

ABOUT THE DUKE ENDOWMENT



2015 GRANTMAKING
**203 TOTAL
NEW GRANTS**

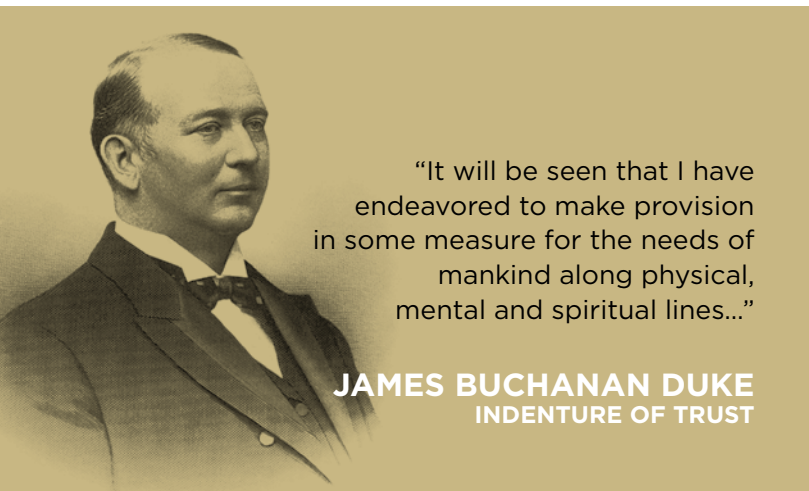
\$152.6 million

A total of \$122.1 million was distributed, some of which was from commitments approved in previous years.

Working to help the people and build the communities of North Carolina and South Carolina by nurturing children, promoting health, educating minds and enriching spirits, since 1924.

James B. Duke

THE DUKE ENDOWMENT



“It will be seen that I have endeavored to make provision in some measure for the needs of mankind along physical, mental and spiritual lines...”

JAMES BUCHANAN DUKE
INDENTURE OF TRUST

OUR WORK

The Duke Endowment fulfills the visionary genius and innovative legacy of James Buchanan Duke, one of the greatest industrialists and philanthropists of the 20th century. While many other organizations bear the Duke name, the Endowment is distinct and independent.

The Endowment is one of the largest private foundations in the United States. Through our four program areas, we distribute more than \$100 million in grants annually to organizations in North Carolina and South Carolina.

CHILD CARE

By expanding opportunities for vulnerable children, we hope to help them lead successful lives as they mature.

HEALTH CARE

By improving access to quality health care, we seek to enhance the lives of individuals and the vitality of communities in the Carolinas.

HIGHER EDUCATION

By increasing access to exceptional educational opportunities, we aspire to cultivate individual potential and improve communities.

RURAL CHURCHES

By supporting rural United Methodist churches and their leaders, we aim to expand church outreach in communities throughout the region.



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