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Form **990-PF**

**Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation**

OMB No 1545-0052

2011

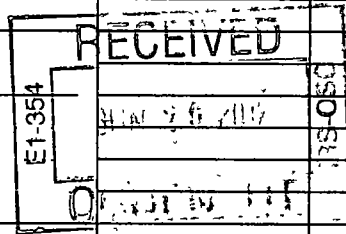
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Note: The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

For calendar year 2011 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation Michael John Lager Foundation		A Employer identification number 20-0985519
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) P O Box 2886	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 614-222-0882
City or town, state, and ZIP code Columbus OH 43216		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1 Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ 0	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)		

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <small>The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions)</small>		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	20,156			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities				
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0	
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns & allowances				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule) Stmt 1	14,198		14,198		
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	34,354	0	14,198		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule) See Stmt 2	3,118			
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule) Stmt 3	9,853		9,853	
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	1,758		1,758		
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses (att sch) Stmt 4 Stmt 5	7,485		5,052		
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	22,214	0	16,663	0	
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	5,900			5,900	
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	28,114	0	16,663	5,900	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	6,240				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0		



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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)		
		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	6,039	12,413	
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (att schedule) ▶ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0		
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶			
	12 Investments—mortgage loans			
	13 Investments—other (attach schedule)			
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶ Stmt 6	2,000 278	1,856	1,722
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	7,895	14,135	0	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0	0	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	7,895	14,135		
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	7,895	14,135		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	7,895	14,135		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	
1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1 7,895
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 6,240
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 14,135
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6 14,135

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)		(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a	N/A			
b				
c				
d				
e				
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)	
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))	
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any		
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	[If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7]		2
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6). If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	[If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8]		3

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? Yes No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2010	37,200	9,489	3.920329
2009	91,950	15,061	6.105172
2008	73,566		
2007	52,069		
2006	18,550		

2	Total of line 1, column (d)	2	10.025501
3	Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	5.012751
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2011 from Part X, line 5	4	11,396
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	57,125
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	
7	Add lines 5 and 6	7	57,125
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions	8	5,900

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here [] and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here [] and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)
3 Add lines 1 and 2
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-
6 Credits/Payments:
a 2011 estimated tax payments and 2010 overpayment credited to 2011
b Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld
7 Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here [] if Form 2220 is attached
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2012 estimated tax Refunded

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)?
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers.
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments?
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?
4b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year?
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered
8b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2011 or the taxable year beginning in 2011
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year?

Stmt 7

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions)
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address mjlfoundation@columbus.rr.com
14 The books are in care of Zita Hunt Telephone no. 614-222-0882
P O Box 2886
Located at Columbus OH ZIP+4 43216
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041—Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15
16 At any time during calendar year 2011, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days)
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2011?
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):
a At the end of tax year 2011, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2011?
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.)
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here.
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2011 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2011)
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2011?

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? Yes No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? Yes No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? Yes No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions) Yes No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? Yes No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Yes No
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? Yes No
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d). N/A

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? Yes No
If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? Yes No

b If Yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? Yes No N/A

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see 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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Melissa Vasil P.O. Box 2886 Columbus OH 43215	Director 2.00	0	0	0
Zita Hunt P.O. Box 2886 Columbus OH 43215	Treasurer 2.00	0	0	0
Nathan Case P.O. Box 2886 Columbus OH 43215	Director 1.00	0	0	0
Jerry McMannamy P.O. Box 2886 Columbus OH 43215	Director 1.00	0	0	0

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If 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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 0

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 See Statement 8	4,800
2 See Statement 9	1,100
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3	

Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶

Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	11,570
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	11,570
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	11,570
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	174
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	11,396
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	570

Part XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	
2a	Tax on investment income for 2011 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2011 (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	5,900
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	5,900
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)	5	0
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	5,900

Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2010	(c) 2010	(d) 2011
1 Distributable amount for 2011 from Part XI, line 7				
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2011:				
a Enter amount for 2010 only				
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2011:				
a From 2006				
b From 2007				
c From 2008				
d From 2009				
e From 2010				
f Total of lines 3a through e				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2011 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ <u>5,900</u>				
a Applied to 2010, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d Applied to 2011 distributable amount				
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	5,900			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2011 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	5,900			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2010 Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2011 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2012				
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2006 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2012. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a				
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2007				
b Excess from 2008				
c Excess from 2009				
d Excess from 2010				
e Excess from 2011				

Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2011, enter the date of the ruling 02/23/06

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2011	(b) 2010	(c) 2009	(d) 2008	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	0	13	20		33
b 85% of line 2a		11	17		28
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed	5,900	37,200	91,950	73,567	208,617
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c	5,900	37,200	91,950	73,567	208,617
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Value of all assets	14,556	7,895	2,416	7,988	32,855
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)	14,556	7,895	2,416	7,988	32,855
b "Endowment" alternative test—enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) N/A					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii) N/A					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization N/A					
(4) Gross investment income N/A					

Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2))
N/A

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.
N/A

2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:

Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

a The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed.
Michael John Lager Foundation 614-738-0028
P O Box 2886 Columbus OH 43216

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:
Prepare funding application/demonstrate financial need

c Any submission deadlines.
No set deadline

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:
Amounts given based on financial need and funds available

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year See Statement 10				5,900
Total			▶ 3a	5,900
b Approved for future payment N/A				
Total			▶ 3b	

Schedule B
 (Form 990, 990-EZ,
 or 990-PF)
 Department of the Treasury
 Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Michael John Lager Foundation

20-0985519

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)() (enter number) organization

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

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

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

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

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

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

Special Rules

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

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year

▶ \$

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

Name of organization Michael John Lager Foundation	Employer identification number 20-0985519
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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	William L Lager IQ Innovations, LLC PO Box 163849 Columbus OH 43216	\$ 20,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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Form **4562**

Depreciation and Amortization
(Including Information on Listed Property)

OMB No 1545-0172

2011

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)

▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

Attachment
Sequence No **179**

Name(s) shown on return

Michael John Lager Foundation

Identifying number
20-0985519

Business or activity to which this form relates

Indirect Depreciation

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	500,000
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	2,000,000
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2010 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2012. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions.)

Section A

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2011	17	0
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		

Section B—Assets Placed in Service During 2011 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only—see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property						
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property			39 yrs.	MM	S/L	
				MM	S/L	

Section C—Assets Placed in Service During 2011 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs.		S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions.)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations—see instructions	22	
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

Part V Listed Property (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement.)

Note: For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable

Section A—Depreciation and Other Information (Caution See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles.)

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written? 25 Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use (see instructions) 26 Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use 27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use: 28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27 Enter here and on line 21, page 1 29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26 Enter here and on line 7, page 1

Section B—Information on Use of Vehicles

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles

30 Total business/investment miles driven during the year (do not include commuting miles) 31 Total commuting miles driven during the year 32 Total other personal (noncommuting) miles driven 33 Total miles driven during the year Add lines 30 through 32 34 Was the vehicle available for personal use during off-duty hours? 35 Was the vehicle used primarily by a more than 5% owner or related person? 36 Is another vehicle available for personal use?

Section C—Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons (see instructions).

37 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits all personal use of vehicles, including commuting, by your employees? 38 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits personal use of vehicles, except commuting, by your employees? See the instructions for vehicles used by corporate officers, directors, or 1% or more owners 39 Do you treat all use of vehicles by employees as personal use? 40 Do you provide more than five vehicles to your employees, obtain information from your employees about the use of the vehicles, and retain the information received? 41 Do you meet the requirements concerning qualified automobile demonstration use? (See instructions.)

Note: If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles.

Part VI Amortization

42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2011 tax year (see instructions): 43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2011 tax year 44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report

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Federal Asset Report

FYE: 12/31/2011

Form 990, Page 1

Asset	Description	Date In Service	Cost	Bus %	Sec 179 Bonus	Basis for Depr	PerConv Meth	Prior	Current
Amortization:									
1	Logo Design	12/23/09	<u>2,000</u>			<u>2,000</u>	15 MOAmort	<u>144</u>	<u>134</u>
			<u>2,000</u>			<u>2,000</u>		<u>144</u>	<u>134</u>
	Grand Totals		2,000			2,000		144	134
	Less: Dispositions and Transfers		0			0		0	0
	Less: Start-up/Org Expense		<u>0</u>			<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	Net Grand Totals		<u>2,000</u>			<u>2,000</u>		<u>144</u>	<u>134</u>

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Statement 1 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 11 - Other Income

Description	Revenue per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
Supplemental Educ. Services	\$ 14,198	\$	\$ 14,198
Total	\$ 14,198	\$ 0	\$ 14,198

Statement 2 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16a - Legal Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Legal fees	\$ 3,118	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$ 3,118	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 3 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16c - Other Professional Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
ECOT - Tutoring	\$ 9,853	\$	\$ 9,853	\$
Total	\$ 9,853	\$ 0	\$ 9,853	\$ 0

Federal Statements

Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23 - Amortization

Description	Date Acquired	Cost Basis	Prior Year Amortization	Life	Current Year Amortization	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	COGS
Logo Design	12/23/09	\$ 2,000	144	15	\$ 134	\$		
Total		\$ 2,000	144		\$ 134	\$ 0	\$ 0	

Statement 5 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23 - Other Expenses

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Expenses	\$	\$	\$	
Insurance	1,042			
Bank Service Charge	1,141			
Postage/Mailing Service	1,270		1,260	
Printing				
Licensing and Fees	15			
Outside Contract Services	1,575		1,575	
Provider Fairs	2,217		2,217	
Small Equipment	50			
Miscellaneous	41			
Total	\$ 7,351	\$ 0	\$ 5,052	\$ 0

Federal Statements

Statement 6 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 14 - Land, Building, and Equipment

Description	Beginning Net Book	End Cost / Basis	End Accumulated Depreciation	Net FMV
Capitalized logo design fees	\$ 1,856	\$ 2,000	\$ 278	\$
Total	\$ 1,856	\$ 2,000	\$ 278	\$ 0

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Statement 7 - Form 990-PF, Part VII-A, Line 10 - Substantial Contributors

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City, State, Zip</u>
Altair Learning Management I, Inc. P O Box 2886		Columbus OH 43216
William Lager P O Box 163849		Columbus OH 43216

Statement 8 - Form 990-PF, Part IX-A, Line 1 - Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**Description**

- 1) To provide children in the State of Ohio and other states with "supplemental educational services," which include academic assistance such as tutoring, remediation and other supplemental academic enrichment services in various subjects.
- 2) To further the charitable, educational, scientific and literary endeavors of students of the Electronic Classroom of Tomorrow, Inc. ("ECOT"), an Ohio community school and tax-exempt organization described in Code Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii), ECOT employees and their families, and those persons who provide services and support to ECOT, such as contractors and vendors.

Statement 9 - Form 990-PF, Part IX-A, Line 2 - Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**Description**

To make grants to support activities and projects of organizations operated exclusively for charitable, scientific, literary, and educational purposes that qualify as tax-exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the code.

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Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 2b - Application Format and Required Contents

Description

Prepare funding application/demonstrate financial need

Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 2c - Submission Deadlines

Description

No set deadline

Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 2d - Award Restrictions or Limitations

Description

Amounts given based on financial need and funds available

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Statement 10 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year

Name		Address		Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
GREEN HILLS RETIREMENT CO	Liberty OH 43357	NONE	6557 US 68 SW	PAID	CONTRIBUTION	500	
HEARTLAND BANK	Gahanna OH 43230	NONE	850 N. Hamilton Rd	PAID	CONTRIBUTION	600	
REANNA NEMEC	Westerville OH 43082	NONE	7258 Worthington Rd	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	1,000	
RACHEL KESSIE	Springboro OH 45066	NONE	5635 Whispering Way	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	1,000	
CASLYNN JOHNSTON	Dayton OH 45420	NONE	405 Nordale Ave	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	1,000	
BRENDEN TUCKER	Lakewood OH 44107	NONE	2186 Wascana Ave, Unit D	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	1,000	
HUGH O'BRIEN YOUTH LEADERSHIP	Westlake Village CA 91362	NONE	31255 Cedar Valley Drive	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	150	
KEARA SINGLETON	Warrensville Heights OH 4	NONE	4511 Northfield Rd	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	125	
MARCELL SINGLETON	Warrensville Heights OH 4	NONE	4511 Northfield Rd	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	125	
MARCHE SINGLETON	Warrensville Heights OH 4	NONE	4511 Northfield Rd	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	125	
MARIA SINGLETON	Warrensville Heights OH 4	NONE	4511 Northfield Rd	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	125	
ANDREW BENNETT	Warrensville Heights OH 4	NONE	818 Considine Ave	PAID	SCHOLARSHIP	150	
Cincinnati OH 45205					SCHOLARSHIP	150	
Total						<u>5,900</u>	

Form **8868**
(Rev. January 2012)

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
 - If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).
- Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions) For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension-check this box and complete Part I only

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

Enter filer's identifying number, see instructions

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. Michael John Lager Foundation	Employer identification number (EIN) or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20-0985519
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. P O Box 2886	Social security number (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/>
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. Columbus OH 43216	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return)

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 990-EZ	01	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

Michael John Lager Foundation
P O Box 2886

- The books are in the care of ▶ Columbus OH 43216

Telephone No ▶ 614-222-0882 FAX No. ▶

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box

- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ . If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box and attach

a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for

- I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 08/15/12 , to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

▶ calendar year 2011 or

▶ tax year beginning _____ , and ending _____

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

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

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions