

Nonprofit and Philanthropy Resource Center

The MCCF Cooperative Collection offers a body of resources that individuals and nonprofit organizations can use to research funding opportunities from various foundations and corporations.



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McPherson County Community Foundation

About Cooperating Collections

McPherson County Community Foundation 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, the Foundation 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 on recent grants awarded by the nation's top funders.

How does it Help?

- Research potential funders
- Learn to write successful proposals
- Find detailed profiles for foundations and corporate givers
- Explore topics related to philanthropy, volunteerism and fundraising



Foundation Center Database

As a Foundation Center Collection library, the McPherson County Community Foundation 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.

Print Resources

- Board Member's Book
- The Foundation Directory, 2012 Edition
- Guide Seekers Guide to Winning Proposals
- Guide to Proposal Writing, sixth edition
- National Directory of Corporate Giving
- America's Nonprofit Sector
- Guide to Funding for International and Foreign programs
- Securing Your Organization's Future
- Grants to Individuals
- After the Grant: The Nonprofit's Guide to Good Stewardship
- Philanthropy in the 21st Century
- Foundations and Public Policy

Online Directory

The online directory provides a wealth of information for the grant seeker. The database may be accessed from the online research computer at MCCF. 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. foundation 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.

Hours

Monday—Thursday 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

Schedule a time to learn how to use the database by calling 620.245.9070 or emailing Sharon Long at sharon@mcphersonfoundation.org