



A businessman, entrepreneur and, ultimately, a philanthropist, Albert Herzstein dedicated his later years to the charitable foundation that bears his name and that of his equally generous wife, Ethel. Through its gifts, the Herzstein Foundation honors the ideals of personal responsibility and resourcefulness, limited government, self-sufficiency, the right of all individuals to enjoy life in a free society, and the importance of providing opportunities for people to help themselves.



The Herzsteins' lives symbolize the American dream and the importance of living life to its fullest. They embraced the American spirit and ideals which encourage self-sufficiency and the free enterprise system, but did not forget the importance of helping those who, due to circumstances, were unable to help themselves.

The Herzsteins held a genuine respect for all people and the precious gift of life. Their generosity, through sharing their many blessings, has shaped and changed lives in the community. The Foundation strives to embody the spirit of the Founders by respecting all individuals and their ability to achieve the highest quality of life.

The Herzstein Foundation, by means of its grant program, continues the work of Albert and Ethel Herzstein, leaving their "footprints" by supporting charitable efforts that offer individuals opportunities for advancement through education, enrich the human spirit, and contribute to the quality of life in our society.



Grantee Highlights

The Albert and Ethel Herzstein Charitable Foundation has supported more than 1,000 organizations since it was founded in 1965. It has brought meaningful change to communities and individuals through a diverse array of providers – from schools, churches and hospitals to social service, cultural, historical and civic institutions.

ALLEY THEATRE



Consistently producing performances of the highest caliber, the Alley Theatre is a long-standing artistic anchor in Houston. Aside from providing premiere entertainment, the Alley engages children of all ages through unique educational programs and provides area schools with opportunities to integrate curriculum with performances. Extensive renovations will allow the Alley to continue serving the community at an impressive rate, with over 500 performances planned for the current season alone.

CAREER AND RECOVERY RESOURCES



Career and Recovery Resources provides a full range of services for those in our community who face barriers to employment, including many returning veterans. Staff members first identify each job seeker's specific barriers to obtaining work and then provide the needed training, counseling, and assistance to overcome those obstacles. This model has helped thousands of Houstonians find employment, allowing them to contribute to society and find a path to self-sufficiency.

Grantee Highlights

CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL



The oldest Jewish congregation in our state, Congregation Beth Israel is an integral part of Houston's religious community. Recent upgrades to allow video streaming of worship services certainly fall in line with their mission of sharing Jewish life in a "relevant, modern, and joyful" way. Utilizing this technology allows for greater accessibility to the Congregation by a broader audience.

CRIME STOPPERS



Crime Stoppers of Houston will soon be housed in a state-of-the-art facility, which will serve as the first Crime Stoppers headquarters in the country. Through programs on school campuses, within the community, and perhaps most notably, the tip line program, Crime Stoppers continues to help law enforcement protect the Greater Houston area and increase safety in innovative and effective ways.

ESCAPE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER



ESCAPE Family Resource Center protects our community's most vulnerable children by working everyday to prevent child abuse. Providing a "positive approach to parenting", classes are curriculum-based and led by Masters level educators in an effort to teach all caregivers new and effective strategies to successfully manage familial stress and create healthy environments for children. This innovative model is helping local families chart a new, positive course for the future. Having recently moved into its first permanent home, ESCAPE now has the space and security to serve our community for years to come.

Grantee Highlights

HOUSTON SYMPHONY



The internationally renowned Houston Symphony was the first orchestra in the country to install an in-hall image magnification and video system, which greatly enhanced the concertgoers' experience. Over a decade later, the audio-visual system needed a complete overhaul in order to maintain its relevancy and usability. The Herzstein Charitable Foundation supported the initial installation as well as most recent and vital update. From the cameras to the control room, the Symphony is now HD-equipped and able to provide an audio-visual experience that is commensurate with the artistic talent on stage.

SPACE CENTER HOUSTON



Space Center Houston represents the limitless possibilities that can be achieved when human ingenuity is driven by our innate pioneer spirit. Known for providing educational, interactive and exciting experiences, one of Space Center's most highly anticipated exhibits, Independence Plaza, is now open to the public. This immersive exhibit allows visitors to enter a full shuttle replica, transporting them to the shuttle era and enabling them to experience astronaut living in ways never before possible. This adventure is sure to be enjoyed by Space City residents and visitors of all ages.

ST. AGNES ACADEMY



A Catholic college preparatory school for young women with rigorous academic standards, St. Agnes Academy's mission is to instill in students a lifelong intellectual curiosity and a desire to work for social justice while living with integrity and compassion. The scholarship program allows for bright, hardworking young women across the city to attend this prestigious institution who would not otherwise have the financial means to pursue their exceptional academic goals.

Grantee Highlights

STRAKE JESUIT COLLEGE PREPARATORY



Since 1960, this premiere college preparatory school has been dedicated to educating young men in the Jesuit tradition, emphasizing strong academics while also nurturing spiritual growth. The school focuses on each student becoming a "Man for Others", a Jesuit ideal which is instilled through participation in extensive service projects, a competitive athletics program, and a joyful, religious campus.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS CLEMENTS CENTER

FOR INTERNATIONAL SECURITY AND LAW

CLEMENTS CENTER
FOR NATIONAL SECURITY

HISTORY • STRATEGY • STATECRAFT



This nonpartisan research and policy center is educating and training tomorrow's national security leaders, equipping students with a broad array of knowledge and decision making skills as they embark on careers in the public policy arena. The Clements Center takes a holistic approach to bring the field of statecraft to students, bridging the gap between the lessons learned from history, the current state of affairs, and the application of this information in facing future issues.



Recipient List

In recent years, the foundation has awarded grants totaling more than \$4 million annually. Since the foundation's inception, it has granted more than 3,900 requests to distribute more than \$71 million to organizations in need.

ACTON INSTITUTE FOR THE STUDY OF RELIGION & LIBERTY <i>Grand Rapids, MI</i> Towards support of promotion of a free and virtuous society characterized by individual liberty and sustained by religious principles.	\$5,000.00
AID TO VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to provide direct services to families that are victimized by domestic violence by providing legal representation, education, and battering prevention programs.	\$10,000.00
ALLEY THEATRE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign.	\$50,000.00
AMAZING PLACE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of providing fellowship, memory care, and wellness for adults with mild to moderate memory loss and support for their families and the community.	\$10,000.00
AMERICA'S VETDOGS <i>Smithtown, NY</i> Towards support of veterans with disabilities through a graduate/dog team.	\$10,000.00



AMERICAN ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC POLICY RESEARCH <i>Washington, DC</i> Towards support of the expansion of liberty, increasing individual opportunities, and strengthening free enterprise.	\$2,500.00
AMERICAN FESTIVAL FOR THE ARTS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the 2015 Summer Music Conservancy, community partnerships, and the scholarship enrichment fund.	\$2,500.00
AMERICAN PRINCIPLES PROJECT <i>Washington, DC</i> Towards support of the “Constitutional Conversations with Robert George” program.	\$5,000.00
AMERICAN RED CROSS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the Home Fire Preparedness project.	\$5,000.00
AMERICAN RED CROSS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of emergency relief due to flooding of Braeswood and the Greater Houston area.	\$25,000.00
AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY FOUNDATION <i>Arlington, VA</i> Towards support of the Texas’ New Bridge Events Initiative.	\$5,000.00
AMIGOS DE LAS AMERICAS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the “Discover What is Possible” capital campaign.	\$10,000.00
AMIR <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of a garden education program at Boys & Girls Club summer camps in Houston.	\$15,000.00
ANGEL REACH <i>Conroe, TX</i> Towards support of a part-time counselor for children in kinship foster care families.	\$5,000.00



ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the No Place for Hate Initiative.	
ARBOR SCHOOL	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards assisting infants and young children in developing motor, social, self-help, communication, and problem solving skills to permit the greatest degree of independent functioning.	
ARCHWAY ACADEMY	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards providing a safe, sober, healthy learning environment for high school students recovering from alcohol and drug addictions.	
ASIA SOCIETY	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of performing arts and cultural programs.	
ATLAS ECONOMIC RESEARCH FOUNDATION	\$5,000.00
<i>Washington, DC</i>	
Towards support of the leadership training programs.	
ATLAS SCHOLARS	\$18,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Atlas Scholars program.	
BACH SOCIETY OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the presentation of exemplary, historically informed performances of the music of Johann Sebastian Bach, his predecessors, contemporaries and successors who were influenced by Bach and constitute his legacy.	
BARBARA BUSH HOUSTON LITERACY FOUNDATION	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Celebration of Reading on April 23, 2015.	
BARBARA BUSH HOUSTON LITERACY FOUNDATION	\$30,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Celebration of Reading on April 21, 2016.	



BATTLESHIP TEXAS FOUNDATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards the purchase of an HVAC system for the newly renovated overnight spaces on the Battleship Texas.	\$20,000.00
BAY AREA HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, INC. <i>Dickinson, TX</i> Towards support of the construction costs of the LaPorte Home Build Up.	\$5,000.00
BAY AREA REHABILITATION CENTER <i>Baytown, TX</i> Towards support of the “Looking to the Future” capital campaign.	\$5,000.00
BAYOU PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the Eyes on the Bayou program.	\$10,000.00
BEL INIZIO <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of programs to help disadvantaged women develop self-confidence and life skills through fitness and nutrition.	\$2,500.00
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS LONE STAR <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the mentor2.0 program.	\$10,000.00
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS LONE STAR <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign to construct the new headquarters at 1003 Washington Avenue.	\$25,000.00
BILL OF RIGHTS INSTITUTE <i>Arlington, VA</i> Towards support of a Constitutional Seminar for Houston area teachers and support of a Texas Outreach Initiative for Texas teachers.	\$10,000.00
BO'S PLACE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of programs to enhance the lives of children and families who have experienced the death of a loved one.	\$10,000.00
BOAT PEOPLE SOS, INC. <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Citizenship and ESL programs.	\$5,000.00



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA SAM HOUSTON AREA COUNCIL <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards funds to support Scouting programs.	\$10,000.00
BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF GREATER HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards assistance in funding the expanded delivery model.	\$25,000.00
BOYS AND GIRLS COUNTRY <i>Hockley, TX</i> Towards support to change the lives of children from families in crisis by loving and nurturing them in a Christian environment and raising them to become self-sustaining and contributing adults.	\$10,000.00
BOYS AND GIRLS HARBOR <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of residential care.	\$20,000.00
BOYS TOWN TEXAS <i>San Antonio, TX</i> Towards support of safe, loving homes and a family environment where troubled children are able to manage the difficult problems they face armed with compassion, guidance, and hope.	\$5,000.00
BRAZOS VALLEY MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY <i>Bryan, TX</i> Towards support of the preservation and protection of cultural and natural history and the promotion of science education.	\$5,000.00
BREAKTHROUGH HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of preparing students who possess both high academic potential and limited educational resources for competitive high school programs and college admissions.	\$10,000.00
BRIDGES TO LIFE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards bringing hope and healing to victims, offenders, and our community.	\$25,000.00
BULLOCK TEXAS STATE HISTORY MUSEUM <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support of the La Salle Shipwreck project.	\$100,000.00



CAMP ARANZAZU	\$20,000.00
<i>Rockport, TX</i>	
Towards serving Houston area campers with special needs with scholarship assistance to afford them campership opportunities and to support the capital campaign.	
CAMP SWEENEY	\$3,000.00
<i>Gainesville, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Campership program.	
CANCARE	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the hospital visitation and one-on-one emotional support programs for cancer patients and their families.	
CASA DE ESPERANZA	\$6,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Hands of Hope Internship program.	
CENIKOR	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the first floor expansion at the Deer Park facility.	
CHALLENGE AIR FOR KIDS & FRIENDS	\$10,000.00
<i>Dallas, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Texas area Fly Day events in Conroe, Tyler, Dallas, Amarillo, Kerrville, and Cedar Park.	
CHILD ADVOCATES OF FORT BEND	\$5,000.00
<i>Rosenberg, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Court Appointed Special Advocates.	
CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Family Adventures program.	
CHISHOLM TRAIL COMMUNITIES FOUNDATION	\$6,000.00
<i>Georgetown, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Rotary Club of Georgetown, TX, "Breakfast with Santa" program.	
CITY ARTWORKS	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Art After School classes.	



CLAYTON DABNEY FOUNDATION FOR KIDS WITH CANCER	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for underprivileged families with the financial strain of caring for a child diagnosed with terminal cancer.	
COLONIAL HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH	\$25,000.00
<i>Tyler, TX</i> Towards support for the Men's Ministry "Band of Brothers".	
COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the Methodist Nursing Externship program.	
CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL	\$100,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for technology upgrades to provide the video streaming of the weekly worship services and programs.	
CORNERSTONE RECOVERY	\$2,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the Outreach and Adventure Learning programs.	
COVENANT HOUSE TEXAS	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to provide a safe haven and resources to homeless and runaways to help them choose positive alternatives and develop into self-sufficient adults.	
DA CAMERA OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Education and Community Initiatives.	
DANCE HOUSTON	\$2,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of performances and festivals that feature local dancers and dance companies performing a wide variety of styles.	
BROOKWOOD COMMUNITY	\$10,000.00
<i>Brookshire, TX</i> Towards support of an educational environment that creates meaningful jobs, builds a sense of belonging, and demands dignity and respect for adults with disabilities.	



CAMP ALLEN	\$5,000.00
<i>Navasota, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Kids4Peace camp session.	
CAMP FOR ALL	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the barrier-free camp designed to enrich the lives of children and adults with chronic illnesses and disabilities.	
CAMP YOUNG JUDAEA-TEXAS	\$20,000.00
<i>Bellaire, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Experiential Learning Center.	
CAREER AND RECOVERY RESOURCES, INC.	\$50,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the construction of the Employment and Technology building.	
CENIKOR	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of medical services at the Houston facility.	
CENIKOR-ODYSSEY HOUSE TEXAS	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of capital improvements.	
CHILD ADVOCATES	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the 2015 Court Services program.	
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF SAN ANTONIO	\$5,000.00
<i>San Antonio, TX</i>	
Towards the "Putting Children First" capital campaign.	
CHINESE COMMUNITY CENTER	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Workforce Development program.	
CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER	\$2,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the JobNet program.	
CLASSICAL THEATRE COMPANY	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the moving/renovation expenses and general operations.	



CLEMENTS CENTER FOR NATIONAL SECURITY THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN	\$100,000.00
<i>Austin, TX</i>	
Towards support of the National Security Forum.	
COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG FOUNDATION	\$8,550.00
<i>Williamsburg, VA</i>	
Towards support to fund the attendance of three Houston teachers in the 2015 Teacher Institute.	
COMP-U-DOPT	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards providing computers and technology education to motivated children in underserved communities.	
CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the endowment fund for the Loewenstern Children's Fund, the archiving project for the Library, and the Karff Scholarship Fund.	
CORPUS CHRISTI HOPE HOUSE	\$7,500.00
<i>Corpus Christi, TX</i>	
Towards support to provide shelter and assistance to families and their dependent children when faced with homelessness.	
CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON	\$50,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the capital campaign.	
DAN'S HOUSE OF HOPE, INC.	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the healing of young adults fighting cancer through providing community, supportive programming, and home away from home services that reduce isolation, decrease financial burdens, and nourish hope.	
DAVID HOROWITZ FREEDOM CENTER	\$10,000.00
<i>Sherman Oaks, CA</i>	
Towards support of the defense of free societies whose moral, cultural, and economic foundations are under attack by enemies both secular and religious, at home and abroad.	



DEPRESSION AND BIPOLAR SUPPORT ALLIANCE GREATER HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of free and confidential weekly support groups for those affected by depression and bipolar disorders.	\$5,000.00
DIMITT COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATES <i>Carrizo Springs, TX</i> Towards support of the 4-H and FFA Junior Livestock Show.	\$5,000.00
DIOCESE OF BEAUMONT <i>Beaumont, TX</i> Towards support of partial tuition assistance for students from financially challenged families attending St. Catherine of Siena Catholic School.	\$10,000.00
DR. MARNIE ROSE FOUNDATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the 13th Annual Run for the Rose on April 12, 2015.	\$10,000.00
EAST FORT BEND HUMAN NEEDS MINISTRY, INC. <i>Stafford, TX</i> Towards support of the Financial Assistance program.	\$5,000.00
ESCAPE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards the purchase and remodeling of a permanent home at 2410 Hamilton.	\$25,000.00
EXCHANGE CLUB OF QUAIL VALLEY <i>Missouri City, TX</i> Towards support of the Scholarship program.	\$5,000.00
EXPRESS CHILDREN'S THEATRE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the performance season, Around the World and Across the Street.	\$5,000.00
FIVE STAR LIFE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the expansion into Alief Independent School District.	\$5,000.00
FORT BEND FAMILY PROMISE <i>Missouri City, TX</i> Towards support of meeting the immediate needs of homeless families while empowering them to attain self-sufficiency.	\$5,000.00



FORT BEND SENIORS <i>Rosenberg, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign to fund the construction of a new administration building.	\$5,000.00
FORT HOOD CHAPTER OF THE AUSA <i>Killeen, TX</i> Towards direct soldier, wounded warrior, military unit, and ROTC detachment support, ROTC awards, and general scholarships.	\$20,000.00
FORT HOOD HABITAT FOR HUMANITY <i>Killeen, TX</i> Towards support of the Restore operation.	\$5,000.00
FOSSIL CREEK COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CENTER <i>Fort Worth, TX</i> Towards support of the purchase of food and the construction of a storage building for the Food Pantry.	\$1,000.00
FREE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the 2015 Annual Freedom Fund.	\$25,000.00
FREE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the formation of conservative leaders and teachers by providing education in history and the principles of the American Republic and of the western tradition.	\$5,000.00
FREEDOM PLACE <i>Spring, TX</i> Towards support of residential treatment of victims of domestic child sex trafficking.	\$15,000.00
FREEDOMWORKS FOUNDATION <i>Washington, DC</i> Towards support of countering the liberal bias of the universities and the mainstream media by conducting research on policy issues and educating the grassroots community on the basic tenets of the free market philosophy.	\$15,000.00
FRIENDS OF THE TEXAS HOLOCAUST AND GENOCIDE COMMISSION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the production of the genocide module.	\$10,000.00



GALVESTON BAY FOUNDATION	\$10,000.00
<i>Webster, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Youth Education programs.	
GENERATION ONE	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Early Childhood Intervention program.	
GENESYS WORKS	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the High School Internship and Capacity Building Renovation project.	
GEORGE W. BUSH CHILDHOOD HOME	\$5,000.00
<i>Midland, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Laura Bush Literacy program and 5th Grade Social Studies program.	
GEORGETOWN ANIMAL SHELTER	\$1,500.00
<i>Georgetown, TX</i>	
Towards support of improving the lives of animals in its care.	
GILBERT & SULLIVAN SOCIETY OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the 2015 production of "The Pirates of Penzance."	
GIRLS, INC.	\$2,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of After School programming.	
GIRLSTART	\$2,500.00
<i>Austin, TX</i>	
Towards support for the After School program in Houston during the 2015-2016 school year.	
GLENWOOD CEMETERY HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOUNDATION	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the preservation of the historic Glenwood Cemetery.	
GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Certified Apartment Maintenance Training program.	



GULF COAST BIRD OBSERVATORY <i>Lake Jackson, TX</i> Towards support of programming at the Avian Conservation Science Center.	\$5,000.00
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY NORTHWEST HARRIS COUNTY <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Youth Build project.	\$5,000.00
HALO HOUSE FOUNDATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign.	\$10,000.00
HAND IN HAND <i>Portland, OR</i> Towards support of the education department, school expansion and community work.	\$5,000.00
HARRIS COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Healthcare for the Homeless Dental Van.	\$5,000.00
HARRY RANSOM CENTER <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support of the establishment of an endowment for the exhibition program.	\$25,000.00
HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER <i>Cambridge, MA</i> Towards support to help cover the campus fee which supports the Fellowship of Catholic University Students.	\$10,000.00
HERZSTEIN MEMORIAL MUSEUM <i>Clayton, NM</i> Towards support of the preparation of financial statements and the IRS 990 by a CPA.	\$5,000.00
HITS THEATRE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards providing high-quality theatre arts and education programs designed specifically for children and young adults ages 6 to 20.	\$3,500.00
HOLOCAUST MUSEUM HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign.	\$200,000.00



HOLOCAUST MUSEUM HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of educating people about the Holocaust, remembering the 6 million Jews and other innocent victims, and honoring the survivors' legacy.	
HOLY NAME PASSIONIST RETREAT CENTER	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Twelve Step program.	
HOOD COLLEGE	\$25,000.00
<i>Frederick, MD</i>	
Towards establishing a scholarship endowment in recognition of Father Crispo and in memory of Pauline Serafin.	
HOOVER INSTIUTION	\$10,000.00
<i>Palo Alto, CA</i>	
Towards support of understanding the causes and consequences of economic, political, and social change.	
HOPE & HEALING CENTER	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Speaker Series.	
HOUSTON APHASIA RECOVERY CENTER	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of participants, their caregivers, and educating the greater Houston medical community.	
HOUSTON ARBORETUM AND NATURE CENTER	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of providing education about the natural environment to people of all ages and to protect and enhance the Arboretum as a haven and sanctuary for native plants and animals.	
HOUSTON AREA PARKINSON SOCIETY	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of programs to improve the quality of life for those affected by Parkinson's disease through services, education, and advocacy.	
HOUSTON BALLET	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Education and Community Engagement initiatives.	



HOUSTON BOYCHOIR	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of building men of character through music.	
HOUSTON CENTER FOR LITERACY	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards building capacity in the Social Services department.	
HOUSTON COMMUNITY TOOLBANK	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the tool lending program serving charitable organizations in the community.	
HOUSTON COMPASS, INC.	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of assisting the disadvantaged and unemployed in gaining direction and control over their lives through employment or other appropriate means.	
HOUSTON FOOD BANK	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the distribution of nutritious meals through hunger-relief agencies in Houston and southeast Texas.	
HOUSTON GRAND OPERA	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the performance season and the December 2015 production of "The Little Prince."	
HOUSTON HILLEL	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of programming for Jewish graduate students.	
HOUSTON HOSPICE	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards funds to support high quality end-of-life care for the terminally ill patient, regardless of socioeconomic status, religious affiliations, age or diagnosis.	
HOUSTON HUMANE SOCIETY	\$1,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of ending cruelty, abuse, and the overpopulation of animals while providing high quality of life care.	



HOUSTON JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB	\$3,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the annual Luncheon and Style Show on October 12, 2015.	
HOUSTON MUSEUM OF NATURAL SCIENCE	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of ongoing upkeep and refurbishment of the permanent exhibit halls and traveling exhibitions in memory of Hayden Valdes.	
HOUSTON MUSEUM OF NATURAL SCIENCE	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the renovation of the Burke Baker Planetarium.	
HOUSTON POLICE FOUNDATION	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Homeless Outreach Team (HOT) Mental Health Unit through an emergency fund for work in the field in memory of Mary Frances "Patsy" McCain, granddaughter of Officer Ira D. Raney, H.P.D.	
HOUSTON PUBLIC MEDIA	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the local broadcast of NOVA during the 2015-2016 season.	
HOUSTON SPCA	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of promoting commitment to and respect for all animals and freeing them from suffering, abuse and exploitation.	
HOUSTON SYMPHONY	\$100,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the upgrades to the in-hall audio visual system.	
HOUSTON TSCPA FOUNDATION	\$12,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of accounting scholarships to students.	
HOUSTON YOUTH SYMPHONY	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the 2014-2015 performance season.	
INDEPENDENT WOMEN'S FORUM	\$5,000.00
<i>Washington, DC</i>	
Towards support to improve the lives of Americans by increasing the number of women who value free markets and personal liberty.	



INPRINT	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of fostering the art of creative writing to inspire readers and writers.	
INTERCOLLEGIATE STUDIES INSTITUTE	\$15,000.00
<i>Wilmington, DE</i>	
Towards support of the launch of the Texas Leadership project.	
INTERFACE-SAMARITAN COUNSELING CENTERS	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Client Assistance Fund.	
INTERFAITH CAREPARTNERS	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Care Team program.	
INTERFAITH CARING MINISTRIES	\$5,000.00
<i>League City, TX</i>	
Towards support of the rent and utilities program and direct financial assistance for clients.	
INTERFAITH MINISTRIES FOR GREATER HOUSTON	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Meals on Wheels program.	
IRISH ROVER	\$10,000.00
<i>Notre Dame, IN</i>	
Towards support of the student publication devoted to preserving the Catholic identity of Notre Dame.	
JEWISH CHILDREN'S REGIONAL SERVICE	\$10,000.00
<i>Metairie, LA</i>	
Towards support for low-income, dependent, and special needs Jewish youth in the Houston area.	
JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Employment Services program.	
JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of staff salaries to coordinate volunteers in the aftermath of flooding in the Houston area.	



JEWISH INSTITUTE FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS <i>Washington, DC</i> Towards support for "The Journal of International Security Affairs."	\$15,000.00
JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT OF SOUTHEAST TEXAS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Young Men's Leadership Initiative.	\$10,000.00
KATY PRAIRIE CONSERVANCY <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of conservation efforts.	\$5,000.00
KIDS' MEALS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Summer Feeding program.	\$10,000.00
KING'S ACADEMY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL <i>Tyler, TX</i> Towards support of the purchase of Science Lab equipment.	\$5,000.00
KIPP, INC. <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for operations at KIPP Houston Public Schools.	\$15,000.00
LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE <i>Arlington, VA</i> Towards support of programs to train and equip conservative college students.	\$10,000.00
LEAVE OUT VIOLENCE LOVE U.S. <i>New York, NY</i> Towards support for the 2014-2015 school-based programming: Outreach and In-School Media Arts program.	\$4,000.00
LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Patient Services program.	\$5,000.00
LIGHTHOUSE OF HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the capital campaign.	\$20,000.00



LIGHTHOUSE OF HOUSTON	\$20,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the capital campaign.	
LITERACY ADVANCE OF HOUSTON	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of programs that transform lives and communities through the doorway of literacy.	
LITERACY COUNCIL OF FORT BEND COUNTY	\$5,000.00
<i>Sugar Land, TX</i>	
Towards support of an upgraded curriculum for the ESL program and to provide support of the technology and consumable needs of the GED program.	
LITTLE WOMAN HOME FOR ANIMALS	\$5,000.00
<i>Huntsville, TX</i>	
Towards a memorial in honor of William Bromley, Linda Rios-Bromley's husband.	
MAIN STREET THEATER	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the creation of theater that challenges its audience to think and its artists to grow.	
MAKE-A-WISH TEXAS GULF COAST AND LOUISIANA	\$20,000.00
<i>Stafford, TX</i>	
Towards the support of children with life threatening medical conditions and to enrich the human experience with hope, strength, and joy.	
MANHATTAN INSTITUTE FOR POLICY RESEARCH	\$5,000.00
<i>New York, NY</i>	
Towards support of the Adam Smith Society.	
MEDIA RESEARCH CENTER	\$5,000.00
<i>Reston, VA</i>	
Towards support of the creation of a media culture in America where truth and liberty flourish.	
MEMORIAL ASSISTANCE MINISTRIES	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the Employment Services program.	
MERCURY	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Neighborhood Concert Series.	



MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the 2015 “Miller Presents” performance series.	\$10,000.00
MOVING PICTURE INSTITUTE <i>New York, NY</i> Towards support of promoting freedom through film.	\$5,000.00
MUSEUM OF NEW MEXICO <i>Santa Fe, NM</i> Towards support for the “Expressions of Complex Identities: Sephardic Jews, Conversos, and Crypto-Jews.”	\$25,000.00
MUSIQA <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for the educational programming and matching the National Endowment for the Arts education grant.	\$5,000.00
NATIONAL CENTER FOR POLICY ANALYSIS <i>Dallas, TX</i> Towards support to develop and promote private, free market alternatives to government regulation and control, and solving problems by relying on the strength of the competitive, entrepreneurial private sector.	\$5,000.00
NATIONAL JEWISH HEALTH <i>Denver, CO</i> Towards support of the capital campaign to support the new Specialty Patient Care Center.	\$250,000.00
NATURE DISCOVERY CENTER <i>Bellaire, TX</i> Towards support for education programs.	\$10,000.00
NEHEMIAH CENTER <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Prekindergarten program.	\$5,000.00
NEW ULM VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT <i>New Ulm, TX</i> Towards support of the dedicated team of volunteer firefighters.	\$5,000.00
OFFSHORE ENERGY CENTER <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Project E(3): Expanding Energy Education teacher	\$5,000.00



OPEN DOOR MISSION	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Education Center.	
OPERA IN THE HEIGHTS	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Artistic Administration Chair.	
PACIFIC LEGAL FOUNDATION	\$5,000.00
<i>Sacramento, CA</i>	
Towards support to litigate for limited government, property rights, free enterprise, and a balanced approach to environmental regulations in courts nationwide.	
PALMER DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of effective prevention and recovery programs helping young people and families avoid or recover from the devastating effects of drug and alcohol abuse.	
PANTHER CREEK INSPIRATION RANCH	\$5,000.00
<i>Spring, TX</i>	
Towards support of programs that partner horses with people to transform lives and help them reach their highest ability.	
PATHWAYS FOR LITTLE FEET	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of helping families with the financial expense of adoption.	
PHILANTHROPY ROUNDTABLE	\$5,000.00
<i>Washington, DC</i>	
Towards support to foster excellence in philanthropy, to protect philanthropic freedom, to assist donors in achieving their philanthropic intent, and to help donors advance liberty, opportunity and personal responsibility in America and abroad.	
PHILANTHROPY SOUTHWEST	\$5,000.00
<i>Dallas, TX</i>	
Towards program and membership renewal support.	
PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN'S HOMES AND SERVICES	\$5,000.00
<i>Austin, TX</i>	
Towards support of the new Houston Single Parent Family Program.	



PREVENT BLINDNESS TEXAS	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the expansion of the Healthy Eyes program.	
PRISON ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAM	\$20,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Reintegration Support System.	
PRO-VISION	\$100,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Gymnasium project.	
REBUILDING TOGETHER HOUSTON	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards critical home repairs for Houstonians.	
RICE UNIVERSITY	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of an exploratory trip for a new project in Latin America through Engineers Without Borders.	
RIVER OAKS CHAMBER ORCHESTRA	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the November 2015 ROCO Alive in Concert, a World Premiere Commission from James Matheson.	
ROBERT M. BEREN ACADEMY	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the need-based scholarship program.	
ROUND TOP FESTIVAL INSTITUTE	\$10,000.00
<i>Round Top, TX</i>	
Towards support of the education and training of young musicians through forums, musical events, collections of several types of resources, and original productions of various artistic expressions.	
SAILING ANGELS FOUNDATION	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of introducing the joy of sailing to children with special cognitive and physical needs and critical illnesses as an opportunity for education and recreational therapy.	



SAINT CATHERINE'S MONTESSORI <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Capital Campaign.	\$5,000.00
SAN JACINTO COLLEGE FOUNDATION <i>Pasadena, TX</i> Towards support of nursing scholarships.	\$20,000.00
SAN JOSE CLINIC <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to provide quality healthcare and education to those with limited access to such services in an environment which respects the dignity of each person.	\$5,000.00
SAN JUAN DIEGO CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support of tuition assistance.	\$2,500.00
SANTA MARIA HOSTEL, INC. <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Child Care program.	\$5,000.00
SEARCH HOMELESS SERVICES <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards carrying out the facilities' expansion and capacity building improvements.	\$10,000.00
SECOND SERVINGS OF HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards the purchase of a refrigerator truck.	\$15,000.00
SERVICE DOGS, INC. <i>Dripping Springs, TX</i> Towards support of the training of a Hearing or Service Dog.	\$10,000.00
SEVEN ACRES JEWISH SENIOR CARE SERVICES <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of providing a comprehensive range of services available to all of their residents, as well as outreach services to the senior community of Greater Houston.	\$5,000.00
SEVEN ACRES JEWISH SENIOR CARE SERVICES <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Staff Dementia Care Training Institute.	\$70,000.00



SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CHILDREN <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of Houston's Movement Analysis Laboratory and Galveston's Tissue Bank	\$10,000.00
SHUMLA ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION CENTER <i>Comstock, TX</i> Towards support of improvements and maintenance required to keep the facility in safe and working order.	\$5,000.00
SIGHT INTO SOUND <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards enriching the lives of individuals with visual, physical, and learning disabilities.	\$7,500.00
SIGHT SAVERS AMERICA <i>Pelham, AL</i> Towards assisting children with low vision needs in Houston through the I Can See Now program.	\$5,000.00
SIRE, INC. <i>Hockley, TX</i> Towards support to improve the quality of life for people with special needs through therapeutic horsemanship activities and educational outreach.	\$5,000.00
SMALL STEPS NURTURING CENTER <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to provide an exemplary early childhood program to instill and foster the social, emotional, physical, intellectual, and the spiritual growth of economically at-risk children and their families.	\$2,500.00
SNAP <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Mobile Clinic Project.	\$2,500.00
SPACE CENTER HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Space Exploration Educators Conference.	\$15,000.00
SPARK SCHOOL PARK PROGRAM <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the park construction at a Houston-Harris county school.	\$5,000.00



SPAULDING FOR CHILDREN	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of post adoption services in the Greater Houston area.	
SPECIAL OLYMPICS TEXAS	\$15,000.00
<i>Austin, TX</i>	
Towards support of program evaluation of the athletes and their families in order to better address their needs	
SPIRITHORSE THERAPEUTIC CENTER	\$2,500.00
<i>Corinth, TX</i>	
Towards support of additional instructors and to expand the program for more children.	
SPRINGSPIRIT	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Community and Education Center.	
ST. AGNES ACADEMY	\$17,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of full tuition for a rising junior for the 2015-2016 school year.	
ST. DOMINIC VILLAGE	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards the purchase of a mobile computer/medication cart.	
ST. JOHN BOSCO SCHOOL	\$5,000.00
<i>San Antonio, TX</i>	
Towards support of the tuition assistance program.	
ST. THOMAS HIGH SCHOOL	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the tradition of the Basilian Fathers in teaching goodness, disciplines, and knowledge.	
STAGES REPERTORY THEATRE	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the 2015-2016 performance season.	
STRAKE JESUIT COLLEGE PREPARATORY	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Albert and Ethel Herzstein Charitable Foundation Endowed Scholarship in honor of Father Daniel Lahart.	



SUNSHINE KIDS	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Local Activities program.	
SURGICAL VOLUNTEERS INTERNATIONAL	\$2,500.00
<i>Tucson, AZ</i>	
Towards support of missions to treat children with clefts, burns, and urological problems.	
TAHIRIH JUSTICE CENTER	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the protection of immigrant women and children seeking justice in the U.S. from gender-based violence.	
TARGET HUNGER	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of alleviating hunger and its root causes in the heart of Houston's inner city.	
TEACH FOR AMERICA	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of Houston corps members.	
TEACH TO EDUCATE ALL CHILDREN	\$20,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the teacher training program in classroom management in select schools in HISD.	
TEEN & FAMILY SERVICES	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for programs that provide a community for families and teens to heal and grow from the harmful effects of substance abuse and high risk behaviors.	
TEXAS A & M FOUNDATION	\$10,000.00
<i>College Station, TX</i>	
Towards support for medical students at the Texas A & M Health Science Center.	
TEXAS A & M FOUNDATION	\$7,000.00
<i>College Station, TX</i>	
Towards the establishment of the Albert and Ethel Herzstein Endowed Business Scholarship.	



TEXAS A & M HILLEL <i>College Station, TX</i> Towards enriching the lives of Jewish Students so that they may enrich the Jewish people and the world.	\$5,000.00
TEXAS CENTER FOR THE MISSING <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the development and implementation of the law enforcement training module featured in the new Houston Regional Silver Alert System.	\$2,500.00
TEXAS HILLEL <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support of the Texas Renaissance Society.	\$20,000.00
TEXAS PUBLIC POLICY FOUNDATION <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support of the Lone Star Rising capital campaign.	\$300,000.00
TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of a scholarship, which will be matched by the University President's Leadership Scholarship Program.	\$10,000.00
THE BEACON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the four core programs that serve the chronically homeless and guide them off the streets and into permanent supportive housing.	\$5,000.00
THE BLUE BIRD CIRCLE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of direct patient care and basic research initiatives in pediatric neurology.	\$5,000.00
THE BUGLE BOY FOUNDATION <i>La Grange, TX</i> Towards support for the performance season and the Brisco Center Bugle Boy Archive project.	\$2,500.00
THE CENTER <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support for high quality residential, vocational, and day services to support adults with developmental disabilities.	\$5,000.00



THE CENTER FOR HEARING AND SPEECH <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards audiology equipment, maintenance, and repairs that are critical to the exponential growth over the next three years.	\$25,000.00
THE GRAND 1894 OPERA HOUSE <i>Galveston, TX</i> Towards support to underwrite programming for the 2015-2016 Performing Arts Season.	\$10,000.00
THE HERITAGE FOUNDATION <i>Washington, DC</i> Towards support of the capital campaign and to formulate and promote conservative public policies based on the principles of free enterprise, limited government, individual freedom, traditional American values, and a strong national defense.	\$125,000.00
THE LEARNING PLANET <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of "Rima, Fuego and the Children."	\$5,000.00
THE MISSION OF YAHWEH <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to help empower, enrich, and restore the lives of homeless women and children and provide outreach services to low-income families in the neighborhood.	\$5,000.00
THE NATIONAL WWII MUSEUM <i>New Orleans, LA</i> Towards support of the Taking Palermo Exhibit, Campaigns of Courage Pavilion.	\$50,000.00
THE PERIWINKLE FOUNDATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the development and provision of programs that positively change the lives of children, young adults, and families who are challenged by cancer and other life-threatening illnesses and are cared for at Texas Children's Hospital.	\$10,000.00
THE PRINTING MUSEUM <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of youth scholarships to the Museum's Summer Book Arts Studio.	\$3,000.00



THE RISE SCHOOL OF HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of tuition scholarships.	\$10,000.00
THE ROSE <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of breast cancer diagnostic equipment.	\$5,000.00
THE VILLAGE <i>Kingwood, TX</i> Towards support of services to affect positive changes in the lives of individuals with development disabilities, their families, and local community, so they may reach their maximum potential and level of independence.	\$5,000.00
THE WARM PLACE <i>Fort Worth, TX</i> Towards support of the Grief Support program.	\$5,000.00
THE WESTVIEW SCHOOL <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Scholarship Fund.	\$7,500.00
THE WOODS PROJECT <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the development of life skills for low-income youth through an environmental awareness programs.	\$22,500.00
THE WORKFAITH CONNECTION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Job Readiness Boot Camp.	\$10,000.00
THEATER LAB HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of production expenses during the 2015-2016 season.	\$7,500.00
THEATRE UNDER THE STARS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Musicals for Young Audiences & TUTS Underground.	\$15,000.00
THEATRE UNDER THE STARS <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the enrichment of life through the experience of quality musical theatre and the positive impact made on lives beyond the stage through innovative education and community outreach.	\$2,500.00



THERAPY PET PALS OF TEXAS, INC. <i>Austin, TX</i> Towards support for the Pet Visitation program.	\$5,000.00
THOMAS AQUINAS COLLEGE <i>Santa Paula, CA</i> Towards support of financial aid to a Texas student in the 2014-2015 academic year.	\$5,000.00
TIRR FOUNDATION <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Research Priority Award for spinal cord injury research.	\$20,000.00
TOOLS 4 LIFE BOOKS <i>Katy, TX</i> Towards support for the Tools 4 Teens Mentoring program.	\$2,500.00
TREES FOR HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support to plant, protect, and promote trees throughout the Greater Houston area.	\$7,500.00
TURNING POINT USA <i>Lemont, IL</i> Towards support for the Texas Field program.	\$10,000.00
U.S. NAVAL SEA CADET CORPS <i>Cypress, TX</i> Towards support of scholarships for cadets.	\$1,000.00
UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the CESA Scholarship program.	\$5,000.00
UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY FOUNDATION <i>Annapolis, MD</i> Towards support for the JINSA and Peace & Dialogue Leadership Initiative.	\$15,000.00
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Albert and Ethel Herzstein Tier One Scholarship.	\$85,000.00
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON-DOWNTOWN <i>Houston, TX</i> Towards support of the Herzstein Transfer Scholarships.	\$10,000.00



URBAN HARVEST	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support that encourages community, good nutrition, and sustainability through teaching and support of organic gardening.	
UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY	\$7,500.00
<i>Logan, UT</i>	
Towards support of the Ryker Dattage Memorial Fund.	
VH1 SAVE THE MUSIC FOUNDATION	\$15,000.00
<i>New York, NY</i>	
Towards support to restore a full instrumental music program in two qualifying public schools in Houston for 2015-2016.	
VIRTUOSI OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the Small Ensemble Program and general operating costs.	
VITA-LIVING, INC.	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards providing lifelong support programs for adults and children with disabilities.	
VOLUNTEER HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of Volunteer Houston 2.0.	
VOLUNTEER INTERFAITH CAREGIVERS-SOUTHWEST	\$5,000.00
<i>Bellaire, TX</i>	
Towards support of direct services that assist elderly people to remain independent, obtain health care, and preserve their quality of life.	
WARRIOR'S WEEKEND	\$10,000.00
<i>Victoria, TX</i>	
Towards support of the annual event on May 15-17, 2015 which provides wounded veterans and their caretakers a weekend of fishing, fun, and food.	
WELLSPRINGS VILLAGE, INC.	\$10,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of services designed to help homeless women transition in the community.	



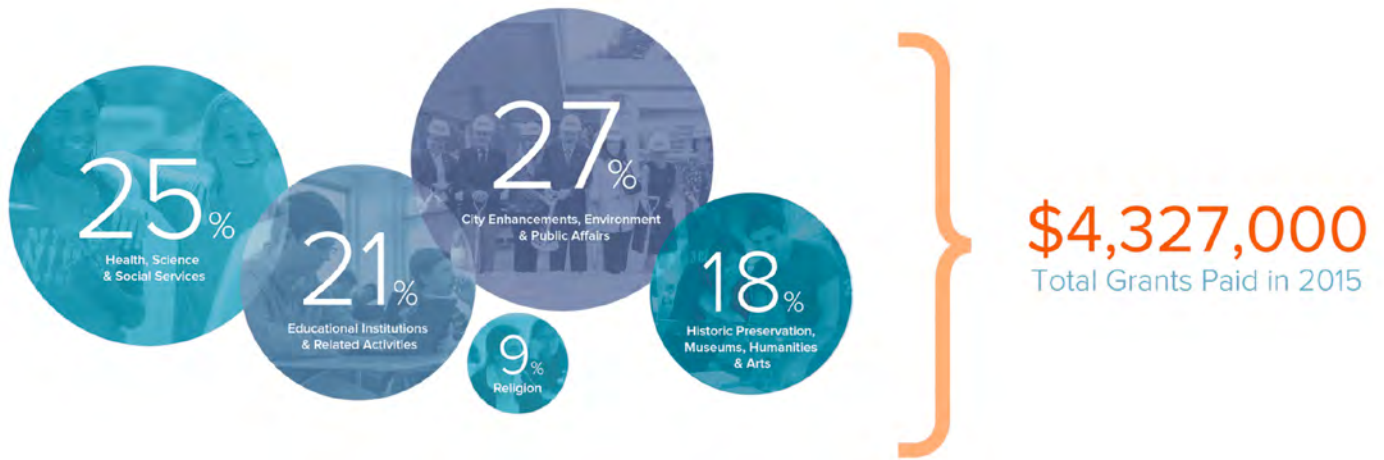
WEST TEXAS A & M UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION	\$5,000.00
<i>Canyon, TX</i>	
Towards support of the purchase of equipment for the nursing program.	
WESTERN ACADEMY	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of growth, faculty development, and the strategic plan.	
WESTSIDE HOMELESS PREVENTION	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Hand-Up program.	
WORKSHOP HOUSTON	\$15,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for youth development programs and the capital campaign.	
WRITERS IN THE SCHOOLS	\$7,500.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for bringing a writer into a public school classroom during the 2014-2015 school year.	
YELLOWSTONE ACADEMY	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the educational operating budget.	
YMCA OF GREATER HOUSTON AREA	\$25,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support for the YMCA Miracle League Complex at the Langham Creek Family YMCA.	
YOUNG AUDIENCES OF HOUSTON	\$5,000.00
<i>Houston, TX</i>	
Towards support of the Arts-Promise program.	



Financials

The Herzstein Foundation prepares its financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Audited summary financial information is presented below.

Grants Paid in 2015



Financials

Statement of Financial Position

	Dec. 31, 2015	Dec. 31, 2014
Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,891,000	1,847,000
Accounts Receivable and Other Assets	940,000	1,745,000
Marketable Securities	38,450,000	31,808,000
Real Estate	40,335,000	38,283,000
Partnerships	5,653,000	23,990,000
Total Assets	\$ 87,269,000	97,673,000
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Accrued Liabilities and Other Payables	\$ 11,000	15,000
Net Assets	87,258,000	97,658,000
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 87,269,000	97,673,000

Statement of Activities

	Dec. 31, 2015	Dec. 31, 2014
Revenue, Gains (Losses) and Other Income		
Interest	\$ 5,000	5,000
Dividends	1,533,000	1,077,000
Income from Investment in Real Estate	2,449,000	2,443,000
Realized Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments	1,687,000	1,058,000
Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments	(9,024,000)	(1,692,000)
Income (Loss) from Investments in Partnerships	(1,912,000)	(1,605,000)
Other Income	200,000	0
Total Revenue, Gains (Losses) and Other Income	(5,062,000)	1,286,000
Expenses		
Administrative and Federal Excise Tax	1,011,000	854,000
Grants Paid	4,327,000	4,677,000
Total Expenses and Grants Paid	5,338,000	5,531,000
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	(10,400,000)	(4,245,000)
Net Assets at the Beginning of the Year	97,658,000	101,903,000
Net Assets at the End of the Year	\$ 87,258,000	97,658,000



Financials

Total Charitable Giving Since 1965: \$71 million

