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Funding available for legal projects that foster innovation, address emerging needs

Toronto, ON - The call for applications is now open for The Law Foundation of Ontario's Responsive Grants program.

The Responsive Grants program enables the Foundation to fund ideas generated by nonprofit community groups to improve access to justice. Each year the program includes one round of major grants (up to \$100,000) and two rounds of small grants (up to \$15,000).

Responsive Grants aim to encourage new ideas, innovations, approaches, and relationships that can help address emerging needs and connect more people to legal information and supports, especially people who are not currently being reached. These grants have provided seed funding for hundreds of innovative projects across Ontario.

The next deadline for both small and major grants applications is March 31, 2017. For full details and funding criteria, [visit lawfoundation.on.ca](http://lawfoundation.on.ca).

Organizations that are interested in applying are encouraged to review the Foundation's full listing of [grants made](#) and to contact one of our [grants officers](#) with any questions or ideas they may have.

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About The Law Foundation of Ontario

Established by statute in 1974, The Law Foundation of Ontario is the sole foundation in Ontario with the mandate of improving access to justice. Through granting and collaboration, the Foundation invests in knowledge and services that help people understand the law and use it to improve their lives.

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