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## Outstanding Research by an Organization Marchionne Foundation Small Grants Program

The American Association for Single People is pleased to present this award for Outstanding Research by an Organization to the Marchionne Foundation of Pullman, Washington.

The Anthony Marchionne Foundation supports research focusing on people who have never married. Through its Grants Program administered by Dr. Craig Parks, the Foundation stimulates more research with this focus and promotes inter-disciplinary collaboration by researchers from various academic fields.

Research funded by the Foundation during the past two years has included studies focusing on ever-single Mexican-American seniors, the association between health and marital status, and the effects of long-term singlehood.

Most importantly, the Foundation has supported the work of Dr. Bella DePaulo, chair of the Academic Advisory Board of the American Association for Single People, including her compilation of a comprehensive bibliography of reports and studies on various aspects of the lives of single people.

Due to its financial assistance in an area of research ignored by other major funding sources, the Marchionne Foundation has enabled and stimulated outstanding research about the lives of single people.

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