Project Types or Components of Projects which are Not Traditionally Funded by the CRE Foundation

- Except under unusual circumstances, projects which have been rejected by the CRE Finance Committee of The Counselors of Real Estate will not be reconsidered by the Foundation (Note: The CRE Memorial Fund may be a more appropriate source for such requests).
- Except under unusual circumstances, grants are limited to government and/or not-for-profit entities and initiatives.
- Except under unusual circumstances, the CRE Foundation does not fund local charities which might be more appropriately funded by local residents.
- The CRE Foundation does not fund projects which:
  A. Include stipends to CREs with the possible exception of research with a direct connection to the commercial real estate industry (“abstract” academic research is not traditionally funded).
  B. Include allocations to:
     1. Salaries
     2. Administrative costs
     3. Travel and associated expenditures by project staff
     4. For Profit entities and/or commercial enterprise.
  C. Provide Education targeted to professional audiences who have the means to personally cover the cost.
  D. Underwrite curriculum development.
  E. Advocate a certain position, initiative, or point of view.
  F. Do not complement the Foundation's core competency of real estate in a meaningful way.
  G. Do not benefit society and/or the public good in a clearly recognizable way.