



THE ST. LOUIS BAR FOUNDATION

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GENERAL CONDITIONS AND GRANT CRITERIA

Grant Philosophy

The St. Louis Bar Foundation seeks to grant annual awards that meet the Foundation's criteria for innovative projects that address identifiable unmet needs in the community. The typical grant amount is \$1,000 with a maximum limit of \$3,000.

Grant Categories

The St. Louis Bar Foundation will consider grant applications for projects or programs within at least one of the following categories:

1. The advancement of the philosophy of law.
2. The promotion and/or improvement of the administration of justice.
3. The promotion and/or maintenance of high standards for the judiciary and lawyers.
4. The promotion of the public's awareness, understanding, and appreciation of the rule of law, the practice of law, the court system, and individuals' rights and responsibilities under the law.

Grantee Eligibility

The St. Louis Bar Foundation will not make grants:

1. To individuals;
2. To "for-profit" entities;
3. For religious purposes;
4. To fund programs the primary purpose of which is to provide constitutionally and/or statutorily mandated legal services;
5. For endowment campaigns;
6. For use in carrying out any propaganda or political activity, directly or indirectly, or in attempting to influence legislation, directory or indirectly; or
7. For retroactive projects or costs already incurred.

Grant Application Process

Complete the following application and submit twenty (20) copies to the St. Louis Bar Foundation at the above address. Grantees shall submit a report outlining use of grant funds, objectives met, and activities as a condition of receiving a grant. If you have questions, please contact Executive Director Zoe Lyle at 314-421-4134 or zlyle@bamsl.org.