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Form

## Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

2005

Open to Public  
InspectionDepartment of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue ServiceUnder section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung  
benefit trust or private foundation)

► The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2005 calendar year, or tax year beginning January 1 , 2005, and ending December 31 , 2005

B Check if applicable

Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return  
 Final return  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization

Western Association of Educational Opportunity Personnel

Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)

PO Box 56455

D Employer identification number

94 2865220

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

Hayward, CA 94545-6455

E Telephone number

( 510 ) 885-2615

F Accounting method  Cash  Accrual  
 Other (specify) ►

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Website: ► <http://westop.csuchico.edu>J Organization type (check only one) ►  501(c) ( 3 ) □ (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527K Check here ►  if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return. Some states require a complete return.

L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 ►

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?  Yes  No

H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates ► ..... 6 .....

H(c) Are all affiliates included?  Yes  No  
(If "No," attach a list. See instructions.)H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling?  Yes  No

I Group Exemption Number ►

M Check ►  if the organization is not required to attach Sch. B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

## Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions.)

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received:		
a	Direct public support	1a	11,445
b	Indirect public support	1b	0
c	Government contributions (grants)	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a through 1c) (cash \$ 11,445 noncash \$ )	1d	11,445
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)	2	315,896
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	20,680
4	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	4	
5	Dividends and interest from securities	5	921
6a	Gross rents JUN 07 2010	6a	
b	Less: rental expenses	6b	
c	Net rental income or (loss) (subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	
7	Other investment income (attach schedule) ►	7	
8a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(A) Securities	(B) Other
b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	8a	
c	Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)	8b	
d	Net gain or (loss) (combine line 8c, columns (A) and (B))	8c	
9	Special events and activities (attach schedule). If any amount is from gaming, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	8d	
a	Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1a)	9a	5,731
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	9b	0
c	Net income or (loss) from special events (subtract line 9b from line 9a)	9c	5,731
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a	0
b	Less: cost of goods sold	10b	0
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule) (subtract line 10b from line 10a)	10c	0
11	Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)	11	11,940
12	Total revenue (add lines 1d, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11)	12	366,613
13	Program services (from line 44, column (B))	13	205,417
14	Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	14	212,265
15	Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	15	
16	Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	16	
17	Total expenses (add lines 16 and 44, column (A))	17	417,682
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (subtract line 17 from line 12)	18	-51,069
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	19	375,466
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year (combine lines 18, 19, and 20)	21	324,397

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STATEMENT  
CLEARED JUN 09 2010Revenue  
SCANNED JUL 28 2010INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
RECEIVED  
MAY 21 2010  
SERVICE CENTER DIRECTOR  
MAIL UNIT #5  
COVINGTON, KY

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**Part II Statement of Functional Expenses** All organizations must complete column (A). Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others (See the instructions.)

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22	Grants and allocations (attach schedule) . . . . . (cash \$ <b>11,605</b> noncash \$ <b>          </b> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>22</b>	<b>11,605</b>	<b>11,605</b>	
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>23</b>			
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>24</b>			
25	Compensation of officers, directors, etc. . . . .	<b>25</b>			
26	Other salaries and wages . . . . .	<b>26</b>			
27	Pension plan contributions . . . . .	<b>27</b>			
28	Other employee benefits . . . . .	<b>28</b>			
29	Payroll taxes . . . . .	<b>29</b>			
30	Professional fundraising fees . . . . .	<b>30</b>			
31	Accounting fees . . . . .	<b>31</b>	<b>1,207</b>		<b>1,207</b>
32	Legal fees . . . . .	<b>32</b>	<b>673</b>		<b>673</b>
33	Supplies . . . . .	<b>33</b>	<b>28,950</b>	<b>26,823</b>	<b>2,127</b>
34	Telephone . . . . .	<b>34</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>36</b>
35	Postage and shipping . . . . .	<b>35</b>	<b>1,495</b>	<b>1,119</b>	<b>376</b>
36	Occupancy . . . . .	<b>36</b>			
37	Equipment rental and maintenance . . . . .	<b>37</b>			
38	Printing and publications . . . . .	<b>38</b>	<b>13,340</b>	<b>8,450</b>	<b>4,890</b>
39	Travel . . . . .	<b>39</b>	<b>106,699</b>	<b>8,218</b>	<b>98,481</b>
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	<b>40</b>	<b>235,843</b>	<b>145,328</b>	<b>90,515</b>
41	Interest . . . . .	<b>41</b>			
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>42</b>			
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize):				
a	Dues/Insurance . . . . .	<b>43a</b>	<b>13,387</b>		<b>13,387</b>
b	Bank Charges/Returned Checks . . . . .	<b>43b</b>	<b>572</b>		<b>572</b>
c	Reimbursements . . . . .	<b>43c</b>	<b>3,295</b>	<b>3,295</b>	
d	Web Fees . . . . .	<b>43d</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>268</b>	
e		<b>43e</b>			
f		<b>43f</b>			
g		<b>43g</b>			
44	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 22 through 43. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15) . . . . .	<b>44</b>	<b>417,682</b>	<b>205,417</b>	<b>212,265</b>

**Joint Costs.** Check ►  if you are following SOP 98-2.

Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services? ►  Yes  No  
If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ \_\_\_\_\_; (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ \_\_\_\_\_;  
(iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ \_\_\_\_\_; and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions.)**

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ►	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs, and 4947(a)(1) trusts, but optional for others)
All organizations must describe their exempt purpose achievements in a clear and concise manner. State the number of clients served, publications issued, etc. Discuss achievements that are not measurable. (Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must also enter the amount of grants and allocations to others.)	
<b>a 2005 Annual Conference and Meeting of the Members held in Hollywood, CA. 450 in attendance.</b> Provided training and interaction between professional members, 2005 elections, annual report to its members and new member information.	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	129,021
<b>b Professional Development Seminars. From 35 to 125 in attendance per meeting. Held within six regions. Provides additional training to its members.</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	15,979
<b>c TRIO Day/Student Leadership Conference/Summer Jam/Dodger Night/Parent Empowerment Conference. From 200 to 600 in attendance per meeting within six regions. Provides leadership training and activities to program students and parents.</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	48,494
<b>d Membership Services, Board Member Functions, Public Relations to 450 members. Scholarships for program students.</b>	
(Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	11,923
<b>e Other program services (attach schedule)</b> (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services).</b> ►	205,417

**Part IV Balance Sheets (See the instructions.)**

		<b>(A)</b> Beginning of year		<b>(B)</b> End of year
	<b>Note:</b> Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.			
	<b>45</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	<b>28,688</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>43,015</b>
	<b>46</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	<b>346,778</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>281,382</b>
	<b>47a</b> Accounts receivable . . . . .	<b>47a</b>		
	<b>b</b> Less: allowance for doubtful accounts . . . . .	<b>47b</b>		<b>47c</b>
	<b>48a</b> Pledges receivable . . . . .	<b>48a</b>		
	<b>b</b> Less: allowance for doubtful accounts . . . . .	<b>48b</b>		<b>48c</b>
	<b>49</b> Grants receivable . . . . .			<b>49</b>
	<b>50</b> Receivables from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule) . . . . .			<b>50</b>
<b>Assets</b>	<b>51a</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>51a</b>		
	<b>b</b> Less: allowance for doubtful accounts . . . . .	<b>51b</b>		<b>51c</b>
	<b>52</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .			<b>52</b>
	<b>53</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .			<b>53</b>
	<b>54</b> Investments—securities (attach schedule) . . . . .	► <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		<b>54</b>
	<b>55a</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis . . . . .	<b>55a</b>		
	<b>b</b> Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>55b</b>		<b>55c</b>
	<b>56</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .			<b>56</b>
	<b>57a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: basis . . . . .	<b>57a</b>		
	<b>b</b> Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) . . . . .	<b>57b</b>		<b>57c</b>
	<b>58</b> Other assets (describe ► . . . . .)			<b>58</b>
	<b>59</b> <b>Total assets</b> (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58. . . . .	<b>375,466</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>324,397</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>60</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .			<b>60</b>
	<b>61</b> Grants payable . . . . .			<b>61</b>
	<b>62</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .			<b>62</b>
	<b>63</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule) . . . . .			<b>63</b>
	<b>64a</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule) . . . . .			<b>64a</b>
	<b>b</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .			<b>64b</b>
	<b>65</b> Other liabilities (describe ► . . . . .)			<b>65</b>
	<b>66</b> <b>Total liabilities</b> . Add lines 60 through 65 . . . . .			<b>66</b>
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></b> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.			
	<b>67</b> Unrestricted . . . . .	<b>375,466</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>324,397</b>
	<b>68</b> Temporarily restricted . . . . .			<b>68</b>
	<b>69</b> Permanently restricted . . . . .			<b>69</b>
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></b> and complete lines 70 through 74.			
	<b>70</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds. . . . .			<b>70</b>
	<b>71</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund . . . . .			<b>71</b>
	<b>72</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .			<b>72</b>
	<b>73</b> <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72; column (A) must equal line 19; column (B) must equal line 21) . . . . .	<b>375,466</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>324,397</b>
	<b>74</b> <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> . Add lines 66 and 73. . . . .	<b>375,466</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>324,397</b>

**Part IV-A Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return (See the instructions.)**

a	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . . . .	a	
b	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 12:		
1	Net unrealized gains on investments . . . . .	b1	
2	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	b2	
3	Recoveries of prior year grants . . . . .	b3	
4	Other (specify): . . . . .	b4	
Add lines b1 through b4 . . . . .		b	
c	Subtract line b from line a . . . . .	c	
d	Amounts included on Part I, line 12, but not on line a:		
1	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b . . . . .	d1	
2	Other (specify): . . . . .	d2	
Add lines d1 and d2 . . . . .		d	
e	<b>Total revenue</b> (Part I, line 12). Add lines c and d . . . . . ►	e	N/A
<b>Part IV-B Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return</b>			
a	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . . . .	a	
b	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 17:		
1	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	b1	
2	Prior year adjustments reported on Part I, line 20 . . . . .	b2	
3	Losses reported on Part I, line 20 . . . . .	b3	
4	Other (specify): . . . . .	b4	
Add lines b1 through b4 . . . . .		b	
c	Subtract line b from line a . . . . .	c	
d	Amounts included on Part I, line 17, but not on line a:		
1	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b . . . . .	d1	
2	Other (specify): . . . . .	d2	
Add lines d1 and d2 . . . . .		d	
e	<b>Total expenses</b> (Part I, line 17). Add lines c and d . . . . . ►	e	N/A

**Part V-A** **Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (List each person who was an officer, director, trustee, or key employee at any time during the year even if they were not compensated.) (See the instructions.)

List of key employees at any time during the year even if they were not compensated. (See the instructions.)					
(A) Name and address	(B) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances	
Jose Martinez-Saldana, UC Riverside 900 University Avenue, Riverside, CA 92507	President	0	0	0	
James Oda, PO Box 893216, Mililani, HI 96789	Past-President	0	0	0	
Lydia Perez, Arizona State University PO Box 870812, Tempe, AZ 85287-0812	President-Elect	0	0	0	
Joy Brittain, Pasadena City College 1570 E. Colorado Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91106	Chief Financial Officer	0	0	0	
Tomasa Mauricio, San Diego State University 550 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182-1106	Secretary	0	0	0	

Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (continued)				Yes	No
75a Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings . . . . .	► 19				
b Are any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, related to each other through family or business relationships? If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals and explains the relationship(s) . . . . .		75b			✓
c Do any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to this organization through common supervision or common control? Note. Related organizations include section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.		75c			✓
If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals, explains the relationship between this organization and the other organization(s), and describes the compensation arrangements, including amounts paid to each individual by each related organization.					
d Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? . . . . .		75d			✓

**Part V-B** **Former Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees That Received Compensation or Other Benefits** (If any former officer, director, trustee, or key employee received compensation or other benefits (described below) during the year, list that person below and enter the amount of compensation or other benefits in the appropriate column. See the instructions.)

**Part VI Other Information (See the instructions.)**

76	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	76	
77	Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.	77	✓
78a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	78a	✓
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year?	78b	✓
79	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement	79	✓
80a	Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization?	80a	✓
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the organization ►		
	and check whether it is <input type="checkbox"/> exempt or <input type="checkbox"/> nonexempt		
81a	Enter direct and indirect political expenditures. (See line 81 instructions.)	81a	
b	Did the organization file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year?	81b	✓

Part VI Other Information (continued)		Yes	No
82a	Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value?	82a	✓
b	If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II. (See instructions in Part III.)	82b	
83a	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?	83a	✓
b	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions?	83b	✓
84a	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?	84a	✓
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	84b	
85	501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations. a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?	85a	
b	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, do not complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year.	85b	
c	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members	85c	
d	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures	85d	
e	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices	85e	
f	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)	85f	
g	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?	85g	
h	If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year?	85h	
86	501(c)(7) orgs. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12	86a	
b	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities	86b	
87	501(c)(12) orgs. Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders	87a	
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)	87b	
88	At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Part IX	88	✓
89a	501(c)(3) organizations. Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ► ; section 4912 ► ; section 4955 ►	89b	✓
b	501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction		
c	Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		
d	Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization		
90a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► California		
b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2005 (See instructions.)	90b	0
91a	The books are in care of ► Melissa Padilla Located at ► 37394 Hill Street, Newark, CA	Telephone no. ► ( 510 ) 885-2615 ZIP + 4 ► 94560-4001	
b	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)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.	91b	✓
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	91c	✓
92	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041—Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ► 92		

**Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities (See the instructions.)**

**Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.**

93 Program service revenue:

- a 2004 Conference Revenue
- b 2005 Conference Revenue
- c 2006 Conference Revenue
- d PDS 2005
- e SLC 2005
- f Medicare/Medicaid payments
- g Fees and contracts from government agencies
- 94 Membership dues and assessments
- 95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments
- 96 Dividends and interest from securities
- 97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:
  - a debt-financed property
  - b not debt-financed property
- 98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property
- 99 Other investment income
- 100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory
- 101 Net income or (loss) from special events
- 102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory
- 103 Other revenue: a Transfer of Savings to Chk

- b
- c
- d
- e

104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))

105 Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E)) ►

**Note: Line 105 plus line 1d, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.**

**Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes (See the instructions.)**

<b>Line No.</b>	Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
93	<b>Activities or results of conducting seminars for its members and students</b>
94	<b>Dues related to providing seminars to its members</b>
101	<b>Scholarships for college-bound students</b>

**Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See the instructions.)**

(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)
Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	Percentage of ownership interest	Nature of activities	Total income	End-of-year assets
	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

**Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts (See the instructions.)**

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

**Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).**

<b>Please Sign Here</b>	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge		
	Signature of officer Melissa Padilla, Chief Financial Officer Type or print name and title		
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	EIN	Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst. W)
		Phone no ► ( )	

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n),  
or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

OMB No 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**2005****Supplementary Information—(See separate instructions.)**

► MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ

Name of the organization

**Western Association of Educational Opportunity Personnel**Employer identification number  
**94 2865220****Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**  
(See page 1 of the instructions. List each one. If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
<b>None</b>				
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 . ►				

**Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**

(See page 2 of the instructions. List each one (whether individuals or firms). If there are none, enter "None.")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
<b>None</b>		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services . . . . ►		

**Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services**

(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individuals or firms. If there are none, enter "None." See page 2 of the instructions.)

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
<b>None</b>		
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services . . . . ►		

<b>Part III Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions.)</b>		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
1	During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities ► \$ _____ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line 1 of Part VI-B.)	1	✓
	Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.		
2	During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions.)		
a	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property? . . . . .	2a	✓
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit? . . . . .	2b	✓
c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities? . . . . .	2c	✓
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)? . . . . .	2d	✓
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets? . . . . .	2e	✓
3a	Do you make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how you determine that recipients qualify to receive payments.) . . . . .	3a	✓
b	Do you have a section 403(b) annuity plan for your employees? . . . . .	3b	✓
c	During the year, did the organization receive a contribution of qualified real property interest under section 170(h)? . . . . .	3c	✓
4a	Did you maintain any separate account for participating donors where donors have the right to provide advice on the use or distribution of funds? . . . . .	4a	✓
b	Do you provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? . . . . .	4b	✓

**Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 3 through 6 of the instructions.)**The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (Please check only **ONE** applicable box.)

5  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).

6  A school. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Also complete Part V.)

7  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

8  A Federal, state, or local government or governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).

9  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). **Enter the hospital's name, city, and state ►**

10  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

11a  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

11b  A community trust. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

12  An organization that normally receives: (1) **more than 33 1/3%** of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its charitable, etc., functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) **no more than 33 1/3%** of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A.)

13  An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and supports organizations described in: (1) lines 5 through 12 above; or (2) sections 501(c)(4), (5), or (6), if they meet the test of section 509(a)(2). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization: ►  Type 1  Type 2  Type 3

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 6 of the instructions.)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Line number from above

14  An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 6 of the instructions.)

**Part IV-A Support Schedule** (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12.) **Use cash method of accounting.**

Note: You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting.

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2003	(c) 2002	(d) 2001	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.) . . .	7,560	1,086	10,011	1,840	20,497
16 Membership fees received . . . .	21,625	24,410	22,425	22,655	91,115
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable, etc., purpose . . .	291,291	268,634	227,449	263,921	1,051,295
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 . . .	1,292	1,403	1,770	858	5,323
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18. . . .	0	0	0	0	0
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf. . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge. . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	0	0	0	0	0
23 Total of lines 15 through 22 . . . .	321,768	295,533	261,655	289,274	1,168,230
24 Line 23 minus line 17 . . . .	30,477	26,899	34,206	25,353	116,935
25 Enter 1% of line 23 . . . .	3,218	2,955	2,617	2,893	
26 <b>Organizations described on lines 10 or 11:</b> a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24 . . . ►				26a	
b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2001 through 2004 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. <b>Do not file this list with your return.</b> Enter the total of all these excess amounts ►				26b	
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test: Enter line 24, column (e) . . . . . ►				26c	
d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 18 _____ 19 _____ 22 _____ 26b _____ . . . . . ►				26d	
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total) . . . . .				26e	
f <b>Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))</b> . . . . . ►				26f	%
27 <b>Organizations described on line 12:</b> a For amounts included in lines 15, 16, and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and total amounts received in each year from, each "disqualified person." <b>Do not file this list with your return.</b> Enter the sum of such amounts for each year:  (2004) ..... (2003) ..... (2002) ..... (2001) .....					
b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons"), prepare a list for your records to show the name of, and amount received for each year, that was more than the <b>larger</b> of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000. (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11b, as well as individuals.) <b>Do not file this list with your return.</b> After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2), enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year:  (2004) ..... (2003) ..... (2002) ..... (2001) .....					
c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 15 _____ 16 _____ 17 _____ 20 _____ 21 _____ . . . . . ►				27c	
d Add: Line 27a total, _____ and line 27b total, _____ . . . . . ►				27d	
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total) . . . . .				27e	
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test: Enter amount from line 23, column (e) . . . ►			27f		
g <b>Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))</b> . . . . . ►				27g	%
h <b>Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))</b> . . . ►				27h	%
28 <b>Unusual Grants:</b> For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2001 through 2004, prepare a list for your records to show, for each year, the name of the contributor, the date and amount of the grant, and a brief description of the nature of the grant. <b>Do not file this list with your return.</b> Do not include these grants in line 15.					

**Part V Private School Questionnaire (See page 7 of the instructions.)**  
**(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)**

29 Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body? . . . . .

30 Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? . . . . .

31 Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? . . . . .  
 If "Yes," please describe; if "No," please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)  
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	Yes	No
29		
30		
31		
32a		
32b		
32c		
32d		

32 Does the organization maintain the following:

- a Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff? . . . . .
- b Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis? . . . . .
- c Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships? . . . . .
- d Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions? . . . . .

If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)  
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33 Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:

- a Students' rights or privileges? . . . . .
- b Admissions policies? . . . . .
- c Employment of faculty or administrative staff? . . . . .
- d Scholarships or other financial assistance? . . . . .
- e Educational policies? . . . . .
- f Use of facilities? . . . . .
- g Athletic programs? . . . . .
- h Other extracurricular activities? . . . . .

If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)  
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33a		
33b		
33c		
33d		
33e		
33f		
33g		
33h		

34a Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency? . . . . .

b Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? . . . . .  
 If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement.

35 Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation . . . . .

34a		
34b		
35		

**Part VI-A** **Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 9 of the instructions.)  
(To be completed ONLY by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

Check ► a  if the organization belongs to an affiliated group. Check ► b  if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply.

### Limits on Lobbying Expenditures

(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)

**Caution: If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720.**

#### **4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below.  
See the instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 11 of the instructions.)

		Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2005	(b) 2004	(c) 2003	(d) 2002	(e) Total
45	Lobbying nontaxable amount . . . . .					
46	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					
47	Total lobbying expenditures . . . . .					
48	Grassroots nontaxable amount . . . . .					
49	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					
50	Grassroots lobbying expenditures . . . . .					

## Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 11 of the instructions.)

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:

- a Volunteers . . . . .
- b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h.) . . . . .
- c Media advertisements . . . . .
- d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public . . . . .
- e Publications, or published or broadcast statements . . . . .
- f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes . . . . .
- g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body . . . . .
- h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means . . . . .
- i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.) . . . . .

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying.

Yes	No	Amount
✓		
	✓	
	✓	
	✓	
✓		79
	✓	
✓		11,19
✓		2,19

If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities.

**Part VII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations (See page 12 of the instructions.)**

51 Did the reporting organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations? \_\_\_\_\_

**a Transfers from the reporting organization to a noncharitable exempt organization of:**

**(i) Cash**

**(ii) Other assets**

**b Other transactions:**

**(i) Sales or exchanges of assets with a noncharitable exempt organization**

(ii) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization

**(iii) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets**

**(iv) Reimbursement arrangements**

**(v) Loans or loan guarantees**

**(vi) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations**

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting organization. If the organization received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received:

	Yes	No
<b>51a(i)</b>		
<b>a(ii)</b>		
<b>b(i)</b>		
<b>b(ii)</b>		
<b>b(iii)</b>		
<b>b(iv)</b>		
<b>b(v)</b>		
<b>b(vi)</b>		
<b>c</b>		

52a Is the organization directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? . . . . . ►  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule:

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2005 990 Income Tax Return  
Western Association of Educational Opportunity Personnel

**Statement # 1**

Form 990, Part 1, line 9

Sales of raffles and silent auction items \$5,731

**Statement # 2**

Form 990, Part II, Line 22

Scholarships given to program participants through Regional Chapters. Each Chapter sets up a rubric based on essay, GPA, recommendation letters. Each Chapter is independent in the amount and the rubric for each award.

**Statement # 3**

Form 990, Part III

The Western Association of Educational Opportunity Personnel (Westop) is one of ten regionally based associations that comprise the Council for Opportunity in Education. WESTOP membership is comprised of educators from the state of Arizona, California, Nevada, Hawaii, and the Pacific Islands. The WESTOP organization represents higher education, secondary schools, community based agencies, and professional groups and associations who serve first-generation college-bound and educationally disadvantaged youth. It also serves the minority, physically impaired and learning-disabled populations. The purpose of WESTOP is to bring together individuals and organizations interested in furthering educational opportunities for college students and potential college students from disadvantaged backgrounds.

**Statement # 4**

Form 990, Part VII line 93

**Additional Revenue**

	Exclusion Code	Related or Exempt Function Income
e.1 TRIO Day	(03)	\$10,445
e.2 Summer Jam	(03)	\$ 7,921
e.3 Dodger Night	(03)	\$ 4,290
e.4 Parent Empowerment Conference	(03)	\$ 2,092

**Statement # 5**

**Form 990A, Part VI-B**

- a. Volunteers      Individuals from the WESTOP community go to Washington DC on their own time to meet with other members of the professional community to learn about any negative impact governmental budgets have on the TRIO community (programs that serve disadvantaged youth, physically and learning disabled).
- e. Publications      Same chapter Associations print booklets to give to their representatives regarding TRIO success and amount of federal funding within the rep's district.
- g. Direct Contact      Individuals on their own time meet with their representatives from the district in which their program resides to explain what TRIO is all about and why they should continue to support the funding for educational programs.
- h. Seminars      Individuals from the WESTOP community go to Washington DC on their own time to meet with other members of the professional community to learn about any negative impact governmental budgets have on the TRIO community