

Intro to Grantwriting

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Core Concepts

- Tell a story
- Start with budget
- Answer the question(s)
- Be specific
- What makes your proposal different?
- Evaluation

Elements of the Proposal

- Abstract
- Who you are/What the need is
- Who you are going to serve
- What you are going to do
- Who is going to do it
- How you will know you've done it/evaluation
- What will happen afterward/sustainability
- Budget

Where to Find Grants

Foundations/Corporations

- Foundation Center Directory Online

<https://fconline.foundationcenter.org/>

Philanthropy News Digest

<https://philanthropynewsdigest.org/>

- Philanthropy New York

- <https://philanthropynewyork.org/funders-accepting-nynj-area-common-grant-application>

- Citizens Committee of NY

<https://www.citizensnyc.org/grantmaking>

Where to Find Grants (continued)

Government

- **New York City Council Discretionary Funding (Deadline Feb 22)**

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/nonprofits/funding-opportunities/city-council-discretionary-funding.page>

<https://council.nyc.gov/budget/fiscal-year-2023-discretionary-funding-expense-application-filing-period/>

- **All NYC Agencies: Passport**

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/mocs/systems/about-go-to-passport.page>

- **New York State Funding: Grants Gateway**

<https://grantsmanagement.ny.gov/>

- **Federal Government: Grants.Gov**

<https://www.grants.gov/>

501 (c)3 Status

- What It Is and How It Works

- Fiscal Sponsors

<https://pentacle-nextsteps.org/501c3/new-york-city-fiscal-sponsors/>

Resources/Samples

Philanthropy NY/NJ Common Application

- <https://philanthropynewyork.org/resources/nynj-area-common-application>

Candid

- <https://learning.candid.org/resources/sample-documents/>

Citizens Committee for NYC

- <https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5f29763b60ad2b5398b30ae3/t/61b33ee310f53052fe61c14e/1639136996900/Sample+Application+2>

Grantwriting as an opportunity

- Job skill
- Flexibility
- Income