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## **Annual Report 2010**

In 2010 the W. Clement & Jessie V. Stone Foundation had an asset base of approximately \$100 million and disbursed \$3,773,500 in grants. The areas of interest for the Foundation are education, with an emphasis on teacher quality and principal leadership; early childhood development, and youth development. The Foundation concentrates its giving in Chicago, the San Francisco Bay Area, New York and Boston.

### **Grantmaking Guidelines in Education**

The Foundation is interested in fostering excellence among educators and educational administrators, through supporting programs focusing on recruitment, induction, preparation, professional development and retention, in order to promote student achievement, particularly for under-served communities.

### **Grantmaking Guidelines in Youth Development**

The goal of the Foundation's Youth Development grantmaking is to help young people realize their potential to become leaders and engaged members of their schools, communities and broader society. The Foundation is particularly interested in programs that help young people influence and impact the issues and conditions that shape their lives. To that end, the foundation supports programs that enable youth to develop and communicate their perspectives and ideas in ways that have a broader effect in terms of improving public perception of young people or influencing public opinion about issues of importance to youth. The Foundation focuses its grantmaking on programs that work with low-income and under-served populations ages 10 to 24.

Examples of programs that are of interest include youth media projects that help young people express their views as well as inform and influence community dialogue; projects developed and led by youth that address significant school or community issues; and projects that provide sustained opportunities for youth to impact the critical policies, decisions and practices that affect their lives. Through this grantmaking, the Foundation values programs with a strong skill-building emphasis so young people develop and practice the critical thinking, problem-solving, research, planning, teamwork, leadership and self-expression skills that will aid them in a successful transition to adulthood and beyond.

To further the youth development work described above, the Foundation supports organizations that develop tools, processes and resources that build the capacity of other YD organizations. This work may include staff and leadership development, workforce issues, strategic planning, program development and evaluation.

### **Grantmaking Guidelines in Early Childhood Development**

The W. Clement & Jessie V. Stone Foundation is committed to improving the developmental process of children, ages 0-8, by supporting innovative programs, initiatives and policies that benefit such children and their families. The Foundation is especially interested in organizations that:

1. Address the quality of early childhood education with a particular emphasis on leadership and workforce development;
2. Extend their impact through collaboration with others, replication or evaluation;
3. Strengthen the system, and/or raise public awareness of the importance of early childhood development.

### **Scholarship Grantmaking Guidelines**

The purpose of the Foundation's scholarship grantmaking is to align the scholarships with the Foundation's priority areas for grantmaking: education, youth development and early childhood development. For example, these scholarship grants might address problems in the field, such as providing scholarships to increase the number of people working in early childhood development, or to increase the number of well-qualified teachers working in low-income inner-city schools, or to build leadership development in the fields of youth development, education and early childhood development. The scholarships may be made to accredited colleges and universities, which will identify recipients based on need and who have demonstrated exceptional academic promise.

The Foundation does not accept unsolicited proposals.

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A description of our grants for 2010 is attached.

# 2010 Grants Awarded

## Early Childhood Development Total Grants: \$1,200,000

**Action for Children**..... \$ 30,000  
Chicago, IL [www.actforchildren.org](http://www.actforchildren.org)

This grant is restricted to the Public Policy Program: Grassroots Leadership & Organizing Initiative to mobilize the grassroots to improve early childhood policies.

**Advocate Charitable Foundation** ..... \$ 40,000  
Park Ridge, IL [www.advocatehealth.com/acf](http://www.advocatehealth.com/acf)

This grant is restricted to the "Enhancing Developmentally Oriented Primary Care" initiative (Healthy Steps program), which infuses developmentally oriented practice into health centers serving children from low-income families.

**Erikson Institute**..... \$100,000  
Chicago, IL [www.erikson.edu](http://www.erikson.edu)

This grant is restricted to the New Schools Project to create PK-3 schools in Chicago.

**New America Foundation**..... \$100,000  
Washington, DC [www.newamerica.net](http://www.newamerica.net)

This grant is restricted to the PK-3 Early Education Initiative, which will build federal and state policy support to improve access, quality and alignment in PK-3 early education.

**Ounce of Prevention Fund** ..... \$ 25,000  
Chicago, IL [www.ounceofprevention.org](http://www.ounceofprevention.org)

This grant is restricted to the Ounce of Prevention Fund's Bounce Learning Network, which will assist cities in replicating the Educare Center.

**Ounce of Prevention Fund** ..... \$150,000  
Chicago, IL [www.ounceofprevention.org](http://www.ounceofprevention.org)

This grant is restricted to the Ounce of Prevention Fund's Follow-Up Study, which will document and analyze the readiness and school success of children who have transitioned from the Ounce's early education programs into elementary school.

**Parent-Child Home Program**..... \$ 40,000  
Port Washington, NY [www.parent-child.org](http://www.parent-child.org)

This is a general operating grant to enable the Parent-Child Home Program to embark on a growth plan.

**Strategies for Children** ..... \$100,000  
Boston, MA [www.strategiesforchildren.org](http://www.strategiesforchildren.org)

This general operating support grant will enable Strategies to maintain budget wins for children, create a high-quality early learning system and plan an expansion of their program to include children 0-8.

**Center for the Study of Child Care Employment, UC Berkeley** ..... \$300,000  
Berkeley, CA [www.iir.berkeley.edu/cscce](http://www.iir.berkeley.edu/cscce)

This grant is restricted to the Center for the Study of Child Care Employment at UC Berkeley to undertake the third year of a four-year research project to examine the components of effective early childhood teacher preparation programs.

**Jumpstart for Young Children** ..... \$ 75,000  
Boston, MA [www.jstart.org](http://www.jstart.org)

This grant is restricted to Jumpstart operationalizing its Strategic Plan and bringing on new markets as School Success Sites.

**Teach for America** ..... \$ 75,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.teachforamerica.org](http://www.teachforamerica.org)

This grant is restricted to the Bay Area Early Childhood Initiative, which will secure 20 placements of Teach for America teachers in preschool settings.

**Harvard Graduate School of Education** ..... \$ 65,000  
Cambridge, MA [www.gse.harvard.edu](http://www.gse.harvard.edu)

This grant is restricted to the Integrating Early Childhood and Elementary Education project, which will conduct a PK-3 Institute with subsequent follow-up work and evaluation.

**Harvard Graduate School of Education** ..... \$ 40,000  
Cambridge, MA [www.gse.harvard.edu](http://www.gse.harvard.edu)

This grant is restricted for the Harvard Graduate School of Education's PK-3 Implementation and Evaluation Framework, which will develop an evaluation framework for use by schools and school districts to implement PK-3 work.

**Council for a Strong America/Fight Crime, Invest in Kids** ..... \$ 50,000  
Washington, DC [fightcrime.org](http://fightcrime.org)

This grant is restricted to the Early Childhood Workforce Development Policy Plan, which will mobilize Fight Crime members to take action on behalf of workforce policies that improve the quality of early learning.

**Voices for Illinois Children** ..... \$ 10,000  
Chicago, IL [www.voices4kids.org](http://www.voices4kids.org)

This grant is restricted to providing leadership to the Public Awareness Committee of the Early Learning Illinois Council to make the case for investment in early education to policymakers and the public.

## Education

Grants Awarded: \$1,140,000

**Academy for Urban School Leadership**..... \$ 75,000  
Chicago, IL [www.ausl-chicago.org](http://www.ausl-chicago.org)

This grant is restricted to the Urban Teacher Residency, AUSL’s residency-based certification program to prepare teachers who will work in low-performing Chicago public schools.

**Boston Plan for Excellence: Boston Teacher Residency Program** ..... \$ 90,000  
Boston, MA [www.bostonteacherresidency.org](http://www.bostonteacherresidency.org)

This grant is restricted to the Boston Teacher Residency Program, which provides an alternative certification program for candidates to teach in the Boston Public Schools.

**Center for Collaborative Education**..... \$ 70,000  
Boston, MA [ccebos.org](http://ccebos.org)

This grant is restricted to the Principal Residency Network, an apprenticeship-based principal preparation and certification program with a special focus on leading small, autonomous schools.

**Chicago Public Education Fund** ..... \$ 35,000  
Chicago, IL [www.cpef.org](http://www.cpef.org)

This general operating grant will enable CPEF to partner with the Chicago Public Schools to differentiate compensation, attract and develop the best talent and use relevant data to improve teaching and school leadership.

**New Leaders for New Schools**..... \$ 70,000  
New York, NY [www.nlms.org](http://www.nlms.org)

This grant is restricted to NLNS’ residency-based principal preparation and certification programs in New York and the San Francisco Bay Area.

**Partners in School Innovation** ..... \$ 75,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.partnersinschools.org](http://www.partnersinschools.org)

This grant is restricted to Partners’ work to advance its growth plan by designing and piloting a district-level reform approach in San Francisco.

**University of Chicago’s Urban Education Institute** ..... \$ 75,000  
Chicago, IL [uei.uchicago.edu](http://uei.uchicago.edu)

This general operating grant will enable the Urban Education Institute to develop outstanding teachers and leaders, conduct research, support a network of schools and advance evidence-based practice.

**Boston Plan for Excellence**..... \$ 75,000  
Boston, MA [www.bpe.org](http://www.bpe.org)

This grant is restricted to the High School Inquiry Project.

**University of Illinois at Chicago’s Center for School Leadership**..... \$ **85,000**  
Chicago, IL [education.uic.edu/uel-edd](http://education.uic.edu/uel-edd)

This grant is restricted to the Center for School Leadership's Urban Education Leadership Program, which prepares school leaders to turn around underperforming schools through its innovative doctoral program.

**National Equity Project/Bay Area Coalition for Equitable Schools (BayCES)** ..... \$ **75,000**  
Oakland, CA [nationalequityproject.org](http://nationalequityproject.org)

This grant is restricted to the Impact 2012 Initiative, which will use a form of the Scaffolded Apprenticeship Model to improve teaching and learning at 20 schools.

**Internationals Network for Public Schools**..... \$ **75,000**  
New York, NY [internationalsnps.org](http://internationalsnps.org)

This general operating grant will support INPS’ work to implement network-wide collaborative projects and structures to build teacher skills and strengthen the internal pipeline of teachers and leaders working at schools serving English Language Learners.

**New Visions for Public Schools**..... \$ **70,000**  
New York, NY [www.newvisions.org](http://www.newvisions.org)

This grant is restricted to the New Visions Urban Teacher Residency Program.

**Coalition of Urban Teacher Residencies/Urban Teacher Residency United** ..... \$ **75,000**  
Chicago, IL [www.utrunity.org](http://www.utrunity.org)

This general operating grant will enable the Coalition to provide program support and technical services to emerging teacher residency programs nationally.

**New Teacher Center** ..... \$ **70,000**  
Santa Cruz, CA [www.newteachercenter.org](http://www.newteachercenter.org)

This general operating grant supports the New Teacher Center’s work in increasing the effectiveness of new teachers.

**WestEd: Strategic Literacy Initiative** ..... \$ **75,000**  
Oakland, CA [www.wested.org/cs/sli/print/docs/sli/home.htm](http://www.wested.org/cs/sli/print/docs/sli/home.htm)

This grant is restricted to the Strategic Literacy Initiative as part of the i3 award.

**San Francisco Education Fund**..... \$ **50,000**  
Santa Cruz, CA [http://www.sfedfund.org/programs/leadership\\_overview.php](http://www.sfedfund.org/programs/leadership_overview.php)

This grant is restricted to the San Francisco Teacher Residency Project.

## Youth Development

Grants Awarded: \$1,200,000

**Alternatives in Action**..... \$ 50,000  
Alameda, CA [www.alternativesinaction.org](http://www.alternativesinaction.org)

This grant is restricted to the HOME Project, which develops youth skills to plan, develop and implement projects that benefit themselves and their communities.

**Bay Area Video Coalition (BAVC)**..... \$ 40,000  
San Francisco, CA [bavc.org](http://bavc.org)

This grant is restricted to the Digital Pathways Program, which will convert existing video production curricula into teaching units for use in schools and community programs.

**Center for Court Innovation**..... \$ 55,000  
New York, NY [www.courtinnovation.org](http://www.courtinnovation.org)

This grant is restricted to the Youth Justice Board, which develops the skills and leadership of young people to impact the policies that directly affect them.

**Coleman Advocates for Children & Youth** ..... \$ 50,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.colemanadvocates.org](http://www.colemanadvocates.org)

This grant is restricted to the Youth Making a Change (YMAC) Project, which trains high school youth to become leaders, organizers and advocates for policies and programs that improve the San Francisco public schools.

**Coro New York Leadership Center** ..... \$ 50,000  
New York, NY [www.coro.org](http://www.coro.org)

This grant is restricted to the Exploring Leadership Program, which develops youth skills in research, critical analysis, planning and implementation so they can play meaningful leadership roles in their schools and communities.

**Year Up**..... \$ 65,000  
Boston, MA [www.yearup.org](http://www.yearup.org)

This grant is restricted to the National Expansion Plan, which will bring Year Up's workforce development program to scale nationally.

**Youth Radio**..... \$ 65,000  
Oakland, CA [www.youthradio.org](http://www.youthradio.org)

This general support grant will enable Youth Radio to develop youth skills in broadcast journalism, website design, writing, production and engineering while also assisting them with academic and counseling support so they have increased access to career and educational opportunities.

**Youth Speaks**..... \$ 55,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.youthspeaks.org](http://www.youthspeaks.org)

This general operating support grant will enable Youth Speaks to develop youth skills in spoken word and provide opportunities for youth to publicly present their work.

**Youth Together** ..... \$ 50,000  
Oakland, CA [www.youthtogether.net](http://www.youthtogether.net)

This general support grant will enable Youth Together to develop young people’s skills in leadership and organizing so they can address educational inequities and promote positive school change.

**Educational Video Center** ..... \$ 60,000  
New York, NY [www.evc.org](http://www.evc.org)

This general operating grant supports EVC's work to use documentary production and media arts to develop the artistic, critical literacy and career skills of high school youth.

**Youth Communication** ..... \$ 65,000  
New York, NY [www.youthcomm.org](http://www.youthcomm.org)

This general operating grant supports Youth Communication’s work to provide a journalism and publishing program for urban teens.

**WNYC Radio**..... \$ 40,000  
New York, NY [www.wnyc.org/radiorookies](http://www.wnyc.org/radiorookies)

This grant is restricted to Radio Rookies, which trains teens to create high quality stories that are aired on national public radio and other outlets.

**Global Action Project** ..... \$ 50,000  
New York, NY [global-action.org](http://global-action.org)

This grant is restricted for the Urban Voices Program, which provides youth with the knowledge, tools and relationships to create videos on issues of concern to them and use these videos as a catalyst for dialogue and change.

**Oakland Kids First** ..... \$ 50,000  
Oakland, CA [www.kidsfirstoakland.org](http://www.kidsfirstoakland.org)

This general operating grant supports Kids First’s work to coordinate school-based youth-organizing clubs and coordinate a peer advising program focused on increasing graduation and college attendance rates.

**Roca**..... \$ 45,000  
Chelsea, MA [www.rocainc.org](http://www.rocainc.org)

This grant is restricted to the youth organizing work focused on reducing the drop-out rate and increasing the graduation rate in Chelsea schools.

**Public Interest Projects: VOYCE**..... \$ 50,000  
Chicago, IL [www.publicinterestprojects.org](http://www.publicinterestprojects.org)

This grant is restricted to Voices of Youth in Chicago Education (VOYCE), which will implement school-based projects and organize around city and state policies to reduce the drop-out rate and increase the college-going rate in Chicago Public Schools.

**California Youth Connection**..... \$ 60,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.calyouthconn.org](http://www.calyouthconn.org)

This general operating grant will enable California Youth Connection to bring the voice of foster care youth to the legislative and policy arena and child welfare policies.

**National Foster Youth Action Network** ..... \$ 50,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.fosteryouthaction.org](http://www.fosteryouthaction.org)

This general operating grant supports NFYAN’s work to help other states launch a foster youth advocacy program.

**Pacific News Service** ..... \$ 35,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.pacificnews.org](http://www.pacificnews.org)

This grant is restricted to the California Council on Youth Relations, which will bring youth perspectives to mental health practitioners and to policy discussions affecting homeless youth.

**California School-Age Consortium** ..... \$ 15,000  
San Francisco, CA [calsac.org](http://calsac.org)

This grant is restricted to the planning work for the Leadership Development Institute, which will prepare emerging leaders for the out-of-school time and pre-school fields.

**California School-Age Consortium** ..... \$ 35,000  
San Francisco, CA [calsac.org](http://calsac.org)

This general operating grant supports CalSAC’s work to create a diverse, well-trained workforce for out-of-school time through advocacy, training and workforce initiatives.

**Community Network for Youth Development** ..... \$ 50,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.cnyd.org](http://www.cnyd.org)

This general operating grant will enable CNYD to continue to provide quality training, support and capacity-building resources to youth-serving agencies in several communities.

**Citizen Schools** ..... \$ 65,000  
Boston, MA [citizenschools.org](http://citizenschools.org)

This grant is restricted to the Teaching Fellows Program, which prepares participants for leadership roles in the after school field.

**San Francisco Beacon Initiative** ..... \$ 50,000  
San Francisco, CA [www.sfbeacon.org](http://www.sfbeacon.org)

This grant is restricted for the San Francisco Beacons, which will provide technical assistance and peer learning opportunities that increase the capacity of Beacon Centers to provide quality programs.

**Scholarship** **Grants Awarded: \$84,000**

**UCLA Graduate School of Education**..... \$ 84,000  
Los Angeles, CA [www.centerx.gseis.ucla.edu](http://www.centerx.gseis.ucla.edu)

This grant is restricted to the Center X Teacher Education Program (TEP) at UCLA for seven new Stone Scholars in the Stone Scholars Scholarship Program.

**Special Grants** **Grants Awarded: \$25,000**

**Grantmakers for Education**..... \$ 15,000  
Portland, OR [www.edfunders.org](http://www.edfunders.org)

The purpose of this grant was to help underwrite the conference costs of GFE's 2010 annual conference in New Orleans from October 27-29, 2010.

**Uhlich Children's Advantage Network**..... \$ 10,000  
Chicago, IL [www.ucanchicago.org](http://www.ucanchicago.org)

This special grant was awarded in honor of Mike Conway, to support the mission of the Uhlich Children's Advantage Network to preserve the sanctity of childhood and give youth a refuge and a future.

**Trustee Discretionary Grants** **Grants Awarded: \$124,500**

*The W. Clement & Jessie V. Stone Foundation has a Trustee Discretionary Grants program which provides individual trustees with the opportunity to request a Foundation grant that is reflective of his or her own unique charitable interests. This comprises a small amount of the Foundation's overall grantmaking budget, and these awards do not necessarily reflect the Foundation's areas of focused grantmaking. The Foundation and its trustees neither solicit nor accept applications for trustee discretionary grants.*

**Advocate Charitable Foundation: AIMMC President's Fund**..... \$ 8,000  
Chicago, IL [www.advocatehealth.com/acf](http://www.advocatehealth.com/acf)

**Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago** ..... \$ 10,000  
Chicago, IL [www.bgcc.org](http://www.bgcc.org)

<b>Creating Hope International</b> .....	\$ 10,000
Dearborn, MI	<a href="http://www.creatinghope.org">www.creatinghope.org</a>
<b>Prevent Child Abuse America</b> .....	\$ 2,000
Chicago, IL	<a href="http://www.preventchildabuse.org">www.preventchildabuse.org</a>
<b>Oregon Shakespeare Festival Association</b> .....	\$ 5,500
Ashland, OR	<a href="http://www.osfashland.org">www.osfashland.org</a>
<b>Goodman Theatre</b> .....	\$ 5,000
Chicago, IL	<a href="http://www.goodmantheatre.org">www.goodmantheatre.org</a>
<b>Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago</b> .....	\$ 5,000
Chicago, IL	<a href="http://www.ric.org">www.ric.org</a>
<b>Oceana, Inc.</b> .....	\$ 7,000
Washington, DC	<a href="http://www.oceana.org">www.oceana.org</a>
<b>Central Asia Institute</b> .....	\$ 2,000
Bozeman, MT	<a href="http://www.ikat.org">www.ikat.org</a>
<b>The Field Center for Children’s Policy, Practice &amp; Research</b> .....	\$ 10,000
Philadephia, PA	<a href="http://www.fieldcenteratpenn.org">www.fieldcenteratpenn.org</a>
<b>KQED Public Radio</b> .....	\$ 2,500
San Francisco, CA	<a href="http://www.kqed.org/radio">www.kqed.org/radio</a>
<b>The Fenn School: Teacher Prof. Dvpt. &amp; Curriculum Dvpt. Fund</b> .....	\$ 5,000
Concord, MA	<a href="http://www.fenn.org">www.fenn.org</a>
<b>Acton Boxborough United Way: Acton Youth in Philanthropy</b> .....	\$ 4,000
Acton, MA	<a href="http://www.abuw.org">www.abuw.org</a>
<b>FC Stars of Massachusetts</b> .....	\$ 3,000
Salem, NH	<a href="http://www.starsofma.org">www.starsofma.org</a>
<b>Outward Bound</b> .....	\$ 10,000
Garrison, NY	<a href="http://www.outwardbound.org">www.outwardbound.org</a>
<b>San Francisco Food Bank</b> .....	\$ 5,000
San Francisco, CA	<a href="http://www.sffoodbank.org">www.sffoodbank.org</a>
<b>Bobbi &amp; the Strays</b> .....	\$ 5,000
Ozone Park, NY	<a href="http://bobbianthestrays.org">bobbianthestrays.org</a>
<b>American Red Cross: Disaster Relief Fund</b> .....	\$ 3,000
Washington, DC	<a href="http://www.redcross.org">www.redcross.org</a>
<b>San Francisco Museum of Modern Art</b> .....	\$ 10,000
San Francisco, CA	<a href="http://www.sfmoma.org">www.sfmoma.org</a>
<b>Hillside School</b> .....	\$ 5,000
Marlborough, MA	<a href="http://www.hillsideschool.net">www.hillsideschool.net</a>

<b>Farm Forward</b> .....	\$ 3,000
San Francisco, CA	<a href="http://www.farmforward.com">www.farmforward.com</a>
<b>New Leaders for New Schools: EPIC Program</b> .....	\$ 2,500
New York, NY	<a href="http://www.nlms.org">www.nlms.org</a>
<b>Horizons for Youth</b> .....	\$ 1,000
Chicago, IL	<a href="http://horizons-for-youth.org">horizons-for-youth.org</a>
<b>Niroga Institute: Transformative Life Skills Program</b> .....	\$ 1,000
Oakland, CA	<a href="http://www.niroga.org">www.niroga.org</a>

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