

## Foundations

### Toyota Foundation

Toyota Foundation was established in 1974. The Foundation views events from a global perspective as it works to support activities that bring broad, long-term benefits to society. It identifies issues in a wide range of areas including human and natural environments, social welfare, and education and culture, and provides grants for research and projects that address these issues.

Specifically, the foundation conducts a variety of support programs, including the Research Grant Program, International Grant Program, Grant Program in Japan, Communication with Society Program, and the Initiative Program.

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### Toyota Mobility Foundation

The foundation was established in August 2014 to create a truly mobile society and help overcome the barriers to mobility for all. The foundation seeks to make this possible by sharing Toyota's expertise and accumulating innovative visions and experiences from NPOs and research organizations worldwide.

#### Project Activities in Progress

<b>Ueyama (Mimasaka City, Okayama Prefecture)</b> Building a sustainable mobility model in mountainous regions Program length: From January 2016 to September 2019 (3 years and 9 months) Partner: Minnano Shuraku Kenkyusho, Aida Ueyama Tanada-Dan	<b>Asuke (Toyota City, Aichi Prefecture)</b> Building a sustainable mobility model in mountainous regions Program length: From April 2016 to March 2019 (3 years) Partner: Nagoya University, University of Tokyo	<b>Japan</b> Began soliciting proposals to expand basic research on hydrogen at the end of July 2017 Program length: Five years starting in July 2017 Partner: Universities and research organizations in Japan
<b>India</b> Enhancing access to metro (first and last mile connectivity) Program length: (1) From December 2016 to March 2018 (1 year and 4 months), (2) From June 2018 to May 2021 (3 years) Partner: World Resources Institute		
<b>Bangkok</b> Easing traffic congestion Program length: From April 2015 to March 2017 (Ended) Partner: Chulalongkorn University		
<b>Da Nang</b> Preventing traffic congestion Program length: From April 2015 to April 2019 (4 years) Partner: Da Nang City People's Committee		
<b>Worldwide</b> Mobility Unlimited Challenge: Supporting idea discovery and development of assistive equipment to address a variety of needs of people with lower-limb paralysis Program length: From November 2017 to September 2020 Target sectors: Individuals and organizations all over the world possessing innovative ideas	<b>Brazil</b> Improving urban mobility especially the access to areas of intense flow of people Program length: From January 2018 to December 2018 (1 year) Partner: World Resources Institute	

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