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Form **990**

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

2017

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

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Α	For the	2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2017, and end	ling		, 20			
В	Check if	applicable: C Name of organization ECMC FOUNDATION		D Employ	er identification number			
	Address	change Doing business as			41-1990628			
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П		n/terminated City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code						
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	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: ECM		NIS A GI	PANTMAKING			
Φ	'	FOUNDATION FOCUSED ON IMPROVING THE EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES OF UNI						
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ove.	2	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		1	1			
2	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)		-	10			
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Ě	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2017 (Part V, line 2a)			13			
Activities & Governance	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)		6	0			
⋖	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12		7a	0			
	b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	Prior Ye	7b	Current Year			
		Contributions and great (Dort VIII line 11)						
ne	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	2/4	,374,500	0			
Revenue	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		200.007	00.504.511			
Be	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		,306,067	29,504,341			
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	-	,114,092	881,843			
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		5,794,659	30,386,184			
	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	27	,973,197	23,674,677			
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		554050	4 000 004			
Expenses	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	1	,554,958	1,966,821			
ens	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0	0			
Ϋ́	_ b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 0						
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)		,648,771	1,737,136			
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		,176,926	27,378,634			
_	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		,617,733	3,007,550			
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Cu		End of Year			
sset	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)		2,335,423	753,325,273			
et A	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		,509,015	15,062,500			
		Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	638	,826,408	738,262,773			
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		ties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and sta , and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which prepa			my knowledge and belief, it is			
	e, correct	, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on an information of which preparer	Tel flas ally kilowi	euge.				
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		Type or print name and title MARTIN A. SCANLON, CFO & TREASURER			DTW			
Pa	id	Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature	Date	Check	if PTIN			
	epare	LAWRENCE H. MOHR, CPA		self-em	P00447603			
	e Onl	Firm's name ► BAKER TILLY VIRCHOW KRAUSE, LLP		n's EIN ▶	39-0859910			
		Firm's address ► 225 SOUTH 6TH STREET SUITE 2300, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402	Pho	ne no.	(612) 876-4500			
Ma	y the IF	S discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)			🗸 Yes 🗌 No			
For	Paperv	vork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.	. No. 11282Y		Form 990 (2017)			

Part I	Statement of Program Service Accomplishments Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission: TO INSPIRE AND TO FACILITATE IMPROVEMENTS THAT AFFECT EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES, ESPECIALLY AMONG
	UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS, THROUGH EVIDENCE-BASED INNOVATION.
	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?
	Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?
	If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.
	Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.
4a	(Code:) (Expenses \$9,840,827 including grants of \$9,836,838) (Revenue \$881,843) CAREER READINESS.
	ESTABLISHED TO INVEST IN OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING ARENA, FOCUSING ON THOSE STUDENTS WHO ARE NOT PLANNING TO ATTEND TRADITIONAL FOUR-YEAR OR TWO-YEAR
	COLLEGES. THE PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO HELP STUDENTS WHO DESIRE THE TRAINING AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT
	THAT LEADS TO BETTER JOB PROSPECTS BY OBTAINING POSTSECONDARY CERTIFICATES WITH ECONOMIC AND EDUCATION VALUE. WHILE ECMC FOUNDATION IS PRIMARILY FOCUSING ON THE SCHOOLS THAT MAKE UP ZENITH
	EDUCATION GROUP, IT IS ALSO COMMITTED TO FUNDING PROJECTS THAT IMPROVE THE SECTOR OVERALL.
	(Code:) (Expenses \$ 5,896,557 including grants of \$ 5,896,557) (Revenue \$0)
	COLLEGE SUCCESS.
	DESIGNED TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS FROM TRADITIONALLY UNDERSERVED BACKGROUNDS, INCLUDING LOW-INCOME AND FIRST-GENERATION, WHO ARE PREPARED FOR, ADMITTED TO, AND GRADUATE FROM AN INSTITUTION
	OF HIGHER EDUCATION. THE PROGRAM FUNDS THE DEVELOPMENT OF TECHNIQUES AND TOOLS THAT ARE ADOPTED AND USED BY PROFESSIONALS IN THE FIELD TO IMPROVE THE COLLEGE-GOING RATE OF UNDERSERVED STUDENTS, ECMC
	FOUNDATION ALSO SUPPORTS INITIATIVES TO IMPROVE SIX-YEAR COLLEGE GRADUATION RATES AT FOUR-YEAR
	COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, AND THREE-YEAR TRANSFER/COMPLETION RATES AT COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND
	SCHOOLS FOR STUDENTS FROM THESE UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS.
4c	(Code:) (Expenses \$5,625,000 including grants of \$5,625,000) (Revenue \$0)
	TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT. CREATED TO INVEST IN TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT FOCUSED ON COMPLEX INTELLECTUAL STUDENT WORK,
	OFTEN REFERRED TO AS DEEPER LEARNING. THE PROGRAM ALSO FOCUSES ON INITIATIVES THAT BUILD THE
	DIVERSITY PIPELINES INTO THE TEACHING AND SCHOOL LEADER PROFESSIONS. THROUGH THESE INVESTMENTS, ECMC FOUNDATION INTENDS TO IMPROVE TEACHING AND STUDENT ACADEMIC OUTCOMES AS MEASURED BY THE NEXT
	GENERATION OF STANDARDS AND ASSESSMENTS.
	IN DECEMBER 2017, ECMC FOUNDATION MADE THE DECISION TO CLOSE OUT THE TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
	PROGRAM. STARTING IN 2018, ECMC FOUNDATION WILL DIRECT FUNDING INTO THE COLLEGE SUCCESS AND THE CAREER READINESS PROGRAMS.
4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ 3,201,586 including grants of \$ 2,316,282) (Revenue \$ 0)
4e	Total program service expenses ▶ 24,563,970

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Form 990 (2017) Part IV **Checklist of Required Schedules** Yes Nο 1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? 2 3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) 5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, 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 7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II 8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," 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

a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," 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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII

Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V . . . If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI,

С	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>
e f	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X .
12 a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII
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
13 14 a b	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? 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
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV </i>
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> (see instructions)
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II
19	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

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VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.

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Part	Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)		· ·	
20 -	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	00-	Yes	No
20 a	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20a 20b		~
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or	200		
	domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	~	
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		~
	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 to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	040		
٨	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24c 24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit	24u		
	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		1
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, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any			
	current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or			١,
	disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		~
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee,			
	substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	07		1
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L,	27		
20	Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		_
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule L, Part IV	28b		~
С	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof)			
	was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	~	
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29		~
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>			
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N,</i>	30		~
31	Part I	31		1
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes,"	51		Ť
	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part 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	051		
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable	35b		
36	related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		1
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization	30		+
٥.	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R,			
	Part VI	37		~
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and			

19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.

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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			
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c		
2a	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			
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 in 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: ▶			
	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		~
С	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			
_	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?	7-		
L		7a 7b		~
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	70		
C	required to file Form 8282?	7c		1
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	10		Ť
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		1
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? .	7f		1
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
ĥ	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: Gross income from members or shareholders			
a b	Gross income from members or shareholders			
	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	a		
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			

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b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O

14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?

Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a

response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in 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 . . . 1a 10 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 in Schedule O. Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent 1b 8 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with 2 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct 3 supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? 3 4 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? 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 1 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 Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? 8b 1 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 in Schedule O 9 Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.) Yes Nο **10a** Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? 10a 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 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 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? 14 1 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 1 Other officers or key employees of the organization 15b If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions). Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement 16a V 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 Section C. Disclosure List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ 17 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) 18 available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. Own website Another's website ✓ Upon request Other (explain in Schedule O) 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year. 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: ▶ MARTIN A. SCANLON, 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401, (651) 221-0566

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.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

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

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(A)	(B)				ition			(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and Title	Average	,				e than o is both		Reportable	Reportable	Estimated
	hours per					or/trust		compensation	compensation from	amount of
	week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	other compensation from the organization and related organizations
-						Ω.				
(1) PETER J. TAYLOR	40.0									
PRESIDENT & CEO ECMC FOUNDATION	0.0	~		~				564,927	0	96,886
(2) JOHN F. DEPODESTA	1.0									
BOARD CHAIR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	19.0	~						0	183,000	0
(3) ROBERTA COOPER RAMO	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	13.0	>						0	138,000	0
(4) JULIA GOUW	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	6.0	~						0	123,000	0
(5) I. KING JORDAN	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	6.0	~						0	110,000	0
(6) JAMES V. MCKEON	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	13.0	~						0	160,000	0
(7) JACK O'CONNELL	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	8.0	~						0	117,500	0
(8) MAURICE M. SALTER	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	9.0	~						0	140,000	0
(9) K. PAUL SINGH	1.0									
DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	7.0	>						0	101,250	0
(10) JEREMY J. WHEATON	0.0									
PRESIDENT & CEO ECMC GROUP, INC. NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	40.0	~						0	363,102	36,780
(11) DANIEL S. FISHER	0.0									
GENERAL COUNSEL/CORP SECRETARY NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	40.0			~				0	387,888	68,090
(12) GREGORY A. VAN GUILDER	0.0									
CFO (UNTIL 11-08-17) NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	40.0			~				0	606,861	81,152
(13) MARTIN A. SCANLON	0.0									
SVP FINANCE & CFO (EFFECTIVE 11-09-17) NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	40.0			~				0	400,852	68,161
(14) ALISSA BINNER	40.0									
OFFICE MANAGER & EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	0.0					~		108,310	0	21,877

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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)													
				(0	C)								
(A)	(B) Position (D) (E)					(F)							
Name and title	Average	'				than on the second is the second in the seco		Reportable	Reportable				
	hours per					or/trust		compensation	compensation from	om	m amount of		
	week (list any			_			<u> </u>	from	related		other		
	hours for related	rdiv	nstit	Officer	ey	Big	Former	the organization	organizations (W-2/1099-MIS		compe	ensation the	on
	organizations	ect au	utic	막	Key employee	est o	ब्	(W-2/1099-MISC)	(W 2/1000 WIIO	"		nizatio	n
	below dotted	악박	nal		ğ	e com		,			and	related	l
	line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee		8	per					organ	ization	IS
		ф	stee			Highest compensated employee							
						e e							
(15) KYLE A. MILLER	40.0												
SR PROGRAM DIRECTOR-TEACHER DEV & EVAL	0.0					~		242,488		0		1	7,690
(16) JENNIFER E. ZEISLER	40.0												
PROGRAM DIRECTOR-CAREER READINESS	0.0					~		128,603		0		2	2,406
(17) SARAH BELNICK	40.0												
DIR PROGRAM MANAGEMENT	0.0	1				~		109,255		0		2	2,251
(18) MARCH H. KESSLER	0.0									\top			
FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	40.0	1					1	0	258,5	65		1	4,908
(19) RICHARD J. BOYLE	0.0								200,0	-		•	1,000
FORMER DIRECTOR/CEO/PRESIDENT NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	+	1					~	0	15.0	46			0
	0.0						-	0	15,9	+6			- 0
(20) ROBERT A. STEIN	0.0						١,						_
FORMER DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	0.0						~	0	60,0	J0			0
(21)													
(22)													
(23)													
(24)													
(25)													
		1											
1b Sub-total		٠						1,153,583	3,165,9	64		45	0,201
c Total from continuation sheets to Part		n A					•	0		0			0
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)	•						•	1,153,583	3.165.9	64		45	0,201
2 Total number of individuals (including but							۱۸۱ (ح	, ,	-,,-	_	of		-,
reportable compensation from the organi		100	1036	iloi	.eu	above	5) VV	TIO TECEIVEG TII	ore man proo	,000 (OI .		
Toportable dempendation from the organi	Lationi											Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former of	ficer direc	tor c	r tr	uste	عد	kev e	mr	olovee or high	est compens	ated		162	NO
employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete									•		3	/	
											3		
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the													
organization and related organizations	greater tha	an \$	150,	UUU)? []	"Ye	s, ¨	complete Sch	eaule J for s	sucn			
individual			•			•					4		
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive of													
for services rendered to the organization	? If "Yes," c	compl	ete	Scr	nedu	ıle J f	or s	such person		•	5		'
Section B. Independent Contractors													
1 Complete this table for your five highest	compensate	ed ind	depe	end	ent	contr	acto	ors that receive	ed more than S	\$100 <u>,</u>	000 of		
compensation from the organization. Rep	ort compe	nsatio	on fo	or th	ne c	alend	lar y	ear ending wit	h or within the	orga	anizatio	n's t	ax
year.													
(A)								(B)			(C)		
Name and business add	Iress							Description of s	ervices	С	ompens	ation	
AMERICAN INSTITUTES FOR RESEARCH, 1000 THOMAS JEFF	ERSON ST. NV	V, WAS	HING	TON	I, DC	20007	PR	ROFESSIONAL	SERVICES			16	3,259
2 Total number of independent contractor	ors (includir	ng bu	ıt n	ot I	limit	ed to	th	nose listed abo	ove) who				
received more than \$100,000 of compens		-						4	,				

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		Check if Schedule O	contains a resp	oonse or note to	any line in this	Part VIII		🗆
					(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
ıts	1a	Federated campaigns	s 1a					
irar	b	Membership dues .	1b					
s, G	С	Fundraising events .	1c					
Sift lar,	d	Related organizations	3 1d					
imi	е	Government grants (con	tributions) 1e					
tior sr S	f	All other contributions, g						
ib #		and similar amounts not inc	luded above 1f					
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	g	Noncash contributions include						
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1	f	▶	0			
Program Service Revenue	_			Business Code				
eve	2a							
e E	b							
Ş.	C							
န	d							
гап	e	Λ II _ + la _ u _ u _ u _ u _ u _ u _ u _ u _ u _			0	0		0
rog	f	All other program serv			0	0	0	0
	<u>g</u> 3	Total. Add lines 2a–2 Investment income			U			
	•	and other similar amo	` •					
	4	Income from investment	· ·					
	5	Royalties	•	•				
		,	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	6a	Gross rents						
	b	Less: rental expenses						
	С	Rental income or (loss)	0	0				
	d	Net rental income or ((loss)	▶				
	7a	Gross amount from sales of	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
	_	assets other than inventory	29,504,341					
	b	Less: cost or other basis	_					
		and sales expenses .	0	0				
	C	Gain or (loss) Net gain or (loss) .	29,504,341	0	20 504 244			20 504 244
	d	ivet gain or (loss) .			29,504,341			29,504,341
e n	8a	Gross income from fu	ındraising					
en en	-	events (not including \$	a. a.eg					
è		of contributions reporte	ed on line 1c).					
er			a					
Other Revenu	b	Less: direct expenses	s b					
	С	Net income or (loss) f	rom fundraising	events . >				
	9a	Gross income from ga						
			a					
		Less: direct expenses						
	C	Net income or (loss) for		vities ►				
	10a	Gross sales of in returns and allowance						
	L		-					
	b	Less: cost of goods s Net income or (loss) for		entory >				
		Miscellaneous R		Business Code				
ŀ	11a	GRANTS AWARDED AND ACCRUED IN 1		813211	486,800	486,800		
	b	PROCEEDS FROM 2015 AND 2016 REFUNDA		813211	395,043	395,043		
	С				, -	, -		
	d	A 11			0	0	0	0
	е	Total. Add lines 11a-	11d		881,843			
	12	Total revenue. See in	nstructions	🕨	30,386,184	881,843	0	29,504,341

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

	Check if Schedule O contains a respons of include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, o, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service	(C) Management and	(D) Fundraising
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations		expenses	general expenses	expenses
•	and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	23,674,677	22 674 677		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic	23,074,077	23,674,677		
_	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 5	Benefits paid to or for members Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	661,813		661,813	
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	980,390	490,381	490,009	
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include				
	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	117,583	58,814	58,769	
9	Other employee benefits	135,971	68,011	67,960	
10	Payroll taxes	71,064	35,546	35,518	
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
а	Management				
b	Legal	50		50	
С	Accounting	31,427		31,427	
d	Lobbying				
е	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees	520,275		520,275	
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	427,625	0	427,625	0
12	Advertising and promotion				
13	Office expenses	78,320	15,368	62,952	
14	Information technology	1,206		1,206	
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	189,278	154,864	34,414	
17	Travel	365,406		365,406	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings .	29,705	1,898	27,807	
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization .	73,849	60,422	13,427	
23	Insurance	10,021		10,021	
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
а	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	9,974	3,989	5,985	
b		•			
С					
d					
е	All other expenses	0	0	0	0
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	27,378,634	24,563,970	2,814,664	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)				

Part X Balance Sheet

	art X		is Dart V		<u></u>
		Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in th	(A)		(B)
			Beginning of year		End of year
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		_	15,254,583
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4	734
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, director trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employee Complete Part II of Schedule L	es.	_	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under sec 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' benefic	tion and	5	0
ets		organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0
Assets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
⋖	8	Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	14,103	9	6,347
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or			
		other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D 273	3,689		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation 10b 117	7,412 208,406	10c	156,277
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11	637,358,216	12	733,787,031
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11	. 0	13	0
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	136,681	15	4,120,301
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	652,335,423	16	753,325,273
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	219,981	17	330,744
	18	Grants payable	13,180,027	18	14,366,780
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
Liabilities	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, director trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, a	ors, and		
abi		disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	0
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related the parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Particle 14-14-15.	rt X		
		of Schedule D		25	364,976
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		26	15,062,500
ses		Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ ∨ complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.	and		
an	27	Unrestricted net assets	638,826,408	27	738,262,773
Bal	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
or Fund Balances	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29	
ts (30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
Sei	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
As	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
Net Assets or	33	Total net assets or fund balances		33	738,262,773
~	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			753,325,273

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Pari	XI Reconciliation of Net Assets					
· ai	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI					V
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1			30,38	
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2			27,37	
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3				7,550
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4		6	38,82	
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5			96,42	8,815
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 in Schedule O)	9				0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line					
	33, column (B))	10		7	38,26	2,773
Part	XII Financial Statements and Reporting					
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII					
			_		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash Accrual Other		_			
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," ex	olain	in			
	Schedule O.					
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?			2a		
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were comp	oiled	or			
	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?		· _	2b	~	
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audite	ed on	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 over the sudit review or compilation of its financial statements and colection of an independent account.					
	of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accou		_	2c	~	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, ex Schedule O.	pıaın	in			
0-		fowth	in I			
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	iorth		_		
L	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo	rac +		3a		
b	required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such a			3b		
	required addition addition, explain why in defined to and describe any steps taken to undergo such a	adito.		30	000	

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SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

Open to Public Inspection

	CMC FOUNDATION 41-1990628								
Pa		Reason for Public Char	rity Status (All	organizations must	comple	te this p			
		nization is not a private founda					<u> </u>		
1		A church, convention of church	hes, or association	on of churches descri	bed in se	ction 17	0(b)(1)(A)(i).		
2		A school described in section	170(b)(1)(A)(ii).	(Attach Schedule E (F	orm 990	or 990-E	Z).)		
3		A hospital or a cooperative hos							
4		A medical research organization ospital's name, city, and state	•	onjunction with a hosp	oital desc	ribed in s	section 170(b)(1)(A)	(iii). Enter the	
5		An organization operated for to section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Comp		college or university	owned o	r operate	ed by a government	al unit describ	oed in
6		A federal, state, or local govern	nment or govern	mental unit described	in sectio	n 170(b)	(1)(A)(v).		
7		An organization that normally described in section 170(b)(1)			port from	a gover	nmental unit or fron	the general	public
8		A community trust described in	n section 170(b)	(1)(A)(vi). (Complete I	Part II.)				
9		An agricultural research organi or university or a non-land-gra							
	ι	university:		•	•		•	· ·	
10		An organization that normally r							
	5	receipts from activities related support from gross investment acquired by the organization a	t income and unr	related business taxal	ole incom	ie (less se	ection 511 tax) from	businesses	5
11		An organization organized and							
12		An organization organized and							
		of one or more publicly suppo Check the box in lines 12a thro							
а		Type I. A supporting organ	ization operated	, supervised, or contr	olled by i	ts suppo	rted organization(s),	typically by gi	iving
		the supported organization supporting organization. Ye					he directors or trust	ees of the	
b	[•	Type II. A supporting organ	nization supervis	ed or controlled in co	nnection	with its s	supported organizati	on(s), by havir	ng
		control or management of		•		persons	that control or man	age the suppo	orted
		organization(s). You must	-						
С		Type III functionally integ						ally integrated	with,
	_	its supported organization(, ,			•			
d	L	Type III non-functionally i that is not functionally integ							
		requirement (see instruction						u an attentive	11622
е	Г	Check this box if the organ	,	•		•		NII Typo III	
·		functionally integrated, or T						e ii, Type iii	
f	En	ter the number of supported of						2	
g	Pr	ovide the following information	about the supp	orted organization(s).					
	(i) Na	ame of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization	` '	rganization	(v) Amount of monetary	(vi) Amount	
				(described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))		ir governing ment?	support (see instructions)	other support instructions	
					Yes	No			
A) (S	SEE S	STATEMENT)							
A)									
B)									
C)									
D)									
E)									

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27,378,634

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.) Section A. Public Support Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ (a) 2013 **(b)** 2014 (c) 2015 (d) 2016 (e) 2017 (f) Total Gifts, grants, contributions, 1 membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") . . . levied revenues organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge 4 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 3. . . . 5 The portion of total contributions by person (other than a each governmental unit publicly or supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) **Public support.** Subtract line 5 from line 4 Section B. Total Support (a) 2013 **(b)** 2014 (c) 2015 (d) 2016 (e) 2017 (f) Total Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶ 7 Amounts from line 4 8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources Net income from unrelated business 9 activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on 10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) **Total support.** Add lines 7 through 10 11 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) 12 13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage Public support percentage for 2017 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) % 14 Public support percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 15 331/3% support test – 2017. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 331/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization 331/3% support test - 2016. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 331/3% or more, check 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test - 2017. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported 10%-facts-and-circumstances test-2016. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly 18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2017

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.)

Secti	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees						
_	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	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	Total. 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	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from						
<u> </u>	line 6.)						
	on B. Total Support				(0 00 (0		
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(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						
40	(Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14	First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization, check this box and stop he	-	n's first, secon				
Secti	on C. Computation of Public Support						
15	Public support percentage for 2017 (line			3, column (f))		15	%
16	Public support percentage from 2016 Sci	hedule A, Part	III, line 15 .			16	%
Secti	on D. Computation of Investment In						
17	Investment income percentage for 2017 (-		17	%
18	Investment income percentage from 2010					18	%
19a	33¹/₃% support tests—2017. If the organ						
	17 is not more than 331/3%, check this box		_	-		-	_
b	331/3% support tests – 2016. If the organization 18 is not more than 331/2% shock this						
20	line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this		_		-		_
20	Private foundation. If the organization di	u not check a	box on line 14	, 19a, or 19b, 0	THECK THIS DOX	and see instru	CHORS - L

Part IV **Supporting Organizations**

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governir documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of statu under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supporte organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- 3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.
- b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) an satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(I purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- 4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.
- b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization use to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(L purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes." answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and El 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 actio was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class alread designated in the organization's organizing document?
- **Substitutions only.** Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefite by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contribute (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).
- 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).
- 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 describe in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 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 Part VI.
- Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefrom, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrate supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.
 - b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

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Part I	V Supporting Organizations (continued)			
			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c)			
	below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		~
	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		~
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c		~
Section	on B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to			
	regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the			
	tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization,			
	describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported			
	organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.			
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2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported			
	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,			
	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.			
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Section	on C. Type II Supporting Organizations		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	
			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors			
	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	4	v	
Section	on D. All Type III Supporting Organizations	1		
occin	on b. All Type III Supporting Organizations		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the		163	NO
	organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the			
	organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported			
_	organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a			
	significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Section	on E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see i	nstru	ctions	s).
a	☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			-7-
b	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. <i>Complete line 3 below.</i>			
c	The organization is the parsit of each of its supported organizations. Somplets mile a solow.	see in	structi	ions)
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) 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 Part VI identify			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.			
	·	2a		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more			
	of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these			
	activities but for the organization's involvement.	0:		
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3	Parent of Supported Organizations. <i>Answer (a) and (b) below.</i>			
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? Provide details in Part V	20		
	trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>Provide details in Part VI</i> .	3a		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes" describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard	3b		
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	้วก		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organical Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organical Part V	jani	zations	
1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying	g tru	st on Nov. 20, 1970 (expl	lain in Part VI). See
instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organ	nizat	ions must complete Sect	ions A through E.
Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3.	4		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4).	8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% 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 .035.	6		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
2 Enter 85% of line 1.	2		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4		
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functional	y int	tegrated Type III supporti	ing organization (see

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instructions).

Part	V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3	3) Supporting Organi	zations (continued)	
Secti	on D - Distributions			Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish			
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe organizations, in excess of income from activity	empt purposes of suppo	orted	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)			
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	h the organization is res	ponsive	
9	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			
Se	ection E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2017	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2017
1	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2017 (reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017			
а				
b	From 2013			
С	From 2014			
d	From 2015			
е	From 2016			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2012 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2017 from Section D, line 7: \$			
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2017, 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 2017. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2018 . Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
а	Excess from 2013			
b	Excess from 2014			
С	Excess from 2015			
d	Excess from 2016			
е	Excess from 2017			

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Part I

Line 12g. Information about the supported organization(s). (continued)

(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)		(v)	(vi)
Name of supported organization	EIN	Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions)) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		support (see	Amount of other support (see instructions)	
			Yes	No		
EDUCATIONAL CREDIT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION	41-1778617	10. AN ORG. FOLLOWING SUPPORT/INVESTMENT INCOME TEST. SECTION 509(A)(2).	1		22,680,175	
ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC.	47-2237488	2. SCHOOL. SECTION 170(B)(1)(A)(II).	1		4,698,459	

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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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

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

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	FOUNDATION		41-1990020
Par			s or Accounts.
	Complete if the organization answered "		(h) Francis III II
		(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 funds are the organization's property, subject to the		
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, a only for charitable purposes and not for the beneficonferring impermissible private benefit?	it of the donor or donor advisor, or for	any other purpose
Par	Conservation Easements.		
	Complete if the organization answered "	Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.	
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the		
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreat		historically important land area
	Protection of natural habitat		a certified historic structure
	☐ Preservation of open space	_	
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization he	eld a qualified conservation contribution	in the form of a conservation
	easement on the last day of the tax year.	•	Held at the End of the Tax Year
а			. 2a
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easement		
C	Number of conservation easements on a certified h		
d	Number of conservation easements included in		
u			· 2d
3	Number of conservation easements modified, trans		
3	tax year ►	sierred, released, extiliguistied, or termi	nated by the organization during the
4	Number of states where property subject to conser	vation assement is located	
4			notion handling of
5	Does the organization have a written policy requipolations, and enforcement of the conservation east		
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6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspect	ing, nandling of violations, and enforcing co	inservation easements during the year
_	<u> </u>		
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspectin	g, nandling of violations, and enforcing co	onservation easements during the year
_	> \$		
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line		
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports of		
	balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text o		ncial statements that describes the
	organization's accounting for conservation easeme		
Part			Other Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "		
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFA		
	works of art, historical treasures, or other similar	•	
	public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the fo	potnote to its financial statements that o	describes these items.
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under Si works of art, historical treasures, or other similar public service, provide the following amounts relati	assets held for public exhibition, edu	
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		> \$
	(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, following amounts required to be reported under S	historical treasures, or other similar a	assets for financial gain, provide the
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
h	Assets included in Form 990. Part X		▶ \$

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Part	Organizations Maintaining	Collections of	Art, His	torical 1	reasures,	or Ot	her Similar As	sets (continued)
3	Using the organization's acquisition, collection items (check all that apply):		her recor	ds, chec	k any of the	follov	ving that are a s	ignificant use of its
а	☐ Public exhibition		d	Loan	or exchange	progr	rams	
b	☐ Scholarly research		е	Othe	r			
С	☐ Preservation for future generations							
4	Provide a description of the organiza XIII.	tion's collections	and expla	iin how t	hey further th	ne org	anization's exen	npt purpose in Part
5	During the year, did the organization assets to be sold to raise funds rather							
Part			anieu as p	Dart Of the	e organization	11 5 00	ilection?	☐ Yes ☐ No
rait	Complete if the organization 990, Part X, line 21.	•	" on For	m 990, F	Part IV, line	9, or	reported an an	nount on Form
1a	Is the organization an agent, trustee included on Form 990, Part X?			-				ot ☐ Yes ☐ No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in P	art XIII and compl	ete the fo	llowing ta	able:			
							A	mount
С	Beginning balance					1c		
d	9 ,					1d		
е	Distributions during the year					1e		
f	Ending balance					1f		
2a	Did the organization include an amou		,	,			,	
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in P Endowment Funds.	art XIII. Check her	e if the ex	planatio	n has been p	rovide	ed on Part XIII .	· · · L
Par	Complete if the organization	answered "Ves	" on For	m 000 E	Part IV line	10		
	Complete if the organization	(a) Current year	(b) Pri		(c) Two years		(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a	Beginning of year balance	(a) carrent year	(2)	, you.	(c) years	- Juon	(u)	(0) : our yours such
b	Contributions							
c	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses							
d	Grants or scholarships							
е	Other expenditures for facilities and programs							
f	Administrative expenses							
g	End of year balance							
2	Provide the estimated percentage of	the current year er	nd balanc	e (line 1g	ı, column (a))	held a	as:	
а	Board designated or quasi-endowme	nt >	%					
b	Permanent endowment	%						
С	Temporarily restricted endowment ►	%						
•	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and							
3a	Are there endowment funds not in th organization by:	e possession of tr	ne organi	zation tha	at are neid ai	na aai	ministered for th	
	-							Yes No
	(i) unrelated organizations (ii) related organizations							3a(i) 3a(ii)
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related of							3b
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses							
Part								
	Complete if the organization	answered "Yes	" on For	m 990, F	Part IV, line	11a. S	See Form 990,	Part X, line 10.
	Description of property	(a) Cost or of (investment)			or other basis ther)		Accumulated epreciation	(d) Book value
1a	Land							
b	Buildings							
С	Leasehold improvements				273,689		117,412	156,277
d	Equipment							
e	Other	·			(5) (6)	,		
ı otal.	Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) r	nust eaual Form 9	90. Part)	t. columr	n (B). Iine 10c	:.)	•	156,277

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Part VII	Investments – Other Securities. Complete if the organization answer	red "Ves" on Form '	990 Part IV lin	e 11h See Form	1990 Part X line 12
	(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	red red entrolling	(b) Book value	(c) Met	hod of valuation: -of-year market value
(1) Financial	derivatives				
	neld equity interests				
(3) Other					
(A) INVES	TMENT IN ECMC GROUP INVESTMENT POO	OL	733,787,031	END OF YEAR MA	RKET VALUE
(B)					
(C)					
(D)					
(E)					
(F) (G)					
(G) (H)					
	b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		733,787,031		
Part VIII	Investments—Program Related.		733,767,031		
r art viii	Complete if the organization answer	red "Yes" on Form 9	990 Part IV lin	e 11c. See Form	990 Part X line 13
	(a) Description of investment	100 0111 01111	(b) Book value		thod of valuation:
	(,		(,,		-of-year market value
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(9)					
	b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.)				
Part IX	Other Assets.	107 " = 7	200 D . IV.	44.10	000 D 11/1 45
	Complete if the organization answer		990, Part IV, IIN	e 11a. See Form	(b) Book value
	(a) De	escription			(b) Book value
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(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
	mn (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.)			
Part X	Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answer line 25.	red "Yes" on Form 9	990, Part IV, lin	e 11e or 11f. See	e Form 990, Part X,
1.	(a) Description of liability	(b) Book value			
(1) Federal in	come taxes				
(2) DUE TO	ECMC GROUP, INC.	364,34	7		
	DUCATIONAL CREDIT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION	62	9		
(4)					
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Total. (Column (b	b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)	364,97			

^{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 FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

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Part				Return	
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, I	Part I	V, line 12a.		
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	125,933,000
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	96,428,815		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b			
С	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	(156)		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	96,428,659
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	29,504,341
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			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	881,843		
С	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	881,843
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line			5	30,386,184
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	26,497,000
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		ı		
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
С	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	209		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	209
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	26,496,791
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			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b	881,843		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	881,843
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line	e 18.)		5	27,378,634
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	e the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and				
	XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part	to pro	ovide any additional in	iormatic	on.
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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.

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Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation	
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount
2(D) - OTHER REVENUES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM 990	ROUNDING ADJUSTMENT BECAUSE DOLLARS ARE REPORTED IN THOUSANDS ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	- 156
330		
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount
4(B) - OTHER REVENUE	GRANTS AWARDED IN 2016 TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. FOR ITS CAMPAIGN FOR INNOVATION AND TO AN UNAFFILIATED ENTITY IN SUPPORT OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING. THE GRANTS WERE NOT FUNDED AND SUBSEQUENTLY CANCELLED IN 2017. THE AWARDS WERE CORRECTLY RECORDED IN 2016 AS GRANT LIABILITIES ON ECMC FOUNDATION'S BOOKS.	486,800
	REFUNDABLE GRANT PROCEEDS FROM CANCELLED AND OVERFUNDED 2015 AND 2016 GRANTS TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. FOR ITS 2015 AND 2016 CAMPAIGNS FOR INNOVATION.	395,043
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount
2(D) - OTHER EXPENSES IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS NOT IN FORM	ROUNDING ADJUSTMENT BECAUSE DOLLARS ARE REPORTED IN THOUSANDS ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	209
990		
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE	(a) Description	(b) Amount
4(B) - OTHER EXPENSES	GRANTS AWARDED IN 2016 TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. FOR ITS CAMPAIGN FOR INNOVATION AND TO AN UNAFFILIATED ENTITY IN SUPPORT OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING. THE GRANTS WERE NOT FUNDED AND SUBSEQUENTLY CANCELLED IN 2017. THE AWARDS WERE CORRECTLY RECORDED IN 2016 AS GRANT LIABILITIES ON ECMC FOUNDATION'S BOOKS.	486,800
	REFUNDABLE GRANT PROCEEDS FROM CANCELLED AND OVERFUNDED 2015 AND 2016 GRANTS TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. FOR ITS 2015 AND 2016 CAMPAIGNS FOR INNOVATION.	395,043

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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 X, LINE 2 - FIN 48 (ASC 740) FOOTNOTE	THE FIN 48 (ASC 470) DISCLOSURE IN THE ECMC FOUNDATION FINANCIAL STATEMENTS READS AS FOLLOWS:
	"THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE HAS DETERMINED THAT ECMC FOUNDATION IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. ECMC FOUNDATION IS ALSO EXEMPT FROM STATE INCOME TAX. HOWEVER, ANY UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME MAY BE SUBJECT TO TAXATION.
	ECMC FOUNDATION FOLLOWS THE ACCOUNTING STANDARDS IN EVALUATING UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS. THIS GUIDANCE PRESCRIBES RECOGNITION THRESHOLD PRINCIPLES FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT RECOGNITION OF TAX POSITIONS TAKEN OR EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN ON A TAX RETURN THAT ARE NOT CERTAIN TO BE REALIZED. NO LIABILITY HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY ECMC FOUNDATION FOR UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2017 OR 2016. ECMC FOUNDATION'S TAX RETURNS ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW AND EXAMINATION BY FEDERAL AND STATE AUTHORITIES."
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 2(A) - NET UNREALIZED GAIN ON INVESTMENTS	NET UNREALIZED GAIN ON INVESTMENT IN THE ECMC GROUP, INC. INVESTMENT POOL ARE \$96,428,815.

SCHEDULE I (Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations. Governments. and Individuals in the United States

OMB No. 1545-0047

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22. ► Attach to Form 990.

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

Employer identification number ECMC FOUNDATION 41-1990628 Part I **General Information on Grants and Assistance** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ✓ Yes □ No Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States. Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form Part II 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed (f) Method of valuation (c) IRC section (d) Amount of cash (e) Amount of non-(b) EIN (g) Description of (h) Purpose of grant 1 (a) Name and address of organization Ďook, FMV, appraisal, or assistance (if applicable) grant cash assistance noncash assistance or government other) (SEE STATEMENT) 47-2237488 MISSION & CFI 501(C)(3) 4.698.459 (2) ABOUT KIDZ 11140 FAIR OAKS BLVD, #300, FAIR OAKS, CA 95628 80-0683387 **EDUCATION SUPPORT** 501(C)(3) 25.000 (SEE STATEMENT) 27-1635830 501(C)(3) 10.000 **SPONSORSHIP** (SEE STATEMENT) 83-6000355 SCHOOL DISTRICT 25.000 PROGRAM SUPPORT (5) ALPHA HOUSE OF TAMPA, INC 201 S. TAMPANIA AVE, TAMPA, FL 33609 59-2655523 501(C)(3) 25.000 CAREER READINESS (SEE STATEMENT) 57-1192973 501(C)(3) 300.000 **COLLEGE SUCCESS** AUSTIN AREA URBAN LEAGUE INC 8011-A CAMERON RD, SUITE 100, AUSTIN, TX 78754 74-1890518 501(C)(3) 25.000 PROGRAM SUPPORT (8) AVENUES FOR HOMELESS YOUTH 1708 OAK PARK AVE N. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55411 41-1765140 25,000 **EDUCATION SUPPORT** 501(C)(3) (SEE STATEMENT) 47-3926384 501(C)(3) 25.000 PROGRAM SUPPORT (10) BAKER UNIVERSITY P.O. BOX 65, BALDWIN CITY, KS 66006 15.000 **GENERAL SUPPORT** 48-0543766 501(C)(3) (11) BATAVIA PLAYERS, INC. 56 HARVESTER AVE. #15. BATAVIA, NY 14020 PROGRAM SUPPORT 16-6031626 501(C)(3) 25,000 (12) (SEE STATEMENT) Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 140 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

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Part III	Grants and Other Assistance to Do	mestic Individu	als. Complete if the	organization answ	ered "Yes" on Form 990	, Part IV, line 22.
	Part III can be duplicated if additional	I space is neede	d.			
	(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of noncash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
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Part IV	Supplemental Information. Provide	the information i	required in Part I, lir	ne 2; Part III, columi	າ (b); and any other addit	ional information.
(SEE STAT	TEMENT)					

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
Name and address of organization or government	EIN	IRC section if applicable	Amount of cash grant	Amount of non-cash assistance	Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	Description of non-cash assistance	Purpose of grant or assistance
(12) BIG PICTURE LEARNING 325 PUBLIC ST, PROVIDENCE, RI 02905	05-0485883	501(C)(3)	1,085,391				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(13) BIPARTISAN POLICY CENTER 1225 I ST NW, STE 1000, WASHINGTON, DC 20005	73-1628382	501(C)(3)	25,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(14) BLAIRSVILLE SUPPORT GROUP AGAINST DRUGS P.O. BOX 293, 456 S LIBERTY ST, BLAIRSVILLE, PA 15717	46-5068559	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(15) BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF GREATER DALLAS 4816 WORTH ST, DALLAS, TX 75246	75-1152657	501(C)(3)	25,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS & CAREER READINESS
(16) BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF VOLUISIA/FLAGLER COUNTIES 101 NORTH WOODLAND BLVD, SUITE 400, DELAND, FL 32720	59-3158162	501(C)(3)	15,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(17) BOYS II MEN, INC. 4850 GUION RD, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46254	35-2133391	501(C)(3)	25,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(18) BUCK INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATION 3 HAMILTON LANDING, SUITE 220, NOVATO, CA 94949	68-0160429	501(C)(3)	724,159				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(19) BURWEN EDUCATION FOUNDATION 431 CALDERON AVE, MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94041	77-0560492	501(C)(3)	10,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(20) CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 221 S FIGUEROA ST, SUITE 400, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012	95-3510055	501(C)(3)	325,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(21) CALIFORNIA EDUCATION ROUND TABLE 1430 N ST, ROOM 3705, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814	68-0251110	501(C)(3)	15,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(22) CARING FOR KIDS 237 ELDORADO AVE, FIRCREST, WA 98466	27-3768791	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(23) CARVER HIGH SCHOOL HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAM - CTAE 55 MCDONOUGH BLVD SE, ALANTA, GA 30318	58-6000134	SCHOOL DISTRICT	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(24) CENTREVILLE LAYTON SCHOOL 6201 KENNETT PIKE, CENTREVILLE, DE 19807	51-0232858	501(C)(3)	15,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(25) CESAR CHAVEZ COMMITTEE OF TARRANT COUNTY 2203 W GREENSPOINT CT, ARLINGTON, TX 76001	47-2577166	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(26) CITY YEAR 287 COLUMBUS AVE, BOSTON, MA 02116	22-2882549	501(C)(3)	25,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(27) CIVIC NATION 1120 G ST NW, SUITE 990, WASHINGTON, DC 20009	47-3576918	501(C)(3)	300,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS

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Name and address of organization or government	EIN	IRC section if applicable	Amount of cash grant	Amount of non-cash assistance	Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	Description of non-cash assistance	Purpose of grant or assistance
(28) COCOON HOUSE 2929 PINE ST, EVERETT, WA 98201	47-2577166	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(29) COLLEGE MENTORS FOR KIDS, INC. 212 WEST 10TH ST, SUITE B260, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46202	35-2002052	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(30) COLLEGESPRING 800 S FIGUEROA ST, STE 760, LOS ANGELES, CA 90017	27-0920698	501(C)(3)	75,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(31) COLORADO YOUTH FOR A CHANGE 2490 W 26TH AVE, SUITE 110-A, DENVER, CO 80211	20-2501002	501(C)(3)	15,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(32) COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF TACOMA 2141 S J ST, TACOMA, WA 98405	91-2138848	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(33) COMMUNITY LIFE LINE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 3929 MILLERSVILLE RD, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46205	35-1489090	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(34) COMMUNITY PARTNERS 1000 NORTH ALAMEDA ST, SUITE 240, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012	95-4302067	501(C)(3)	55,000				RESEARCH
(35) CORO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 1000 N ALAMEDA ST, SUITE 240, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012	95-4274561	501(C)(3)	10,000				SPONSORSHIP
(36) CREDIT ABUSE RESISTANCE EDUCATION (CARE) 66 CANAL CENTER PLAZA, SUITE 600, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314	81-0788458	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(37) DA VINCI SCHOOLS 201 N DOUGLAS ST, EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245	26-3405843	501(C)(3)	356,457				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(38) DAVID STARR JORDAN HIGH SCHOOL 6500 ATLANTIC AVE, LONG BEACH, CA 90805	95-6001886	SCHOOL	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(39) DAYSPRING CENTER FAMILY EMERGENCY SHELTER P.O. BOX 44105, 1537 CENTRAL AVE, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46244	35-1618998	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(40) DETROIT RECOVERY PROJECT INC. 1121 E MCNICHOLS, DETROIT, MI 48203	43-2078767	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(41) DMP MINISTRIES, INC. 40 CYPRESS CREEK PARKWAY, BOX 442, HOUSTON, TX 77090	90-0138181	501(C)(3)	20,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(42) DUVAL MYCROSCHOOL 1584 NORMANDY VILLAGE PARKWAY, SUITE 25, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32221	27-3625492	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(43) EACH ONE TEACH ONE 815 EL MONTE BOULEVARD, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78201	38-3813982	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(44) ED SOURCE 436 14TH ST, STE 1005, OAKLAND, CA 94612	94-2434900	501(C)(3)	50,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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Name and address of organization or government	EIN	IRC section if applicable	Amount of cash grant	Amount of non-cash assistance	Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	Description of non-cash assistance	Purpose of grant or assistance
(45) EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTER 2801 TURNPIKE RD, PORTSMOUTH, VA 23707	54-6001517	SCHOOL	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(46) EDVISIONS SCHOOLS, INC. 1667 SNELLING AVE N, ST. PAUL, MN 55108	41-1983677	501(C)(3)	730,000				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(47) EMBRACING LEGACY, INC. 5201 N. ARMENIA AVE, TAMPA, FL 33603	45-3354344	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(48) EMERGING PRACTITIONERS IN PHILANTHROPY (EPIP) 601 WEST 26TH ST, #325-22, NEW YORK, NY 10001	94-3213100	501(C)(3)	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(49) ESCOFFIER SCHOOL OF CULINARY ARTS 2800 WEST HIGGINS RD, STE 835, HOFFMAN ESTATES, IL 60169	81-1104965	501(C)(3)	30,000				RESEARCH
(50) EXCELENCIA IN EDUCATION 1156 15TH ST, NW, SUITE 1001, WASHINGTON, DC 20005	20-0927912	501(C)(3)	144,145				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(51) FAIRYTALE TOWN 3901 LAND PARK DR, SACRAMENTO, CA 95822	94-1669088	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(52) FATHERS AND FAMILIES RESEARCH RESOURCE CENTER DBA FATHERS AND FAMILIES CENTER 2835 NORTH ILLINOIS ST, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46208	35-2069047	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(53) FL LIONS CONKLIN CENTER FOR THE BLIND 405 WHITE ST, DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32114	23-7377066	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(54) FOUNDATION FOR CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES 1102 Q ST, SUITE 4800, SACRAMENTO, CA 95811	68-0412350	501(C)(3)	249,912				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(55) FOUNDATION FOR FAIRFAX COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 8115 GATEHOUSE RD, STE 5101, FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042	36-4674229	501(C)(3)	30,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(56) FRIENDS OF JOSHUA HOUSE FOUNDATION, INC. P.O. BOX 26333, TAMPA, FL 33623	20-0597719	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(57) FUTURES, INC. D/B/A FUTURES FOUNDATION FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOLS 3750 OLSON DR, DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32124	59-2560862	501(C)(3)	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(58) GENESYS WORKS 14400 MEMORIAL DR, SUITE 200, HOUSTON, TX 77079	03-0440761	501(C)(3)	405,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS & PROGRAM SUPPORT
(59) GIRLS EMPOWERED MENTALLY FOR SUCCESS P.O. BOX 292814, 13, TAMPA, FL 33687	20-2375049	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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(60) GIRLS INC. OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST 4800 SW MACADAM, SUITE 309, PORTLAND, OR 97239	54-2073930	501(C)(3)	25,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS & CAREER READINESS
(61) GOLDEN GENERATIONS, INC. 2900 PALLANZA DR SOUTH, ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33705	23-2624207	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(62) GRADUATE NYC 16 COURT ST, 4TH FLOOR, BROOKLYN, NY 11241	13-1988190	501(C)(3)	275,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(63) GRAHAM EXPEDITIONARY MIDDLE SCHOOL 140 E 16TH AVE, COLUMBUS, OH 43201	26-4350069	SCHOOL	25,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(64) GRANTMAKERS FOR EDUCATION 851 SW 6TH AVE, SUITE 350, PORTLAND, OR 97239	33-0919329	501(C)(3)	10,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(65) GREATER HOUSTON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 5120 WOODWAY DR, SUITE 6000, HOUSTON, TX 77056	23-7160400	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(66) GREENBRIER HIGH SCHOOL CUNNIFF DR, GREENBRIER, TN 37073	62-6000810	SCHOOL	25,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(67) GUILFORD COLLEGE 5800 WEST FRIENDLY AVE, GREENSBORO, NC 27410	56-0529982	501(C)(3)	15,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(68) HEALING WOMEN OF ATLANTA, INC. 1755 THE EXCHANGE SE, SUITE 150, ATLANTA, GA 30339	46-2626164	501(C)(3)	25,000				ORGANIZATIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING
(69) HEMPFIELD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT HEMPFIELD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT, 4347 ROUTE 136, GREENSBURG, PA 15601	25-6003843	SCHOOL DISTRICT	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(70) HIGH SCHOOL INC. ACADEMIES FOUNDATION 365 CLINTON ST, SUITE B, COSTA MESA, CA 92626	45-3003419	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(71) HMONG MUSEUM 1126 CUMBERLAND ST, ST. PAUL, MN 55117	47-1620897	501(C)(3)	25,000				ORGANIZATIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING
(72) HOPE CHILDREN'S HOME 11415 HOPE INTERNATIONAL DR, TAMPA, FL 33625	62-0879012	501(C)(3)	20,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(73) HOUSTON FOOD BANK 535 PORTWALL, HOUSTON, TX 77029	74-2181456	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(74) I HAVE A DREAM FOUNDATION, LA 3580 WILSHIRE BLVD, STE 720, LOS ANGELES, CA 90010	95-4089758	501(C)(3)	30,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(75) ILISAGVIK COLLEGE 100 STEVENSON ST, BARROW, AK 99723	92-0158414	501(C)(3)	120,000				CAREER READINESS
(76) IMPACT TEEN DRIVERS 2210 21ST ST, SACRAMENTO, CA 95818	26-0595165	501(C)(3)	10,000				GENERAL SUPPORT

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Name and address of organization or government	EIN	IRC section if applicable	Amount of cash grant	Amount of non-cash assistance	Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	Description of non-cash assistance	Purpose of grant or assistance
(77) INDIANA UNIVERSITY - LILLY FAMILY SCHOOL OF PHILANTHROPY UNIVERSITY HALL, 301 N UNIVERSITY BLVD, STE 3000, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46202- 5146	35-6001673	STATE SCHOOL	10,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(78) INDIANA YOUTH GROUP P.O. BOX 20716, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46220- 0716	35-1760451	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(79) INDIANAPOLIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS/MARION COUNTY JAIL SCHOOL 120 EAST WALNUT ST, 40 SOUTH ALABAMA ST, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	35-6002486	SCHOOL DISTRICT	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(80) INNOVATE + EDUCATE 422 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL, SANTA FE, NM 87501	26-3205739	501(C)(3)	615,000				CAREER READINESS
(81) INSTITUTE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION POLICY 1825 K ST, NW, SUITE 720, WASHINGTON, DC 20006	52-1818907	501(C)(3)	715,000				CAREER READINESS
(82) JEREMIAH PROGRAM 615 1ST AVE NE, SUITE 210, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413	41-1801834	501(C)(3)	525,000				CAREER READINESS & PROGRAM SUPPORT
(83) JOBS FOR AMERICA'S GRADUATES 1729 KING ST, SUITE 100, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314	52-1194546	501(C)(3)	10,000				SPONSORSHIP
(84) JOBS FOR THE FUTURE 88 BROAD ST, 8TH FLOOR, BOSTON, MA 02110	06-1164568	501(C)(3)	500,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(85) JUST US GIRLS, INC. 1693 WASHINGTON RD, EAST POINT, GA 30344	26-0444388	501(C)(3)	10,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(86) LEADERSUP 830 TRACTION AVE, #3A HUB, LOS ANGELES, CA 90013	46-2606773	501(C)(3)	75,000				CAREER READINESS
(87) LEARNING ALLIANCE NEW MEXICO 722 ISLETA BLVD SW, ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87105	31-1815692	501(C)(3)	150,000				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(88) LIEN DOAN HUONG VIET 3521 ALMOND ST, IRVINE, CA 92606	26-2696258	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(89) LUCY LANEY SCHOOL 1250 WEST BROADWAY, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55411	41-0851980	SCHOOL	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(90) MATHEMATICS ENGINEERING SCIENCE ACHIEVEMENT 300 LAKESIDE DR, 7TH FLOOR, OAKLAND, CA 94612	94-3067788	501(C)(3)	10,000				SPONSORSHIP
(91) METROPOLITAN MINISTRIES 2002 N FLORIDA AVE, TAMPA, FL 33602	59-1477007	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(92) MINDS MATTER OF THE TWIN CITIES, INC. 4912 WASHBURN AVE S, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55410	45-5415388	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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(93) MN ADULT & TEEN CHALLENGE 740 E 24TH ST, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55404	41-1517351	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(94) NATIONAL ACADEMIES OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE (NAS) 500 FIFTH ST NW, KECK 543, WASHINGTON, DC 20001	53-0196932	501(C)(3)	250,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(95) NEW MEXICO WILDLIFE CENTER, INC. 19 WHEAT ST, ESPANOLA, NM 87532	85-0346210	501(C)(3)	50,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(96) NEW TECH NETWORK 1250 MAIN ST, SUITE 100, NAPA, CA 94559	27-0845123	501(C)(3)	2,578,993				TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT
(97) NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL ONE NORTE DAME WAY, WEST HAVEN, CT 06516	06-0646748	SCHOOL	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(98) ONE MILLION DEGREES 226 W JACKSON, #528, CHICAGO, IL 60606	42-1710230	501(C)(3)	542,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS & CAREER READINESS
(99) OPPORTUNITY NETWORK 85 BROAD ST, 6TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, NY 10004	43-1984494	501(C)(3)	400,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(100) PACE CENTER FOR GIRLS CLAY 1241 BLANDING BLVD,, ORANGE PARK, FL 32065	59-2414492	501(C)(3)	15,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(101) PAT BROWN INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS 5151 STATE UNIVERSITY DR, GE ROOM 314, LOS ANGELES, CA 90032	95-4016653	501(C)(3)	15,000				SPONSORSHIP
(102) PEOPLE SERVING PEOPLE 614 THIRD ST SOUTH, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55415	41-1965067	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(103) PG HS NASA FIRST ROBOTICS TEAM 9531 BRADSHAW RD, ELK GROVE, CA 95624	20-8381135	SCHOOL	25,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(104) PIKES PEAK LIBRARY DISTRICT FOUNDATION 1175 CHAPEL HILLS DR, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80920	11-3690724	501(C)(3)	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(105) POLICYWORKS, INC. 4220 NATURAL BRIDGE RD, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32305	80-0637699	501(C)(3)	10,000				CAREER READINESS
(106) PROJECT 150 3600 N RANCHO DR, LAS VEGAS, NV 89130	45-6645161	501(C)(3)	20,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(107) PUBLIC POLICY INSTITUTE OF CALIFORNIA 500 WASHINGTON ST, SUITE 600, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	94-3207299	501(C)(3)	636,456				CAREER READINESS & SPONSORSHIP
(108) READY TO WORK BUSINESS COLLABORATIVE 6 W. 48TH ST, 10TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, NY 10036	13-3615533	501(C)(3)	80,000				CAREER READINESS
(109) SACRAMENTO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM 2701 PROSPECT PARK DR, #120, RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670	20-2673935	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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(110) SAN BERNARDINO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MAKING HOPE HAPPEN FOUNDATION, 777 NORTH F ST, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92410	33-0122847	SCHOOL DISTRICT	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(111) SANTA ANA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 1601 EAST CHESTNUT AVE, SANTA ANA, CA 92701	95-6002823	SCHOOL DISTRICT	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(112) SCHOOLS ON WHEELS (CA) P.O. BOX 23371, VENTURA, CA 93002	95-4422640	501(C)(3)	25,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(113) SIERRA FOREVER FAMILIES 8928 VOLUNTEER LANE, SUITE 100, SACRAMENTO, CA 95826	68-0002878	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(114) SINGLE MOM STRONG, INC. 4786 BUCKNELL CT, SACRAMENTO, CA 95841	81-0917372	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(115) SKILLS FOR CHICAGOLAND'S FUTURE 191 N WACKER DR, SUITE 1150, CHICAGO, IL 60606	45-1287418	501(C)(3)	50,000				CAREER READINESS
(116) SMART BEGINNINGS GREATER PRINCE WILLIAM (SBGPW) P.O. BOX 389, MANASSAS, VA 20108	54-1498824	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(117) SO OTHERS MIGHT EAT (SOME), INC. 71 O ST, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20001	23-7098123	501(C)(3)	100,000				CAREER READINESS
(118) SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GRANTMAKERS 1000 NORTH ALAMEDA ST, SUITE 230, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012	95-2831058	501(C)(3)	25,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(119) ST. JOAN ANTIDA HIGH SCHOOL 1341 NORTH CASS ST, MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	39-1570748	SCHOOL	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(120) THE CAMPAIGN FOR COLLEGE OPPORTUNITY 1149 S HILL ST, SUITE 925, LOS ANGELES, CA 90015	20-0427622	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(121) THE CENTER FOR OCCUPATIONAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (CORD) 4901 BOSQUE BLVD, SUITE 200, WACO, TX 76710	74-2077794	501(C)(3)	959,993				CAREER READINESS
(122) THE COLLEGE AND COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP 475 RIVERSIDE DR, #1626, NEW YORK, NY 10115	31-1720017	501(C)(3)	150,000				CAREER READINESS
(123) THE LIFT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION 925 PAYNE AVE, SUITE 204, ST. PAUL, MN 55130	20-4130979	501(C)(3)	25,000				CAREER READINESS
(124) THE UNIVERSITY INNOVATION ALLIANCE FOR A NEW AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, 300 E UNIVERSITY DR, 6TH FLOOR, TEMPE, AZ 85281	86-6051042	501(C)(3)	600,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS

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(125) THE VERA INSTITUTE OF JUSTICE 233 BROADWAY, 12TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, NY 10279	13-1941627	501(C)(3)	750,000				CAREER READINESS
(126) UASPIRE 39 MILK ST, SUITE 900, BOSTON, MA 02109	46-1314848	501(C)(3)	450,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(127) UCLA FOUNDATION 10920 WILSHIRE BLVD, 9TH FLOOR, LOS ANGELES, CA 90024	95-2250801	501(C)(3)	30,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(128) UNITED STATES VETERANS INITIATIVE (U.S. VETS) 800 WEST 6TH ST, SUITE 1505, LOS ANGELES, CA 90017	95-4382752	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(129) UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA 3211 PROVIDENCE DR, ANCHORAGE, AK 99508	23-7394620	STATE SCHOOL	600,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(130) UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PULLIAS CENTER FOR HIGHER EDUCATION 3720 S FLOWER ST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90089	95-1642394	501(C)(3)	300,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(131) USC ROSSIER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION 3470 TROUSDALE PKWY, WAITE PHILLIPS HALL, SUITE 1100, LOS ANGELES, CA 90089-0031	95-1642394	501(C)(3)	75,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(132) WESTED (FORMERLY CARNEGIE FOUNDATION) 4665 LAMPSON AVE, LOS ALAMITOS, CA 90720	13-1623924	501(C)(3)	500,000				COLLEGE SUCCESS
(133) WEUAS 710 S MYRTLE AVE, #624, MONROVIA, CA 91016	47-1011157	501(C)(3)	10,000				EDUCATION SUPPORT
(134) WHEELER AVENUE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY 3810 RUTH ST, HOUSTON, TX 77004	30-0399943	501(C)(3)	25,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(135) WILDER CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER/AMHERST H. WILDER FOUNDATION 451 N LEXINGTON PARKWAY N, ST. PAUL, MN 55104	41-0693889	501(C)(3)	25,000				GENERAL SUPPORT
(136) WOMEN'S RESOURCE AGENCY 750 CITADEL DR E, STE 3128, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80909	84-0747154	501(C)(3)	15,000				CAREER READINESS
(137) WORLD EDUCATION, INC. 44 FARNSWORTH ST, BOSTON, MA 02210	13-1804349	501(C)(3)	149,930				CAREER READINESS
(138) YOUNG LIFE - BROOMFIELD/ADAMS COUNTY 13125 SHOSHONE ST, WESTMINSTER, CO 80234	84-0385934	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT
(139) YOUTHBUILD NEWARK 571 CENTRAL AVE, 2ND FLOOR, NEWARK, NJ 07107	75-3187358	501(C)(3)	15,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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(140) ZOI WHOLENESS P.O. BOX 5506, SOMERSET, NJ 08875	47-3489994	501(C)(3)	10,000				PROGRAM SUPPORT

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

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2 - PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING USE OF GRANT FUNDS.	HELPING LOW-INCOME STUDENTS PURSUE HIGHER EDUCATION IS CORE TO ECMC FOUNDATION'S MISSION. ECMC FOUNDATION CLOSELY MONITORS THE USE OF THE CASH GRANTS TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. THROUGH REPORTS TO MANAGEMENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON A REGULAR BASIS. THE REMAINING GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE TO THE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED IN PART II FURTHER ECMC FOUNDATION'S MISSION AND PROGRAM EVALUATIONS ARE PART OF ALL GRANT PROJECTS FUNDED.
SCHEDULE I, PART II, COLUMN A - NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT	ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401
SCHEDULE I, PART II, COLUMN A - NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT	ACHIEVING THE DREAM 8403 COLESVILLE RD, #450, SILVER SPRING, MD 20910
SCHEDULE I, PART II, COLUMN A - NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT	ALBANY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT BACKPACK PROGRAM 3628 FORT BUFORD LANE, LARAMIE, WY 82070
SCHEDULE I, PART II, COLUMN A - NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT	ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND (APIASF) 2025 M ST NW, SUITE 610, WASHINGTON, DC 20036
SCHEDULE I, PART II, COLUMN A - NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT	BABIES NEED BOXES 2233 49TH AVE N, STE 180, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55430

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.

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

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization **ECMC FOUNDATION**

Employer identification number

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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 filing 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			
	✓ 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	1	
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.			
5	Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5–9. For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any			
3	compensation contingent on the revenues of:			
а	The organization?	5a		~
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	~	
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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			-
0	to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe			
	in Part III	8		1
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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Schedule J (Form 990) 2017

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.

Note: The sum of columns (b)(i)-(iii) to		,	W-2 and/or 1099-MIS		(C) Retirement and	•	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(B)(i)–(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
PETER J. TAYLOR	(i)	560,403	0	4,524	88,246	8,640	661,813	0
1 PRESIDENT & CEO ECMC FOUNDATION	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RICHARD J. BOYLE	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FORMER DIRECTOR/CEO/PRESIDENT NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	0	0	15,946	0	0	15,946	0
ROBERT A. STEIN	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 FORMER DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	60,000	0	0	0	0	60,000	0
JOHN F. DEPODESTA	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 BOARD CHAIR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	183,000	0	0	0	0	183,000	0
JAMES V. MCKEON	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 DIRECTOR NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	160,000	0	0	0	0	160,000	0
JEREMY J. WHEATON	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 PRESIDENT & CEO ECMC GROUP, INC. NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	167,451	100,000	95,651	24,869	11,911	399,882	0
DANIEL S. FISHER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 GENERAL COUNSEL/CORP SECRETARY NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	310,966	75,000	1,922	38,013	30,077	455,978	0
GREGORY A. VAN GUILDER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 CFO (UNTIL 11-08-17) NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	453,964	150,000	2,897	52,623	28,529	688,013	0
MARTIN A. SCANLON	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9 SVP FINANCE & CFO (EFFECTIVE 11-09-17) NOT PAID BY FOUNDATION	(ii)	250,606	148,750	1,496	38,775	29,386	469,013	0
MARCH H. KESSLER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	(ii)	102,254	46,233	110,078	8,968	5,940	273,473	0
KYLE A. MILLER	(i)	153,391	1,663	87,434	9,369	8,321	260,178	0
11 SR PROGRAM DIRECTOR-TEACHER DEV & EVAL	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JENNIFER E. ZEISLER	(i)	121,294	0	7,309	13,545	8,861	151,009	0
12 PROGRAM DIRECTOR-CAREER READINESS	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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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
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 1A - TAX INDEMNIFICATION AND GROSS-UP PAYMENTS	CERTAIN TAXABLE BENEFITS ARE GROSSED UP TO MAKE THE EMPLOYEE WHOLE. THIS HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 3 - ARRANGEMENT USED TO ESTABLISH THE TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL'S COMPENSATION	AS NOTED IN PART VII OF FORM 990 AND SCHEDULE J, PART II, THE ONLY EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATED BY ECMC FOUNDATION WAS THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR. ALL OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' COMPENSATION WAS PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATIONS.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 4A - SEVERANCE OR CHANGE-OF-CONTROL PAYMENT	THE FOLLOWING RECEIVED A SEVERANCE PAYMENT IN 2017: MARCH H. KESSLER - \$107,475. KYLE A. MILLER - \$85,860.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 4B - SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN	ECMC - ECMC GROUP, INC. MAINTAINS A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN DESCRIBED IN SECTION 457(F), AND A SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLAN (SERP), TO ATTRACT AND RETAIN EMPLOYEES, TYPICALLY IN MANAGEMENT POSITIONS. IN 2017, GREGORY A. VAN GUILDER PARTICIPATED IN THE 457(F) PLAN, AND RECEIVED EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$2,400, AND PETER J. TAYLOR PARTICIPATED IN THE SERP PLAN, AND RECEIVED AN EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION OF \$50,746.
	ECMC HOLDINGS CORPORATION, A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF ECMC GROUP, INC., A RELATED ORGANIZATION, MAINTAINS A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN DESCRIBED IN SECTION 457(F) TO ATTRACT AND RETAIN EMPLOYEES, TYPICALLY IN MANAGEMENT POSITIONS. IN 2017, MARTIN A. SCANLON PARTICIPATED IN THE 457(F) PLAN, AND RECEIVED AN EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION OF \$8,175.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 5B - COMPENSATION CONTINGENT ON REVENUES OF A RELATED ORGANIZATION	AS NOTED IN PART VII OF FORM 990 AND SCHEDULE J, PART II, THE ONLY EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATED BY ECMC FOUNDATION WAS THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR. ALL OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' COMPENSATION WAS PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATIONS. ECMC GROUP, INC.'S ANNUAL OFFICER INCENTIVE PLAN REQUIRES ACHIEVEMENT OF STATED PRIMARY FINANCIAL GOALS, WHICH INCLUDES REVENUES, BEFORE ANY PAYMENT TO ANY OFFICER IS MADE.
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 6B - COMPENSATION CONTINGENT ON NET EARNINGS OF A RELATED ORGANIZATION	AS NOTED IN PART VII OF FORM 990 AND SCHEDULE J, PART II, THE ONLY EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATED BY ECMC FOUNDATION WAS THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR. ALL OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' COMPENSATION WAS PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATIONS. ECMC GROUP, INC.'S ANNUAL OFFICER INCENTIVE PLAN REQUIRES ACHIEVEMENT OF STATED PERFORMANCE METRICS, WHICH INCLUDES NET EARNINGS BEFORE ANY PAYMENT TO ANY OFFICER IS MADE.

SCHEDULE L (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Transactions With Interested Persons

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

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization **ECMC FOUNDATION**

Department of the Treasury

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Part IV	Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.												
	(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	organiz rever	aring of zation's nues?							
(1) (SE	E STATEMENT)				Yes	No							
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Part V	Supplemental Information Provide additional information for	or responses to questions	on Schedule L (see	instructions).									
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Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons (continued)

(a) Name of interested person		(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	òrgani	aring of zation's nues?
					Yes	No
	(1) RICHARD J. BOYLE	MR. BOYLE IS A DIRECTOR AND PRESIDENT OF A COMPANY CONTRACTED WITH ECMC GROUP, INC. A RELATED ORG	\$155,000	SEE DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION IN PART V		✓

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

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation	
SCHEDULE L, PART IV, COLUMN (D) - DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION	ECMC GROUP, INC., A RELATED ORGANIZATION, HAS A CONSULTING CONTRACT WITH A COMPANY OWNED BY A FORMER DIRECTOR AND PRESIDENT. FOR TRANSPARENCY OF OPERATION, THE CONTRACT IS REPORTED IN THIS FORM 990 FILING AS ECMC GROUP, INC. IS THE PARENT AND SUPPORTING ENTITY OF EDUCATIONAL CREDIT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION AND ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. AND THE PARENT ORGANIZATION OF ECMC FOUNDATION. THE CONTRACT IS FOR ADVISORY SERVICES TO ECMC GROUP, INC. AND BEGAN AFTER THE OFFICER RETIRED FROM THE ORGANIZATION ON FEBRUARY 1, 2014. THE PROPOSED TERMS OF THE CONTRACT WERE REVIEWED BY THE GOVERNANCE & COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE ECMC GROUP, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS WHICH IS WHOLLY COMPRISED OF INDEPENDENT, OUTSIDE DIRECTORS. THE COMMITTEE REVIEWED THE BUSINESS TERMS, TASKS, DURATION OF THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT AND COMPARABILITY DATA. THEY ALSO HEARD FROM COMPENSATION CONSULTANTS AND OUTSIDE COUNSEL. THE COMMITTEE MADE A RECOMMENDATION THAT WAS THEN APPROVED BY THE FULL ECMC GROUP, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.	

SCHEDULE O (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

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

Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Name of the Organization ECMC FOUNDATION

Department of Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Employer Identification Number 41-1990628

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 3 - SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN PROGRAM SERVICES	IN DECEMBER 2017, ECMC FOUNDATION MADE THE DECISION TO CLOSE OUT THE TEACHER AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM. STARTING IN 2018, ECMC FOUNDATION WILL DIRECT FUNDING INTO THE COLLEGE SUCCESS AND THE CAREER READINESS PROGRAMS.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D - DESCRIPTION OF OTHER	(EXPENSES \$1,751,586 INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$866,282)(REVENUE \$0)
PROGRAM SERVICES	OTHER PROGRAMS. MISCELLANEOUS PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE FURTHERANCE OF EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH GRANTS, AWARDS AND RESEARCH ON THE MANAGEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL DEBT.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D -	(EXPENSES \$1,450,000 INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$1,450,000)(REVENUE \$0)
DESCRIPTION OF OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES	GOI PROGRAM. ECMC FOUNDATION AWARDS GRANTS TO THE GENERATING OUTCOMES (GO!) PROGRAM, A CORPORATE INITIATIVE TO FUND EDUCATION INNOVATION BY FUNDING IDEAS AND PARTNERSHIPS THAT CAN BE EXAMINED FOR EFFECTIVENESS IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITIES OF THE ECMC GROUP, INC. EMPLOYEES. TO QUALIFY FOR PAYMENT OF A GO! PROGRAM GRANT, THE AWARDED RECIPIENT MUST BE A THIRD-PARTY NONPROFIT ENTITY AND EXPEND THE GRANT AWARD FOR THE PURPOSE DESIGNATED IN THE RECIPIENT'S GRANT PROPOSAL. RECIPIENTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE AWARDS RANGING FROM \$10,000 TO \$100,000. IN 2017, ECMC FOUNDATION AWARDED 72 GRANTS UNDER THE GO! PROGRAM.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 6 - CLASSES OF MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS	ECMC FOUNDATION HAS ONE MEMBER. THE MEMBER IS ECMC GROUP, INC. A DELAWARE, NON-STOCK, NONPROFIT CORPORATION EXEMPT UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3). THERE ARE NO STOCKHOLDERS.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 7A - MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS ELECTING MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODY	ECMC GROUP, INC. HAS THE RIGHT TO ELECT AND/OR APPROVE ALL THE DIRECTORS OF THE ECMC FOUNDATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 7B - DECISIONS REQUIRING APPROVAL BY MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS	ECMC GROUP, INC., THE SOLE MEMBER OF ECMC FOUNDATION, RETAINS THE FOLLOWING AUTHORITY OVER ECMC FOUNDATION: 1. TO AUTHORIZE AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND BYLAWS. 2. TO APPROVE THE STRATEGIC AND FINANCIAL PLANS. 3. TO ELECT AND/OR APPROVE THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. 4. TO OVERSEE COORDINATION OF PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OFFERED. 5. TO AUTHORIZE FORMATION, GOVERNANCE AND DISSOLUTION.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - REVIEW OF FORM 990 BY GOVERNING BODY	ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT ARE PROVIDED A COPY OF FORM 990 TO REVIEW AND PROVIDE COMMENTS PRIOR TO FILING. ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT ARE PROVIDED WITH A COPY OF THE FINAL VERSION OF FORM 990 BEFORE IT HAS BEEN FILED.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY	OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND ALL EMPLOYEES ARE REQUIRED TO REAFFIRM ON AN ANNUAL BASIS THEIR UNDERSTANDING OF THE COMPANY'S CODE OF ETHICS AND BUSINESS CONDUCT. THE AFFIRMATION SPECIFICALLY REFERENCES THAT THE INDIVIDUAL WILL COMPLY WITH THE DIRECTIVES OF THE CODE OF ETHICS AND BUSINESS CONDUCT. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND DISCLOSURE OF POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ARE INCLUDED IN THE CODE OF ETHICS AND BUSINESS CONDUCT. MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE POLICY ARE ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH THE REAFFIRMATION PROCESS.
	IN CASES WHERE A POTENTIAL CONFLICT EXISTS AT THE OFFICER AND KEY EMPLOYEE LEVELS, THE ISSUE IS DISCLOSED TO THE CEO AND DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE COMPLIANCE. FOR POTENTIAL OR REAL CONFLICTS INVOLVING THE CEO OR A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, THE DISCLOSURE IS MADE TO THE BOARD CHAIR. THE BOARD MEMBER OR CEO WILL BE REQUIRED TO EXCUSE THEMSELVES FROM DELIBERATION AND VOTING ON MATTERS WHERE THEY MAY HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 13 - WHISTLEBLOWER POLICY	ECMC GROUP, INC. HAS A CODE OF ETHICS AND BUSINESS CONDUCT POLICY THAT IS AFFIRMED ANNUALLY BY ALL ECMC GROUP, INC. AND AFFILIATED COMPANIES' OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES. WHILE THERE IS NOT A SPECIFIC WHISTLEBLOWER POLICY, THERE IS A PROVISION INCORPORATED INTO THE CODE OF ETHICS AND BUSINESS CONDUCT POLICY THAT BINDS ALL EMPLOYEES THAT STATES THERE CAN BE NO REPERCUSSIONS FOR GOOD FAITH REPORTING OF POTENTIAL ILLEGAL PRACTICES OR VIOLATIONS OF CORPORATE POLICIES. ECMC GROUP, INC. HAS ESTABLISHED AN ANONYMOUS WHISTLEBLOWER TELEPHONE HOTLINE AND WEBSITE ADMINISTERED BY AN OUTSIDE VENDOR. THE HOTLINE AND WEBSITE ARE AVAILABLE AND ACCESSIBLE TO ECMC FOUNDATION DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES AND VENDORS.

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH COMPENSATION OF TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIAL	AS NOTED IN PART VII OF FORM 990 AND SCHEDULE J, PART II, THE ONLY EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATED BY ECMC FOUNDATION WAS THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR. ALL OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' COMPENSATION WAS PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATIONS.
MANAGEMENT OF TIGIAL	THE GOVERNANCE & COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE ECMC GROUP, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS WHOLLY COMPRISED OF INDEPENDENT, OUTSIDE DIRECTORS. IN 2017, THE COMMITTEE RETAINED EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION EXPERTS FROM GRANT THORNTON, A GLOBAL COMPENSATION CONSULTING ORGANIZATION, THROUGH ARNOLD & PORTER LLP TO IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE CEO AND SENIOR EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PACKAGES. ARNOLD & PORTER LLP PROVIDED A WRITTEN OPINION ON THE REASONABLENESS OF THIS COMPENSATION. THE MARKET ANALYSIS PERFORMED BY GRANT THORNTON FOR ARNOLD & PORTER LLP INCLUDES SALARY AND INCENTIVE DATA FROM AN APPROPRIATE PEER GROUP UNDER IRS REGULATIONS AND INCLUDES BOTH NONPROFIT AND FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15B - PROCESS TO ESTABLISH COMPENSATION OF OTHER EMPLOYEES	AS NOTED IN PART VII OF FORM 990 AND SCHEDULE J, PART II, THE ONLY EXECUTIVE OFFICER COMPENSATED BY ECMC FOUNDATION WAS THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR. ALL OTHER EXECUTIVE OFFICERS' COMPENSATION WAS PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATIONS.
LIMPLOTELS	THE GOVERNANCE & COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE ECMC GROUP, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS WHOLLY COMPRISED OF INDEPENDENT, OUTSIDE DIRECTORS. IN 2017, THE COMMITTEE RETAINED EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION EXPERTS FROM GRANT THORNTON, A GLOBAL COMPENSATION CONSULTING ORGANIZATION, THROUGH ARNOLD & PORTER LLP TO IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE CEO AND SENIOR EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PACKAGES. ARNOLD & PORTER LLP PROVIDED A WRITTEN OPINION ON THE REASONABLENESS OF THIS COMPENSATION. THE MARKET ANALYSIS PERFORMED BY GRANT THORNTON FOR ARNOLD & PORTER LLP INCLUDES SALARY AND INCENTIVE DATA FROM AN APPROPRIATE PEER GROUP UNDER IRS REGULATIONS AND INCLUDES BOTH NONPROFIT AND FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES.
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC	THE FORM 990 IS MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ON ECMC FOUNDATION'S WEBSITE. NO OTHER DOCUMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC.
FORM 990, PART VII, SECTION A - DIRECTORS' COMPENSATION	ECMC FOUNDATION DIRECTORS DO NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR THEIR SERVICE ASSOCIATED WITH ECMC FOUNDATION, BUT DO RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR THEIR SERVICE PROVIDED TO RELATED ORGANIZATIONS-ECMC AND ECMC GROUP, INC.
	WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE PRESIDENT, PETER J. TAYLOR, THE EXECUTIVE OFFICERS OF ECMC FOUNDATION DO NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR THEIR SERVICE ASSOCIATED WITH ECMC FOUNDATION, BUT DO RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR THEIR SERVICE PROVIDED TO RELATED ORGANIZATIONS-ECMC AND ECMC GROUP, INC.
	ROBERT STEIN, A FORMER DIRECTOR, HAD A CONSULTING AGREEMENT IN 2017.
FORM 990, PART X, LINE 12 - INVESTMENTS-OTHER SECURITIES	INVESTMENTS-OTHER SECURITIES OF \$733,787,031 ARE HELD IN THE ECMC GROUP, INC. INVESTMENT POOL. INVESTMENTS IN ECMC GROUP, INC. INVESTMENT POOL REPRESENT AN OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN THE INVESTMENT POOL MANAGED BY ECMC GROUP, NOT IN THE UNDERLYING ASSETS THEMSELVES. THE OWNERSHIP INTERESTS IN THIS POOL ARE NOT THEMSELVES PUBLICLY TRADED, NOR CAN THEY BE VALUED BASED ON DIRECT OR INDIRECT INPUTS AS DEFINED BY FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD ACCOUNTING STANDARDS CODIFICATION 820. ECMC FOUNDATION'S INVESTMENTS CONSIST OF POOLED FUNDS INVESTED WITH ECMC GROUP, INC. THAT ARE GENERALLY REDEEMABLE UPON REQUEST. THE POOLED INVESTMENT IS, UNDER FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY, A LEVEL 2 INVESTMENT. THE INVESTMENT STRATEGY OF THE POOLED FUNDS OF ECMC GROUP, INC. IS TO DIVERSIFY RISK AND PROVIDE A RETURN THAT SATISFIES THE SHORT- AND LONG-TERM OBJECTIVES OF ECMC FOUNDATION. THE INVESTMENT POOL HAS UNFUNDED COMMITMENTS OF \$110,884,996 IN ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENTS AND \$9,175,372 IN MISSION RELATED DIRECT INVESTMENTS. ECMC FOUNDATION HAS NO UNFUNDED COMMITMENTS TO THE POOL AT DECEMBER 31, 2017.
FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 5 - NET UNREALIZED GAINS ON INVESTMENTS	NET UNREALIZED GAINS ON INVESTMENT IN THE ECMC GROUP, INC. INVESTMENT POOL ARE \$96,428,815.

SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Part I

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

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Direct controlling

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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

(b)

Primary activity

(c)

Legal domicile (state

Cat. No. 50135Y

(d)

Total income

(e)

End-of-year assets

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information. Name of the organization

Employer identification number ECMC FOUNDATION 41-1990628

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

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Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations due one or more related tax-exempt organizations due one or more related tax-exempt organizations due one or more related tax-exempt organizations due on the organization of the organiza	ations. Con uring the tax	nplete if the year.	ne organization	answered "Yes" o	n Form 990, Part	IV, line 34, bec	ause it h	nad
(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary a		(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)		(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	con	(g) 512(b)(13) trolled tity?
							Yes	No
(1) EDUCATIONAL CREDIT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION (41-1778617) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	GUARANTO	R	MN	501(C)(3	10	ECMC GROUP, INC.		~
(2) ECMC GROUP, INC. (41-1991995) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	EDUCATION	FINANCE	DE	501(C)(3	12 TYPE I	N/A		~
(3) ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. (47-2237488) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	CAREER CO	LLEGES	DE	501(C)(3) 2	ECMC GROUP, INC.		~
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For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity

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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	Disprope alloca	ortionate	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
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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.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	Section 5 contr enti) 12(b)(13) rolled ity?
						Yes	No
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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	e: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.	Y	'es	No
1	During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II–IV?			
а	Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity	а		~
b	Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)	b	~	
С	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	С		~
d	Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	d		~
е	Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)	е		~
f	Dividends from related organization(s)	f		~
g	Sale of assets to related organization(s)	g		~
h	Purchase of assets from related organization(s)	h		~
i	Exchange of assets with related organization(s)	i		~
j	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)	j		~
k	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	k		~
- 1	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	ı		~
m		n		~
n	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	n	~	
0	Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	0	~	
g	Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	g	~	
q	Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses		~	
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r	Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)	r		~
s	Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)	_		~
2	If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction to	_	holo	ls.
•	(a) (b) (c) (d)			
	Name of related organization Transaction Amount involved Method of determining am	nount	involv	/ed
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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	(a) ress, and EIN of entity (b) Primary activity Legal domicile (state or foreign country) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under or		organizations?			(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership	
				sections 512-514)	Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
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(a) Name, address and EIN of related organization	(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	512(b	rólled
(1) OAKDALE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION (35-2085743) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	HOLDING INVESTMENTS	DE	ECMC GROUP, INC.	C CORPORATION				Yes	No ✓
(2) ECMC HOLDINGS CORPORATION (41-1991992) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	STRATEGIC OVERSIGHT	DE	ECMC GROUP, INC.	C CORPORATION					✓
(3) EDUCATIONAL CREDIT SERVICES CO (41-1992001) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	PRIVATE LOANS	DE	N/A	C CORPORATION					✓
(4) ECMC RECORDS & REC MGMT CORPORATION (41-1989959) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	DOCUMENT MANAGEMEN T	DE	N/A	C CORPORATION					1
(5) ECMC MANAGEMENT SERVICES CORPORATION (41-1989960) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	MANAGEMEN T SERVICES	DE	N/A	C CORPORATION					✓
(6) ECMC TECHNOLOGY SERVICES CORPORATION (41-1989958) 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401	TECHNOLOG Y SERVICES	DE	N/A	C CORPORATION					1
(7) ECMC SERVICING CORPORATION (47-1154366) 10370 PETER A MCCUEN BLVD, MATHER, CA 95655	LOAN SERVICING	DE	N/A	C CORPORATION					✓

Return Reference - Identifier	Explanation
SCHEDULE R, PART I - DISREGARDED ENTITIES OF RELATED ORGANIZATIONS	1(A)-NAME. OAKDALE STUDENT LOAN FUNDING, LLC (27-1914648), 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401. 1(B)-PRIMARY ACTIVITY. HOLDING FFELP LOANS. 1(C)-LEGAL DOMICILE. DE. 1(F)-DIRECT CONTROLLING ENTITY. ECMC GROUP, INC.
	2(A)-NAME. ECMC SHARED SERVICES COMPANY, LLC (81-0690960), 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401. 2(B)-PRIMARY ACTIVITY. SUPPORT SERVICES FUNCTIONS. 2(C)-LEGAL DOMICILE. DE. 2(F)-DIRECT CONTROLLING ENTITY. ECMC GROUP, INC.
	3(A)-NAME. PATRIOT STUDENT LOAN CAPITAL, LLC (81-3501777), 111 WASHINGTON AVE SO, STE 1400, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401. 3(B)-PRIMARY ACTIVITY. TRUST STUDENT LOANS. 3(C)-LEGAL DOMICILE. DE. 3(F)-DIRECT CONTROLLING ENTITY. ECMC GROUP, INC.
	4(A)-NAME. PREMIERE CREDIT OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC (35-2085743), 2002 WELLESLEY BLVD, #100, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46219. 4(B)-PRIMARY ACTIVITY. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE MANAGEMENT. 4(C)-LEGAL DOMICILE. IN. 4(F)-DIRECT CONTROLLING ENTITY. ECMC HOLDINGS CORPORATION.
	5(A)-NAME. HEALTHCARE BILLING ADMINISTRATORS, LLC (81-4038009), 2002 WELLESLEY BLVD, #100, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46219. 5(B)-PRIMARY ACTIVITY. PROVIDER OF CONTINGENT COLLECTIONS IN THE HEALTHCARE PROVIDER MARKET. 5(C)-LEGAL DOMICILE. IN. 5(F)-DIRECT CONTROLLING ENTITY. PREMIERE CREDIT OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC.
SCHEDULE R, PART V, LINE 1B - GIFT, GRANT, OR CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION TO RELATED ORGANIZATION(S)	\$4,698,459 GRANTS AWARDED BY ECMC FOUNDATION TO ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. TO PROVIDE \$247,502 FOR THE ZENITH CAMPAIGN FOR INNOVATION WHICH IS DESIGNED TO ELICIT CREATIVE IDEAS ABOUT HOW TO SUPPORT STUDENTS' SUCCESS AND \$4,450,957 FOR OTHER PROGRAMS WHICH FURTHER ITS MISSION TO HELP STUDENTS SUCCEED IN THEIR PURSUIT OF AN EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE THAT PREPARES THEM FOR THE WORKFORCE.
SCHEDULE R, PART V, LINE 1N - SHARING OF FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, OR OTHER ASSETS WITH RELATED ORG(S)	\$194,793 ALLOCATED EXPENSES FOR FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, MAILING LISTS, OR OTHER ASSETS SHARED WITH ECMC GROUP, INC.
SCHEDULE R, PART V, LINE 10 - SHARING OF PAID EMPLOYEES WITH RELATED ORGANIZATION(S)	\$56,863 ALLOCATED EXPENSES FOR PAID EMPLOYEES SHARED WITH ECMC SHARED SERVICES COMPANY, LLC, A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF ECMC GROUP, INC., A RELATED ORGANIZATION.
SCHEDULE R, PART V, LINE 1P - REIMBURSEMENT PAID TO RELATED ORGANIZATION(S) FOR EXPENSES	\$256,326 REIMBURSEMENT PAID TO ECMC GROUP, INC. FOR EXPENSES.
SCHEDULE R, PART V, LINE 1Q - REIMBURSEMENT PAID BY RELATED ORGANIZATION(S) FOR EXPENSES	\$236,516 REIMBURSEMENT PAID BY ZENITH EDUCATION GROUP, INC. FOR EXPENSES.



Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Ogden UT 84201

Notice	CP211A					
Tax period	December 31, 2017					
Notice date	June 4, 2018					
Employer ID number	41-1990628					
To contact us	Phone 1-877-829-5500					
	FAX 801-620-5555					

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Important information about your December 31, 2017 Form 990

We approved your Form 8868, Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

We approved the Form 8868 for your December 31, 2017 Form 990.

Your new due date is November 15, 2018.

What you need to do

File your December 31, 2017 Form 990 by November 15, 2018. We encourage you to use electronic filing—the fastest and easiest way to file.

Visit www.irs.gov/charities to learn about approved e-File providers, what types of returns can be filed electronically, and whether you are required to file electronically.

Additional information

- Visit www.irs.gov/cp211a
- For tax forms, instructions, and publications, visit www.irs.gov or call 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).
- Keep this notice for your records.

If you need assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Form **8453-E0**

Exempt Organization Declaration and Signature for Electronic Filing

For calendar year 2017, or tax year beginning , 2017, and ending , 20

OMB No. 1545-1879

For use with Forms 990, 990-F7, 990-DF, 1120-DOL, and 9969

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