

COPY OF FORM 990

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NOTE

Under Internal Revenue Regulations, tax-exempt charitable organizations generally must provide requesters with COPIES of:

- Its approved exemption applications, all required attachments and any related correspondence with the IRS, and
- Its three most recent annual information returns (Form 990), including all schedules and attachments (but not the names and addresses of contributors).

In-person requests: A member of the public may request to inspect the documents at any principal office of the organization. The entity must provide the information requested that same day. However, if the request places an “unreasonable burden” on the organization, the staff must provide copies of the requested information no later than the next business day after the unusual circumstances cease to exist (limited to a maximum of five business days after the request).

Written requests: Written requests made by fax, mail, email, or overnight service, which include the requester’s address, must be honored within 30 days of receipt.

Website alternative: Instead of providing copies, an organization may make the documents available on either its own or another organization's website. If it uses this option, it has to: (1) provide an exact replica of the document as was filed with the IRS; (2) advise requesters how to access the forms on the web; (3) the site should charge no access fee and require no special software or hardware to download. Organizations that post this information on the Internet still must honor in-person requests to view the applicable documents.

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Penalties: An organization that fails to comply with the new disclosure requirements may be subject to the following penalties:

- Annual Information Return – Form 990 - \$20 per day for as long as the failure continues, up to a maximum of \$10,000 for each failure to provide an annual return.
- Exemption Application - \$20 per day with no maximum.
- An organization that willfully fails to comply with these public inspection rules can be subject to an additional \$5,000 penalty.

Private foundation exempt: The new disclosure rules don't yet apply to private foundations. They must still make a copy of their annual return available for public inspection at their principal office for a period of 180 days after publishing a notice of availability.

Donor Information: Please note that donor information is not open to public inspection and has been excluded from this copy.

Form **990**

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

OMB No. 1545-0047

2021

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.
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Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2021 calendar year, or tax year beginning JUL 1, 2021 **and ending** JUN 30, 2022

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| B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending | C Name of organization Columbia International University Doing business as CIU Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 7435 Monticello Rd. City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Columbia, SC 29203 F Name and address of principal officer: Dr. Rick Christman same as C above | D Employer identification number 57-0352247 E Telephone number 8007772227 G Gross receipts \$ 82,665,892. H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. See instructions H(c) Group exemption number ▶ |
| I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527 | | |
| J Website: ▶ http://www.ciu.edu/ | | |
| K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶ | | |
| L Year of formation: 1927 | | M State of legal domicile: SC |

Part I Summary

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|------------|--|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: CIU educates from a Biblical worldview to impact the nations with the message of Christ. | | |
| 2 | Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. | | |
| 3 | Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) | 3 | 21 |
| 4 | Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) | 4 | 19 |
| 5 | Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2021 (Part V, line 2a) | 5 | 1052 |
| 6 | Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) | 6 | 654 |
| 7a | Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 | 7a | 0. |
| 7b | Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 | 7b | 0. |
| 8 | Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) | Prior Year | Current Year |
| 9 | Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) | 9,600,520. | 28,952,964. |
| 10 | Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) | 40,756,409. | 44,322,047. |
| 11 | Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) | 422,633. | 874,575. |
| 12 | Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) | 698,139. | 909,002. |
| 13 | Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) | 51,477,701. | 75,058,588. |
| 14 | Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) | 11,592,870. | 11,102,570. |
| 15 | Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) | 0. | 0. |
| 16a | Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) | 28,549,191. | 30,976,180. |
| 16b | Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 3,522,237. | 0. | 0. |
| 17 | Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) | 19,895,027. | 23,615,157. |
| 18 | Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 60,037,088. | 65,693,907. |
| 19 | Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 | -8,559,387. | 9,364,681. |
| 20 | Total assets (Part X, line 16) | Beginning of Current Year | End of Year |
| 21 | Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) | 112,576,601. | 111,947,607. |
| 22 | Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 | 37,108,862. | 36,963,481. |
| 22 | | 75,467,739. | 74,984,126. |

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

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| Sign Here | Signature of officer Dr. Rick Christman, Interim President Type or print name and title | Date |
| Paid Preparer Use Only | Print/Type preparer's name Daren Daiga | Preparer's signature |
| | Firm's name ▶ Capin Crouse LLP Firm's address ▶ 1255 Lakes Parkway, Suite 105 Lawrenceville, GA 30043 | Date 5/4/2023 Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/> PTIN P01074795 Firm's EIN ▶ 36-3990892 Phone no. 505-502-2746 |

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III []

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: Columbia International University educates people from a Biblical worldview to impact the nations with the message of Christ.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [] Yes [X] No

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [] Yes [X] No

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 38,384,101. including grants of \$ 11,102,570.) (Revenue \$ 24,121,477.) Columbia International University educates people from a biblical worldview to impact the nations with the message of Christ. In the 2021-22 school year the University served 1,091 undergraduate students, and 1,894 students in our graduate school and seminary. The total number of students who graduated in 2021-22 was 636 which includes 194 undergraduate students plus 442 graduate and seminary students.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 13,590,076. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 15,074,812.) Ben Lippen School seeks to glorify God by assisting families and churches in equipping students spiritually, academically, and socially under the lordship of Jesus Christ. During the 2021-22 academic year, Ben Lippen served 1,030 students in grades PK-12, of which 94 were members of the class of 2022. These students, which represent 778 families, were served by 147 full- and part-time faculty and staff.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,172,772. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 5,125,758.) Auxiliary Services The University operates six residence halls and a cafeteria, and provided on-campus housing and food services to over 800 students during the 2021-22 school year. Also, Pine View apartments is a 136-unit housing community located on the wooded hillsides adjacent to the core campus. During the 2021-22 school year, it served as home to 300 CIU students, staff members, and their family members.

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses 53,146,949.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

| | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| 1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i> | X | |
| 2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ? See instructions | X | |
| 3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> | | X |
| 4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i> | | X |
| 5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> | | X |
| 6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> | X | |
| 7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> | | X |
| 8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> | | X |
| 9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> | | X |
| 10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> | X | |
| 11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X, as applicable. | | |
| a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> | X | |
| b Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i> | | X |
| c Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i> | | X |
| d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i> | | X |
| e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> | X | |
| f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> | | X |
| 12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> | | X |
| b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> | X | |
| 13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i> | X | |
| 14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? | | X |
| b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i> | | X |
| 15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i> | | X |
| 16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i> | | X |
| 17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I.</i> See instructions | | X |
| 18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i> | X | |
| 19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i> | | X |
| 20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i> | | X |
| b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? | | |
| 21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> | X | |

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

| | Yes | No |
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| 22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> | X | |
| 23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> | X | |
| 24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> | X | |
| b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? | | X |
| c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? | | X |
| d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? | | X |
| 25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> | | X |
| b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> | | X |
| 26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> | X | |
| 27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> | X | |
| 28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see the Schedule L, Part IV, instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions): | | |
| a A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | | X |
| b A family member of any individual described in line 28a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | X | |
| c A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in line 28a or 28b? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> | X | |
| 29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> | X | |
| 30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> | | X |
| 31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> | | X |
| 32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> | | X |
| 33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> | X | |
| 34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> | X | |
| 35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? | X | |
| b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> | X | |
| 36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> | | X |
| 37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> | | X |
| 38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations on Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note: All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O | X | |

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

| | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| 1a Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable | | |
| b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable | | |
| c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? | X | |

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Includes questions 2a through 17 regarding employee counts, tax filings, and organizational compliance.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure. For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes on Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

| | | Yes | No |
|-----------|--|-----|----|
| 1a | Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O. | | |
| 1b | Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent | | |
| 2 | Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? | | X |
| 3 | Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? | | X |
| 4 | Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? | | X |
| 5 | Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? | | X |
| 6 | Did the organization have members or stockholders? | | X |
| 7a | Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? | | X |
| 7b | Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? | | X |
| 8 | Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: | | |
| 8a | The governing body? | X | |
| 8b | Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? | X | |
| 9 | Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O | | X |

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

| | | Yes | No |
|------------|--|-----|----|
| 10a | Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? | | X |
| 10b | If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? | | |
| 11a | Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? | X | |
| 11b | Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990. | | |
| 12a | Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 | X | |
| 12b | Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? | X | |
| 12c | Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe on Schedule O how this was done | X | |
| 13 | Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? | X | |
| 14 | Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? | X | |
| 15 | Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? | | |
| 15a | The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official | X | |
| 15b | Other officers or key employees of the organization | X | |
| | If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions. | | |
| 16a | Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? | | X |
| 16b | If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements? | | |

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **SC**
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request Other (explain on Schedule O)
- 19** Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
- 20** State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records **▶**
 Rob Hartman - 8007772227
 7435 Monticello Rd., Columbia, SC 29203

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See the instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (box 5 of Form W-2, Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations. See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

| (A) Name and title | (B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line) | (C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee) | | | | | | (D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations |
|---|---|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|----------|---|--|---|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | |
| (1) Mark Smith President | 60.00 | | | X | | | 192,608. | 0. | 117,560. | |
| (2) Ricky Christman Vice President | 50.00 | | | | X | | 211,618. | 0. | 14,859. | |
| (3) William Jones Chancellor | 60.00 | | | | X | | 149,394. | 0. | 74,622. | |
| (4) Antonio Fajardo Headmaster, BLS | 50.00 | | | | X | | 181,641. | 0. | 24,902. | |
| (5) Brian Simmons Assoc Provost | 50.00 | | | | X | | 141,436. | 0. | 14,710. | |
| (6) Rob Hartman Chief Financial Officer | 50.00 | | | X | | | 100,934. | 0. | 38,774. | |
| (7) Michele Branch-Frappier Director of Technology | 50.00 | | | | X | | 106,474. | 0. | 6,707. | |
| (8) Manuel Espina Trustee | 40.00 | X | | | | | 96,000. | 0. | 0. | |
| (9) Hans Finzel Chairman of the Board | 1.00 | X | | X | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (10) Douglas Rutt Vice Chair of the Board | 1.00 | X | | X | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (11) W. Tobin Cassels Trustee-Treasurer | 1.00 | X | | X | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (12) Lyn Cook Secretary | 1.00 | X | | X | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (13) Ronald Mullins Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (14) Ken Blackwell Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (15) Marion Davis Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (16) Adrian Despres, Jr. Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |
| (17) Jennifer Gutwein Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. | |

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

| (A) Name and title | (B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line) | (C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee) | | | | | | (D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) | (E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC) | (F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations |
|--|---|---|-----------------------|---------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|---|--|---|
| | | Individual trustee or director | Institutional trustee | Officer | Key employee | Highest compensated employee | Former | | | |
| (18) D. Gary Harlow Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (19) Marshall White Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (20) Marquis Ryan Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (21) Chikong Shue Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (22) James Morgan Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (23) Benny Tate Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (24) Gary Uber Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (25) William Jones Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (26) Edith Parks Trustee | 1.00 | X | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| 1b Subtotal | | | | | | | | 1,180,105. | 0. | 292,134. |
| c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A | | | | | | | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) | | | | | | | | 1,180,105. | 0. | 292,134. |

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 7

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> | | X |
| 4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> | X | |
| 5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i> | | X |

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

| (A) Name and business address | (B) Description of services | (C) Compensation |
|--|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Hallmark Management Service, 2323 W 5th Ave. Suite 140, Columbus, OH 43204 | Food management services | 2,458,482. |
| Slingshot 1500 S. Western Ave, Marion, IN 46953 | Book Service | 746,088. |
| Amobee PO Box 894409, Los Angeles, CA 90189 | Advertising | 479,540. |
| Progressus Education Services, LLC 13517 E 93rd St N, Owasso, OK 74055 | Instructional Design | 375,735. |
| Amazon.com Inc. PO Box 530958, Atlanta, GA 30353 | Retail services | 293,743. |

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization 16

See Part VII, Section A Continuation sheets

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

| | | | (A) | (B) | (C) | (D) | |
|--|---|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|--|--|
| | | | Total revenue | Related or exempt function revenue | Unrelated business revenue | Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514 | |
| Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts | 1 a Federated campaigns | 1a | | | | | |
| | b Membership dues | 1b | | | | | |
| | c Fundraising events | 1c | 2,000. | | | | |
| | d Related organizations | 1d | | | | | |
| | e Government grants (contributions) | 1e | 8,498,339. | | | | |
| | f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above ... | 1f | 20,452,625. | | | | |
| | g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f | 1g | \$ 991,621. | | | | |
| | h Total. Add lines 1a-1f | | 28,952,964. | | | | |
| | Program Service Revenue | 2 a Tuition and fees | Business Code | | | | |
| | | 611310 | 39,196,289. | 39,196,289. | | | |
| b Auxiliary services | | 611310 | 5,125,758. | 5,125,758. | | | |
| c | | | | | | | |
| d | | | | | | | |
| e | | | | | | | |
| f All other program service revenue | | | | | | | |
| g Total. Add lines 2a-2f | | 44,322,047. | | | | | |
| Other Revenue | 3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) | | 820,687. | | | 820,687. | |
| | 4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds | | | | | | |
| | 5 Royalties | | | | | | |
| | 6 a Gross rents | 6a | (i) Real | | | | |
| | | | (ii) Personal | | | | |
| | | | | 56,200. | | | |
| | b Less: rental expenses ... | 6b | 5,892. | | | | |
| | c Rental income or (loss) | 6c | 50,308. | | | | |
| | d Net rental income or (loss) | | 50,308. | | | 50,308. | |
| | 7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory | 7a | (i) Securities | | | | |
| | | | (ii) Other | | | | |
| | | | | 7,639,952. | 6,600. | | |
| | b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses | 7b | 7,563,112. | 29,552. | | | |
| | c Gain or (loss) | 7c | 76,840. | -22,952. | | | |
| | d Net gain or (loss) | | 53,888. | | | 53,888. | |
| 8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 2,000. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 | 8a | | | | | | |
| | | | 34,500. | | | | |
| | | | 8,748. | | | | |
| b Less: direct expenses | 8b | | | | | | |
| c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events | | 25,752. | | | 25,752. | | |
| 9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 | 9a | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| b Less: direct expenses | 9b | | | | | | |
| c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities | | | | | | | |
| 10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances | 10a | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| b Less: cost of goods sold | 10b | | | | | | |
| c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory | | | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | 11 a | Business Code | | | | | |
| | b | | | | | | |
| | c | | | | | | |
| | d All other revenue | 900099 | 832,942. | | | 832,942. | |
| | e Total. Add lines 11a-11d | | 832,942. | | | | |
| 12 Total revenue. See instructions | | 75,058,588. | 44,322,047. | 0. | 1,783,577. | | |

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

| Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII. | (A) Total expenses | (B) Program service expenses | (C) Management and general expenses | (D) Fundraising expenses |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| 1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 ... | 67,500. | 67,500. | | |
| 2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 | 11,035,070. | 11,035,070. | | |
| 3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 | | | | |
| 4 Benefits paid to or for members | | | | |
| 5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees | 650,277. | 90,734. | 287,343. | 272,200. |
| 6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) | 96,803. | | 96,803. | |
| 7 Other salaries and wages | 22,279,737. | 18,439,469. | 2,031,511. | 1,808,757. |
| 8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) | 1,088,977. | 829,410. | 72,431. | 187,136. |
| 9 Other employee benefits | 5,208,631. | 4,101,528. | 643,979. | 463,124. |
| 10 Payroll taxes | 1,651,755. | 1,331,155. | 95,978. | 224,622. |
| 11 Fees for services (nonemployees): | | | | |
| a Management | | | | |
| b Legal | 150,644. | | 150,644. | |
| c Accounting | 88,932. | | 88,932. | |
| d Lobbying | | | | |
| e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 | | | | |
| f Investment management fees | 204,486. | | 204,486. | |
| g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.) | 270,872. | | 270,872. | |
| 12 Advertising and promotion | 2,566,275. | | 2,538,290. | 27,985. |
| 13 Office expenses | 3,305,935. | 2,881,886. | 332,694. | 91,355. |
| 14 Information technology | 362,783. | | 362,783. | |
| 15 Royalties | | | | |
| 16 Occupancy | 1,261,726. | 1,223,435. | 29,203. | 9,088. |
| 17 Travel | 1,680,133. | 1,361,485. | 103,541. | 215,107. |
| 18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials ... | | | | |
| 19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings | 178,113. | 136,094. | 31,571. | 10,448. |
| 20 Interest | 1,228,121. | 1,228,121. | | |
| 21 Payments to affiliates | | | | |
| 22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization | 4,574,342. | 4,384,696. | 137,880. | 51,766. |
| 23 Insurance | 680,797. | | 680,797. | |
| 24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.) | | | | |
| a External Services | 4,351,056. | 3,756,570. | 505,544. | 88,942. |
| b Repairs and maintenance | 1,492,705. | 1,173,113. | 308,159. | 11,433. |
| c Other operational expen | 1,065,250. | 1,002,954. | 2,349. | 59,947. |
| d Memberships | 152,987. | 103,729. | 48,931. | 327. |
| e All other expenses | | | | |
| 25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e | 65,693,907. | 53,146,949. | 9,024,721. | 3,522,237. |
| 26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. | | | | |

Check here if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

| | | (A) | | (B) |
|---|--|-------------------------|--------------|------------------------|
| | | Beginning of year | | End of year |
| Assets | 1 Cash - non-interest-bearing | 268,158. | 1 | 250,354. |
| | 2 Savings and temporary cash investments | 80,766. | 2 | 58,846. |
| | 3 Pledges and grants receivable, net | 228,386. | 3 | 13,747,224. |
| | 4 Accounts receivable, net | 1,027,555. | 4 | 753,530. |
| | 5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons | | 5 | |
| | 6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) | | 6 | |
| | 7 Notes and loans receivable, net | | 7 | |
| | 8 Inventories for sale or use | 15,653. | 8 | 15,653. |
| | 9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges | 1,422,895. | 9 | 887,794. |
| | 10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D | 10a 100,658,388. | | |
| | b Less: accumulated depreciation | 10b 40,681,424. | 61,465,154. | 10c 59,976,964. |
| | 11 Investments - publicly traded securities | 41,814,012. | 11 | 30,420,605. |
| | 12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 | 1,964,257. | 12 | 2,047,777. |
| | 13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 | | 13 | |
| | 14 Intangible assets | | 14 | |
| | 15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 | 4,289,765. | 15 | 3,788,860. |
| 16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33) | 112,576,601. | 16 | 111,947,607. | |
| Liabilities | 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses | 3,604,997. | 17 | 3,884,065. |
| | 18 Grants payable | | 18 | |
| | 19 Deferred revenue | 562,556. | 19 | 2,631,083. |
| | 20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities | 9,265,027. | 20 | 8,829,750. |
| | 21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D | | 21 | |
| | 22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons | 986,798. | 22 | 538,957. |
| | 23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties | 13,595,841. | 23 | 12,953,243. |
| | 24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties | 4,979,700. | 24 | 5,414,200. |
| | 25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D | 4,113,943. | 25 | 2,712,183. |
| | 26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 | 37,108,862. | 26 | 36,963,481. |
| Net Assets or Fund Balances | Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33. | | | |
| | 27 Net assets without donor restrictions | 39,267,111. | 27 | 36,855,453. |
| | 28 Net assets with donor restrictions | 36,200,628. | 28 | 38,128,673. |
| | Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33. | | | |
| | 29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds | | 29 | |
| | 30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund | | 30 | |
| | 31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds | | 31 | |
| | 32 Total net assets or fund balances | 75,467,739. | 32 | 74,984,126. |
| 33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances | 112,576,601. | 33 | 111,947,607. | |

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

| | | | |
|-----------|--|-----------|-------------|
| 1 | Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) | 1 | 75,058,588. |
| 2 | Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) | 2 | 65,693,907. |
| 3 | Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1 | 3 | 9,364,681. |
| 4 | Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A)) | 4 | 75,467,739. |
| 5 | Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments | 5 | -9,609,521. |
| 6 | Donated services and use of facilities | 6 | |
| 7 | Investment expenses | 7 | |
| 8 | Prior period adjustments | 8 | |
| 9 | Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O) | 9 | -238,773. |
| 10 | Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B)) | 10 | 74,984,126. |

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

| | | Yes | No |
|-----------|---|-----|----|
| 1 | Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain on Schedule O. | | |
| 2a | Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | | X |
| b | Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis | X | |
| c | If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? _____ If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O. | X | |
| 3a | As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? _____ | X | |
| b | If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits _____ | X | |

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

| Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ | (a) 2017 | (b) 2018 | (c) 2019 | (d) 2020 | (e) 2021 | (f) Total |
|--|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") | 16,891,917. | 8,398,315. | 10,588,234. | 9,600,520. | 28,952,964. | 74,431,950. |
| 2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf | | | | | | |
| 3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge ... | | | | | | |
| 4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3 | 16,891,917. | 8,398,315. | 10,588,234. | 9,600,520. | 28,952,964. | 74,431,950. |
| 5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) | | | | | | 8,140,309. |
| 6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4. | | | | | | 66,291,641. |

Section B. Total Support

| Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ | (a) 2017 | (b) 2018 | (c) 2019 | (d) 2020 | (e) 2021 | (f) Total |
|---|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| 7 Amounts from line 4 | 16,891,917. | 8,398,315. | 10,588,234. | 9,600,520. | 28,952,964. | 74,431,950. |
| 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources ... | 647,091. | 877,376. | 745,841. | 513,955. | 876,887. | 3,661,150. |
| 9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on ... | 115,162. | 178,469. | 20,333. | 6,267. | 25,752. | 345,983. |
| 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) | -9,714. | 452,369. | 585,912. | 675,472. | 832,942. | 2,536,981. |
| 11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10 | | | | | | 80,976,064. |
| 12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) | | | | | 12 | 181,617,117. |
| 13 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here | | | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

| | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| 14 Public support percentage for 2021 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f))..... | 14 | 81.87 % |
| 15 Public support percentage from 2020 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 | 15 | 75.26 % |
| 16a 33 1/3% support test - 2021. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | |
| b 33 1/3% support test - 2020. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2021. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2020. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2017, (b) 2018, (c) 2019, (d) 2020, (e) 2021, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Gross receipts from admissions; 3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business; 4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5; 7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons; 7b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons; 8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2017, (b) 2018, (c) 2019, (d) 2020, (e) 2021, (f) Total. Rows include: 9 Amounts from line 6; 10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 10b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975; 10c Add lines 10a and 10b; 11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on; 12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.); 13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)

14 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 2 columns: Line number, Percentage. Row 15: Public support percentage for 2021 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) 15 %; Row 16: Public support percentage from 2020 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 16 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

Table with 2 columns: Line number, Percentage. Row 17: Investment income percentage for 2021 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) 17 %; Row 18: Investment income percentage from 2020 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 18 %

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2021. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2020. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i> | | |
| 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i> | | |
| 3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i> | | |
| c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i> | | |
| 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i> | | |
| c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i> | | |
| 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i> | | |
| b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document? | | |
| c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control? | | |
| 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i> | | |
| 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i> | | |
| 9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| c Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i> | | |
| 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer line 10b below.</i> | | |
| b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i> | | |

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons? | | |
| a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization? | | |
| 11a | | |
| b A family member of a person described on line 11a above? | | |
| 11b | | |
| c A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI. | | |
| 11c | | |

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year. | | |
| 1 | | |
| 2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization. | | |
| 2 | | |

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| 1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s). | | |
| 1 | | |

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

| | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| 1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided? | | |
| 1 | | |
| 2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s). | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard. | | |
| 3 | | |

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

| | | | |
|--|--|-----|----|
| 1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions). | | | |
| a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below. | | | |
| b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below. | | | |
| c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions). | | | |
| 2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below. | | | |
| a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities. | | Yes | No |
| 2a | | | |
| b Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement. | | | |
| 2b | | | |
| 3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below. | | | |
| a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No" provide details in Part VI. | | | |
| 3a | | | |
| b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard. | | | |
| 3b | | | |

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). See instructions.
All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

| Section A - Adjusted Net Income | | (A) Prior Year | (B) Current Year (optional) |
|---------------------------------|--|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Net short-term capital gain | 1 | |
| 2 | Recoveries of prior-year distributions | 2 | |
| 3 | Other gross income (see instructions) | 3 | |
| 4 | Add lines 1 through 3. | 4 | |
| 5 | Depreciation and depletion | 5 | |
| 6 | Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions) | 6 | |
| 7 | Other expenses (see instructions) | 7 | |
| 8 | Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4) | 8 | |

| Section B - Minimum Asset Amount | | (A) Prior Year | (B) Current Year (optional) |
|----------------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year): | | |
| a | Average monthly value of securities | 1a | |
| b | Average monthly cash balances | 1b | |
| c | Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets | 1c | |
| d | Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c) | 1d | |
| e | Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI): | | |
| 2 | Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets | 2 | |
| 3 | Subtract line 2 from line 1d. | 3 | |
| 4 | Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). | 4 | |
| 5 | Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3) | 5 | |
| 6 | Multiply line 5 by 0.035. | 6 | |
| 7 | Recoveries of prior-year distributions | 7 | |
| 8 | Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6) | 8 | |

| Section C - Distributable Amount | | | Current Year |
|----------------------------------|---|---|--------------|
| 1 | Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A) | 1 | |
| 2 | Enter 0.85 of line 1. | 2 | |
| 3 | Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A) | 3 | |
| 4 | Enter greater of line 2 or line 3. | 4 | |
| 5 | Income tax imposed in prior year | 5 | |
| 6 | Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions). | 6 | |
| 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions). | | |

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

| Section D - Distributions | | Current Year |
|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes | 1 |
| 2 | Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity | 2 |
| 3 | Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations | 3 |
| 4 | Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets | 4 |
| 5 | Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - <i>provide details in Part VI</i>) | 5 |
| 6 | Other distributions (<i>describe in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | 6 |
| 7 | Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6. | 7 |
| 8 | Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (<i>provide details in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | 8 |
| 9 | Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6 | 9 |
| 10 | Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount | 10 |

| Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions) | (i) Excess Distributions | (ii) Underdistributions Pre-2021 | (iii) Distributable Amount for 2021 |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| 1 Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6 | | | |
| 2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2021 (reasonable cause required - <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions. | | | |
| 3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2021 | | | |
| a From 2016 | | | |
| b From 2017 | | | |
| c From 2018 | | | |
| d From 2019 | | | |
| e From 2020 | | | |
| f Total of lines 3a through 3e | | | |
| g Applied to underdistributions of prior years | | | |
| h Applied to 2021 distributable amount | | | |
| i Carryover from 2016 not applied (see instructions) | | | |
| j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f. | | | |
| 4 Distributions for 2021 from Section D, line 7: \$ | | | |
| a Applied to underdistributions of prior years | | | |
| b Applied to 2021 distributable amount | | | |
| c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4. | | | |
| 5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2021, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions. | | | |
| 6 Remaining underdistributions for 2021. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions. | | | |
| 7 Excess distributions carryover to 2022. Add lines 3j and 4c. | | | |
| 8 Breakdown of line 7: | | | |
| a Excess from 2017 | | | |
| b Excess from 2018 | | | |
| c Excess from 2019 | | | |
| d Excess from 2020 | | | |
| e Excess from 2021 | | | |

Part VI Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

Schedule A, Part II, Line 10, Explanation for Other Income:

Other Income

2017 Amount: \$ -9,714.

2018 Amount: \$ 452,369.

2019 Amount: \$ 585,912.

2020 Amount: \$ 675,472.

2021 Amount: \$ 832,942.

Schedule A, Part II:

The organization is a school as described under 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) and is not required to complete a public support schedule. Schedule A, Part II is completed to verify the School can qualify under public charity status section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and qualifies to use the first listed special rule for Schedule B reporting.

Schedule B
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-PF.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.**

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2021

Name of the organization

Columbia International University

Employer identification number

57-0352247

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$ _____

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

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| Name of organization Columbia International University | Employer identification number 57-0352247 |
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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

| (a) No. | (b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4 | (c) Total contributions | (d) Type of contribution |
|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| 1 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 6,552,762. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| 2 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 2,267,500. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| 3 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 1,809,823. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| 4 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 1,500,000. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| 5 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 747,841. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| 6 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 681,200. | Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

| (a) No. | (b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4 | (c) Total contributions | (d) Type of contribution |
|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| 7 | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ 654,100. | Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
| | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | \$ | Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.) |
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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

| (a) No. from Part I | (b) Description of noncash property given | (c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.) | (d) Date received |
|------------------------------|--|---|----------------------|
| 7 | Stocks _____ _____ _____ | \$ 654,100. | 04/19/22 |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |
| | _____ _____ _____ | \$ _____ | _____ |

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this info. once.) ▶ \$ _____
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

| (a) No. from Part I | (b) Purpose of gift | (c) Use of gift | (d) Description of how gift is held |
|---|---------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| | | | |
| (e) Transfer of gift | | | |
| Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 | | Relationship of transferor to transferee | |
| | | | |
| (a) No. from Part I | (b) Purpose of gift | (c) Use of gift | (d) Description of how gift is held |
| | | | |
| (e) Transfer of gift | | | |
| Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 | | Relationship of transferor to transferee | |
| | | | |
| (a) No. from Part I | (b) Purpose of gift | (c) Use of gift | (d) Description of how gift is held |
| | | | |
| (e) Transfer of gift | | | |
| Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 | | Relationship of transferor to transferee | |
| | | | |
| (a) No. from Part I | (b) Purpose of gift | (c) Use of gift | (d) Description of how gift is held |
| | | | |
| (e) Transfer of gift | | | |
| Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 | | Relationship of transferor to transferee | |
| | | | |

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

Attach to Form 990.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate values for contributions, grants, and end of year, and two yes/no questions regarding donor property and grant fund usage.

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Form with multiple sections: 1. Purpose(s) of conservation easements (checkboxes for land, habitat, open space, historic area, historic structure). 2. Conservation contribution details (table with 2a-2d). 3. Number of easements modified. 4. Number of states. 5. Written policy question. 6. Staff and volunteer hours. 7. Expenses incurred. 8. Section 170(h)(4)(B) requirements. 9. Reporting requirements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Form with sections 1a, 1b, and 2. 1a: Reporting requirements for public service. 1b: Reporting requirements for public service with amounts. 2: Reporting requirements for financial gain with amounts.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange program
 - e Other _____
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

| | (a) Current year | (b) Prior year | (c) Two years back | (d) Three years back | (e) Four years back |
|--|------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1a Beginning of year balance | 28,757,225. | 26,180,515. | 30,486,049. | 31,325,809. | 32,794,033. |
| b Contributions | 386,711. | 562,112. | 487,825. | 354,692. | 399,021. |
| c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses | -5,037,414. | 3,806,582. | 916,864. | 1,385,532. | 1,245,950. |
| d Grants or scholarships | 2,644,458. | 1,817,173. | 5,710,223. | 674,618. | 3,113,195. |
| e Other expenditures for facilities and programs | | | | 1,905,366. | |
| f Administrative expenses | | | | | |
| g End of year balance | 21,462,064. | 28,757,225. | 26,180,515. | 30,486,049. | 31,325,809. |

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment 10.5030 %
 - b Permanent endowment 89.4970 %
 - c Term endowment _____ %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations | | X |
| (ii) Related organizations | | X |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | | |
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

| Description of property | (a) Cost or other basis (investment) | (b) Cost or other basis (other) | (c) Accumulated depreciation | (d) Book value |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 1a Land | | 14,048,672. | | 14,048,672. |
| b Buildings | | 72,695,817. | 32,611,789. | 40,084,028. |
| c Leasehold improvements | | | | |
| d Equipment | | 11,556,793. | 7,132,168. | 4,424,625. |
| e Other | | 2,357,106. | 937,467. | 1,419,639. |
| Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.) | | | | 59,976,964. |

Part VII Investments - Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

| (a) Description of security or category (including name of security) | (b) Book value | (c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value |
|---|----------------|---|
| (1) Financial derivatives | | |
| (2) Closely held equity interests | | |
| (3) Other | | |
| (A) | | |
| (B) | | |
| (C) | | |
| (D) | | |
| (E) | | |
| (F) | | |
| (G) | | |
| (H) | | |
| Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶ | | |

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

| (a) Description of investment | (b) Book value | (c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value |
|---|----------------|---|
| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
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| (9) | | |
| Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶ | | |

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

| (a) Description | (b) Book value |
|---|----------------|
| (1) | |
| (2) | |
| (3) | |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
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| (7) | |
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| (9) | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶ | |

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

| 1. (a) Description of liability | (b) Book value |
|---|----------------|
| (1) Federal income taxes | |
| (2) Trust liabilities | 1,253,736. |
| (3) Deposits held in custody | 1,458,447. |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |
| (7) | |
| (8) | |
| (9) | |
| Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶ | 2,712,183. |

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ...

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

| | | | |
|----------|--|-----------|-------------|
| 1 | Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements | 1 | 54,936,807. |
| 2 | Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12: | | |
| a | Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments | 2a | -9,609,521. |
| b | Donated services and use of facilities | 2b | |
| c | Recoveries of prior year grants | 2c | |
| d | Other (Describe in Part XIII.) | 2d | -224,133. |
| e | Add lines 2a through 2d | 2e | -9,833,654. |
| 3 | Subtract line 2e from line 1 | 3 | 64,770,461. |
| 4 | Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1: | | |
| a | Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b | 4a | 204,486. |
| b | Other (Describe in Part XIII.) | 4b | 10,083,641. |
| c | Add lines 4a and 4b | 4c | 10,288,127. |
| 5 | Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.) | 5 | 75,058,588. |

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

| | | | |
|----------|---|-----------|-------------|
| 1 | Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements | 1 | 55,420,420. |
| 2 | Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25: | | |
| a | Donated services and use of facilities | 2a | |
| b | Prior year adjustments | 2b | |
| c | Other losses | 2c | |
| d | Other (Describe in Part XIII.) | 2d | 14,640. |
| e | Add lines 2a through 2d | 2e | 14,640. |
| 3 | Subtract line 2e from line 1 | 3 | 55,405,780. |
| 4 | Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1: | | |
| a | Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b | 4a | 204,486. |
| b | Other (Describe in Part XIII.) | 4b | 10,083,641. |
| c | Add lines 4a and 4b | 4c | 10,288,127. |
| 5 | Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.) | 5 | 65,693,907. |

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Part V, line 4:

Columbia International University intends to use the endowment funds for student financial aid.

Part XI, Line 2d - Other Adjustments:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Rent expenses | 5,892. |
| Change in value of trust assets/annuities | -238,773. |
| Fundraising Expenses | 8,748. |
| Total to Schedule D, Part XI, Line 2d | -224,133. |

Part XI, Line 4b - Other Adjustments:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Tuition discounts netted against revenue | 10,083,641. |
|--|-------------|

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Part XIII, Line 2d - Other Adjustments:

| | |
|---|---------|
| Rent expenses | 5,892. |
| Fundraising Expenses | 8,748. |
| Total to Schedule D, Part XIII, Line 2d | 14,640. |

Part XIII, Line 4b - Other Adjustments:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Tuition discounts netted against revenue | 10,083,641. |
|--|-------------|

SCHEDULE E
(Form 990)

Schools

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 13, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.**

| | |
|--|---|
| Name of the organization <p style="text-align: center;">Columbia International University</p> | Employer identification number <p style="text-align: center;">57-0352247</p> |
|--|---|

Part I

| | | YES | NO |
|--|----|-----|----|
| 1 Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body? | 1 | X | |
| 2 Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? | 2 | X | |
| 3 Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy on its primary publicly accessible Internet homepage at all times during its taxable year in a manner reasonably expected to be noticed by visitors to the homepage, or through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe. If "No," please explain. If you need more space, use Part II | 3 | X | |
| <u>The organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy on the homepage of its website at all times during its tax year in a manner reasonably expected to be noticed by visitors.</u> | | | |
| 4 Does the organization maintain the following? | | | |
| a Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff? | 4a | X | |
| b Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis? .. | 4b | X | |
| c Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? | 4c | X | |
| d Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? | 4d | X | |
| If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II. | | | |
| _____ | | | |
| _____ | | | |
| 5 Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to: | | | |
| a Students' rights or privileges? | 5a | | X |
| b Admissions policies? | 5b | | X |
| c Employment of faculty or administrative staff? | 5c | | X |
| d Scholarships or other financial assistance? | 5d | | X |
| e Educational policies? | 5e | | X |
| f Use of facilities? | 5f | | X |
| g Athletic programs? | 5g | | X |
| h Other extracurricular activities? | 5h | | X |
| If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II. | | | |
| _____ | | | |
| _____ | | | |
| 6a Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency? | 6a | X | |
| b Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? | 6b | | X |
| If you answered "Yes" on either line 6a or line 6b, explain on Part II. | | | |
| 7 Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," explain on Part II | 7 | X | |

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Schedule E (Form 990) 2021

Part II **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also provide any other additional information.

Line 6 - Explanation of Government Financial Aid:

The University received assistance from the following federal programs:

Federal Pell Grant Program, Federal Direct Loan Program, Federal

Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant, Federal Work Study, and

Strengthening Institutions Program. The University also received financial

assistance from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds and the

Employer Retention Credit as part of the CARES Act.

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

| | | (a) Event #1 | (b) Event #2 | (c) Other events | (d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c)) |
|--|---|--|--------------|------------------------|--|
| | | Annual CIU Golf Classic (event type) | (event type) | None (total number) | |
| Revenue | 1 Gross receipts | 36,500. | | | 36,500. |
| | 2 Less: Contributions | 2,000. | | | 2,000. |
| | 3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) | 34,500. | | | 34,500. |
| Direct Expenses | 4 Cash prizes | | | | |
| | 5 Noncash prizes | 2,000. | | | 2,000. |
| | 6 Rent/facility costs | 6,240. | | | 6,240. |
| | 7 Food and beverages | | | | |
| | 8 Entertainment | | | | |
| | 9 Other direct expenses | 508. | | | 508. |
| | 10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) | | | | 8,748. |
| 11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) | | | | 25,752. | |

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

| | | (a) Bingo | (b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo | (c) Other gaming | (d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c)) |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | |
| Revenue | 1 Gross revenue | | | | |
| Direct Expenses | 2 Cash prizes | | | | |
| | 3 Noncash prizes | | | | |
| | 4 Rent/facility costs | | | | |
| | 5 Other direct expenses | | | | |
| | 6 Volunteer labor | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | 7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) | | | | |
| | 8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) | | | | |

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: _____
a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? Yes No
b If "No," explain: _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? Yes No
b If "Yes," explain: _____

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
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Name of the organization Columbia International University Employer identification number 57-0352247

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? **Yes** **No**
- 2** Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

| 1 (a) Name and address of organization or government | (b) EIN | (c) IRC section (if applicable) | (d) Amount of cash grant | (e) Amount of noncash assistance | (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) | (g) Description of noncash assistance | (h) Purpose of grant or assistance |
|--|----------------|--|---------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| ABHE 5850 T. G. Lee Blvd, Suite 130 Orlando, FL 32822 | 35-1055662 | 501(c)(3) | 25,000. | 0. | | | Program Support |
| Hammond High School 854 Galway Lane Columbia, SC 29209 | 57-0477924 | 501(c)(3) | 20,000. | 0. | | | Supplies |
| Hobe Sound Bible College PO Boc 1065 Hobe Sound, FL 33475 | 59-1407629 | 501(c)(3) | 9,000. | 0. | | | Program Support |
| Interchurch Holiness Convention 18931 Route 522 Beaver Springs, PA 17812 | 34-1030054 | 501(c)(3) | 9,000. | 0. | | | Program Support |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 4.

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table 0.

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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

| (a) Type of grant or assistance | (b) Number of recipients | (c) Amount of cash grant | (d) Amount of non-cash assistance | (e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) | (f) Description of noncash assistance |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| Student Scholarship | 1128 | 10,039,098. | 0. | | |
| CARES Act | 1632 | 951,429. | 0. | | |
| Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP) | 20 | 44,543. | 0. | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

Part I, Line 2:

Scholarships and Tuition Discounts are awarded based on demonstrated financial need and mission compatibility of the student. Scholarships are applied directly to the student account.

CIU requires that any gifts granted from the Donor Advised Fund be to a charitable/non-profit organization. This is managed by requesting the IRS documentation for the organization that is receiving the grant prior to any funds being disbursed. This is managed within the advancement department

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest
Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization

Columbia International University

Employer identification number

57-0352247

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in or receive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in or receive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

| | Yes | No |
|-----------|-----|----|
| 1b | X | |
| 2 | X | |
| 4a | | X |
| 4b | X | |
| 4c | | X |
| 5a | | X |
| 5b | | X |
| 6a | | X |
| 6b | | X |
| 7 | X | |
| 8 | | X |
| 9 | | |

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2021

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

| (A) Name and Title | | (B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC and/or 1099-NEC compensation | | | (C) Retirement and other deferred compensation | (D) Nontaxable benefits | (E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D) | (F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990 |
|--|------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | | (i) Base compensation | (ii) Bonus & incentive compensation | (iii) Other reportable compensation | | | | |
| (1) Mark Smith President | (i) | 187,718. | 575. | 4,315. | 40,803. | 77,529. | 310,940. | 0. |
| | (ii) | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (2) Ricky Christman Vice President | (i) | 147,608. | 2,875. | 61,135. | 6,510. | 9,120. | 227,248. | 0. |
| | (ii) | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (3) William Jones Chancellor | (i) | 148,236. | 1,150. | 8. | 36,154. | 39,537. | 225,085. | 0. |
| | (ii) | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (4) Antonio Fajardo Headmaster, BLS | (i) | 153,581. | 27,505. | 555. | 13,339. | 12,327. | 207,307. | 0. |
| | (ii) | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| (5) Brian Simmons Assoc Provost | (i) | 94,851. | 1,150. | 45,435. | 9,990. | 5,359. | 156,785. | 0. |
| | (ii) | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| | (i) | | | | | | | |
| | (ii) | | | | | | | |
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| | (ii) | | | | | | | |
| | (i) | | | | | | | |
| | (ii) | | | | | | | |

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I, Line 1a:

The President and Vice President are reimbursed under an accountable plan for bona fide business purpose travel expenses during board meetings. This includes room/board, mileage/fuel/mode of travel. Reimbursements are non-taxable.

During 2021 the Vice President had approved companion travel covered under this policy which was treated as non-taxable.

Pursuant to Internal Revenue Code Section 107, ministerial housing allowances are provided for the President, Chief Financial Officer, and Chancellor as qualifying ministerial employees. This is not included in taxable compensation. All officers met the qualifications for and received a ministerial housing allowance during the tax year.

CIU provides a membership to a social club for the President and Chancellor where University meetings and business is conducted. This is not treated as taxable compensation as officers attend only for business purposes.

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I, Line 4b:

President, Mark Smith, received a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan
in the amount of \$15,600 during the 2021 calendar year.

Part I, Line 7:

The University's President, Headmaster and certain other employees were
paid discretionary bonus amounts which were independently determined and
approved by the President or the Board Finance Committee.

**SCHEDULE K
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information on Tax-Exempt Bonds

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information in Part VI.**

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|---|--|
| Name of the organization <p style="text-align:center;">Columbia International University</p> | Employer identification number <p style="text-align:center;">57-0352247</p> |
|---|--|

| Part I Bond Issues | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|--------------|----|-------------------------|----|----------------------|----|
| (a) Issuer name | (b) Issuer EIN | (c) CUSIP # | (d) Date issued | (e) Issue price | (f) Description of purpose | (g) Defeased | | (h) On behalf of issuer | | (i) Pooled financing | |
| | | | | | | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| A South Carolina Jobs-Economic Development Authority | 57-0960018 | None | 06/28/18 | 9,487,085. | Building HVAC, Water, Electricity Improvements | | X | | X | | X |
| B | | | | | | | | | | | |
| C | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Part II Proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|--|
| Line | A | | B | | C | | D | | |
| | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | |
| 1 Amount of bonds retired | 889,302. | | | | | | | | |
| 2 Amount of bonds legally defeased | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 Total proceeds of issue | 9,487,085. | | | | | | | | |
| 4 Gross proceeds in reserve funds | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 Capitalized interest from proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 Proceeds in refunding escrows | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 Issuance costs from proceeds | 96,171. | | | | | | | | |
| 8 Credit enhancement from proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 Working capital expenditures from proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 Capital expenditures from proceeds | 9,390,914. | | | | | | | | |
| 11 Other spent proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 Other unspent proceeds | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 Year of substantial completion | 2019 | | | | | | | | |
| | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | |
| 14 Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of tax-exempt bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, a current refunding issue)? | | X | | | | | | | |
| 15 Were the bonds issued as part of a refunding issue of taxable bonds (or, if issued prior to 2018, an advance refunding issue)? | | X | | | | | | | |
| 16 Has the final allocation of proceeds been made? | X | | | | | | | | |
| 17 Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds? | X | | | | | | | | |

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Schedule K (Form 990) 2021

| Part III Private Business Use | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|
| | A | | B | | C | | D | |
| | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| 1 Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds? | | X | | | | | | |
| 2 Are there any lease arrangements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? | | X | | | | | | |
| 3a Are there any management or service contracts that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? | | X | | | | | | |
| b If "Yes" to line 3a, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any management or service contracts relating to the financed property? | | | | | | | | |
| c Are there any research agreements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property? | | X | | | | | | |
| d If "Yes" to line 3c, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any research agreements relating to the financed property? ... | | | | | | | | |
| 4 Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use by entities other than a section 501(c)(3) organization or a state or local government | | % | | % | | % | | % |
| 5 Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use as a result of unrelated trade or business activity carried on by your organization, another section 501(c)(3) organization, or a state or local government | | % | | % | | % | | % |
| 6 Total of lines 4 and 5 | | % | | % | | % | | % |
| 7 Does the bond issue meet the private security or payment test? | | X | | | | | | |
| 8a Has there been a sale or disposition of any of the bond-financed property to a non-governmental person other than a 501(c)(3) organization since the bonds were issued? | | X | | | | | | |
| b If "Yes" to line 8a, enter the percentage of bond-financed property sold or disposed of | | % | | % | | % | | % |
| c If "Yes" to line 8a, was any remedial action taken pursuant to Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2? | | | | | | | | |
| 9 Has the organization established written procedures to ensure that all nonqualified bonds of the issue are remediated in accordance with the requirements under Regulations sections 1.141-12 and 1.145-2? | X | | | | | | | |

| Part IV Arbitrage | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|----|
| | A | | B | | C | | D | |
| | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| 1 Has the issuer filed Form 8038-T, Arbitrage Rebate, Yield Reduction and Penalty in Lieu of Arbitrage Rebate? | | X | | | | | | |
| 2 If "No" to line 1, did the following apply? | | | | | | | | |
| a Rebate not due yet? | X | | | | | | | |
| b Exception to rebate? | | X | | | | | | |
| c No rebate due? | | X | | | | | | |
| If "Yes" to line 2c, provide in Part VI the date the rebate computation was performed | | | | | | | | |
| 3 Is the bond issue a variable rate issue? | | X | | | | | | |

SCHEDULE L
(Form 990)

Transactions With Interested Persons

OMB No. 1545-0047

2021

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

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Name of the organization **Columbia International University** Employer identification number **57-0352247**

Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and section 501(c)(29) organizations only).

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

| 1 | (a) Name of disqualified person | (b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization | (c) Description of transaction | (d) Corrected? | |
|---|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------|----|
| | | | | Yes | No |
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2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 ▶ \$ _____

3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ \$ _____

Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or Form 990, Part IV, line 26; or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22.

| (a) Name of interested person | (b) Relationship with organization | (c) Purpose of loan | (d) Loan to or from the organization? | | (e) Original principal amount | (f) Balance due | (g) In default? | | (h) Approved by board or committee? | | (i) Written agreement? | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----|-------------------------------------|----|------------------------|----|
| | | | To | From | | | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| Marion Davis | Trustee | See Pt V | X | | 1,986,798. | 538,957. | | X | X | | X | |
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| Total | | | | | | ▶ \$ | 538,957. | | | | | |

Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

| (a) Name of interested person | (b) Relationship between interested person and the organization | (c) Amount of assistance | (d) Type of assistance | (e) Purpose of assistance |
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| | | 60,425. | Tuition assis | Merit and nee |
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See Part V for Continuations

Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

| (a) Name of interested person | (b) Relationship between interested person and the organization | (c) Amount of transaction | (d) Description of transaction | (e) Sharing of organization's revenues? | |
|-------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----|
| | | | | Yes | No |
| Doug Smith | Family member of Ma | 50,289. | Wages | | X |
| Kierston Smith | Family member of Ma | 46,514. | Wages | | X |
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Part V Supplemental Information.

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions).

Schedule L, Part II, Loans To and From Interested Persons:

(a) Name of Person: Marion Davis

(c) Purpose of Loan: Building expansion at BLS High School

Sch L, Part III, Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons:

(c) Amount of Grant \$ 60,425.

(d) Type of Assistance: Tuition assistance

(e) Purpose of Assistance: Merit and need based aid

Sch L, Part IV, Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons:

(a) Name of Person: Doug Smith

(b) Relationship Between Interested Person and Organization:

Family member of Mark Smith, Officer

(a) Name of Person: Kierston Smith

(b) Relationship Between Interested Person and Organization:

Family member of Mark Smith, Officer

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

OMB No. 1545-0047

2021

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Inspection

- ▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Name of the organization **Columbia International University** Employer identification number **57-0352247**

Part I Types of Property

| | (a) Check if applicable | (b) Number of contributions or items contributed | (c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g | (d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts |
|--|----------------------------|---|--|---|
| 1 Art - Works of art | | | | |
| 2 Art - Historical treasures | | | | |
| 3 Art - Fractional interests | | | | |
| 4 Books and publications | | | | |
| 5 Clothing and household goods | | | | |
| 6 Cars and other vehicles | | | | |
| 7 Boats and planes | | | | |
| 8 Intellectual property | | | | |
| 9 Securities - Publicly traded | X | 13 | 991,621. | Selling Price |
| 10 Securities - Closely held stock | | | | |
| 11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests | | | | |
| 12 Securities - Miscellaneous | | | | |
| 13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures | | | | |
| 14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other | | | | |
| 15 Real estate - Residential | | | | |
| 16 Real estate - Commercial | | | | |
| 17 Real estate - Other | | | | |
| 18 Collectibles | | | | |
| 19 Food inventory | | | | |
| 20 Drugs and medical supplies | | | | |
| 21 Taxidermy | | | | |
| 22 Historical artifacts | | | | |
| 23 Scientific specimens | | | | |
| 24 Archeological artifacts | | | | |
| 25 Other () | | | | |
| 26 Other () | | | | |
| 27 Other () | | | | |
| 28 Other () | | | | |

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part V, Donee Acknowledgement **29** 0

| | Yes | No |
|---|-----|----|
| 30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which isn't required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period? | | X |
| b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II. | | |
| 31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions? | X | |
| 32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions? | | X |
| b If "Yes," describe in Part II. | | |
| 33 If the organization didn't report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II. | | |

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Schedule M (Form 990) 2021

Part II **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Schedule M, Part I, Column (b):

The number of contributions represent the number of contributions

received, not the number of items donated.

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Columbia International University

Employer identification number

57-0352247

Form 990, Item C, Doing Business As:

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Ben Lippen School

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 1a:

The officers of the Board, the at-large members, and the President

(ex-officio) shall constitute the Executive Committee. The Executive

Committee of the Board shall act on behalf of the Board of Trustees between

meetings. It shall have power to act in all matters delegated to it by the

Board. Any action taken by the Committee, not previously delegated to it by

the Board, either at a regularly scheduled meeting or at a called meeting,

shall be reviewed at the next regular meeting of the Board and shall be

subject to Board approval.

The Committee shall take the initiative in the search for a President, and

the discipline or removal of the President, should that become necessary.

It shall assist the President in establishing standards of performance for

each academic year, shall evaluate the President's performance by these

standards, and shall report its findings at the fall meeting of the Board.

The Committee Chair shall appoint the membership and Chairs of the other

Board committees.

The Committee shall work directly with the President in fulfilling its

responsibilities.

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| Name of the organization Columbia International University | Employer identification number 57-0352247 |
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Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 11b:

The Form 990 is prepared by an independent CPA firm. The Form 990 is then reviewed in detail by top management. After the review is completed, the Form 990 is sent to the Board of Trustees before filing with the IRS.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c:

Board of Trustees: Each member and officer of the Board of Trustees must annually read and sign the conflict of interest and related party transaction policy and disclosure form (Board Conflict Policy). The Board Conflict Policy gives examples of conflicts of interest. When a conflict exists, the Board Conflict Policy delineates a disclosure procedure that requires the Board member to report the conflict to the President who refers the information to the Nominating and Board Review Committee for investigation and for a recommendation to the full Board of Trustees.

Employees: Our conflict of interest policy is stated in our employee handbook. All regular full-time and part-time employees (which includes the President and key employees) must read the employee handbook their first week on the job and annually thereafter, and they must sign a statement that they have read it and are in compliance with its policies, which includes the conflict of interest policy. The policy gives examples of conflicts of interest. When a conflict exists, the policy instructs employees to disclose the conflict to their supervisor. Supervisors are instructed in the supervisors' policy manual to confer with their supervisor and the Human Resources Director who together will determine if a conflicts exists, to what extent, and the appropriate course of action. If the problem cannot be resolved at that level, the matter will be presented to the President for determination.

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| Name of the organization Columbia International University | Employer identification number 57-0352247 |
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Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15:

Line 15a: The Board Finance Committee on behalf of the entire Board, follows the procedures referred to in the Treas. Reg 53.4958-6(a) to establish a "rebuttable presumption of reasonableness" with respect to the President's compensation. The committee annually reviews comparable compensation data from industry surveys (e.g., ABACC, ABHE, ATS, and CUPA) to evaluate the reasonableness of the compensation amount. The results of this entire process are recorded in the Board minutes. All adjustments to the President's compensation are approved by the Board.

Line 15b: Other private religious institutions with similar size budgets and/or enrollment are reviewed when CFO compensation is considered. The President completes a Personnel Addition or Change (PAC) Form with the pay rate and the HR director authorizes it. The PAC Form documents the process and approval.

Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19:

Form 990 is available at the www.ciu.edu and upon request. Columbia International University's governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements are available upon request.

Form 990, Part VII

Compensation paid and hours reported for Manuel Espina were for an adjunct faculty position and were not related to his position as a trustee.

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| Name of the organization Columbia International University | Employer identification number 57-0352247 |
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Form 990, Part VII, column (F) and Schedule J, Part II, column (C):

Compensation reported in Part VII, column D and Schedule J, Part II, column B is the amount reported on the individual's W-2, box 1 or 5 (whichever amount is greater) per the IRS instructions. In the case of minister's compensation when box 5 of the W-2 is not applicable, box 1 compensation is used. Employee deferrals to qualified retirement plans are normally captured in box 5, not box 1 of Form W-2. For reporting purposes we have included the minister's retirement plan deferrals in Part VII, column F and Schedule J, Part II, column C.

Form 990, Part XI, line 9, Changes in Net Assets:

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| Change in the value of trust assets/annuities | -238,773. |
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**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

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| Name of the organization <p style="text-align: center;">Columbia International University</p> | Employer identification number <p style="text-align: center;">57-0352247</p> |
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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Total income | (e) End-of-year assets | (f) Direct controlling entity |
|--|-------------------------|---|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Monticello Road 1, LLC 1217 Anthony Avenue Columbia, SC 29201 | Hold Real Property | South Carolina | 0. | 431,131. | Columbia International University |
| Monticello Road 2, LLC 1217 Anthony Avenue Columbia, SC 29201 | Hold Real Property | South Carolina | 0. | 201,317. | Columbia International University |
| Monticello Road 3, LLC 1217 Anthony Avenue Columbia, SC 29201 | Hold Real Property | South Carolina | 13,000. | 181,716. | Columbia International University |
| Monticello Road 4, LLC 1217 Anthony Avenue Columbia, SC 29201 | Hold Real Property | South Carolina | 0. | 533,024. | Columbia International University |

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

| (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization | (b) Primary activity | (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) | (d) Exempt Code section | (e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3)) | (f) Direct controlling entity | (g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? | |
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| | | | | | | Yes | No |
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Schedule R (Form 990) 2021

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.

| | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV? | | |
| a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity | | X |
| b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s) | | X |
| c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s) | | X |
| d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s) | | X |
| e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s) | X | |
| f Dividends from related organization(s) | | X |
| g Sale of assets to related organization(s) | | X |
| h Purchase of assets from related organization(s) | | X |
| i Exchange of assets with related organization(s) | | X |
| j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s) | | X |
| k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s) | | X |
| l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s) | | X |
| m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s) | | X |
| n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s) | | X |
| o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s) | | X |
| p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses | | X |
| q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses | | X |
| r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s) | | X |
| s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s) | | X |

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

| (a) Name of related organization | (b) Transaction type (a-s) | (c) Amount involved | (d) Method of determining amount involved |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| (1) Charitable Remainder Trust | E | 1,642,500. | Book value |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form8868 for the latest information.**

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 to request a 6-month automatic extension of time to file any of the forms listed below with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, for which an extension request must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/e-file-providers/e-file-for-charities-and-non-profits.

Automatic 6-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

All corporations required to file an income tax return other than Form 990-T (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

| | | |
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| Type or print | Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. Columbia International University | Taxpayer identification number (TIN) 57-0352247 |
| File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions. | Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 7435 Monticello Rd. | |
| | City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. Columbia, SC 29203 | |

Enter the Return Code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 0 1

| Application Is For | Return Code | Application Is For | Return Code |
|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Form 990 or Form 990-EZ | 01 | Form 1041-A | 08 |
| Form 4720 (individual) | 03 | Form 4720 (other than individual) | 09 |
| Form 990-PF | 04 | Form 5227 | 10 |
| Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | 05 | Form 6069 | 11 |
| Form 990-T (trust other than above) | 06 | Form 8870 | 12 |
| Form 990-T (corporation) | 07 | | |

Rob Hartman

- The books are in the care of ▶ 7435 Monticello Rd. - Columbia, SC 29203

Telephone No. ▶ 8007772227

Fax No. ▶ _____

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____. If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach a list with the names and TINs of all members the extension is for.

1 I request an automatic 6-month extension of time until May 15, 2023, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
 ▶ calendar year _____ or
 ▶ tax year beginning JUL 1, 2021, and ending JUN 30, 2022.

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return
 Change in accounting period

| | | | |
|---|-----------|----|----|
| 3a If this application is for Forms 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions. | 3a | \$ | 0. |
| b If this application is for Forms 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit. | 3b | \$ | 0. |
| c Balance due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions. | 3c | \$ | 0. |

Caution: If you are going to make an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-TE and Form 8879-TE for payment instructions.