

Exceptional grants

We make exceptional grants that are in tune with our wider Foundation interests but fall outside our specific funding priorities. Such work is not routine and focuses on important practical innovations or emerging issues.

		The Balance Charitable Foundation for Unclaimed Assets Towards the costs of establishing ways that financial institutions could give orphan assets to charity.	20,000
		The City Centre for Charity Effectiveness Trust Ltd Towards the costs of developing this new centre at City University to improve the quality of management and leadership in the voluntary sector.	70,000
Organisation	Grant Amount (£)	The Funding Network Towards the core costs over two years of this new initiative to widen the number of people involved in giving to charity.	11,000
Association of Charitable Foundations Towards the costs of the 'Philanthropy UK' project, in particular the publishing and promotion costs of research on donor motivation.	19,233	The International Longevity Centre Towards the salary and costs over three years of a Longevity Expert Network Manager to develop a database and network of experts on longevity.	75,000
Association of Chief Executives of Voluntary Organisations Towards print costs of the report on governance in the third sector.	4,000	The PressWise Trust Towards the core costs over two and a half years of maintaining existing services to journalists and members of the public, and towards a development strategy to position the organisation as the centre for media affairs.	260,000
Centre for Civil Society, LSE Towards disseminating the findings of a research project on the challenges and opportunities faced by European foundations.	3,000		
Impetus Trust Towards the core costs over three years of this new organisation, which applies a 'venture philanthropy' model to the funding of charities.	125,000		
New Economics Foundation Towards the costs of a project to develop policies that will enable greater financial autonomy at local government level.	25,000		
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		Total value of grants	£612,233
		Total number of grants	10