

# Resources to Add to Your Grant Seeking “Toolkit”

## Professional Development

### [CharityHowTo](#)

Providing Live Nonprofit Training Webinars Presented by The Leading Nonprofit Topic Experts: Teaching Nonprofits, Auctions, Event & Online Fundraising, Social Media, How to Find Donors, Engaging Board Members, Thanking Donors, and More!

### [#grantchat](#)

“#grantchat - Where grant professionals connect and grow”

A weekly Twitter chat for grant professionals held every Tuesday at 12pm ET that covers a wide variety of grant related topics.

### [Grant Professionals Association](#)

The Grant Professionals Association (formerly American Association of Grant Professionals-AAGP), a nonprofit membership association, builds and supports an international community of grant professionals committed to serving the greater public good by practicing the highest ethical and professional standards.

### [American Grant Writers Association](#)

The American Grant Writers Association is a national association of professional grant researchers, grant writers, and grant administrators.

### [CharityChannel – Grants & Foundation Review](#)

Charity Channel Press publishes the “In The Trenches” series for nonprofit professionals on a wide variety of nonprofit topics. Charity Channel Press also publishes a group of grant professionals online articles through their Grants & Foundation Review. All articles published on the site are available at no cost.

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## Funding Search Resources

### [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov)

Grants.gov allows organizations to electronically find and apply for competitive grant opportunities from all Federal grant-making agencies. Grants.gov is a single access point for grant programs offered by Federal grant-making agencies.

### [The Foundation Center On-line Directory](#)

The Foundation Center’s Foundation Directory Online provides access to subscribers to in-depth data on U.S. foundations and corporate givers. The information is based on 990s filed with the IRS. The information is searchable through 13 different fields.

### [Foundation Center – Weekly RFP Newsletter](#)

The Foundation Center emails a weekly newsletter listing about a dozen new funding opportunities sorted by category such as education, environment, and health. The opportunities are from around the country so not necessarily always applicable to your organization, but a great way to stay current on funding opportunities.

### [The Council of Foundations](#)

The Council on Foundations is a membership organization of more than 2,000 grant making foundations and giving programs worldwide. They provide leadership expertise, legal services and networking opportunities to their members and to the general public. The Council of Foundations is NOT a grant making body.

### [The Chronicle of Philanthropy](#)

The Chronicle of Philanthropy is a newspaper for the nonprofit world. It is available in print and online for charity leaders, fund raisers, grant makers, and other people involved in the philanthropic enterprise. The Chronicle releases a free weekly RFP Bulletin via email.