

Scope Statement:

This subject guide details resources for those seeking grants and fundraising opportunities. Additionally, state employees can contact the State Library for more information about available services, reference help and publications at 614-644-7051 or refhelp@library.ohio.gov.

Electronic Collections:

- **OhioLINK- Electronic Journal Center (EJC):** Full text of 7000+ research journals.
- **Academic Search Complete (EBSCO):** Academic Search Complete provides access to more than 7,100 full-text periodicals, including more than 6,100 peer-reviewed journals. In addition to full text, this database offers indexing and abstracts for more than 11,200 journals and a total of more than 11,700 publications including monographs, reports, conference proceedings, etc. The database features PDF content going back as far as 1887, with the majority of full text titles in searchable PDF format.
- **Business Source Complete (EBSCO):** Business Source Complete provides full text journals in all disciplines of business, including marketing, management, MIS, POM, accounting, finance and economics. Additional full text, non-journal content includes financial data, books, monographs, major reference works, book digests, conference proceedings, case studies, investment research reports, industry reports, market research reports, country reports, company profiles, SWOT analyses and more.
- **MasterFILE (EBSCO):** This multidisciplinary database provides full text for nearly 1,700 general reference publications with full text information dating as far back as 1975. Covering virtually every subject area of general interest, *MasterFILE Premier* also contains full text for nearly 500 reference books and over 164,400 primary source documents, as well as an Image Collection of over 502,000 photos, maps & flags.
- **ReferenceUSA:** Company profiles in the business database include address, phone number, size, lines of business, and executive for over 14 million businesses. The consumer database covers 203 million households and provides addresses, phone numbers, median household income and median home value.

eJournals/eBooks:

Title	Collection	From
Chronicle of Philanthropy	MasterFILE- EBSCO	2000
Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly	EJC	1999
International Journal for Not- For-Profit Law	Academic Search Complete- EBSCO	2009
Nonprofit World Report	Business Source Complete- EBSCO	1983

Federal and Commercial Websites:

- **Association of Fundraising Professionals (<http://afpnet.org>):** The association fosters development and growth of fundraising professionals and promotes high ethical standards in the fundraising profession. AFP believes that to guarantee human freedom and social creativity, people must have the right to freely and voluntarily form organizations to meet perceived needs, advocate causes, and seek funds to support these activities.
- **Foundation Center (<http://foundationcenter.org>):** Established in 1956 and today supported by close to 550 foundations, the Foundation Center is a national nonprofit service organization recognized as the nation's leading authority on organized philanthropy, connecting nonprofits and the grantmakers supporting them to tools they can use and information they can trust.
- **Grants.gov (<http://grants.gov>):** Grants.gov is your source to FIND and APPLY for federal grants. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services is proud to be the managing partner for Grants.gov, an initiative that is having an unparalleled impact on the grant community.
- **Nonprofit Good Practice Guide (<http://www.npgoodpractice.org>):** NPGoodpractice.org was created in 2002 with funding from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation as a one-stop shop for widely accepted and innovative nonprofit practices. Nonprofit leaders can access hands-on tips, articles and profiled links and apply them to their organizations. In 2010, the site was redesigned with interactive features.

New Books at the State Library:

- Canavor, Natalie. How to Write Proposals and Grant Applications That Win. Upper Saddle River, N.J.: Pearson Education, 2010. Electronic.
- Staines, Gail M. Go Get That Grant!: A Practical Guide for Libraries and Nonprofit Organizations. Lanham, Maryland: Scarecrow Press, 2010. Print.

Library of Congress Classification/Dewey Classification:

- Library of Congress: HJ- Public Finance
- Dewey Decimal System: 336- Public Finance

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- Fundraising

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