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# **Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No. 1545-0047

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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public. Open to Public Department of the Treasury Inspection Internal Revenue Service ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information. 07/01 , 2020, and ending For the 2020 calendar year, or tax year beginning 06/30 ,20 21 C Name of organization THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK D Employer identification number Check if applicable: Doing business as 14-1368361 Address change Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Name change Room/suite E Telephone number PO BOX 9 Initial return Final return/terminated City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code ALBANY, NY 12201 **G** Gross receipts \$ 1,685,627,053 Amended return F Name and address of principal officer: DR. JEFFREY CHEEK H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No Application pending SAME AS C ABOVE **H(b)** Are all subordinates included? Yes No 501(c)(3) 501(c) ( Tax-exempt status: 4947(a)(1) or If "No," attach a list. See instructions ) ◀ (insert no.) Website: ► WWW.RFSUNY.ORG **H(c)** Group exemption number ▶ Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association L Year of formation: M State of legal domicile: NY Part I **Summary** 1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: SEE SCHEDULE O Activities & Governance 2 Check this box ▶ ☐ 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 13 4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) 4 11 5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2020 (Part V, line 2a) 5 13,772 6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . . . . . . . . . 499 Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 7a 1.877.730 Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11 7b 700,399 **Prior Year Current Year** 1,341,231,620 1,093,382,336 8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) . . . . Revenue 9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) 179,461,797 172,877,970 10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) . . . . 8,290,760 (8,334,021)11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) . . . 43.901.532 42,748,958 12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) 1.572.885.709 1.300.675.243 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) . . . . . 0 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) . . . . 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) 613,055,789 621,792,062 16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) . . . . . . . 0 Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ b 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) 537.823.328 626,626,214 18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 1,150,879,117 1,248,418,276 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 . 422,006,592 52,256,967 19 Assets or d Balances **Beginning of Current Year End of Year** 20 1,444,601,684 Total assets (Part X, line 16) 1,346,216,783 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) . 894,356,453 779,197,811 Net/ 22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 451,860,330 665,403,873 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. Sign Signature of officer Date Here MS EMILY KUNCHALA, CFO Type or print name and title Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date PTIN Check | if **Paid** 

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Form 990 (2020)

✓ Yes □ No

(518) 427-4600

Firm's name ► KPMG LLP

**Preparer** 

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Firm's EIN ▶

Phone no.

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Part	Statement of Program Service Accomplishments Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III
1	riefly describe the organization's mission: EE SCHEDULE O
2	id the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the rior Form 990 or 990-EZ?
3	id the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program ervices?
4	escribe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to othe letotal expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.
<b>4</b> a	Code: ) (Expenses \$ 687,732,068 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 905,263 ) ESEARCH- PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS- SEE SCHEDULE O
4b	Code: ) (Expenses \$ 106,450,854 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 180,262 ) UBLIC SERVICE- PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS- SEE SCHEDULE O
4c	Code: ) (Expenses \$ 69,469,979 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 0)  RAINING AND EDUCATION- PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS - SEE SCHEDULE O
4d	ther program services (Describe on Schedule O.) Expenses \$ 229,758,309 including grants of \$ 0 ) (Revenue \$ 208,080,211 )
40	otal program service expenses 1.093.411.210

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#### Form 990 (2020) **Checklist of Required Schedules** Part IV Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes, 1 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors See instructions? . . . . . 2

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	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	~	
<u>)</u>	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors See instructions?	2	~	
}	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3		~
ŀ	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> 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>	4	~	
,	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 Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		>
j	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		~
,	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>	7		>
i	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If</i> "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		>
)	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>	9		~
į	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi endowments? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	10	~	
	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	11a	~	
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>	11b	~	
	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>	11c		~
	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</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>	11d	~	~
e f	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses	11e		
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11f	~	
	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a	~	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	12b	~	~
la	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	14a	~	
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b	~	
;	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15		~
;	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV.	16		~
,	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	17		~
•	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</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	18		>
į	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		>
)a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>	20a		<b>&gt;</b>
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? .	20b		
	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21		~

Yes

Part	V Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		>
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	~	
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? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a	24a		~
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
С	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year	04-		
d	to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c 24d		
		24u		
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		~
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		~
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>	26		~
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		<b>&gt;</b>
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions, for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If</i> "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		~
b	A family member of any individual described in line 28a? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		~
С	A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in lines 28a or 28b? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		~
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	~	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule M</i>	30		>
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		~
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		~
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</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		~
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1	34	~	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	~	
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 $512(b)(13)$ ? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b	~	
36	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2 </i>	36	~	
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>	37		>
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note:</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	38	~	
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 in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0			
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and			
	reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	~	

Part	Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)			
· · · ·			Yes	No
<b>2</b> a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax			
	Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a 13,772			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? .	2b	~	
	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	~	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O.	3b	~	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over,			
	a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a	~	
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ CA, CJ, KE, MX, TU			
-	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		~
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		~
C	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the			
	organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		~
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or	OI-		
-	gifts were not tax deductible?	6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		~
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was			
	required to file Form 8282?	7c		~
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
е	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		~
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? .	7f		~
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h		~
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the			
	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
а	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities . 10b			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
а	Gross income from members or shareholders			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources			
	against amounts due or received from them.)			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.			
а	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a		
	Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.			
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which			
	the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans			
С	Enter the amount of reserves on hand			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a		~
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O .	14b		
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or			
	excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	15		~
	If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.			
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?	16		~
	If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.			

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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. Section A. Governing Body and Management No Yes 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year. . . 13 1a 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. Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent . 1b 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with 1 2 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct 3 3 supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? . 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? 4 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . 5 6 6 Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint 7a Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, 7b Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8a 8b 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 . . . . . Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.) Yes No 10a b 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? 10b Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? 11a b Describe in 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* 12a Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? 12b Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," 12c 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? . . . . . . . . . . . . 13 14 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by 15 independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15a 15b If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions). 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement / 16a b 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 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ NONE 17 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c) 18 (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. Own website Upon request Another's website Other (explain on Schedule O) Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, 19 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 ▶ MS EMILY KUNCHALA, PO BOX 9, ALBANY, NY 12201, (518) 434-7050

Part VI

# 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 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 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) 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 instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization no	•		aniz	atic	n c	ompe	nsa	ted any current o	officer, director,	or trustee.
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(1) MR. DAVID MARCUS	37.5									
CIO, STONY BROOK FOUNDATION	0.0					~		396,709	0	40,451
(2) MR. JOSEPH BARABINO	37.5									
ASSOC. VP. RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION, DOWNSTATE HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY	0.0					~		358,959	0	29,592
(3) MS. EILEEN M. PEZZI	37.5									
VP FOR DEVELOPMENT, UPSTATE MEDICAL UNIV	0.0					~		304,625	0	65,493
(4) MS. DEBORAH LOWEN-KLEIN	37.5									
INTERIM VP OF ADVANCEMENT, STONY BROOK	0.0					~		330,545	0	39,564
(5) DR. JEFFREY CHEEK	37.5									
PRESIDENT	0.0			~				330,603	0	37,782
(6) MS. LORRAINE L. MANZELLA	37.5									
ADMN DIR UPSTATE UNIV MED ASSOCIATION	0.0					~		274,852	0	49,041
(7) MR. CHRISTOPHER ASHLEY	37.5			١.					_	
GENERAL COUNSEL AND SECRETARY	0.0			~				261,082	0	40,990
(8) MS. EMILY KUNCHALA	37.5			١.					_	
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	0.0			~				234,041	0	62,575
(9) MR. JOSHUA TOAS	37.5			١,				007.000		47.707
CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER	0.0			~				207,268	0	47,767
(10) MR. RYAN P. FARRELL	37.5			ر. ا				440.440	0	07.500
VP OF INTERNAL AUDIT	0.0			~				146,442	0	27,530
(11) DR. HARVEY G. STENGER, JR. DIRECTOR	17.0	_						125 000	0	12.500
	11.0							125,000	0	12,500
(12) DR MAURIE MCINNIS DIRECTOR	0.0	_						0	0	0
(13) DR. ALAN GINTZLER	5.0	_						0	0	
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0	0	0
(14) DR. GRACE WANG	1.5	_								
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0	0	0

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(A)	(B)				sition			(D)	(E)		(F)		
Name and title	Average					e than c		Reportable	Reporta	able	Estimated ar	mount	
Name and the	hours					is both or/trust		compensation	compens		of othe		
	per week			_	_			from the	from rela		compensa		
	(list any hours for	g 전	Institutional	Officer	ey e	nplo	Former	organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	organiza (W-2/1099		from the organization		
	related	dua	ltio	4	) mp	est c	Θř	(11 2) 1000 111100)	(11 2) 1000		related organi		
	organizations	7 =	nal		Key employee	öm							
	below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	trustee		ď	pen							
	401104 11110)	Ф	tee			Highest compensated employee							
						ă							
(15) DR. SATISH K. TRIPATHI	4.0	-											
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(16) MR. DANIEL C. TOMSON	5.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(17) MR. ERIC L. COCHRAN	2.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	·						0		0		0	
(18) MR. JEFFREY H. BLACK	4.0												
DIRECTOR, CHAIR	0.0	1						0		0		0	
(19) MR. ROBERT MEGNA	8.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	1						0		0		0	
(20) MR. ROBERT P. BALACHANDRAN	1.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	_						0		0		0	
(21) MR. ROBERT S. AZEKE	1.0							0		- 0			
<u> </u>	+									0		0	
DIRECTOR (CO) AND OTENSAL N. FIGURES	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(22) MR. STEVEN N. FISCHER	2.0									_			
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(23) MS. DIANE M. MINAS	1.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(24) MS. EILEEN WHELLEY	3.0												
DIRECTOR	0.0	~						0		0		0	
(25) (SEE STATEMENT)													
1b Subtotal							<b></b>	2,970,126		0	4	53,285	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part	VII, Section	n A						0		0		0	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								2,970,126		0	4	53,285	
2 Total number of individuals (including bu							e) w	ho received mor	e than \$10	00.00	of		
reportable compensation from the organ							•	446		,			
											Yes	No	
3 Did the organization list any former	officer dire	actor	tru	icta/	ا م	(A)/ AI	mnl	lovee or highes	t compa	neatad			
employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete							•			isateu	3	V	
• •													
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the													
organization and related organizations individual	greater th	an p	150,	JUUL	) ( ]	res	S,	complete Sched	Jule J TO	Sucri			
			•			•				 	4 🗸		
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive of													
for services rendered to the organization	? If "Yes," (	compi	ete	Scr	neau	ile J f	or s	sucn person .			5	<b>/</b>	
Section B. Independent Contractors													
1 Complete this table for your five high													
compensation from the organization. Rep	ort comper	satio	n for	r the	e ca	Ienda	r ye	ear ending with or	within the	organ	ization's tax	year.	
(A)								(B)			(C)		
Name and business add								Description of serv		(	Compensation		
APPLIED MATERIALS INCORPORATED, 201 FULLER I	ROAD, SUITE	401, <i>A</i>	ALBA	NY,	NY	12203	ME	TA CENTER EXYTE TO	OL INSTALL		27,0	30,509	

(A)
Name and business address

APPLIED MATERIALS INCORPORATED, 201 FULLER ROAD, SUITE 401, ALBANY, NY 12203 META CENTER EXYTE TOOL INSTALL
27,030,509

AIR LIQUIDE ELECTRONICS UC LP, 9811 KATY FREEWAY, SUITE 100, HOUSTON, NY 77024 GAS AND CHEMICAL MGT
2,901,252

ANALOG PHOTONICS LLC, ONE MARINA PARK DRIVE, SUITE 205, BOSTON, MA 02210-1874 PHOTONICS TECH. SVCS
2,108,009

OATC INCORPORATED, 418 WINGRAVE DRIVE, CHARLOTTE, NC 28270 CLOUD MIGRATION AND EBS PROJECT
1,495,116

MEDBEST MEDICAL MANAGEMENT INC., 251 SALINA MEADOWS PARKWAY, SUITE 100, SYRACUSE, NY 13212 SERVICES TO PRACTICE PLANS - BILLING STAFFING & AC
1,110,862

Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶
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# Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		Check if Schedule	Осо	ntains a re	spon	se or note to ar	ny line in this Pa	rt VIII		
							(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512–514
s s	1a	Federated campaig	ns .		1a					
uni	b	Membership dues			1b					
Contributions, Giffs, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	С	Fundraising events			1c					
	d	Related organization	ns .		1d					
	е	Government grants	(cont	ributions)	1e	769,104,929				
Sin	f	All other contribution	ns, gi	fts, grants,						
utic		and similar amounts no	ot incl	uded above	1f	324,277,407				
호된	g	Noncash contribution								
ont		lines 1a-1f			1g					
a C	h	Total. Add lines 1a-	-1f .				1,093,382,336			
σ.						Business Code				
Š	2a	AGENCY ACTIVITY				561000	172,877,970	172,877,970		
Ser	b									
m S	C									
gram Ser Revenue	d									
Program Service Revenue	f	All other program se	anvice	rovenue			0	0	0	0
<u> </u>	g	Total. Add lines 2a-				•	172,877,970	- U	<u> </u>	
	3	Investment income					,,			
		other similar amoun					4,881,383		(18,622)	4,900,005
	4	Income from investr								
	5	Royalties				•	6,461,192			6,461,192
				(i) Real		(ii) Personal				
	6a	Gross rents	6a							
	b	Less: rental expenses	6b							
	С	Rental income or (loss)			0	0				
	d	Net rental income o	r (los	T <sup>*</sup>						
	7a	Gross amount from		(i) Securit	ies	(ii) Other				
		sales of assets	<b>-</b> -	354,127,364		17,609,042				
4		other than inventory	7a							
Revenue	D	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses .	7b	343,20	7 535	41,744,275				
) Ve	С	Gain or (loss)	7c	10,91		(24,135,233)				
		Not asia or (loss)					(13,215,404)		75,333	(13,290,737)
Other		Gross income from							,	
ð	-	events (not including								
		of contributions rep		d on line						
		1c). See Part IV, line	18		8a					
	b	Less: direct expense			8b					
	С	Net income or (loss)			g eve	nts <b>&gt;</b>				
	9a	Gross income f			_					
		activities. See Part I			9a					
		Less: direct expens			9b					
	C 100	Net income or (loss)			LIVITIE	es ▶ 				
	iua	Gross sales of ir returns and allowan		•	10a					
	b	Less: cost of goods			10a					
	C	Net income or (loss)								
S			,			Business Code				
on e	11a	AGENCY FEES				561000	6,652,471	6,652,471		
scellaneo Revenue	b	SERVICE CENTER R	EVEN	NUE		541380	4,860,528	3,039,509	1,821,019	
eve	С	FIXED PRICE AWAR	D RE	/ENUE		611710	4,626,599	4,626,599		
Miscellaneous Revenue	d	All other revenue				611710	20,148,168	20,148,168	0	0
2	е	Total. Add lines 11a					36,287,766			
	12	Total revenue. See	instr	uctions .		🕨	1,300,675,243	207,344,717	1,877,730	(1,929,540)

### 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

8b, 9k	ot include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, o, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
8b, 9k					_ (D)
	, and lob of last viii.	Total expenses	Program service expenses	Management and general expenses	Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21		. ,	3	
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
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	1,545,618		1,545,618	
6	Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	459,689,982	395,312,559	64,377,423	
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	29,774,714	25,519,102	4,255,612	
9	Other employee benefits	102,088,730	81,975,230	20,113,500	
10	Payroll taxes	28,693,018	24,592,010	4,101,008	
11	Fees for services (nonemployees):	20,000,010	2 1,002,010	.,,	
а	Management				
b	Legal	784,832	71,010	713,822	
C	Accounting	534,731	15,000	519,731	
d	Lobbying	190,867	10,000	190,867	
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	.00,00.		.00,00.	
f	Investment management fees	3,179,956		3,179,956	
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column	3,110,000		3,,3333	
9	(A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	108,193,518	99,574,372	8,619,146	0
12	Advertising and promotion	1,632,819	838,477	794,342	
13	Office expenses	90,420,476	83,334,238	7,086,238	
14	Information technology	8,940,807	3,861,613	5,079,194	
15	Royalties	8,054,278	8,054,278	3,0.0,.0.	
16	Occupancy	33,481,287	29,502,342	3,978,945	
17	Travel	1,865,369	1,689,072	176,297	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	.,000,000	.,000,0.2		
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings .	1,988,368	1,271,341	717,027	
20	Interest	17,688,124	17,478,487	209,637	
21	Payments to affiliates	17,000,124	17,470,407	200,007	
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization .	72,281,524	67,940,857	4,340,667	
23	Insurance	1,646,305	545,907	1,100,398	
		1,010,000	010,001	1,100,000	
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.)				
а	SUBCONTRACTS	97,336,188	97,196,237	139,951	
b	TUITION AND FEES	18,218,142	17,659,934	558,208	
С	FELLOWSHIPS	19,007,158	18,333,287	673,871	
d	EQUIPMENT	80,541,856	72,716,229	7,825,627	
е	All other expenses	60,639,609	45,929,628	14,709,981	0
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	1,248,418,276	1,093,411,210	155,007,066	0
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)				Form <b>990</b> (2020)

# Part X Balance Sheet

		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Par	(A)		(B)
			Beginning of year		End of year
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		1	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	207,245,363	2	159,110,219
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	196,371,100	3	188,489,438
	4	Accounts receivable, net	14,414,412	4	15,591,357
	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	0	5	0
	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) .	0	6	0
,	7		2,584	7	5,792
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net	2,304	8	3,792
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use	114,579	9	52,366
~	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	114,579	9	52,300
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 10a 905,033,439			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation <b>10b</b> 367,115,655	543,634,950	10c	537,917,784
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities	129,137,264	11	184,998,152
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11	238,918,012	12	337,083,760
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0
	14	Intangible assets	7,373,546	14	8,626,250
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	9,004,973	15	12,726,566
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	1,346,216,783	16	1,444,601,684
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	150,899,584	17	164,403,448
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	342,787,635	19	308,976,223
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	3,630,000	20	3,400,000
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35%			
abi		controlled entity or family member of any of these persons	0	22	0
Ë	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	221,911,275	23	202,616,915
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	4,000,000	24	14,860,000
	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	171,127,959	25	84,941,225
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	894,356,453	26	779,197,811
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here ► ✓ and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.			
<u> </u>	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	431,663,574	27	641,512,444
B	28	Net assets with donor restrictions	20,196,756	28	23,891,429
Fund		Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 29 through 33.			
ō	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
ts	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
SSE	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
¥	32	Total net assets or fund balances	451,860,330	32	665,403,873
Se	33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	1,346,216,783	33	1,444,601,684
		Total habilition and not about, fand balanood	.,5 10,210,100	- 55	Form <b>990</b> (2020)

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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		1,30	0,67	5,243				
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2		1,24	8,418	3,276				
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3		52,256,967						
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	s at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A)) 4								
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5		7	<b>7</b> 8,364	4,085				
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		8	32,922	2,540				
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line									
	32, column (B))	10		66	55,400	3,922				
Part	XII Financial Statements and Reporting									
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII		<u> </u>	_						
					Yes	No				
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990:   Cash  Accrual  Other		_							
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.									
<b>2</b> a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		. 2	а		~				
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were con									
	reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:	•								
	☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis									
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		. 2	b	~					
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were aud	ited on	ı a							
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:									
	☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☑ Both consolidated and separate basis									
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for ov									
	the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent account	ant? .	. 2	С	~					
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, e Schedule O.	xplain	on							
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set for	rth in t	he							
	Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?			а	~					
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such a			b	_					
	required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such a	audits .	<u> </u>	ט	•					

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(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	(C) Institutional trustee	C) PC eck all Officer	ition that Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
(25) MS. PATRICIA CALDWELL	0.7	./						0	0	
DIRECTOR	0.0	•						0	0	0
(26) MS. VIRGINIA C. GREGG	1.0	./						0	0	0
DIRECTOR	0.0	•						0	U	0

#### SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

# Public Charity Status and Public Support Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service ► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization

THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

14-1368361

Open to Public Inspection

THE	RESEARCH FOUNDATION	FOR THE STA	TE UNIVERSITY (	JF NEW	YORK	14-13	58361	
Pai		<u> </u>					ons.	
The o	organization is not a private founda		,		-	•		
1	A church, convention of church							
2	A school described in <b>section</b>		,			, ,		
3	A hospital or a cooperative ho						···· –	
4	A medical research organization hospital's name, city, and state	•	onjunction with a nosp	oitai desc	ribed in s	section 170(b)(1)(A)	(III). Er	iter the
5	An organization operated for		college or university	owned o	r operate	ad by a government	al unit	described in
	section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Com		conege of university	owned c	Ороган	d by a government	ar arm	. acsonbca iii
6	☐ A federal, state, or local gover	•	mental unit described	in <b>secti</b>	on 170(b)	(1)(A)(v).		
7	An organization that normally						the o	general public
	described in section 170(b)(1)	(A)(vi). (Complet	te Part II.)					
8	☐ A community trust described i	n <b>section 170(b</b> )	(1)(A)(vi). (Complete I	Part II.)				
9	☐ An agricultural research organ	ization described	d in <b>section 170(b)(1)</b>	( <b>A</b> )(ix) op	erated in	conjunction with a I	and-g	rant college
	or university or a non-land-gra			,				J
10	An organization that normally receipts from activities related	receives (1) more	e than 331/3% of its su	pport fro	m contrib	outions, membership and (2) no more than	tees,	and gross % of its
	support from gross investmen	t income and uni	related business taxal	ole incom	nė (less se	ection 511 tax) from	busin	esses
44	acquired by the organization a		•			,		
11	An organization organized and	•		-				<b>the annual and a</b>
12	An organization organized and of one or more publicly support							
	Check the box in lines 12a thro							
а	☐ <b>Type I.</b> A supporting organ	nization operated	l. supervised, or contr	olled by	ts suppo	rted organization(s).	tvpica	ıllv bv aivina
	the supported organization							
	supporting organization. Y	ou must comple	ete Part IV, Sections	A and B				
b	_ ;;							
	control or management of				persons	that control or man	age th	e supported
	organization(s). You must	-	•					
С	Type III functionally integ its supported organization						ally int	egrated with,
d								
	that is not functionally inte		o ,				d an a	ittentiveness
_	requirement (see instruction	,	•		-			
е	Check this box if the organ functionally integrated, or						e II, Ty	pe III
f	Enter the number of supported	• .	tionally integrated 3up	oporting (	Jigariizat	ion.		
g	B		oorted organization(s).				•	
	(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization		organization	(v) Amount of monetary	(vi	i) Amount of
			(described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))		ur governing ment?	support (see instructions)		r support (see nstructions)
			above (see instructions))			instructions)	"	istructions)
				Yes	No			
(A)								
(B)								
(C)								
(D)								
(E)								
Tota	<u> </u>					0		0

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.)

Secti	on A. Public Support	quality ariao	1 110 10010 110	tou bolow, p	icacc comple	to r art iii.)	
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2016	<b>(b)</b> 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	<b>(e)</b> 2020	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	890,383,803	949,557,563		1,341,231,620		.,
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf		0.10,100.1,000	30.1.02,000	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	.,000,002,000	0
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	890,383,803	949,557,563	957,792,336	1,341,231,620	1,093,382,336	5,232,347,658
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)						313,960,326
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						4,918,387,332
Secti	on B. Total Support	•	•				
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2016	<b>(b)</b> 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	(e) 2020	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4	890,383,803	949,557,563	957,792,336	1,341,231,620	1,093,382,336	5,232,347,658
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	8,076,010	11,531,697	13,326,564	12,127,829	11,342,525	56,404,625
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	224			25,796	663,251	689,271
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	233,070,779	217,923,117	213,788,440	215,526,830	206,753,270	1,087,062,436
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						6,376,503,990
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc.	(see instruction	ns)			12	40,573,134
13	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the	organization's	first, second	, third, fourth,	or fifth tax ye	ar as a sectio	n 501(c)(3)
	organization, check this box and stop her	re					🕨 🗌
Secti	on C. Computation of Public Suppor	t Percentage	)				
14	Public support percentage for 2020 (line 6	6, column (f), di	vided by line 1	11, column (f))		14	77.13 %
15	Public support percentage from 2019 Sch					15	76.04 %
16a	331/3% support test-2020. If the organi						
	box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qual						
b	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % support test—2019. If the organization this box and stop here. The organization						
17a							
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—20 15 is 10% or more, and if the organizatio in Part VI how the organization meets the organization	019. If the organ meets the face facts-and-circ	unization did n cts-and-circur cumstances te	ot check a bo nstances test, est. The organi	x on line 13, 1 check this bo zation qualifies	6a, 16b, or 17 x and <b>stop he</b> s as a publicly	a, and line re. Explain supported
18	Private foundation. If the organization of	did not check	a box on line	13, 16a, 16b	, 17a, or 17b,	check this bo	x and see
	instructions						🕨 🔲

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#### 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.)

Sacti	on A. Public Support	arraor trio to	oto notog bon	511, p.oaco oc	mpioto i ait	,	
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2016	<b>(b)</b> 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	<b>(e)</b> 2020	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees	(a) 2010	(b) 2017	(6) 2016	( <b>u)</b> 2019	(e) 2020	(I) Total
2	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 7a	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons .						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
с 8	Add lines 7a and 7b						
Secti	on B. Total Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2016	<b>(b)</b> 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	<b>(e)</b> 2020	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6						
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources .						
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
С	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included in 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, check this box and stop her	•			•	ear as a sectio	. , . ,
	on C. Computation of Public Suppor			-	-		
15	Public support percentage for 2020 (line 8						%
16	Public support percentage from 2019 Sch					16	%
	on D. Computation of Investment Inc				(0)	1	
17	Investment income percentage for 2020 (li			•	. , ,		<u>%</u>
18	Investment income percentage from 2019						% and line
19a	331/3% support tests – 2020. If the organization is not more than 331/3%, check this box a						
b	33 <sup>1</sup> /3% support tests—2019. If the organiza		_	-		-	_
D	line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this b						
20	<b>Private foundation.</b> If the organization did		_		-		_

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#### **Supporting Organizations** Part IV

(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.)

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ecti	on A. All Supporting Organizations		2.5	
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by		Yes	No
	class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.	1		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).	2		
3а	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.	3a		
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)? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> when and how the organization made the determination.	3b		
С	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.	3c		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.	4a		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.	4b		
С	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)? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> 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.	4c		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> , 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).	5a		
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?	5b		
С	<b>Substitutions only.</b> Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c		
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? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.	6		
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? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	7		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).	8		
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))? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9a		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9b		
С	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	9c		
l0a	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)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.	10a		
b	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to			

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determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

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Part	IV Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11 a	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in lines 11b and			
а	11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described in line 11a above?	11b		
С	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide			
	detail in <b>Part VI.</b>	11c		
Secti	on 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 <b>Part VI</b> 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 <b>Part</b>			
	<b>VI</b> how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Secti	on C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
	<u> </u>		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		
Secti	on D. All Type III Supporting Organizations			<u> </u>
00011	on birth Type in 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 <b>Part VI</b> how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in 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 <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's			
Sooti	supported organizations played in this regard.  on E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations	3		
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see it	instru	ctions	s)
a	The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete <b>line 2</b> below.			-/-
b	☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
С	☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in <b>Part VI</b> how you supported a governmental entity	(see in		_
2	Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		Yes	No
а	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 <b>Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain</b> 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.	2a		
b	Did the activities described in 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			
	<b>Part VI</b> 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. <i>Answer lines 3a and 3b below.</i>	20		
а	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.	За		
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 <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

Part	V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Org	jani	zations					
1	1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in <b>Part VI</b> ). <b>See instructions.</b> All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.							
Sect	ion 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						
Sect	ion 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):							
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a						
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b						
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c						
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d						
е	<b>Discount</b> claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in <b>Part VI</b> ):							
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						
Sect	ion 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	6						
7	emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).  Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functional content.	_	ntograted Type III august	ting organization				
,	(see instructions).	aliy l	megrated Type III Suppor	ung organization				

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Part	V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3	) Supporting Organi	zations (continue	d)	
Sect	on D-Distributions				Current Year
_1_	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish e		1		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe				
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations	3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required-	-provide details in <b>Part</b>	VI)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic	h the organization is res	ponsive		
	(provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.			8	
9	Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6			9	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			10	
Sect	on E—Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributior Pre-2020	าร	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2020
1	Distributable amount for 2020 from Section C, line 6				
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2020				
	(reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See				
	instructions.				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2020				
а	From 2015				
b	From 2016				
С	From 2017				
d	From 2018				
е	From 2019				
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e				
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
h	Applied to 2020 distributable amount				
i	Carryover from 2015 not applied (see instructions)				
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.				
4	Distributions for 2020 from Section D, line 7: \$				
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
b	Applied to 2020 distributable amount				
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.				
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2020, if				
-	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result				
	greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.				
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2020. 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 2021. Add lines 3j and 4c.				
8	Breakdown of line 7:				
а	Excess from 2016				
b	Excess from 2017				
С	Excess from 2018				
d	Excess from 2019				
е	Excess from 2020				

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#### 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.)

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE A, PART II - OTHER INCOME	SEE ATTACHMENT

Return Reference - Identifier				Explanation			
SCHEDULE A, PART II,	Description	(a) 2016	(b) 2017	(c) 2018	(d) 2019	(e) 2020	(f) Total
LINE 10 - OTHER INCOME	AGENCY DIRECT	196,502,448	184,035,894	183,518,449	179,461,797	172,877,970	916,396,558
	EQUITY P'SHIP	2,049,622	2,485,005	2,478,438	2,574,840	2,448,062	12,035,967
	AGENCY FEES	7,645,985	8,054,785	7,029,653	7,146,522	6,652,471	36,529,416
	FIXED PRICE AWARD REVENUE	13,207,222	6,055,515	7,493,907	4,712,716	4,626,599	36,095,959
	OTHER EDUC. SUPPORT SERVICES	13,665,502	17,291,918	13,267,993	21,630,955	20,148,168	86,004,536
	Total	233,070,779	217,923,117	213,788,440	215,526,830	206,753,270	1,087,062,436

#### Schedule B

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

#### Schedule of Contributors

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THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK 14-1368361 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 331/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), 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 Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990,

990-EZ, or 990-PF), 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, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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Name of organization
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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		\$ 207,338,762	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2		\$ 88,418,742	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3		\$ 85,163,504	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
4		\$ 39,405,669	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$ 233,975,007	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
6		\$ 33,554,001	Person Payroll Noncash  (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization
THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Employer identification number

14-1368361

Part II	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate co	pies of Part II if additional space	ce is needed.
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$	
a) No. from Part I	(b)  Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		  \$	

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Part III	Exclusively religious, charitable, et (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the following line entry. For organizate contributions of \$1,000 or less for the	CH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in 10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusic contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions of \$1,000 or less for the year.)					
	Use duplicate copies of Part III if add	ditional space is nee	eded.	1			
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use	of gift	(d) Description of how gift is hel			
	<u> </u>	(e) Trans	fer of gift				
	Transferee's name, address, ar	nd ZIP + 4	Relation	ship of tra	nsferor to transferee		
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use	of gift	(d) Des	scription of how gift is held		
	(e) Transfer of gift						
	Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee						
-	Transieree 3 name, address, ar	Tielation	isinp or tra	nsicion to transicioc			
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift		(d) Des	scription of how gift is held		
	(e) Transfer of gift						
	Transferee's name, address, ar	nd ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use	of gift	(d) Des	scription of how gift is held		
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	Transferee's name, address, ar		fer of gift Relatior	nship of tra	nsferor to transferee		
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#### SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

#### **Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

OMB No. 1545-0047

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

Complete if the organization is described below.
 ► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
 ► Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax) (See separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (See separate instructions), then

• Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III. Name of organization **Employer identification number** THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK 14-1368361 Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization. Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV. (See instructions for 1 definition of "political campaign activities") Volunteer hours for political campaign activities (See instructions) . Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3). Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 \$ 1 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 . 3 Yes If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? . No Yes No If "Yes," describe in Part IV. Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3). Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, 3 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV. (c) EIN (a) Name (b) Address (d) Amount paid from (e) Amount of political filing organization's contributions received and funds. If none, enter -0-. promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-. (1) (2)(3)(4)(5)(6)

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Part II-A		Complete if the organization section 501(h)).	on is exempt u	under section 50	01(c)(3) and file	d Form 5768 (ele	ection under
A	Check ►	if the filing organization belo	liated group memb	er's name,			
_		address, EIN, expenses, and					
<u>B</u>	Check ►	if the filing organization chec		<u> </u>	ovisions apply.	1	
			bying Expendit			(a) Filing	(b) Affiliated
		(The term "expenditures" n				organization's totals	group totals
1		obbying expenditures to influenc			•		
	<b>b</b> Total lo	obbying expenditures to influenc	e a legislative bo	ody (direct lobbying	g)		
	c Total lo	obbying expenditures (add lines	la and 1b) .				
	d Other	exempt purpose expenditures .					
	e Total e	exempt purpose expenditures (ac	d lines 1c and 1	d)			
	f Lobby	ing nontaxable amount. Enter	the amount fr	rom the following	table in both		
	If the a	mount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is	s: The lobbying	nontaxable amoun	t is:		
	Not ove	er \$500,000	20% of the an	nount on line 1e.			
	Over \$5	500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus	15% of the excess	over \$500,000.		
	Over \$1	,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus	10% of the excess	over \$1,000,000.		
	Over \$1	,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus	5% of the excess o			
	Over \$1	7,000,000	\$1,000,000.				
	g Grassr	oots nontaxable amount (enter 2	5% of line 1f)				
	-	act line 1g from line 1a. If zero or	ess, enter -0-				
		act line 1f from line 1c. If zero or le					
		e is an amount other than zero	,	1h or line 1i. did	the organization	file Form 4720	
		ng section 4911 tax for this year	_				Yes No
	(Som	4-Y ne organizations that made a se See th	of the five columi	ns below.			
_		Lobbyin	g Expenditures	During 4-Year A	/eraging Period □		
	Cale	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	<b>(a)</b> 2017	<b>(b)</b> 2018	<b>(c)</b> 2019	(d) 2020	(e) Total
2	a Lobby	ing nontaxable amount					
	•	ing ceiling amount of line 2a, column (e))					
	c Total lo	obbying expenditures					
	<b>d</b> Grassr	roots nontaxable amount					
		roots ceiling amount of line 2d, column (e))					
	f Gracer	costs lobbying expenditures					

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	(election under section 501(h)).	l:	a)		(b)	_
	each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed ription of the lobbying activity.	Yes	No	Aı	mount	_
	During the year did the filing argenization attempt to influence ferging national state or level					
1	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:					
а	Volunteers?		~			
b	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?	~				
С	Media advertisements?		٧			
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		~			_
е	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		~			_
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?	<u> </u>	~		400.00	_
g h	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body? Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?	·	~		190,867	_
i	Other activities?		~			-
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i				190,867	7
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?		~		100,00	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912					
С	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912 .					
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?	<u> </u>				
Part	III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c 501(c)(6).	)(5), (	or se	ction		
					Yes No	
1	Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?			1		_
2	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?			2		_
3 Part	Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures from the Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)			3		-
r are	501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" Ol answered "Yes."	ησ), ι R (b)	л э <del>с</del> Part	Cuon III_Δ I	ine 3, is	
	answered "Yes."			A, i	,	
1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members		1	A, i		_
1 2	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of			,	_
	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of	1 2a		,	_
2 a b	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of	1 2a 2b			
2 a	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of	1 2a 2b 2c			
2 a b c	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of	1 2a 2b			
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2 a b c	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	of  the ying .	1 2a 2b 2c 3			
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#### Part IV

**Supplemental Information.** Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions); and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE C, PART II-B - DESCRIPTION OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES	THE REPORTED EXPENDITURES ARE INCURRED BY THE RF AS FISCAL AGENT FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK (SUNY) SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION AND MANY OF SUNY'S 64 MEMBER INSTITUTIONS WITH REGARD TO FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL LEGISLATION AND DIRECT FUNDING SUPPORT FOR VARIOUS PROJECTS TO BE SPONSORED BY OR ADMINISTERED BY NUMEROUS SUNY CAMPUSES. BECAUSE THE RF ACTS AS FISCAL AGENT FOR SUNY AND ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS, EXPENDITURES INCURRED BY SUNY AND THE RF REGARDING FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND FUNDING ARE REPORTED ON THE APPROPRIATE FEDERAL LOBBY DISCLOSURE ACT (LDA) FORM LD-2. EXPENDITURES FOR STATE AND LOCAL LEGISLATION AND APPROPRIATIONS ARE REPORTED BY SUNY CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE NEW YORK STATE AND NEW YORK CITY LAW AND REGULATIONS.

# SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

# **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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	RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY (	DE NEW YORK	14 4269264
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Par			IS OF ACCOUNTS.
	Complete if the organization answered "Y		
_	Tatal number at an disfusion	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year		
2	Aggregate value of contributions to (during year) .		
3	Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4	Aggregate value at end of year		
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor a		
	funds are the organization's property, subject to the	=	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and		
	only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit		
	conferring impermissible private benefit?		· · · · · · L Yes L No
Par			
	Complete if the organization answered "Y	es" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.	
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the or	ganization (check all that apply).	
	☐ Preservation of land for public use (for example, recreated)	tion or education)   Preservation or	f a historically important land area
	☐ Protection of natural habitat	☐ Preservation o	f a certified historic structure
	☐ Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held	I a qualified conservation contribution	n in the form of a conservation
	easement on the last day of the tax year.		Held at the End of the Tax Year
а	Total number of conservation easements		. <b>2a</b>
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements		
C	Number of conservation easements on a certified his		
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c)		
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transfe		
	tax year ▶	oou, ro.ouoou, oguoou, o. 10	a.ca by the enganization during the
4	Number of states where property subject to conserva	ation easement is located <b>&gt;</b>	
5	Does the organization have a written policy rega		ection, handling of
	violations, and enforcement of the conservation ease		
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecti	ng handling of violations, and enforcing	
Ū	b	rig, rianding of violations, and emorang	delibervation easements during the year
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting	handling of violations, and enforcing	conservation easements during the year
'	► \$	, rianding of violations, and emoleting t	conservation easements during the year
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(	(d) above satisfy the requirements of s	section 170(h)(4)(R)(i)
Ū	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports co	nservation easements in its revenue :	and expense statement and
	balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of t		•
	organization's accounting for conservation easement	_	
Part	Organizations Maintaining Collections	of Art Historical Treasures or (	Other Similar Assets
rait	Complete if the organization answered "Y		ottiei oliilliai Assets.
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB		a statement and balance sheet works
ıa	of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets h		
	service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to	·	·
L	•		
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under FASE art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for		
	provide the following amounts relating to these items	•	earch in furtherance of public service,
			<b>.</b> •
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		• \$
_	(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X		• \$
2	if the organization received or held works of art, h	listorical treasures, or other similar	assets for financial gain, provide the
	following amounts required to be reported under FAS	<del>-</del>	
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .		<b>&gt;</b> \$
b	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		> \$

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Part						
3	Using the organization's acquisition, collection items (check all that apply):		er records, chec	k any of the follov	ving that make sig	inificant use of its
а	☐ Public exhibition		d 🗌 Loan	or exchange prog	ram	
b	☐ Scholarly research		e 🗌 Other			
С	☐ Preservation for future generations	<b>;</b>				
4	Provide a description of the organization.	tion's collections a	nd explain how th	hey further the org	ganization's exemp	ot purpose in Par
5	During the year, did the organization assets to be sold to raise funds rather					□ Yes □ No
Part						<u> </u>
T all t	Complete if the organization 990, Part X, line 21.		on Form 990, F	Part IV, line 9, or	reported an amo	ount on Form
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee included on Form 990, Part X?					: □ Yes □ No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in P					
					Am	nount
С	Beginning balance			10		
d	Additions during the year					
е	Distributions during the year				)	
f	Ending balance				;	
2a	Did the organization include an amou					<sup>'</sup> ☐ Yes ☐ No
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in P					
Par						
	Complete if the organization	answered "Yes"	on Form 990, F	Part IV, line 10.		
	1 5	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a	Beginning of year balance	20,196,756	12,403,732	7,979,153	3,904,940	2,010,667
b	Contributions	0	8,000,000	4,200,000	4,000,000	1,800,000
C	Net investment earnings, gains, and		2,222,222	1,=00,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
	losses	4,782,698	614,445	570,711	301,073	214,722
d	Grants or scholarships	1,1 02,000				
e	Other expenditures for facilities and					
	programs	899,663	674,050	200,000	171,653	95,800
f	Administrative expenses	188,362	147,371	146,132	55,207	24,649
g	End of year balance	23,891,429	20,196,756	•	7,979,153	
2	Provide the estimated percentage of t					0,001,010
a	Board designated or quasi-endowmer		%	, ••••••	<b></b>	
b	Permanent endowment ▶	%	. / -			
C	Term endowment ► 100.00 %					
•	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and		0%.			
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the			at are held and ac	lministered for the	ļ
	organization by:	•	J			Yes No
	(i) Unrelated organizations					3a(i) 🗸
	(II) D. I. I. I. I. I.					3a(ii) 🗸
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related o					3b
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses	_	•			
Part						
	Complete if the organization		on Form 990. F	Part IV. line 11a.	See Form 990. F	<sup>2</sup> art X. line 10.
	Description of property	(a) Cost or oth			Accumulated	(d) Book value
	, r r r r v	(investme			epreciation	
1a	Land					
b	Buildings		3	324,204,048	171,250,277	152,953,771
c	Leasehold improvements			,== :,= :0	,====,=	
d	Equipment		5	519,189,828	170,403,054	348,786,774
e	Other			61,639,563	25,462,324	36,177,239
	Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) r	nust equal Form 99			•	537,917,784

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Part VII Investments – Other Securities.  Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form	m 990 Part IV lin	e 11h See Form	1990 Part X line 12
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Met	hod of valuation: -of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives			
(2) Closely held equity interests			
(3) Other			
(A) ABSOLUTE MULTISTRATEGY FUNDS	72,529,046	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(B) INVEST IN EQUITY PARTNERSHIP	3,282,884	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(C) CREDIT SECURITIES FUNDS	8,558,921	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(D) GLOBAL EQUITIES FUNDS	95,440,994	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(E) HEDGED EQUITIES FUNDS	92,810,990	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(F) PRIVATE EQUITY FUNDS	42,569,496	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(G) POOLED ENDOWMENT	21,891,429	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(H)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) . ▶	337,083,760		
Part VIII Investments – Program Related.			
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on For	m 990, Part IV, lin	e 11c. See Form	990, Part X, line 13.
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value		hod of valuation: -of-year market value
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
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(8)			
(9)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) . ▶			
Part IX Other Assets.	000 David IV/ Iiva	- 11 d C T	000 Dovt V line 15
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form	ili 990, Part IV, IIII	e i iu. See Foiii	(b) Book value
(a) Description			(b) book value
<u>(1)</u>			
(2)			
(3)			
<u>(4)</u>			
(5) (6)			
<u>(6)</u> (7)			
(8)			
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Part X Other Liabilities.			
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form	m 990. Part IV. lin	e 11e or 11f. See	e Form 990. Part X.
line 25.	,,		- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
1. (a) Description of liability			(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes			
(2) POST RETIREMENT BENEFIT LIABILITY			65,887,443
(3) 457B PLAN LIABILITY			9,169,734
(4) INTEREST RATE SWAP			563,667
(5) DUE TO BROKER			9,320,381
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)			84,941,225

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. Schedule D (Form 990) 2020 Page **4** 

Part	XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Stateme	ents \	With Revenue per	Return	•
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, I	art l	V, line 12a.		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	1,285,136,068
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	78,364,085		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b			
С	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	82,922,540		
е	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b>			2e	161,286,625
3	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>			3	1,123,849,443
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	3,947,780		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	172,877,970		
С				4c	176,825,750
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line	12.)		5	1,300,675,193
Part				r Retu	rn.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, I	Part I	V, line 12a.		
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	1,071,592,526
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
С	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	0		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	0
3	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b>			3	1,071,592,526
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	3,947,780		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	172,877,970		
С	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b>			4c	176,825,750
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line	e 18.)		5	1,248,418,276
Part	XIII Supplemental Information.			<u> </u>	
Provid	e the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and	d 4; P	art 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 pro	ovide any additional in	formatio	on.
SEE S	TATEMENT				

#### Part XIII

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.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation	
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 2(D) - OTHER REVENUES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM 990	(a) Description  GAIN ON INTEREST RATE SWAP  POST RETIREMENT CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(b) Amount 206,743 82,715,797
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 4(B) - OTHER REVENUE	(a) Description AGENCY PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	<b>(b)</b> Amount 172,877,970
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 2(D) - OTHER EXPENSES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM 990	(a) Description	(b) Amount
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4(B) - OTHER EXPENSES	(a) Description AGENCY PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSE	<b>(b)</b> Amount 172,877,970

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**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.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART V, LINE 4 - INTENDED USES OF ENDOWMENT FUNDS	THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION CONSIST OF TWO AWARDS FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE ON MINORITY HEALTH AND HEALTH DISPARITIES (NIMHD), BOTH WITH CONTRIBUTIONS TO BE MADE OVER FIVE-YEAR PERIODS. NIMHD SPECIFIES THAT THE FUNDS EACH BE MAINTAINED FOR TWENTY YEARS, WITH INVESTMENT INCOME AVAILABLE DURING THAT TIME FOR RESEARCH SPENDING.
SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2 - FIN 48 (ASC 740) FOOTNOTE	FOOTNOTE 2(N) OF THE JUNE 30, 2021 AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE REGARDING FIN 48 (ASC 740): THE RF IS A NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION AND HAS BEEN DETERMINED BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE TO BE AN ORGANIZATION DESCRIBED IN INTERNAL REVENUE CODE (IRC) SECTION 501(C)(3) AND, THEREFORE, IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES ON RELATED INCOME PURSUANT TO SECTION 501(A) OF THE CODE.THE RF RECOGNIZES THE EFFECTS OF INCOME TAX POSITIONS ONLY IF THOSE POSITIONS ARE MORE LIKELY THAN NOT TO BE SUSTAINED.MANAGEMENT HAS DETERMINED THERE ARE NO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 AND 2020. THE RF IS SUBJECT TO ROUTINE AUDITS BY TAXING JURISDICTIONS AND BELIEVES THAT IT IS NO LONGER SUBJECT TO INCOME TAX EXAMINATIONS FOR YEARS PRIOR TO THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018.

#### **SCHEDULE F** (Form 990)

# **Statement of Activities Outside the United States** ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.

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Name of the organization

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**Employer identification number** 14-1368361

Par	General Information Form 990, Part IV, line		ies Outside	the United States. Com	nplete if the organization a	nswered "Yes" on
1	For grantmakers. Does the other assistance, the grante award the grants or assistance	es' eligibility	for the gran			☐ Yes ☐ No
2	For grantmakers. Describe outside the United States.	in Part V the	e organization	's procedures for monitorin	ng the use of its grants and	d other assistance
3	Activities per Region. (The fo	llowing Part	I, line 3 table o	can be duplicated if addition	nal space is needed.)	
	(a) Region	<b>(b)</b> Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in the region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in the region
	ANTARCTICA			PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	
(1)		0	0			15,971
(2)	CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN	0	4	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	114,111
. ,	EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC			PROGRAM SERVICES	TRAINING	
(3)		0	41			2,563,494
(4)	EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC	0	19	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	688,245
	EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC			PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	
(5)		0	1			45,732
(6)	EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND)	0	66	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	12,731,841
(7)	EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND)	0	4	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	52,964
(8)	EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND)	0	2	PROGRAM SERVICES	EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT	94,609
(9)	MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA	0	4	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	185,949
(10)	MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA	0	0	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	44,398
(11)	NORTH AMERICA (CANADA & MEXICO ONLY)	0	7	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	53,811
(12)	NORTH AMERICA (CANADA & MEXICO ONLY)	0	1	PROGRAM SERVICES	EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT	1,590
(13)	RUSSIA AND NEIGHBORING STATES	0	3	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	24,342
(14)	SOUTH AMERICA	0	7	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	205,770
(15)	SOUTH AMERICA	0	2	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	37,886
(16)	SOUTH ASIA	0	4	PROGRAM SERVICES	ORGANIZED RESEARCH	21,814
(17)	(SEE STATEMENT)					
3a	Subtotal	0	165			16,882,527
	Total from continuation sheets to Part I	4	18			298,127,085
С	Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	4	183			315,009,612

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Schedule F (Form 990) 2020 Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed. 1 (a) Name of (b) IRS code (c) Region (d) Purpose of (e) Amount of (f) Manner of (g) Amount of (h) Description (i) Method of organization section and EIN grant cash grant cash noncash of noncash assistance valuation (book, FMV, (if applicable) disbursement assistance appraisal, other) (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10)(11) (12)(13)(14)(15)

2	Enter total nur	nber of recipi	ent organizations	listed above	that are	recognized	as cha	arities by the	foreign	country, reco	ognized	as a	a tax
	exempt 501(c)(	3) organizatio	n by the IRS, or for	which the gra	antee or o	counsel has	provid	led a section 5	601(c)(3)	equivalency	letter		<b>&gt;</b>

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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of noncash assistance	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
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## Part IV Foreign Forms

1	Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)	✓ Yes	☐ No
2	Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; don't file with Form 990)	☐ Yes	<b>☑</b> No
3	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)	✓ Yes	☐ No
4	Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)	✓ Yes	□ No
5	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)	✓ Yes	□ No
6	Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; don't file with Form 990)	✓ Yes	☐ No

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## Part I Activities per Region (continued)

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Region	Number of offices in the region	Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	Total expenditures for and investments in region
(17) SOUTH ASIA	0	0	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	12,100
(18) SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	0	3	PROGRAM SERVICES	TRAINING	278,287
(19) SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	1	11		ORGANIZED RESEARCH	248,310
(20) SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	3	4	PROGRAM SERVICES	PUBLIC SERVICES	1,217,552
(21) CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN	0	0	INVESTMENTS	INVESTMENTS	295,659,020
(22) EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND)	0	0	INVESTMENTS	INVESTMENTS	711,816

#### Part V

**Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE F, PART I, LINE 1 - EXPENDITURE RECORDS AND REPORTING	THE RF IS NOT A GRANTMAKER, AND WHILE IT DOES NOT MAKE GRANTS TO FOREIGN ORGANIZATIONS OR TO FOREIGN INDIVIDUALS, IT DOES ADMINISTER GRANTS, CONTRACTS AND OTHER SPONSORED PROGRAMS FUNDED BY OTHERS, INCLUDING GRANTS WITH ACTIVITY IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES. THE RF COMPLIES WITH SPONSOR REQUIREMENTS AS WELL AS OMB UNIFORM GUIDANCE IN ITS COSTING, ADMINISTRATION, AND RECORD-KEEPING PRACTICES INCLUDING RECORDS OF ALL DISBURSEMENTS AND REPORTS ON THE USAGE OF THE SPONSORS' FUNDS.
ACCOUNT FOR EXPENDITURES ON ORG'S	ANTARCTICA: ACCRUAL CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: ACCRUAL EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC: ACCRUAL EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND): ACCRUAL MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA: ACCRUAL NORTH AMERICA (CANADA & MEXICO ONLY): ACCRUAL RUSSIA AND NEIGHBORING STATES: ACCRUAL SOUTH AMERICA: ACCRUAL SOUTH ASIA: ACCRUAL SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: ACCRUAL

#### **SCHEDULE J** (Form 990)

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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Part	Questions Regarding Compensation			
			Yes	No
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.			
	☐ First-class or charter travel ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	☐ Travel for companions ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence			
	☐ Tax indemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	☐ Discretionary spending account ☐ 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	1b		
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?	2		
_				
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.			
	✓ Compensation committee   Written employment contract			
	✓ Compensation committee ✓ Written employment contract ✓ Independent compensation consultant ✓ Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations  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:			
а	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	~	
b	Participate in or receive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		~
С	Participate in or receive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		~
	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:			
а	The organization?	5a		V V
b	Any related organization?	5b		_
	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:			
а	The organization?	6a		~
b	Any related organization?	6b		~
	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	7	~	
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	8		-
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9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?			
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#### 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			W-2 and/or 1099-MIS		(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable		(F) Compensation
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)–(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
MR. DAVID MARCUS	(i)	396,709	0	0	22,800	17,651	437,160	0
1 CIO, STONY BROOK FOUNDATION	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MR. JOSEPH BARABINO	(i)	209,141	0	149,818	19,102	10,490	388,551	0
2 ASSOC. VP. RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION, DOWNSTATE HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MC CILCENIM DE771	(i)	279,625	25,000	0	28,500	36,993	370,118	0
VP FOR DEVELOPMENT, UPSTATE MEDICAL UNIV	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MS. DEBORAH LOWEN-KLEIN	(i)	330,545	0	0	28,500	11,064	370,109	0
4 INTERIM VP OF ADVANCEMENT, STONY BROOK	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DR. JEFFREY CHEEK	(i)	330,203	0	400	22,800	14,982	368,385	0
5 PRESIDENT	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MS. LORRAINE L. MANZELLA	(i)	274,852	0	0	33,124	15,917	323,893	0
6 ADMN DIR UPSTATE UNIV MED ASSOCIATION	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MR. CHRISTOPHER ASHLEY	(i)	260,782	0	300	25,721	15,269	302,072	0
7 GENERAL COUNSEL AND SECRETARY	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MS. EMILY KUNCHALA	(i)	233,341	0	700	24,532	38,043	296,616	0
8 CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MR. JOSHUA TOAS	(i)	205,559	0	1,709	21,400	26,367	255,035	0
9 CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MR. RYAN P. FARRELL	(i)	145,992	0	450	14,896	12,634	173,972	0
10 VP OF INTERNAL AUDIT	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(i)							
11	(ii)							
	(i)							
12	(ii)							
	(i)							
13	(ii)							
	(i)							
14	(ii)							
	(i)							
15	(ii)							
	(i)							
16	(ii)							

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### 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.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
4A - SEVERANCE OR	JOSEPH BARABINO, LISTED ON PART VII, SECTION A, LINE 1A RECEIVED A SEVERANCE PAYMENT OF \$121,727 AND A VACATION PAYOUT OF \$28,091 UPON THE TERMINATION OF HIS EMPLOYMENT WITH THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 3 - COMPENSATION OF PRESIDENT	THE PROCESS TO ESTABLISH THE RF PRESIDENT'S COMPENSATION IS DESCRIBED FURTHER IN SCHEDULE O.
	NON-FIXED PAYMENTS (OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION) INCLUDE PAYMENTS TO MS. EILLEEN PEZZI FOR PERFORMANCE AWARDS. INDIVIDUAL INCENTIVES UNDER THE RF WELLNESS PROGRAM AND RECOGNITION AWARDS.

#### **SCHEDULE M** (Form 990)

## **Noncash Contributions**

OMB No. 1545-0047

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► Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.

► Attach to Form 990.

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Inspection

Name of the organization THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK **Employer identification number** 14-1368361

Part	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	Method o			
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							
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 ► ( RESEARCH RELATED EQUIPMENT )	~	2	26,000	MARKET VA	LUE		
26	Other ► ()							
27	Other ► ()							
28	Other ► (							
29	Number of Forms 8283 received							
	which the organization completed	Form 8283	s, Part V, Donee Acknowled	dgement	29			
							Yes	No
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	28, that it must hold for at least the							
	to be used for exempt purposes to		e holding period?			30a		
	If "Yes," describe the arrangemen							
31	Does the organization have a							
	contributions?					31	~	
32a								
_	contributions?					32a		
	If "Yes," describe in Part II.							
33	If the organization didn't report an describe in Part II.	amount in	column (c) for a type of pro	perty for which column (a) i	is checked,			

#### **SCHEDULE O** (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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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.

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Name of the Organization THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Employer Identification Number 14-1368361

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1 - MISSION	MISSION OF THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK:
MISSION	A. TO ASSIST IN DEVELOPING AND INCREASING THE FACILITIES OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK TO PROVIDE MORE EXTENSIVE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR AND SERVICE TO ITS STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF AND ALUMNI, AND TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BY MAKING AND ENCOURAGING GIFTS, GRANTS, CONTRIBUTIONS AND DONATIONS OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TO OR FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK;
	B.TO RECEIVE, HOLD AND ADMINISTER GIFTS OR GRANTS, AND TO ACT WITHOUT PROFIT AS TRUSTEE OF EDUCATIONAL OR CHARITABLE TRUSTS, OF BENEFIT TO AND IN KEEPING WITH THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND OBJECTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK; AND
	C. TO FINANCE THE CONDUCT OF STUDIES AND RESEARCH IN ANY AND ALL FIELDS OF THE ARTS AND SCIENCES, OF BENEFIT TO AND IN KEEPING WITH THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND OBJECTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A - PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS- RESEARCH	THE RF PROVIDES SUNY FACULTY AND STAFF WITH ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT FOR RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS THAT ARE FUNDED BY SPONSORS (FEDERAL AND STATE GOVERNMENTS, PRIVATE SECTOR COMPANIES AND NONPROFIT FOUNDATIONS). THE ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT INCLUDES SERVICES SUCH AS HIRING PERSONNEL NECESSARY TO CONDUCT THE RESEARCH, PURCHASING EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, PREFUNDING EXPENSES PRIOR TO SPONSOR REIMBURSEMENT AND PROVIDING FINANCIAL REPORTS TO THE SPONSORS. THESE RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS ENCOMPASS A WIDE RANGE OF DISCIPLINES INCLUDING IN LIFE SCIENCES AND MEDICINE; ENGINEERING AND NANOTECHNOLOGY; PHYSICAL SCIENCES AND ENERGY; SOCIAL SCIENCES, AND COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCES. THE RF SUPPORTED 5,576 RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS THAT WERE CONDUCTED BY 2,419 FACULTY MEMBERS (PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS) DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021. THIS YEAR, RESEARCH AT SUNY LED TO 244 INVENTION DISCLOSURES, 83 U.S. PATENTS, 51 LICENSE AGREEMENTS EXECUTED, 178 OPERATIONAL STARTUPS, AND 286 PATENT APPLICATIONS FILED.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B - PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS- PUBLIC SERVICE	SUNY FACULTY AND STAFF CONDUCT VARIOUS PROGRAMS THAT BENEFIT LOCAL COMMUNITIES AND BEYOND SUCH AS PROVIDING WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES, EDUCATIONAL AND THERAPEUTIC SERVICES TO CHILDREN THROUGH EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAMS AND COORDINATING SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER ACTIVITIES. FUNDING FOR THESE GRANTS AND PROGRAMS IS PROVIDED BY SPONSORS TO THE RF ON BEHALF OF SUNY. THE RF SUPPORTS THE FACULTY AND STAFF BY PERFORMING THE FOLLOWING ADMINISTRATIVE TASKS: HIRING PERSONNEL THE FACULTY NEEDED TO HELP CONDUCT THE PROGRAM, PURCHASING NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AND REIMBURSING TRAVEL COSTS THAT ARE PROVIDED FOR BY THE GRANT, SUBMITTING FINANCIAL REPORTS REQUIRED BY THE SPONSORS, AND ENSURING COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE REGULATIONS AND THE SPONSOR'S TERMS AND CONDITIONS. THE RF SUPPORTED 739 PUBLIC SERVICE GRANTS AND AWARDS THAT WERE CONDUCTED BY 350 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C - PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS- TRAINING AND EDUCATION	SUNY FACULTY AND STAFF ARE AWARDED GRANTS AND CONTRACTS FOR TRAINING AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS THAT HELP BUILD SKILLS AND DISSEMINATE SUNY EXPERTISE. THE PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED TO HELP PEOPLE OF ALL AGES IN NEW YORK STATE AND AROUND THE WORLD, SUCH AS TEACHERS AND HEALTH CARE WORKERS. THE RF PROVIDES ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES THAT ALLOW SUNY FACULTY AND STAFF TO FOCUS ON THESE PROGRAMS. THESE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES INCLUDE: HIRING PERSONNEL TO HELP CONDUCT PROGRAMS, PURCHASING NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AND REIMBURSING TRAVEL COSTS THAT ARE PROVIDED FOR BY THE GRANT, SUBMITTING FINANCIAL REPORTS REQUIRED BY THE SPONSOR, AND ENSURING COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE REGULATIONS AND THE SPONSOR'S TERMS AND CONDITIONS. THE RF SUPPORTED 560 TRAINING AND EDUCATIONAL GRANTS AND AWARDS THAT WERE CONDUCTED BY 354 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021.
	UNDER THE PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDED ON LINES 4A THROUGH 4C, THE RF EMPLOYED APPROXIMATELY 9,400 INDIVIDUALS.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D -	(EXPENSES \$229,758,309 INCLUDING GRANTS OF )(REVENUE \$208,080,211)
DESCRIPTION OF OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES	THE RF PROVIDES SERVICES TO CAMPUS-RELATED ORGANIZATIONS ACROSS 31 SUNY LOCATIONS AND TO RF AFFILIATES - SEPARATE, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS THAT SUPPORT CAMPUS GOALS TO CONDUCT COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS, EMPOWER SMALL BUSINESS INCUBATION, AND MANAGE AND DEVELOP REAL ESTATE. THE RF OFFERS HUMAN RESOURCES/PAYROLL AND PURCHASING/PAYABLES ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES TO THESE ORGANIZATIONS. CAMPUS-RELATED ORGANIZATIONS ARE CREATED TO SUPPORT SUNY'S MISSION; EXAMPLES OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS ARE CAMPUS FOUNDATIONS AND CLINICAL PRACTICE PLANS AT THE SUNY MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS. APPROXIMATELY 1,900 INDIVIDUALS WERE EMPLOYED BY THE RF FOR THESE PROGRAM SERVICES.  THE RF ALSO ADMINISTERS GRANTS AND CONTRACTS SUCH AS SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS FOR SUNY STUDENTS THAT ARE FUNDED BY EXTERNAL SPONSORS AND ADMINISTERS PROGRAMS SUCH AS THE SUNY TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATOR FUND (TAF), WHICH ENABLES FACULTY INVENTORS AND SCIENTISTS TO DEMONSTRATE THAT THEIR PROMISING IDEAS HAVE COMMERCIAL POTENTIAL THROUGH FEASIBILITY STUDIES, PROTOTYPING, AND TESTING. THE REMAINING APPROXIMATELY 2,300 INDIVIDUALS EMPLOYED BY THE RF WERE MAINLY CORPORATE STAFF SUPPORTING THE PROGRAMS DESCRIBED IN LINES 4A THROUGH 4D. FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE RF GO TO WWW.RFSUNY.ORG.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 2 - BUSINESS AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS	THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ARE OR WERE MEMBERS OF THE RF BOARD DURING THE TAX YEAR AND WERE ALSO EMPLOYED BY THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK (SUNY): DIRECTORS GINTZLER, MEGNA, STENGER, TRIPATHI, AND WANG. THESE BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS ARE NOT REPORTABLE ON SCHEDULE L, NOR DID THEY GIVE RISE TO TRANSACTIONS REPORTABLE ON SCHEDULE L.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - REVIEW OF FORM 990 BY GOVERNING BODY	THE AUDIT AND FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REVIEWS THE FORM 990 PRIOR TO SUBMISSION ACCORDING TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE CHARTER. THE RF PROVIDED A COMPLETE COPY OF THE FINAL FORM 990 (INCLUDING ALL REQUIRED SCHEDULES) AS ULTIMATELY FILED WITH THE IRS, TO EACH PERSON WHO WAS A VOTING MEMBER OF THE GOVERNING BODY AT THE TIME THE FORM 990 WAS FILED WITH THE IRS.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY	THE RF MONITORS CONFLICTS OF INTEREST FOR DIRECTORS, OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES BY DOING AN ANNUAL CERTIFICATION OF BUSINESS AND FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS. ANY DIRECTORS WITH A RELATIONSHIP THAT MAY BE PERCEIVED AS CONSTITUTING A CONFLICT OF INTEREST WILL RECUSE HIMHERSELF FROM THE VOTE ON THAT ISSUE. UNDER THE RF'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND MANAGEMENT OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST PROCEDURE, IF A POTENTIAL CONFLICT IS IDENTIFIED, IT IS REVIEWED BY AN IMPARTIAL INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP WITH CONSULTATION AS NEEDED WITH THE CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER. IF A CONFLICT IS DETERMINED TO EXIST, A MANAGEMENT PLAN IS PUT IN PLACE TO MITIGATE THE CONFLICT.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH COMPENSATION OF TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL	THE PROCESS FOR DETERMINING THE COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL, RF OFFICERS, KEY EMPLOYEES AND COMPENSATED DIRECTORS MEETS THE REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION PROVISION UNDER TREAS. REG. §53.4958-6. THE RF BOARD HAS DESIGNATED THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, MADE UP OF INDEPENDENT MEMBERS, TO ACT AS THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE FOR THE RF ACCORDING TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHARTER. FOR RF PRESIDENT DR. JEFFREY CHEEK, AN RF EMPLOYEE, HIS COMPENSATION WAS SET BY THE RF BOARD OF DIRECTORS AS PER THE RF'S EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION POLICY. THIS REVIEW OF REASONABLENESS IS BASED UPON APPROPRIATE BENCHMARKING DATA PROVIDED BY AN INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION CONSULTANT.
	THAT CONSULTANT WAS RETAINED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DURING THE TAX YEAR TO GATHER COMPARABLE LOCAL MARKET AND NATIONAL DATA TO CREATE BENCHMARKS FOR ALL OFFICER POSITIONS AND THE RF RETAINS CONTEMPORANEOUS DOCUMENTATION OF THE COMPENSATION REVIEW AND APPROVAL PROCESS IN ORDER TO CONFORM WITH THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT'S REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION RULES UNDER TREAS. REG. §53.4958-6.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15B - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH COMPENSATION OF OTHER OFFICERS OR KEY EMPLOYEES	AS NOTED ABOVE THE PROCESS FOR DETERMINING THE COMPENSATION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL, RF OFFICERS, KEY EMPLOYEES AND COMPENSATED DIRECTORS MEETS THE REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION PROVISION UNDER TREAS. REG. §53.4958-6. THE RF BOARD HAS DESIGNATED THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, MADE UP OF INDEPENDENT MEMBERS, TO ACT AS THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE FOR THE RF ACCORDING TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHARTER.
	IN ADDITION TO THE RF PRESIDENT, OTHER RF OFFICERS LISTED IN PART VII ARE ALSO RF EMPLOYEES AND THEREFORE SUBJECT TO THE RF'S EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION POLICY. THAT POLICY STATES, "COMPENSATION OF OTHER RF OFFICERS WILL BE SET BY THE RF PRESIDENT AND WILL BE REVIEWED FOR REASONABLENESS BY THE RF BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURE FOR REVIEWING EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION." THIS REVIEW OF REASONABLENESS IS BASED UPON APPROPRIATE BENCHMARKING DATA PROVIDED BY AN INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION CONSULTANT.
	THAT CONSULTANT WAS RETAINED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DURING THE TAX YEAR TO GATHER COMPARABLE LOCAL MARKET AND NATIONAL DATA TO CREATE BENCHMARKS FOR ALL OFFICER POSITIONS AND THE RF RETAINS CONTEMPORANEOUS DOCUMENTATION OF THE COMPENSATION REVIEW AND APPROVAL PROCESS IN ORDER TO CONFORM WITH THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT'S REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION RULES UNDER TREAS. REG. §53.4958-6.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC	THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION CHARTER, THE 1977 AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE ALL AVAILABLE ON THE RF'S PUBLIC WEB SITE AT WWW.RFSUNY.ORG.

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FORM 990, PART VII, SECTION A, LINE 1A - COMPENSATION OF DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, ET. AL.	COMPENSATION IS PAID TO DIRECTORS WHO ARE ALSO FACULTY MEMBERS, CAPRESIDENTS, OR WHO HAVE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE ROLES UNRELATED TO THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS; SUCH COMPENSATION IS RELATED TO PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS, RESEARCH SCIENTISTS, OR AS CAMPUS ADMINISTED THE TAX YEAR, THE RF PAID DIRECT COMPENSATION TO DIRECTORS STENGER SERVICES PROVIDED IN ADMINISTRATIVE ROLES.  THE RF PAID AN UNRELATED TAX-EXEMPT ENTITY \$129,284 TOWARD SALARY SURVICES RENDERED TO SUNY IN HIS CAPACITY AS PRESIDENT OF A SUNY CANDOCUMENTATION OF DIRECTOR TRIPATHI'S SALARY APPROVAL PROCESS IS MASTATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK.	HEIR ACTIVITIES AS O THEIR ROLE AS RATORS. DURING AND MEGNA FOR JPPLEMENTATION YEAR 2020 FOR MPUS. REVIEW AND
FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9 - OTHER CHANGES IN NET	(a) Description	(b) Amount
ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	LOSS ON INTEREST RATE SWAP	206,743
	POST-RETIREMENT CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	82,715,797

#### **SCHEDULE R** (Form 990)

Part I

## **Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships** ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.

(b)

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Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

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(f)

Name of the organization THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

(a)

**Employer identification number** 14-1368361

(e)

Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity		Prim	lary activity	or foreign country)	I ofal income	End-of-year assets	Direct cor enti	
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Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organiz one or more related tax-exempt organizations de	ations. Co	 omplete if t ax year.	he organization	answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Pa	rt IV, line 34, beca	ause it h	nad
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization		(b) ry activity	(c) Legal domicile (sta	(d) te Exempt Code sec	(e)	us (f) Direct controlling	Section	(g) 512(b)(13) trolled htty?
							Yes	No
(1) RESEARCH FOUNDATION POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS PLAN (80-0412424) PO BOX 9, ALBANY, NY 12201	BENEFITS		NY	501(C)	(9)	RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YOR	< / /	
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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512—514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	Dispropo alloca	ortionate	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)			(k) Percentage ownership
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Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

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(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	<b>(b)</b> Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	Section 5 contr enti	i) 512(b)(13) rolled ity?
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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.

1	During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one of	or more related organ	izations listed in Parts	i II–IV?			
а	Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity			[	1a		/
b	Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)			[	1b		/
С	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)				1c		/
d	Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)				1d		_
е	Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)				1e		_
f	Dividends from related organization(s)			[	1f		_
q	Sale of assets to related organization(s)			<b>⊢</b>	1g		_
h	Purchase of assets from related organization(s)				1h		_
i	Exchange of assets with related organization(s)				1i		_
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k	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)				1k		
ı	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)				11	v -	—
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	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)				1n		_
n	Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)				10		_
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_	Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses				4		
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ı	Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)					<u> </u>	_
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2	If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must co			•	n thres	snoias.	—
	(a)  Name of related organization	<b>(b)</b> Transaction	<b>(c)</b> Amount involved	(d) Method of determining	amount	involved	
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Schedule R (Form 990) 2020

#### Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	<b>(b)</b> Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under	Are all sec 501	partners ction (c)(3) zations?	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	Disprop	h) ortionate ttions?	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	Gene mana parti	ral or aging	(k) Percentage ownership
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**Supplemental Information.** Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions).

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
- RESEARCH FOUNDATION POST- RETIREMENT BENEFITS PLAN	THE RELATED ORGANIZATION, "RESEARCH FOUNDATION POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS PLAN," EIN 80-0412424, IS A SECTION 501(C)(9) VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEE BENEFITS ASSOCIATION (VEBA) TRUST THAT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED TO PROVIDE POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS TO ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS. THE FILING ORGANIZATION IS THE CONTRIBUTING EMPLOYER AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATION FOR THIS VEBA TRUST. THE TRANSACTIONS LISTED IN SCHEDULE R, PART V, INCLUDE GOVERNANCE PROVIDED BY THE FILING ORGANIZATION OVER THE VEBA'S TRUSTEE (LINE 1L), REIMBURSEMENTS MADE BY THE VEBA TRUST FOR BENEFITS PAID BY THE FILING ORGANIZATION (LINE 1Q) AND THE FILING ORGANIZATION'S FUNDING OF THE ASSETS IN THE VEBA TRUST (LINE 1R).

# Form **8453-E0**

## **Exempt Organization Declaration and Signature for Electronic Filing**

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For calendar year 2020, or tax year beginning  $\frac{07/01}{}$  , 2020, and ending  $\frac{}{}$ 

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