The David Rockefeller Fund

About

Established in 1989 by David Rockefeller and his late wife, Peggy, The David Rockefeller Fund has two program areas: The Citizenship Program, which provides support for charitable and public organizations in communities where David Rockefeller lives outside of New York City and the Family Interest Program, which focuses on grantmaking in Arts & Education, Criminal Justice, and Environment.

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PROGRAM STATEMENT

Grants in the Fund’s Citizenship program are generally restricted to organizations serving the communities of Mt. Desert Island, Maine, the Tarrytown area of Westchester County, New York and the Livingston area of Columbia County, New York.

Directors of the Fund are charged with ensuring that these grants are consistent with the general philosophy and specific interests of David Rockefeller and his late wife, Peggy. Focus is on education; health and social service agencies; community groups; and environmental and preservation organizations. Special emphasis is placed on opportunities to help preserve the character and integrity of these regions.

In addition to the Fund’s Citizenship program described above, a separate, Family Interest grantmaking program was established in 2001. Guided by the theme of shared family interests, current funding areas are: Arts and Education, Criminal Justice, and Environment.

Unsolicited applications are not currently accepted for this program.
APPLICATION INFORMATION

The Board of Directors meets to consider applications in the spring and fall. There are no formal deadlines by which applications must be submitted. The review and decision process depends upon the number and nature of all received applications and the availability of funds.

Citizenship Program

Applicants for the Citizenship program may submit a letter of inquiry addressed to the Executive Director that describes the organization and the program for which it seeks support. Included with the letter should be a copy of the organization’s mission statement, annual operating budget, and its IRS tax-exempt status determination letter.

Family Interest Program

We are not able to accept applications for this program.
2008 Citizenship Grants Program

All grants in the Citizenship program are for general operating support unless otherwise noted.

In 2008, 81 grants were awarded to 77 organizations totaling $218,250.

Maine
46 grants to 43 organizations totaling $122,250

Abbe Museum $1,000
Exhibitions and programs focus on the Native American tradition in Maine and the broader Native American experience, past and present.

Abnaki Girl Scout Council 1,000
One of two Councils in Maine serving more than 4,500 girls.

Bar Harbor Fire Department 750

Bar Harbor Music Festival 1,500
Presents a summer concert series and provides performance opportunities for young musicians.

The Boy Scouts of America - Katahdin Area Council 1,000
Serves 9,000 scouts and leaders in six counties in Northeastern Maine.

College of the Atlantic 5,000
A small liberal arts college offering an interdisciplinary program in Human Ecology.

College of the Atlantic - Field Studies 1,000
A summer experiential educational program.
Community Health & Counseling Services    2,500
Provides home health care and mental health services.

Downeast Horizons    2,500
Serves people with developmental disabilities with assisted living and employment training programs.

Farnsworth Art Museum & Wyeth Center    2,500
A Rockport, Maine museum dedicated to telling the story of Maine’s role in the history of American art.

Friends of Acadia    10,000
Works to protect the environmental, cultural, and historical heritage of Acadia National Park.

Friends of Acadia - Youth Conservation Corps
Summer work program for local teens and college students to restore trails and monitor park conditions.

Wendell Gilley Museum    1,500
Established to preserve and display woodcarvings of birds by Wendell Gilley.

Great Harbor Maritime Museum    1,000
Offers exhibits on Maine, wooden boats and boat builders, and provides programs for local youth.

H.O.M.E.    3,000
Provides shelter, counseling, education, job, and home ownership opportunities for residents of rural Maine.

Island Institute    2,500
Programs support Maine’s year-round island communities and protect its coastal environment.

The Jackson Laboratory    5,000
A leading genetic research facility using mouse models to study cancer, diabetes, and other diseases.
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<td>Provides infant and childcare services.</td>
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<td><strong>Maine Coast Heritage Trust</strong></td>
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<td>Protects coastal and other lands important to Maine’s distinct character, landscape, and environment.</td>
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<td><strong>Maine Lighthouse Corporation</strong></td>
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<td>Support for addiction serves in Mount Desert Communities.</td>
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<td><strong>Maine Medical Center</strong></td>
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<td>The largest teaching hospital in Maine.</td>
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<td><strong>Maine Public Broadcasting</strong></td>
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<td>Provides national radio and television programming for Maine residents.</td>
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<td><strong>M.D.I. Alcohol &amp; Drug Abuse Group</strong></td>
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<td>Provides education, prevention and treatment programs through the Acadia Family Center.</td>
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<td><strong>Mt. Desert Festival of Chamber Music</strong></td>
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<td>Summer music festival offering a series of concerts on Mt. Desert Island.</td>
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<td>Studies marine organisms for biomedical research and offers programs for young scientists.</td>
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<td>The primary health care facility on Mt. Desert Island.</td>
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<td>Offers a wide range of community services, recreation, and education programs.</td>
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<td>Mt. Desert Medical Center</td>
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<td>Provides health care on Mt. Desert Island during busy summer months.</td>
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<td>Mt. Desert Nursery School &amp; Daycare</td>
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<td>Year-round day-care services.</td>
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<td>Mt. Desert Nursing Association</td>
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<td>Provides home health care for residents of Mt. Desert.</td>
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<td>Mt. Desert Summer Chorale</td>
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<td>Music performance group open to all residents of the Island.</td>
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<td>Natural Resources Council of Maine</td>
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<td>Develops public support for the preservation and restoration of Maine’s natural environment.</td>
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<td>Nature Conservancy - Maine Chapter</td>
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<td>Through land conservation and science, works to protect Maine's extensive natural resources.</td>
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<td>The Neighborhood House</td>
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<td>Provides year-round recreational and educational programs for adults and young people ages 8-14.</td>
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<td>Northeast Harbor Ambulance Service</td>
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<td>Northeast Harbor Library</td>
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<td>Serves residents of Northeast Harbor and many of the surrounding areas.</td>
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<td>Northeast Harbor Library Scholarship Program</td>
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<td>Awards financial aid to Mt. Desert high school students for college and vocational school.</td>
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<td><strong>Portland Museum of Art</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Seal Harbor Library Association</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Seal Harbor Village Improvement Society</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Town Hill Fire Company</strong></td>
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<td><strong>United Church of Christ Northeast Harbor &amp; Seal Harbor</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Willowind Therapeutic Riding Center</strong></td>
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<td><strong>MAINE TOTAL</strong></td>
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Westchester County, New York
25 grants to 24 organizations totaling $84,000.

Boy Scouts of America, $1,500
Westchester-Putnam Council
Offers year-round scouting programs and summer camp facilities.

Boys & Girls Club of Northern Westchester 2,500
Serves children in northern Westchester with a wide range of activities including after-school programs.

Caramoor 2,000
Sponsors summer music festivals with leading artists and offers educational programs for children.

Family Service of Westchester 5,000
Provides a broad range of counseling and support services for families and individuals.

Family YMCA at Tarrytown 5,000
Provides a residence and services including childcare, recreation, and computer classes.

Fordham College of Liberal Studies 2,500
Designated to the Marymount College Legacy Fund.

Friends of the Rockefeller State Park Preserve 1,500
Builds support for the Preserve’s programs and usage, and raises funds to help maintain the Park.

Girl Scouts of Westchester * Putnam 2,500
Offers year-round scouting programs and operates resident and day camps.
Hilltop Engine Co., No. 1 1,000

Historic Hudson Valley 10,000
A leader in historic preservation and education, HHV operates six historic properties in the Hudson River Valley.

Historic Hudson Valley, Summerweek 1,000
Offers a “living history” day camp program for children.

Historical Society of the Tarrytowns 750
Preserves the history of the Tarrytown area through collections, publications, and displays.

Elizabeth Mascia Child Care Center 1,000
Provides day-care, after-school services, and an infant center with parenting classes for teen mothers.

Open Door Family Medical Center North Tarrytown 5,000
Provides a broad range of health care services.

Phelps Memorial Hospital Center 7,500
Acute care hospital providing medical and mental care.

Planned Parenthood Hudson Peconic 5,000
With 13 medical centers in four counties, provides a full range of reproductive health care services.

Puppies Behind Bars 2,500
Teaches prison inmates to train puppies that will become law enforcement and guide dogs.

Salvation Army 2,500
Operates soups kitchens and food pantries for needy families at six community centers in Westchester.

Scenic Hudson 5,000
Works to protect the Hudson River’s scenic landscapes and cultural and historic resources.
Teatown Lake Reservation 1,500
The largest private preserve in Westchester, offering hiking trails, exhibits, and family programs.

Union Church of Pocantico Hills 5,000
Beautiful church known for its windows by Chagall and Matisse.

United Way of the Tarrytowns 10,000
Supports affordable housing, child-care, job training, and youth development programs at local agencies.

Volunteer and Exempt Firemen’s Association of Sleepy Hollow, NY 750

Warner Library of the Tarrytowns 1,500
Provides traditional library and community programs.

Westchester Land Trust 1,500
Preserves open space in Westchester County through community education, zoning, and easements.

Westchester County Total $ 84,000
COLUMBIA COUNTY, NEW YORK
10 grants to 10 organizations totaling $15,500.

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<td>Columbia-Greene Hospital Foundation</td>
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<td>Supports the hospital and its ten family care centers.</td>
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<td>Columbia Land Conservancy</td>
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<td>Protects and preserves farmland, wildlife habitat, scenic lands, and open space.</td>
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<td>Germantown Library</td>
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<td>Serves Germantown and the surrounding communities.</td>
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<td>Livingston Free Library</td>
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<td>Serves the Livingston community.</td>
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<td>Livingston Pumper Co., No. 1</td>
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<td>Olana Partnership</td>
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<td>Maintains the residence and studio of Hudson River School artist, Frederic Church.</td>
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<td>Taghkanic Volunteer Fire Company No. 1</td>
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<td>United Way of Columbia &amp; Greene</td>
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<td>Supports a wide range of programs and services.</td>
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COLUMBIA COUNTY TOTAL $ 15,500

CITIZENSHIP PROGRAM TOTAL $ 218,250
**2008 FAMILY INTEREST GRANTS PROGRAM**

Grants cycles in the Family Interest program typically are 1-3 years in length. Unsolicited proposals are not accepted for this program.

*In 2008, 23 grants were made to 23 organizations totaling $425,000.*

**ARTS AND EDUCATION**

**American Ballroom Theater $15,000**

American Ballroom Theatre (ABrT) was founded in 1984, by ballroom dancers Pierre Dulaine and Yvonne Marceau. In 1994, Pierre Dulaine developed an in-school ballroom dancing curriculum called *Dancing Classrooms* as a response to the severe reduction of arts programs in New York City's Public Schools. Students in the *Dancing Classrooms* program receive ballroom dancing instruction from a teaching artist in Merengue, Rumba, Foxtrot, Waltz, and Tango for 50 minutes twice weekly for 10 weeks.

**ArtsConnection $20,000**

ArtsConnection provides dance, theater, music, and visual arts instruction to students in grades K-12, in public schools throughout New York City. Artists-in-residence program coordinators and in-school teachers collaborate to design 10-20 week in-school-time programs that meet educational goals for individual classrooms and grade levels.
Education Through Music 25,000

Education Through Music was founded in 1991 to promote the use of music as a means of enhancing students’ academic performance and development. ETM partners with New York City schools serving low-income students, providing weekly year-long music instruction for entire schools in grades K-8.

Joyce Theater

Dance Education Program 15,000

Founded in 1982, The Joyce Theater’s mission is to serve and support the art of dance and choreography as well as advancing the public interest in, and appreciation of music, design, and theater. Through a series of inter-related activities students in grades k-12, teachers, and administrators gain an understanding of dance through the study of specific dance works performed at The Joyce Theater.

Lincoln Center Institute 20,000

Focus Schools Collaborative

The Institute brings dance, music, theater, visual arts, and architecture into pre-K-12 classrooms across the New York Area to help students and teachers learn about and through the arts. Using an innovative model known as "aesthetic education," young people are given in depth experiences with works of art, understanding them through a process of inquiry, reflection, and research.

Manhattan Theatre Club 20,000

Founded in 1970, Manhattan Theatre Club (MTC), is a leading production company dedicated to producing new plays and musicals by emerging American and international playwrights. Through 60 school partnerships MTC’s Education Programs serve more than 5,000 students, teachers, and family members in New York City each year. Each educational unit consists of eight intensive in-class theater workshops and attendance at an MTC production.
Theater for a New Audience 15,000

TFANA is a New York-City based classical theater company that promotes the performance and study of Shakespeare and classical drama in America. TFANA's principal arts and education program is its World Theatre Project, a 12-week "actor-in-residence" program designed to introduce children in grades 5-8 to Shakespeare. Each year, in-school theatre programs are built around a play that the TFANA off-Broadway company is producing.

Urban Arts Partnership 15,000

formerly Working Playground

Founded in 1991 to bring arts into New York City classrooms, Urban Arts Partnership (UAP) provides a range of programs including, theater, video, documentary film, visual arts, dance, poetry, and fiction writing to young people in grades K-12. By integrating arts into the academic school day, UAP seeks to engage non-traditional learners by helping them to understand curricular content as well as providing teachers with alternative ways of presenting academic subject matter.

ARTS AND EDUCATION TOTAL $ 145,000
Advocates for Children  
25,000

*The Family Care Education Advocacy Project*

Funded in 1971, AFC provides educational support, advocacy, and case management services, for low-income families. The Family Care Education Advocacy Project, a joint program between AFC and The Probation Department, assists court-involved young people access appropriate educational services to which they are entitled.

College and Community Fellowship  
30,000

Founded in 2000, and housed at the CUNY Graduate Center's Center for the Study of Women and Society, CCF provides academic and financial counseling, tuition assistance, mentoring, and support services for formerly incarcerated women and some men seeking to complete college and/or graduate school. CCF has a zero recidivism rate.

Correctional Association of New York (CA)  
20,000

Founded in 1844, the CA is a private, non-profit criminal justice policy and advocacy group focusing on prison conditions, sentencing reform, women in prison, and juvenile justice. Its mission is to create a more fair, efficient and humane criminal justice system. The CA is the only non-profit group with legislative authority to visit prisons and report its findings to the public.

The Dome Project  
15,000

The DOME (Developing Opportunities through Meaningful Education) Project, was founded in 1973 as an alternative-to-incarceration after school program. DOME assists young people who are economically, socially, and academically challenged focus on their education as a means to success through three programs: The Academic Tutoring Program, The College Prep Program, and the Juvenile Justice Program.
**Episcopal Social Services**  
*Network in Prisons/Communities*  
15,000

Founded in 1831, Episcopal Social Services (ESS) is one of the oldest continuously operating social service agencies in New York City. ESS’s *Network in the Prisons* and *Network in the Community* Programs serve more than 900 prisoners incarcerated in seven New York State correctional facilities and with those released or paroled to the New York City area. Programs help participants reintegrate successfully into mainstream life through group and individual counseling and a range of support services.

**The Horticultural Society of New York**  
*GreenHouse/GreenTeam*

Founded in 1900, the Horticultural Society of New York (HSNY) promotes the art and science of horticulture and its role in urban life across all five boroughs in New York City. HSNY's primary social service program is the GreenHouse/GreenTeam program based on Rikers Island, which offers incarcerated men and women a jail-to-street program that uses horticultural training and therapy as a tool to help direct lives in a positive and productive manner while in prison and post-release.

**Hour Children**  
20,000

Hour Children’s mission is to support imprisoned mothers and their children, both during and after incarceration through job training and other support services. Hour Children manages prison- and community-based programs, five residences, an early childhood center, food pantry, and two thrift stores for incarcerated mothers and their children in the Long Island community where its facilities are located.
Voices UnBroken

Voices Behind Bars

The Voices Beyond Bars program facilitates creative writing workshops in jails, prisons, group homes and other non-traditional settings for an average of 300 participants per year, 70% of whom are incarcerated. Through VUB programs, creative writing has become a tool for introspection and expression, providing a link to the greater community for otherwise disenfranchised people. Weekly workshops help participants learn to communicate more effectively and articulate their needs through writing and creative expression.

**Criminal Justice Total**  $155,000
**Environment**

**Clean Air-Cool Planet**  
$15,000

Established in 1999, with offices in New Canaan, CT and Portsmouth, NH, Clean Air-Cool Planet (CA-CP) creates partnerships in the Northeast to implement solutions to climate change. CA-CP builds constituencies for effective climate policies and actions through partnerships with college campuses, communities, corporations, and science centers in the Northeastern United States.

**Greenworker Cooperatives**  
$15,000

Founded in 2003, by Omar Freilla, Greenworker Cooperatives (GWC) is a South Bronx-based community organization that is dedicated to incubating worker-owned and environmentally friendly business cooperatives in the South Bronx, as a response to high unemployment and decades of environmental degeneration in the area.

**Hawthorne Valley Association
Farmscape Ecology Program**  
$15,000

The Farmscape Ecology Program (FEP) operates as part of the Hawthorne Valley Association, a 400-acre biodynamic and organic farm in Columbia County. FEP explores the ecological interactions between nature and farming as a way to conserve farmland and natural habitats in the Hudson Valley.

**Hudsonia Limited**  
$15,000

Hudsonia, founded in 1981, conducts environmental research, provides education, training, and technical assistance to protect the Hudson River Valley's natural heritage. Nonpartisan and non-ideological, Hudsonia serves as an advisor in the process of land use decision-making.
ICLEI-Local Governments for Sustainability  25,000
Northeast Regional Capacity Center

ICLEI is an international membership organization that includes more than 475 local governments, and governmental organizations committed to achieving sustainable development and improving environmental conditions. ICLEI’s Cities for Climate Protection Campaign explicitly address the issue of Global Warming. This grant supports the Northeast Regional Capacity Center.

Scenic Hudson  25,000

Scenic Hudson is an environmental organization that safeguards landscapes, protects productive farmland, reclaims and transforms neglected industrial waterfront sites, and purchases strategic properties to revive towns and community centers in and around the Hudson River Valley. This grant supports Scenic Hudson’s work on the development of the five-acre river front park development in Tarrytown, NY known as the Scenic Hudson RiverWalk Park at Tarrytown.

Solar One  15,000

Founded in 2001, Solar One is New York's first Green Energy, Arts and Education Center. Solar One's mission is to educate the public about pioneering solutions to environmental challenges; catalyze the movement to reduce carbon emissions, thereby counteracting global warming. Solar One offers free education courses for students in grades k-12; hosts art performances; and maintains Stuyvesant Cove Park.

ENVIRONMENT TOTAL  $ 125,000

FAMILY INTEREST

GRANTS TOTAL  $ 425,000
### 2008 GRANTMAKING

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As of December 31, 2008, the unaudited asset value of The David Rockefeller Fund was $3,936,384. Grants paid during 2008, including Discretionary grants awarded by individual directors, totaled $706,750 and were made to 113 organizations for 117 activities. In addition, a matching grants program for the grandchildren of David Rockefeller paid out $18,150.