

## Guidelines for Knight Foundation

Eligible Organizations. Any nonprofit organization, which is recognized by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) and a 509(a) tax-exempt entity and is pursuing objectives appropriate to the mission of the foundation. The organization, if awarded a grant by the foundation, must agree to maintain its qualified, tax-exempt status and to comply with the foundation's eligibility and reporting guidelines.

Ineligible Gifts. Knight Foundation will not match:

- Payments for tuition, books or other student fees
- Dues paid to alumni groups, classes, clubs, fraternities or sororities
- College loan repayments
- Gifts to social, religious or political groups associated with a school
- Gifts to athletic programs or athletic scholarships
- Pledges, bequests, insurance premium payments or deferred giving programs
- Subscription fees for publications
- Gifts made more than one year prior to our notification
- Gifts from spouses or other family members
- Ticket purchases to benefit events or performances
- Non-cash gifts (real or personal property, art, jewelry, donated labor)