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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2007

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 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning January 1, 2007, and ending December 31, 2007

B Check if applicable

Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Termination
 Amended return

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

Room/suite

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

Hayward, CA 94545-6455

D Employer identification number

94 2865220

E Telephone number

(510) 885-2615

F Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) ►

Application pending • 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) () (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527K Check here ► if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file 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	Contributions to donor advised funds	1a	0
b	Direct public support (not included on line 1a)	1b	9,250
c	Indirect public support (not included on line 1a)	1c	0
d	Government contributions (grants) (not included on line 1a)	1d	0
e	Total (add lines 1a through 1d) (cash \$ 9,250 noncash \$ 0)	1e	9,250
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)	2	208,652
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	39,725
4	Interest on savings and temporary investments	4	896
5	Dividends and interest from securities	5	
6a	Gross rents	6a	
b	Less: rental expenses	6b	
c	Net rental income or (loss). Subtract line 6b from line 6a		
7	Other investment income (describe ►)	7	
8a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(A) Securities OGDEN	(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"/>		
a	Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1b)	9a	12,623
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	9b	
c	Net income or (loss) from special events. Subtract line 9b from line 9a		
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a	42
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		
11	Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)		
12	Total revenue. Add lines 1e, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11	12	271,188
13	Program services (from line 44, column (B))	13	174,746
14	Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	14	197,375
15	Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	15	0
16	Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	16	0
17	Total expenses. Add lines 16 and 44, column (A)	17	372,121
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 17 from line 12	18	-100,933
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	19	307,371
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	0
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18, 19, and 20	21	206,438

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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.)			
<i>Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.</i>		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22a	Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach schedule) (cash \$ _____ noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>				
22b	Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ 8,350 noncash \$ _____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	8,350	8,350		
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)				
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)				
25a	Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-A				
b	Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-B				
c	Compensation and other distributions, not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
26	Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c				
27	Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c				
28	Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27				
29	Payroll taxes				
30	Professional fundraising fees				
31	Accounting fees	1444		1444	
32	Legal fees				
33	Supplies	16,700	14,919	1,781	
34	Telephone				
35	Postage and shipping	222	84	138	
36	Occupancy				
37	Equipment rental and maintenance	15,309	9,660	5,649	
38	Printing and publications	14,019	5,537	8,482	
39	Travel	89,553	3,929	85,624	
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	184,180	130,792	53,388	
41	Interest				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)				
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize):				
a	Dues/Insurance	20,824		20,824	
b	Bank Charges/Returned Checks	11,076		11,076	
c	Reimbursements	973	973		
d	Web Fees	502	502		
e	Event Management System	8,969		8,969	
f					
g					
44	Total functional expenses. Add lines 22a through 43g. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	372,121	174,746	197,375	

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.)	
<p>a 2007 Annual Conference and Meeting of the Members held in Burlingame, CA. 400 in attendance. Provided training and interaction between professional members, 2007 elections, annual report to its members and new member information.</p>	
<p>(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	112,884
<p>b Professional Development Seminars. From 35 to 125 in attendance per meeting. Held within six regions. Provides additional training to its members.</p>	
<p>(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	22,454
<p>c Student Leadership Conference/Summer Jam/Dodger Night. From 200 to 600 in attendance per meeting within six regions. Provides leadership training and activities to program students.</p>	
<p>(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	27,511
<p>d Membership Services, Board member functions, Public Relations to 450 members. Scholarships for program students.</p>	
<p>(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	11,897
<p>e Other program services (attach schedule)</p>	
<p>(Grants and allocations \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services). ►</p>	174,746

Part IV Balance Sheets (See the instructions.)

		(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
	Note: Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.		
	45 Cash—non-interest-bearing	33,728	45 45,199
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments	273,643	46 161,239
	47a Accounts receivable	47a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	47b	47c
	48a Pledges receivable	48a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	48b	48c
	49 Grants receivable	49	
	50a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)	50a	
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)	50b	
	51a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	51b	51c
	52 Inventories for sale or use	52	
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	53	
	54a Investments—publicly-traded securities ► <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV	54a	
	b Investments—other securities (attach schedule) ► <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV	54b	
	55a Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis	55a	
	b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b	55c
	56 Investments—other (attach schedule)	56	
	57a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis	57a	
	b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	57b	57c
	58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe ►)	58	
	59 Total assets (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58	307,371	59 206,438
	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	60	
	61 Grants payable	61	
	62 Deferred revenue	62	
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)	63	
	64a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)	64a	
	b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)	64b	
	65 Other liabilities (describe ►)	65	
	66 Total liabilities . Add lines 60 through 65	66	
	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.	307,371	67 206,438
	67 Unrestricted	68	
	68 Temporarily restricted	69	
	69 Permanently restricted	70	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74.	71	
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	72	
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund	73	
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	307,371	73 206,438
	73 Total net assets or fund balances . Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72. (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21)	307,371	74 206,438
	74 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . Add lines 66 and 73	307,371	74 206,438

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		
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		
e Total revenue (Part I, line 12). Add lines c and d ►	e	N/A

Part IV-B Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

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		
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		
e Total expenses (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.)

(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
Joy Brittain, Pasadena City College 1570 E. Colorado Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91106	President	0	0	0
Lydia Perez, Arizona State University PO Box 870812, Tempe, AZ 85287-0812	Past-President	0	0	0
Tomasa Mauricio, San Diego State University 550 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182-1106	President-Elect	0	0	0
Melissa Padilla, CSU East Bay 25800 Carlos Bee Blvd., Hayward, CA 94542	Chief Financial Officer	0	0	0
Marsha Gable, CSU San Marcos 333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd, San Marcos, CA 92906	Secretary	0	0	0

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 <i>quid pro quo</i> 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	
85a	501(c)(4), (5), or (6). 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	
88a	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	88a	✓
b	At any time during the year, did the organization, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Part XI	88b	✓
89a	501(c)(3) organizations. Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ► ; section 4912 ► ; section 4955 ►	89a	
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	89b	✓
c	Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958	89c	
d	Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization	89d	
e	All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	89e	✓
f	All organizations. Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?	89f	✓
g	For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	89g	
90a	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► California	90a	
b	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2007 (See instructions.)	90b	0
91a	The books are in care of ► Melissa Padilla Located at ► 37394 Mill Street, Newark, CA	91a	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 ►	91b	✓
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.			

Part VI Other Information (continued)		Yes	No
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? 91c		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►			
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		<input type="checkbox"/>	

Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.		Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514	(E) Related or exempt function income
		(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclusion code	
93	Program service revenue:			03	82,773
a	2007 Conference Revenue			03	34,632
b	2008 Conference Revenue			03	3,125
c	PDS 2006			03	30,044
d	PDS 2007			03	49,448
e	SLC 2007				
f	Medicare/Medicaid payments				
g	Fees and contracts from government agencies				
94	Membership dues and assessments			03	39,725
95	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	896
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			03	10,809
102	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory			03	42
103	Other revenue: a				
b					
c					
d					
e					
104	Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))			896	259,228
105	Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))				260,124

Note: Line 105 plus line 1e, 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.)	
Line No. ▼	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	Activities or results of conducting seminars for its members and students
94	Dues related to providing seminars to its members
101,102	Scholarships for college-bound students

Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See the instructions.)				
(A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity	(B) Percentage of ownership interest	(C) Nature of activities	(D) Total income	(E) 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).	

Part XI Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities. Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13).

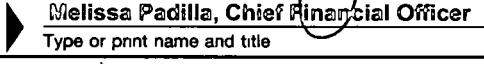
106 Did the reporting organization make any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity.			Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
Totals				

107 Did the reporting organization receive any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity.			Yes	No

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a				
b				
c				
Totals				

108 Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in question 107 above?			Yes	No

Please Sign Here	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  Type or print name and title			
	Date <u>05/15/2010</u>			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature 	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst X)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 		EIN 	Phone no 

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**

OMB No 1545-0047

(Except Private Foundation and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n),
or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust)**2007**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**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 PersonnelEmployer 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
None				
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
None		
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
None		
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services ►		

Part III Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions.)			Yes	No
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 i of Part VI-B)	1	✓	
<p>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.</p>				
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.)			
2a	Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?		✓	
2b	Lending of money or other extension of credit?		✓	
2c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?		✓	
2d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)?		✓	
2e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		✓	
3a	Did the organization make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments)		✓	
3b	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?		✓	
3c	Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement		✓	
3d	Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?		✓	
4a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g. If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g		✓	
4b	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		✓	
4c	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		✓	
4d	Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ► _____			
4e	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ► _____			
4f	Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the tax year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts ► _____			
4g	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year ► _____			

Part IV **Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 4 through 8 of the instructions.)**

I certify that 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 33½% 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 33½% 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 otherwise meets the requirements of section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization:

Type I Type II Type III-Functionally Integrated Type III-Other

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 8 of the instructions.)

An organization organized and operated to test for public safety Section 509(a)(4). (See page 8 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) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.) .	4,562	11,445	7,560	1,086	24,653
16 Membership fees received	27,345	20,680	21,625	24,410	94,060
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 . . .	324,440	366,613	291,291	268,634	1,250,978
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, income from similar sources, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	1,944	921	1,292	1,403	5,560
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	358,291	399,659	321,768	295,533	1,375,251
24 Line 23 minus line 17.	33,851	33,046	30,477	26,899	124,273
25 Enter 1% of line 23	3,583	3,997	3,218	2,955	

26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11: 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 2003 through 2006 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. **Do not file this list with your return.** 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 Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator)) ► **26f** %

27 Organizations described on line 12: 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" **Do not file this list with your return.** Enter the sum of such amounts for each year:

(2006) (2005) (2004) (2003)
 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 larger 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.) **Do not file this list with your return.** 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:

(2006) (2005) (2004) (2003)

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 Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator)) ► **27g** %
 h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator)) ► **27h** %

28 Unusual Grants: For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2003 through 2006, 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. **Do not file this list with your return.** Do not include these grants in line 15.

Part V Private School Questionnaire (See page 9 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.)

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.)

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.)

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

	Yes	No
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32a		
32b		
32c		
32d		
33a		
33b		
33c		
33d		
33e		
33f		
33g		
33h		
34a		
34b		
35		

Part VI-A **Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 11 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.)		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for all electing organizations
36	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	36	
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	37	
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	38	
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures	39	
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	40	
41	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table— If the amount on line 40 is— The lobbying nontaxable amount is— Not over \$500,000 20% of the amount on line 40 Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000 \$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000 Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000 \$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000 Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000. \$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000 Over \$17,000,000. \$1,000,000	41	
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	42	
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36.	43	
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38.	44	

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 13 of the instructions.)

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
	(a) 2007	(b) 2006	(c) 2005	(d) 2004	(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 14 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 a through h.)

Yes	No	Amount
✓		
	✓	
	✓	
	✓	
✓		767
	✓	
	✓	
✓		9,165

Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines 8 through 11.)

Part VII **Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations** (See page 14 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
51a(i)		
a(ii)		
b(i)		
b(ii)		
b(iii)		
b(iv)		
b(v)		
b(vi)		
c		

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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2007 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 \$12,623

Statement # 2

Form 990, Part 1, Line 10

Sale of Pins/Buttons \$ 42
No cost, left over inventory from previous years

Statement # 3

Form 990, Part II, Line 22b

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 # 4

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 # 5

Form 990, Part VII line 93

Additional Revenue

	Exclusion Code	Related or Exempt Function Income
e.1 Summer Jam	(03)	\$ 4,550
e.2 Dodger Night	(03)	\$ 4,080

Statement # 6

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.
- 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