoma Foundation of Canada](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation supports lymphoma research and promotes education and awareness about this disease.

- [Marigold Foundation](#) (National: Calgary, AB)

The Marigold Foundation is a Canadian, private foundation that supports new and innovative approaches to solving problems at the root level, whether in public policy or biomedical research.

- [Masonic Foundation of Ontario](#) (Hamilton, ON)

The Foundation is committed to funding bursaries, hearing research, drug and substance abuse education in the school systems, and other specific and community projects which fall within its guidelines.

- [Mayerthorpe Area Community Foundation](#) (Mayerthorpe, AB)

This broadly based community foundation serves the areas of Mayerthorpe, Sangudo, Rochfort Bridge, Cherhill, Blue Ridge, Anselmo, Counties of Lac Ste. Anne & Woodlands, Alberta

- [Maytree Foundation](#)

A Canadian charitable foundation established in 1982, Maytree is active in funding projects that address wealth disparity and migration.

- [J.W. McConnell Family Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The foundation is a private family foundation that funds initiatives of national significance which address challenges for Canadian society by engaging people, by building resilient communities, and by developing a strong knowledge base for the work that the foundation supports.

- [James S. McDonnell Foundation](#) (International: Saint Louis , MO)

Founded in 1950 by aerospace pioneer James S. McDonnell, the foundation was established to "improve the quality of life," and does so by contributing to the generation of new knowledge by supporting research and scholarship. The foundation awards grants via the foundation-initiated, peer-reviewed proposal processes described in the 21st Century Science Initiative.

- [McLean Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation makes grants in a wide range of areas, including arts, conservation, education, health and welfare. It maintains a flexible policy, with particular emphasis on projects showing promise of general social benefit but which may initially lack broad public appeal.

- [Medicine Hat Community Foundation](#) (Regional: Medicine Hat, AB)

Our mission is to improve the quality of life for the people of South Eastern Alberta by developing permanent endowments, making responsible grants, and inspiring community leadership.

- [T.R. Meighen Family Foundation](#) (Regional)

The T.R. Meighen Family Foundation aims to encourage strategic and creative initiatives benefiting youth at risk in the province of New Brunswick, southern Ontario, and the Montreal area.

- [Mennonite Foundation of Canada](#) (National)

Since its inception in 1973, Mennonite Foundation of Canada (MFC) has operated as a donor advised foundation. MFC works with any donor who can support our mission and values. As one of Canada's larger public foundations, we offer donors a full range of gifting planning and fund management options.

- [Metcalf Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation focuses on three primary areas: the performing arts, the environment, and social services. However, it does occasionally support organizations with mandates outside of these focus areas.

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- [Mike Weir Foundation](#) (National: Sarnia, ON)

The Mike Weir Foundation is dedicated to advancing the physical, emotional and educational welfare of children in all communities across Canada.

- [Minerva Foundation for BC Women](#) (Vancouver, BC)

Provides funds for projects that will assist women to realize their potential and to create a safe place for them to live and work in British Columbia.

- [Minor Foundation](#) (International: Norway)

The "Minor Foundation for Major Challenges" is a nonprofit foundation that gives financial support to projects aimed at limiting human-created, global climate problems. Any project with an objective to influence public opinion and change attitudes towards these problems is eligible for support. The foundation welcomes innovative and untraditional projects.

- [Mounted Police Foundation \(The\)](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

By investing in community and youth development the MPF helps support RCMP community policing. It funds youth-based community groups in their efforts to support community policing and instilling national pride, ultimately creating safer communities.

- [Muttart Foundation \(The\)](#) (Edmonton, AB)

The foundation considers applications from registered charitable organizations in Alberta and Saskatchewan. The Foundation's funding guidelines are focused on two main areas: Early Childhood Development and Strengthening the Charitable Sector.

- [Nanaimo Community Foundation](#) (Nanaimo, BC)

With hopes of assisting in the positive development of the local community, the Nanaimo Community Foundation has set the following goals: to develop awareness, respect and appreciation of the arts; to support initiatives within Nanaimo that promote full access to services for children and their families; to assist in making the lifelong learning experience positive, accessible, exciting and practical; to promote health enhancing attitudes and behaviours in young people.

- [National Aboriginal Achievement Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Foundation will now focus its energies in three areas: educational programs; production of the National Aboriginal Achievement Awards; and Blueprint for the Future, a series of Aboriginal youth career fairs.

- [NeuroScience Canada](#) (National, Montreal, QC)

NeuroScience Canada aims to bring relief and hope to the millions of Canadians challenged by neurological and neuropsychiatric diseases and disorders, by supporting the researchers who are investigating the mechanisms that protect and repair the brain and central nervous system. Through its foundation, NeuroScience Canada seeks to develop new sources of private funding, and to identify donors who have the capacity and interest to make a difference nationally and regionally.

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- [Newfoundland and Labrador Arts Council](#) (Regional: St. John's, NL)

The council's purpose is to foster the arts of the province by operating financial assistance programmes; providing services and resources; and by working with government and the community for development in the arts.

- [Niagara Community Foundation](#) (Regional: St. Catharines, ON)

The foundation serves the people of the Niagara Peninsula by building permanently endowed charitable funds for the changing needs and opportunities of the community, making grants, and providing leadership that contributes to the health and vitality of the community.

- [Nickle Family Foundation](#) (Calgary, AB)

The foundation's goal is to strengthen the community by funding non-profit organizations in Alberta which excel at serving important community needs. Funding priorities change over time in response to the Directors' perceptions of need within the community. The foundation funds broadly across the sectors of social services, culture, education and health. In recent years social services has been a strong focus.

- [Nissan Canada Foundation](#)

Dedicated to serving Canadian senior citizens, the foundation helps raise funds and provides grants and vehicles to non-profit organizations such as Meals On Wheels and elder abuse agencies.

- [Northern Cancer Research Foundation](#) (Regional: Thunder Bay, ON)

The Northern Cancer Research Foundation is dedicated to raising funds to ensure excellence in cancer research, patient care, education and awareness in Northwestern Ontario. One hundred percent of all gifts stay in Northwestern Ontario.

- [Ondaatje Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

Helps institutions provide educational opportunities for young people to travel and gain first-hand experience of the rich diversity of human cultures.

- [Ontario Arts Council](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

OACF is a public charitable foundation established in 1991 to encourage and facilitate private giving to the arts. The OACF works closely with donors to establish endowments, to create awards, grants and scholarships, to develop selection criteria, and to set up qualified, respected selection panels.

- [Ontario Arts Foundation](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

The foundation holds over 270 endowments established by individuals, foundations, corporations and arts organizations. It has assets of more than \$40 million and disburses over \$2 million in support of the arts in Ontario each year.

- [Ontario HIV Treatment Network](#)

Supports advances in treatment of HIV and AIDS by funding research, developing clinical software, and creating a world-leading observational database. It is funded by Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and serves people living with HIV, clinicians, AIDS service organizations, researchers, and government.

- [Ontario Neurotrauma Foundation](#)

The Ontario Neurotrauma Foundation funds Ontario-based grants in the fields of prevention, rehabilitation and biomedical research of spinal cord and brain injuries.

- [Ontario Trillium Foundation \(OTF\)](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

The OTF is an agency of the Government of Ontario. The foundation builds healthy and vibrant communities throughout Ontario by strengthening the capacity of not-for-profit and charitable organizations through investments in community-based initiatives. OTF welcomes applications in four sectors - arts and culture, the environment, human and social services and sports and recreation.

- [Ottawa Senators Foundation](#) (Regional: Kanata, ON)

The foundation supports charitable organizations throughout eastern Ontario and western Quebec by providing in-kind and financial donations. Priority is given to organizations whose programs address the needs of underprivileged children and youth in the areas of: wellness and recreation, education, and health.

- [OutCare Foundation](#) (Ontario: Ottawa, ON)

The OutCare Foundation is the only organization in Ontario to focus exclusively on providing funding and awareness for out-of-hospital health care programs, with emphasis on hospice palliative care. We rely solely on private donations to support the crucial programs that we fund.

- [Parks Foundation Calgary](#) (Local: Calgary, AB)

The mission of the Parks Foundation Calgary is to enhance the quality of life of all Calgarians through the development of parks, preservation of river valleys, and support of amateur sport.

- [Parksville-Qualicum Community Foundation](#) (Regional: Qualicum Beach, BC)

A permanent collection of endowed funds for the long term benefit of the community. The foundation supports a broad range of charitable activities that address the emerging and changing community needs and opportunities, through local charitable organizations.

- [Paterson Foundation](#) (Regional: Thunder Bay, ON)

Grants are made to charitable, nonprofit organizations with the major emphasis on projects and programs in the areas of education, health care, religion, social welfare, and the arts. The foundation's prime areas of interest are Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and Northwestern Ontario.

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- [Prairieaction Foundation](#) (Regional: Calgary, AB)

Under its CARE Grant Program, the Foundation funds community-based organizations in Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan to do research into solutions to violence and abuse. An annual call for letters of intent is done each January.
- [Prince George Community Foundation](#) (Regional: Prince George, BC)

The foundation administers a permanent fund built and continually increased by donations from individuals and corporations. It funds a wide range of community projects.
- [Queen Alexandra Foundation for Children](#) (Regional: Victoria, BC)

Provides financial assistance for programs, equipment and services that support the health and well-being of Vancouver Island's children, youth, and families.
- [Raptors Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

Funds youth-oriented registered charities located in Ontario. Grant proposals are received year round and are reviewed by the Foundation grants review committee three times per year and submitted to the Foundation Board of Directors for approval.
- [Jesse and Julie Rasch Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The foundation seeks to achieve enduring change that will improve the quality of life for future generations. Of particular interest are charitable opportunities that address needs in the following areas: education, health and life science, environment, animal welfare, social entrepreneurship, and Jewish programs.
- [Real Estate Foundation of BC](#) (Provincial: Vancouver, BC)

The Foundation's mission is to use its resources for the benefit of British Columbians by supporting efforts that improve all aspects of land use and real estate practices. The Real Estate Foundation provides both project funding and endowment grants to nonprofit organizations.
- [Richard Ivey Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Foundation supports projects and organizations in Ontario or national projects that include Ontario. It does not fund projects occurring in other regions of the country or outside Canada. Guidelines vary with each of the granting programs: biodiversity in forest-dominated ecosystems; information technology in health care; general program.
- [Rick Hansen Institute, The](#) (Vancouver, BC)

Works to find a cure for paralysis and to improve the lives of people with disabilities. The Institute also awards millions of dollars in research and rehabilitation grants.
- [Roasters Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

Works to fund projects that benefit children, particularly in the areas of healthcare, education, and social programs.

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- [Ronald McDonald House Charities® of Canada \(RMHC®\)](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

RMHC® is dedicated to helping children with serious illnesses or disabilities and their families lead happier and healthier lives. RMHC achieves this by supporting each Canadian Ronald McDonald House®, the Ronald McDonald Family Room™, the Ronald McDonald® Family Retreat program and many other children's charities across the country.

- [Rotary Foundation](#) (International: Evanston, IL)

A not-for-profit corporation that supports the efforts of Rotary International to achieve world understanding and peace through international humanitarian, educational, and cultural exchange programs.

- [Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Education Foundation](#) (National)

This foundation annually awards \$1000 scholarships to serving Royal Canadian Sea Cadets entering a university or community college course leading to a degree or diploma.

- [Royal LePage Shelter Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Dedicated to providing funding and support to shelters for abused women and their children. Operates local programs as well as national initiatives.

- [Rozsa Foundation](#) (Local: Calgary, AB)

The foundation supports Calgary-based registered charitable arts organizations in the areas of performing arts, literary and visual arts, and festivals.

- [Safe Communities Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Provides eligible safe communities across Canada with grants to help develop and sustain local initiatives that help raise public awareness about risk reduction and safety.

- [Saint John Foundation](#) (Saint John, NB)

The foundation was established to provide a way for people to make gifts to the community that will continue to be beneficial into the future, regardless of changing social conditions.

- [Salamander Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

The Salamander Foundation currently has two areas of interest: arts and culture, and environmental health. The foundation's purpose is to recognize the forms, functions and interactions of natural systems and to promote continuity and discovery in the arts and in culture.

- [Salt Spring Island Foundation](#) (Regional: Salt Spring Island, BC)

The Salt Spring Island Foundation is a community foundation whose purpose is to enhance the quality of life in our island community. It does this by providing grants to support a wide range of the island's registered charitable organizations.

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- [Saskatchewan Heritage Foundation](#) (Regional: Regina, SK)

The foundation's principal mandate is to provide financial support to heritage projects at the provincial and community level that seek to conserve, research, interpret, develop, and promote Saskatchewan's diverse heritage resources.

- [Schad Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Originally established with the mandate of advising Husky on its charitable giving and managing the personal givings of its founder Robert Schad. The Foundation's activities are motivated by the realization that protecting and restoring our natural environment is a priority that ultimately must surpass any other agenda of businesses, communities and countries anywhere in the world.

- [Thomas Sill Foundation](#) (Regional: Winnipeg, MB)

The Thomas Sill Foundation exists to provide encouragement and financial assistance to qualifying organizations operating in Manitoba that are working to advance the quality of life in the province.

- [J.R. Smallwood Foundation for Newfoundland and Labrador Studies](#) (Regional: St. John's, NL)

Promotes and supports research in the areas of the humanities and social sciences through projects that contribute substantively to the knowledge of Newfoundland and Labrador.

- [SOCAN Foundation](#) (National: Don Mills, ON)

An independent organization guided by a board which consists of composers, songwriters and music publishers. The SOCAN Foundation is dedicated to fostering musical creativity and promoting a better understanding of the role of these creators in today's society. It also administers for SOCAN its granting programs which are aimed at encouraging performance opportunities for Canadian music creators.

- [Sprott Foundation](#) (National: Oakville, ON)

The Sprott Foundation is dedicated to addressing urgent human need, homelessness and hunger in Canada and worldwide. The foundation concentrates on "focused giving", offering support to well-defined projects in its specific area of interest and taking a pro-active approach in interacting closely with the grant recipients.

- [St. Joseph's Care Foundation](#) (Regional: Peterborough, ON)

Dedicated to lifelong healthy aging, the foundation supports projects that encourage all of us to make healthy choices and maintain healthy lives, no matter what our age. In addition to fundraising for the standard setting St. Joseph's at Fleming, approximately 12% of our annual budget is earmarked for our Community Partnerships initiative, enhancing quality of life and enriching the lives of everyone in our community through the promotion of life-long healthy aging projects.

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- [Suncor Energy Foundation](#) (Regional: Calgary, AB)

The foundation focuses on: environmental issues of major national and local concern; programs that provide education in the scientific and technological fields; and general programs in the communities where Suncor employees and retirees live, work and play.

- [Surrey Youth in Philanthropy](#) (Surrey, BC)

Surrey Youth in Philanthropy is a non-profit organization that provides funding to other non-profit community groups in Surrey, BC, that are for youth and by youth.

- [Terry Fox Foundation, The](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Since 1980, when Terry Fox began his Marathon of Hope, The Terry Fox Run has raised over \$250 million for cancer research. Terry Fox specifically requested that all monies raised in his name be used for innovative cancer research projects, ones that may not be regularly funded by the National Cancer Institute of Canada (NCIC).

- [Thompson Community Foundation](#) (Local: Thompson, MB)

The mission of the Thompson Community Foundation is to create a growing investment pool of capital resources and use revenue earned by the capital pool to benefit the community of Thompson. The mission is specifically focused upon long-term improvements and support for projects contributing in the areas of health, education, recreation, culture, art and the general well-being of the community of Thompson.

- [Tides Canada Foundation](#) (National: Vancouver, BC/Toronto, ON)

Grantseekers should note that unlike most foundations, Tides Canada does not have an endowment. Rather, all foundation grants will be made on the recommendation of our donor clients, through their donor advised funds. Tides Canada Foundation is not in a position to receive letters of inquiry at this time.

- [Toronto Arts Council Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

TACF was established in July, 1995, as a Toronto-based repository for legacies and other gifts from individuals, families, corporations and trusts that wish to support the arts in Toronto. It encourages partnerships between public and private sectors and supports artists and arts organizations seeking innovative arts initiatives across all disciplines.

- [Toskan Casale Foundation](#) (Toronto, ON)

This organization is committed to supporting and strengthening community-based grassroots organizations that, through their social programs, reach out to at-risk people and provide them with immediate relief and long-term stability.

- [Tree Canada Foundation](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

The Tree Canada Foundation provides education, technical assistance, resources and financial support through working partnerships to encourage Canadians to plant and care for trees in an effort to help reduce the harmful effects of carbon dioxide emissions. The foundation is a leader in promoting the value of urban forests in Canada.

- [Trudeau Foundation](#) (National: Montreal, QC)

The Pierre Elliott Trudeau Foundation invests in people and ideas. It offers a neutral meeting ground to contemplate and address the major issues affecting our society and our future through research, learning, scholarship and debate.

- [VanCity Community Foundation](#) (British Columbia: Vancouver, BC)

Gives support to community-based innovations which produce: affordable housing; employment development; and non-profit enterprise. The core endowment fund of the Foundation comes from a dividend share from VanCity as well as donors' bequests and other gifts. The foundation funds nonprofits in BC's Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley and Victoria region.

- [Vancouver Foundation](#) (British Columbia: Vancouver, BC)

A philanthropic non-governmental community foundation which operates primarily as a permanent collection of endowed funds. Income derived from the investment of the pooled capital of Vancouver Foundation's endowments is distributed to support the activities of charitable organizations across British Columbia. The Foundation is now the steward of some 560 endowment funds with a capital of \$500 million. It is the largest community foundation in Canada and the fifth largest in North America.

- [Vancouver Heritage Foundation](#) (Local: Vancouver, BC)

The Vancouver Heritage Foundation is a registered charity supporting the conservation of heritage buildings and structures in recognition of their contribution to the city's economy, sustainability and culture. The foundation provides economic incentive to heritage building owners for the maintenance and restoration of their buildings.

- [Victoria Foundation](#) (Vancouver Island: Victoria, BC)

The foundation is dedicated to improving the quality of life in southern Vancouver Island through the creation and management of funds gifted in perpetuity, and the distribution of their earnings for charitable purposes including social services, culture, health and education.

- [Vittoria & District Foundation](#) (Vittoria, ON)

The foundation aims to provide assistance, support and encouragement to facilities and activities which benefit the community, foster a sense of community pride and civic satisfaction, promote the advancement of education, and assist with the continuation and expansion of a heritage program of research, compilation, cataloguing and archiving of local history resources.

- [Virtual Foundation](#) (International)

A unique online philanthropy program that supports grassroots initiatives around the world. We post carefully screened, small scale project proposals on our website where they are read and funded by online donors. Foundation mission is twofold: to support local projects initiated by non-governmental organizations (NGOs) in the fields of environment, sustainable development, and health; and to encourage private philanthropy among citizens from all walks of life.

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- [Waterford Foundation \(The\)](#) (Regional: St. John's, NF)

A registered nonprofit organization dedicated to improving the lives of Newfoundlanders and Labradorians who live with a mental illness. Support is provided through community funding programs and other related services.

- [Westminster Savings Foundation](#) (Regional: New Westminster, BC)

The Westminster Savings Foundation was established in 1992 as a means of sharing the Westminster Savings Credit Union's financial success with local charitable and nonprofit groups. Funding is directed toward nonprofit and charitable groups operating within the education, health, social services, youth, and cultural sectors.

- [Hilary M. Weston Foundation for Youth](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

The Honourable Hilary M. Weston, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, donates her annual, federally paid salary as Lieutenant Governor to this foundation to support youth-related initiatives. The Foundation funds projects and organizations on a self-initiated basis. Some of these donations are directed towards street youth, the homeless and those organizations who serve young people most in need of help from others.

- [W. Garfield Weston Foundation](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

A Canadian charitable foundation committed to making grants in Canada for the benefit of Canadians, the majority of this foundation's funds are now directed to specific organizations which undertake innovative work in the areas of education and environment. In addition to its principal ongoing commitments, the foundation makes a number of trustee-initiated grants each year.

- [Wild Rose Foundation](#) (Alberta: Edmonton, AB)

A lottery funded agency created by the Government of Alberta. The foundation provides funding to volunteer, non-profit organizations that provide valuable services to Albertans; fosters and promotes the use of volunteers, and assists those who volunteer or use the services of volunteers in Alberta; and, promotes charitable, philanthropic, humanitarian, or public spirited acts or to assist those who perform them.

- [Wildlife Habitat Canada](#) (National: Ottawa, ON)

In partnership with Environment Canada, the revenues associated with the sale of the Canadian Wildlife Habitat Conservation Stamp are forwarded to WHC which in turn allocates funds toward exceptional wildlife habitat conservation programs across Canada. Over the past 15 years, WHC has contributed over \$27 million through grant awards in support of hundreds of habitat conservation projects, programs, and associated partnerships across the country.

- [WindsorEssex Community Foundation](#) (Local: Windsor, ON)

The WindsorEssex Community Foundation is a perpetual community trust that manages legacy funds, makes grants to support community programs and develops partnerships among community organizations. The foundation is committed to supporting and strengthening the community by inspiring philanthropy.

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- [Winnipeg Foundation](#) (Regional: Winnipeg, MB)

The Winnipeg Foundation, Canada's first community foundation, is a collection of permanent endowment funds, pooled and invested, with the income distributed as grants to local charitable organizations. The grants support a wide range of community projects-from arts, heritage and education to health, culture, and the environment.

- [World Wildlife Fund Canada](#) (National: Toronto, ON)

Through the Endangered Species Recovery Fund (ESRF) WWF-Canada sponsors high-priority conservation projects to assist the recovery and protection of endangered Canadian wildlife and their natural habitats.

- [Zlotnik, Lamb & Company Foundation](#) (Regional: Vancouver, BC)

With community groups and charitable organizations having to compete for scarce resources and dwindling government funds, the foundation is committed to being there for many worthwhile causes.

- [Zukerman Family Foundation](#) (Ontario: Toronto, ON)

The foundation was established in 1986 to honour the memory of Barry Zukerman, a successful member of the Canadian financial community. It provides support to a variety of registered charities across the country.

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