



## Lux Foundation Proposal Form 2026

This form is for organizations that have been invited to submit a full proposal from the Lux Foundation. For returning applicants, it also serves as your final report form. If you have any issues with the form, please contact Executive Director Lauren Krieg at [laurenkrieg@theluxfoundation.org](mailto:laurenkrieg@theluxfoundation.org). If the Foundation supported a specific program, please make sure to address that program in your answers unless otherwise specified. The Lux Foundation will review your form by the end of July. This form is divided into three sections: Section One - General Organization Information, Section Two - Reporting (for renewal applicants only), and Section Three - Grant Application. You may save your information and come back to it later by clicking "SAVE" at the bottom of the form. A link will pop up that you can copy or e-mail to yourself. You can use this link to return to your proposal at any time. Clicking "SAVE" does not submit the form. You must click "SUBMIT" when your proposal is finished. Please complete the form by June 8, 2026, at 5:00 pm CST. You can download a PDF with the form questions by visiting the "Apply for a Grant" section of our website at [www.theluxfoundation.org](http://www.theluxfoundation.org).

**Organization Name**

**Address**

**Contact Name**

**Contact Email**

**Contact Phone**

**Organization EIN**

**Contact Title**

**Organization Website**

**Organization Mission**

**Did your organization receive funding from the Lux Foundation in 2025?**

**Section Two: Reporting (Only for Renewal Applicants)** *This section serves as the final report from your previous year's grant. If you are a first-time applicant, you may skip this section and go onto section three. If you would prefer to submit your answers in narrative format, you may upload your narrative along with any photos or other materials you would like to share with us in the last question in this section. If you choose to upload a narrative instead of answering the questions on the form, please make sure the following questions are addressed.*

**Please check all that apply. In the past year, Lux Foundation funds were used to:** (Options include: Support general operating costs; Support a specific program; Expand a program(s) to serve more people; Maintain an ongoing program without changes; Support staff salaries; Start a new program or project; Strengthen our organization's capacity to do its work through professional development, training, or other opportunities; Purchase technology, equipment, or other supplies/materials)

**Have there been any significant changes to your organization or the proposed use of the funds? Please elaborate.**

**Have there been any unexpected outcomes, either positive or negative, that have occurred?**

**Please describe the unexpected outcomes.** (only if "yes" selected above)

**Describe how Lux Foundation Funds were expended through April 30th. You may also upload a line item budget in the last question of this section instead of answering here.**

**Is there anything else you want us to know about your Lux Foundation grant?**

**What else would you like us to know?** (only if "yes" selected above)

**If you have completed a narrative instead of using this form, please upload it here. You can also upload photos or other materials you would like us to see.**

## **Section Three - Grant Application**

*These questions are pertaining to your grant request for 2026-2027. Please refer to your plans for the use of Lux Foundation funds from October 2026 - September 2027.*

### **Grant Request**

**If you are requesting a renewal grant that is greater than the grant you received last year, please explain the reason for the increase.**

**This request is for :** (General Operations or Program Support)

**Which category does your request primarily fall under? You may check more than one box.** (Choices are Environment/Conservation, Education, The Arts, Social Justice and Equity, and Other)

**Describe the population of people who benefit from your programming. If the request is for a specific program, describe the participants. Include demographic information such as age group, gender, race/ethnicity, or a specific marginalized population.**

**How many people does your organization or program serve?**

**Describe any upcoming changes at your organization or to the program for which you are applying, including plans for new initiatives in the coming year.**

**Name three main goals for your organization or program this year.**

**How will your organization evaluate your program(s)?**

**Is there anything else you would like us to know?**

**Feel free to upload any photos, documents, or other information you think will better help us understand your organization or program. You can upload multiple files.**

**Upload your most recent board-approved annual organizational budget**

**Do you anticipate any significant changes to your organization's public or private funding in the coming year? If yes, please describe the changes and how your organization is addressing them.**

