2027 Academy Foundation Grant Guidelines

The Academy Foundation supports charitable and educational projects that advance justice, protect legal rights, strengthen the legal profession and judiciary, and promote the Rule of Law.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2027

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants should an established charitable or tax-exempt organization. Organizations outside the United States should provide documentation of charitable status in their home country.
- Requests should support a specific charitable or educational project rather than an individual.
- Projects should align with the Foundation's mission and have national or international significance or impact.

Funding Criteria

- **Mission alignment:** Connection to the Rule of Law, justice, legal rights, law or legal education, the legal profession, or an independent judiciary.
- **Purpose and impact:** A clear need, proposed activities, intended beneficiaries, expected outcomes, and meaningful impact.
- **Ability to carry out the work:** Relevant organizational experience and a realistic plan for using the requested funds.
- **Value of the award:** Whether full or partial funding would meaningfully advance the project.

Key Guidelines

- Submit a complete application and all requested supporting materials by January 15, 2027.
- Clearly explain how the funds will be used and how the project supports the Foundation's mission.
- The Foundation may request additional information during its review.
- All grants are subject to review and approval by the Academy Foundation Board of Trustees.

Questions?

This overview is intended as a quick reference. For additional information about eligibility, application requirements, or the grant process, contact Katie Fletcher atmailto:katie@iatl.net