



Institutional Grants Awarded
FY 16 – July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016

- The **American Association of University Women (AAUW)** awarded a Campus Action Project grant to support a student initiative to increase female participation in STEM fields by teaching and mentoring a local Girl Scout troop. [Read more.](#)
- The **Beatrice Fox Auerbach Foundation Fund**, administered by the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving, awarded a grant to support the [Allan K. Smith Center for Writing and Rhetoric](#).
- The **Aurora Women & Girls Foundation** awarded Professor Sheila Fisher (English) and Professor Emerita Judy Dworin (Theater and Dance) a grant to support the Free to Succeed Collaboration. [Read more.](#)
- The **Bank of America Foundation** awarded a grant to support [Dream Camp](#), an after-school and summer camp program for underserved youth in Hartford
- The **Barnes Foundation** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.
- The **Boehringer Ingelheim Cares Foundation** awarded a grant to support a robotics engineering curriculum for Dream Camp's afterschool program at Trinity College.
- The **Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities Authority (CHEFA)** awarded a grant to support BME-4-STEM, a collaboration between industry and academia to create and pilot a Biomedical Engineering curriculum for middle and high school students. [Read more.](#)
- The **Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority (CHESLA)** awarded funds to support scholarships for students with demonstrated financial need.
- The **Ensworth Charitable Foundation** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.
- The **First Niagara Foundation** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.
- The **Stanley D. & Hinda N. Fisher Fund** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.
- The **Ellen Jeanne Goldfarb Memorial Charitable Trust** awarded a grant to support [Moving Matters!](#), a 12-week multi-arts program for students at Hartford Public Schools. [Read more.](#)
- The **Greater Hartford Arts Council** awarded a Hartford Arts & Heritage Jobs Grant to support the 2016 Samba Fest. [Read more.](#)
- The **Hartford Foundation for Public Giving** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp's Counselors-In-Training program.
- The **Institute for International Education** awarded a grant to support the [Rescue Scholar Program](#). Read more [here](#) and [here](#).
- The **Koch Foundation** awarded a grant to support a guest speaker series, student research fellowships and a reading group.
- The **George A. and Grace L. Long Foundation** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.



- The Brazilian state of **Minas Gerais** awarded a grant to support collaboration with Trinity's Samba ensemble and Samba Fest 2016.
- The **NASA Connecticut Space Grant Consortium** awarded a Summer 2016 Rotorcraft Aeromechanics Internship at Ames Research Center to an undergraduate student at Trinity College.
- Alison Draper, director of the Interdisciplinary Science Center and lecturer in interdisciplinary science, received a Faculty STEM Education Programming grant from the **NASA Connecticut Space Grant Consortium** to support the Tech Savvy conference, an effort to promote education and careers in STEM to middle school girls. [Read more.](#)
- The **NASA Connecticut Space Grant Consortium** awarded two Undergraduate Research Fellowships and two Undergraduate Scholarships to Trinity College students.
- The **National Girls Collaborative Project** awarded a CS OPEN grant to fund the [Mobile Apps for Hartford](#) program with a focus on educating young women in computer science skills and application development.
- Frederick Kass, director of networking and infrastructure services, Bryan Adams, director of systems and networking and Scott Smedley, associate professor of biology, received a grant from the **National Science Foundation** Campus Cyberinfrastructure – Data, Networking, and Innovation Program for their project to upgrade the college's computing network to facilitate research and teaching. [Read more.](#)
- Alison Draper, director of the Interdisciplinary Science Center and lecturer in interdisciplinary science, was awarded a grant from the **National Science Foundation's** Teaching Experiences for Undergraduates program to support STEM teaching experiences during the summer for undergraduates. Collaborating institutions include Vassar, Brown, Bryn Mawr and Barnard. [Read more.](#)
- The **Petit Family Foundation** awarded a grant to sponsor the Tech-Savvy conference, a collaboration with AAUW of Connecticut. The event promotes education in STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) fields as future career options for middle school girls. [Read more.](#)
- The **Plutzik Family Foundation** supported the Watkinson Library's publication of *Letter from a Young Poet*, a never-before-published work by Hyam Plutzik '32. [Read more.](#)
- The **Posen Foundation** continued its generous funding of Trinity College's [Institute for the Study of Secularism in Society and Culture](#) (ISSSC).
- The **Evelyn W. Preston Memorial Trust Fund** awarded a grant to support the [Summer Chamber Music Concert Series](#) at the Trinity College Chapel.
- **RC Knox**, a division of **People's United Bank** awarded a grant to support scholarships for Connecticut students.
- The **Charles Nelson Robinson Fund** awarded a grant to support Dream Camp.
- **Ryan's Circle of Giving Fund** awarded a grant through the Middlesex Community Foundation to support the Ryan Gordon/ Hartford Wolf Pack Community Foundation



Scholars Fund. The program provides support for Learn to Skate and Learn to Play Hockey programs for underserved students at the [Koeppel Community Sports Center](#).

- The **Tanaka Memorial Foundation** awarded a grant to support the [Tanaka Student Research Fund](#), which provides faculty-mentored student research opportunities in Asia.
- The **Thomas Taylor and Charlotte V. Taylor Educational Foundation** awarded a grant to support scholarships for high achieving students with demonstrated financial need.
- The **United World College** Fund awarded grants to support international Davis United World College scholars and the Kathryn Wasserman Davis 100 [Projects for Peace](#) initiative. [Read about one of our scholars.](#)
- **Versa Products** awarded a grant to support the Trinity College [Fire Fighting Home Robot Contest](#) and the Versa Products Dream Camp Engineering Internship Program. [Read more about the 2016 contest.](#)
- The **Marie and John Zimmermann Fund** awarded a grant to fund the Jones-Zimmerman Academic Mentoring Program. [Read more.](#)