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Form 990

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under 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

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2011 and ending 06-30-2012

B Check if applicable

☐ Address change

☐ Name change

☐ Initial return

☐ Terminated

☐ Amended return

☐ Application pending

C Name of organization

BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

Doing Business As

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

610 WEST FOURTH STREET

Room/suite

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

STORM LAKE, IA 505881798

F Name and address of principal officer

ELIZABETH MERTEN
610 WEST 4TH STREET
STORM LAKE,IA 50588

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?

☐ Yes ☒ No

H(b) Are all affiliates included?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number

I Tax-exempt status

☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ☐ (Insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

J Website:

WWW BVU EDU

K Form of organization

☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other

L Year of formation

1891

M State of legal domicile

IA

Part I

Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY'S MISSION IS THAT WE DEVELOP STUDENTS FOR LIFE LONG SUCCESS THROUGH INNOVATIVE AND IMAGINATIVE ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION		
Revenue	2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	20
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	19
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a)	5	1,766
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	270
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	248,757
	7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0
	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
		4,058,442	3,534,007
		49,254,753	49,142,990
		9,464,762	2,188,976
		59,956	248,757
Expenses	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	62,837,913	55,114,730
	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	12,574,822	12,775,685
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	26,444,893	26,632,797
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	1,267,916	
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	18,567,156	19,300,743
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	57,586,871	58,709,225
Net Assets or Fund Balances	19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	5,251,042	-3,594,495
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
		203,795,996	188,851,609
		47,371,126	40,451,697
		156,424,870	148,399,912

Part II

Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

Signature of officer

2012-11-13

Date

ELIZABETH MERTEN VICE PRESIDENT

Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature

KAY HEGARTY

Date

Check if self-employed

☐

Preparer's taxpayer identification number (see instructions)

P00091057

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4

MCGLADREY LLP
221 THIRD AVENUE SE SUITE 300
CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 524011512

EIN

42-0714325

Phone no

(319) 298-5333

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☒ Yes ☐ No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

1

Briefly describe the organization's mission

WE DEVELOP STUDENTS FOR LIFE LONG SUCCESS THROUGH INNOVATIVE AND IMAGINATIVE ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

2

Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3

Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

☐ Yes

☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a

(Code) (Expenses \$ 35,113,810 including grants of \$ 12,775,685) (Revenue \$ 41,626,781)

INSTRUCTION OF APPROXIMATELY 2,373 STUDENTS, INCLUDING ACADEMIC SUPPORT, OPERATING LIBRARY AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER

4b

(Code) (Expenses \$ 7,652,674 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 1,580,995)

STUDENT SERVICES, ADMISSIONS, REGISTRARS, ATHLETICS, CAREER PLANNING AND PLACEMENT, STUDENT HEALTH AND OTHER SERVICES FOR APPROXIMATELY 799 CAMPUS LIVING STUDENTS

4c

(Code) (Expenses \$ 6,954,876 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 5,894,882)

AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES, DORMITORIES, DINING HALL, FORUM AND CONFERENCE CENTER FOR APPROXIMATELY 799 CAMPUS LIVING STUDENTS

4d

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e

Total program service expenses

\$ 49,721,360

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A 	1	Yes
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? 	2	Yes
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	3	No
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	No
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	No
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I 	6	No
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II 	7	No
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III 	8	No
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV 	9	No
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V 	10	Yes
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes,' then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI. 	11a	Yes
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII. 	11b	Yes
c	Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII. 	11c	No
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX. 	11d	No
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X. 	11e	Yes
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X. 	11f	Yes
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII 	12a	Yes
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional 	12b	No
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E 	13	Yes
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	No
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b	No
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the U S ? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II and IV	15	No
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the U S ? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III and IV	16	No
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000, of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	No
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18	No
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19	No
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a	No
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach its audited financial statement to this return? Note. All Form 990 filers that operated one or more hospitals must attach audited financial statements	20b	

Part IV

Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21		No
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22	Yes	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23	Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	24a	Yes	
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		No
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		No
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		No
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a		No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b		No
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26		No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27		No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties? (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b		No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29	Yes	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30	Yes	
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31		No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>	34	Yes	
35a	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the filing organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	Yes	
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b		No
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36		No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance					
Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V ☐					
		Yes	No		
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable. .	1a	155		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1b	0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	Yes		
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, <i>Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements</i> filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.	2a	1,766		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).	2b	Yes		
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	Yes		
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.	3b	Yes		
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account or securities account)?	4a			No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.				
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a			No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b			No
c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c			
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a			No
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b			
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).				
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a			No
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b			
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c			No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e			No
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f			No
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g			
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h			
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8			
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.				
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a			
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b			
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter				
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10a			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10b			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter				
a	Gross income from members or shareholders.	11a			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).	11b			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.	12b			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.				
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. All 501(c)(29) organizations must list in Schedule O each state in which they are licensed to issue qualified health plans, the amount of reserves required by each state, and the amount of reserves the organization allocated to each state.	13a			
b	Enter the aggregate amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans.	13b			
c	Enter the aggregate amount of reserves on hand.	13c			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a			No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.	14b			

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure

For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.
Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year		
1a	20		
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1b	19
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2	No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3	No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5	No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6	No
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a	No
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b	No
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
a	The governing body?	8a	Yes
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Yes
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9	No

Section B. Policies

(This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	Yes
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review the Form 990		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Yes
b	Were officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Yes
c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Yes
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Yes
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Yes
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Yes
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Yes
	If "Yes," to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)		
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed	
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. ☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request	
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. See Additional Data Table.	
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization.	
	SUZETTE RADKE 610 WEST 4TH STREET STORM LAKE, IA 505881798 (712) 749-2044	

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

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

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Part VII

1b	Sub-Total			
c	Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A			
d	Total (add lines 1b and 1c)	1,567,564	0	252,791

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed in Item 1) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization. 11

		Yes	No
3	Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	3	No
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	4	Yes
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>	5	No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
WEITZ CO 5901 THORNTON AVE DES MOINES, IA 50321	CONSTRUCTION	5,973,716
MIDWEST FIELDTURF 22 S MAIN ST PO BOX 160 DENISON, IA 51442	FIELDTURF	1,814,922
BWBR ARCHITECTS 380 ST PETER ST STE 600 ST PAUL, MN 55102	ARCHITECT	716,796
FLYNN WRIGHT INC 1408 LOCUST ST DES MOINES, IA 50309	MARKETING	448,790
G & R CONTROLS INC PO BOX 85661 SIOUX FALLS, SD 57118	HVAC SERVICES	178,678
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization 5		

Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1a	Federated campaigns . . .	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c					
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	3,534,007				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ 522,085						
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		3,534,007				
Program Service Revenue			Business Code					
	2a	TUITION AND FEES	611600	41,626,781	41,626,781			
	b	SALES AND SERVICE AUXI	611710	5,894,882	5,894,882			
	c	SALES AND SERVICE EDUC	611710	1,555,968	1,515,636		40,332	
	d	PARKING, COLLECTION OF	611710	65,359	65,359			
	e							
	f	All other program service revenue						
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		49,142,990				
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts)		3,268,408			3,268,408	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . .						
	5	Royalties						
	6a	Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	b	Less rental expenses						
	c	Rental income or (loss)						
	d	Net rental income or (loss)						
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
			17,188,935					
			18,268,367					
			-1,079,432					
	d	Net gain or (loss)		-1,079,432			-1,079,432	
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a					
	b	Less direct expenses	b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . .						
	9a	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b	Less direct expenses	b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . .						
	10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
	b	Less cost of goods sold	b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . .						
	Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code					
	11a	CONFERENCE CENTER	721000	247,233		247,233		
b	FITNESS CENTER	713940	5,086		5,086			
c	TACK ADVERTISING	511120	1,383		1,383			
d	All other revenue		-4,945		-4,945			
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d		248,757					
12	Total revenue. See Instructions		55,114,730	49,102,658	248,757	2,229,308		

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns
All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D)
Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21				
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22	12,775,685	12,775,685		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,202,947	582,831	441,640	178,476
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	19,444,905	15,246,125	3,696,904	501,876
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	1,355,154	969,845	339,919	45,390
9	Other employee benefits	3,089,571	2,222,272	767,495	99,804
10	Payroll taxes	1,540,220	1,102,292	386,340	51,588
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management				
b	Legal	179,225	4,577	174,648	
c	Accounting	66,439		66,439	
d	Lobbying				
e	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees	340,050		340,050	
g	Other	1,376,481	710,598	550,126	115,757
12	Advertising and promotion	240,242	15,852	175,212	49,178
13	Office expenses	1,829,844	1,198,083	528,461	103,300
14	Information technology	398,946	396,808	2,138	
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	1,519,237	1,275,054	244,183	
17	Travel	1,105,782	624,658	443,050	38,074
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	1,123	1,123		
20	Interest	406,146	406,146		
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	4,451,488	4,193,162	240,426	17,900
23	Insurance	86,008	86,008		
24	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24f If line 24f amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24f expenses on Schedule O)				
a	FOOD SERVICE & ALLOWANC	2,149,454	2,149,454		
b	ACADEMIC & INSTITUTIONA	1,908,783	1,908,783		
c					
d					
e					
f	All other expenses	3,241,495	3,852,004	-677,082	66,573
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	58,709,225	49,721,360	7,719,949	1,267,916
26	Joint costs. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X

Balance Sheet

					(A)		(B)
					Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing				1	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			3,145,229	2	4,958,044
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			2,844,771	3	1,544,166
	4	Accounts receivable, net			1,258,787	4	1,097,660
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L				5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L				6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use			495,790	8	398,791
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	145,004,827			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	81,136,761	54,424,745	10c	63,868,066
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities			110,977,360	11	98,585,602
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11			11,648,014	12	11,421,317
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11			3,357,725	13	3,376,753
	14	Intangible assets				14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11			15,643,575	15	3,601,210
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)			203,795,996	16	188,851,609	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			4,313,654	17	4,284,975
	18	Grants payable			2,660,822	18	2,675,857
	19	Deferred revenue			3,441,485	19	2,353,684
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities			31,965,827	20	27,198,454
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D				21	
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L				22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties			2,440	23	0
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties				24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D			4,986,898	25	3,938,727
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			47,371,126	26	40,451,697
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.						
	27	Unrestricted net assets			82,188,087	27	81,452,107
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets			45,945,181	28	38,073,329
	29	Permanently restricted net assets			28,291,602	29	28,874,476
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.						
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds				30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund				31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds				32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances			156,424,870	33	148,399,912
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			203,795,996	34	188,851,609	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	55,114,730
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	58,709,225
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-3,594,495
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	156,424,870
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	-4,430,463
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	148,399,912

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		No
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	Yes	
c	If "Yes," to 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	Yes	
d	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separated basis		
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	Yes	

SCHEDULE A

(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Inspection

Name of the organization BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY	Employer identification number 42-0680404
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Part I

Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box)

1

☐

A church, convention of churches, or association of churches **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**

2

☒

A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E)

3

☐

A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**

4

☐

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

5

☐

An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II)

6

☐

A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**

7

☐

An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)

8

☐

A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)

9

☐

An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III)

10

☐

An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See**section 509(a)(4).**

11

☐

An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h

a

☐

Type I

b

☐

Type II

c

☐

Type III - Functionally integrated

d

☐

Type III - Other

e

☐

By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)

f

☐

If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box

g

☐

Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

(i)

a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the the supported organization?

(ii)

a family member of a person described in (i) above?

(iii)

a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

h

☐

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of support?
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2011

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income (Explain in Part IV) Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets						
11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10)						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (See instructions)					12	
13 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage						
14 Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f))	14					
15 Public Support Percentage for 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15					
16a 33 1/3% support test—2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						
b 33 1/3% support test—2010. If the organization did not check the box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						
18 Private Foundation If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a or 17b, check this box and see instructions						

Part IIIPart III

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 509(a)(2)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public Support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12.)						
14 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
15 Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	15	
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage		
17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	17	
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3% and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		
b 33 1/3% support tests—2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		
20 Private Foundation If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions		

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanation required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; or Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Explanation

Additional Data

Software ID:

Software Version:

EIN: 42-0680404

Name: BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

Form 990, Special Condition Description:

Special Condition Description

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099- MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
FREDERICK V MOORE PRESIDENT	40 00	X		X				218,290	0	50,420
JOHN ASCHENBRENNER TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
ED BODAKEN TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
MARC BRINKMEYER TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
TIM BROWN TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
DOUG CLAUSEN TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
KITTY CONOVER TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
ROBERT CRAMER TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
BECKI DRAHOTA TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
DORIS FRITCHER TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
JAMES HAAHR TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
LAURA HORN TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
MARK MCMANIGAL TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
NORMAN NIELSEN TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
CORDELL PETERSON TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
MARK PETERSON TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
TIM PIERCE TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
STEPHEN RUSSELL TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
BERNIE SAGGAU TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
QUENTIN WITTRICK TRUSTEE	1 00	X						0	0	0
DAVID EVANS VP FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	40 00			X				121,523	0	31,172
KEITH BETTS VP FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS	40 00			X				72,295	0	12,302
JOHN KLOCKENTAGER INTERIM VP FOR ENROLLMENT MGT	40 00			X				57,412	0	6,458
ELIZABETH MERTEN VP FOR FINANCE & BUS SERVICES	40 00			X				132,846	0	26,841
KENNETH CONVERSE VP FOR INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT	40 00			X				132,484	0	28,739

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
MARCIA NANCE VP FOR ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT	40 00			X				176,907	0	10,026
MARY GILL INTERIM VP FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS/PROF	40 00			X				111,128	0	16,254
RICHARD LAMPE PROFESSOR	40 00					X		107,062	0	14,208
ESTER TRAVIS DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS	40 00					X		111,974	0	7,453
STANTON ULLERICH DEAN, SCHOOL OF BUSINESS	40 00					X		117,861	0	22,532
MICHAEL WHITLATCH DEAN, SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION & ARTS	40 00					X		107,100	0	13,295
RICHARD BEEBE PROFESSOR	40 00					X		100,682	0	13,091

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

Open to Public Inspection

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b
► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

Name of the organization
BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

Employer identification number
42-0680404

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)	
4	Aggregate value at end of year	
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes ☐ No	

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1

Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or pleasure)☐ Preservation of an historically importantly land area
☐ Protection of natural habitat☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure
☐ Preservation of open space

2

Complete lines 2a–2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06

3

Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ► _____

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ► _____

5

Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6

Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► _____

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
► \$ _____

8

Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9

In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$ _____

2

If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items

a

Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

► \$ _____

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

► \$ _____

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Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3

Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a

☐ Public exhibition

b

☐ Scholarly research

c

☐ Preservation for future generations

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

e

☐ Other

4

Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

5

During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part IV

Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a

Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

Part V

Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a)Current Year	(b)Prior Year	(c)Two Years Back	(d)Three Years Back	(e)Four Years Back
1a Beginning of year balance	106,680,828	83,614,628	75,196,617	114,729,654	
b Contributions	1,326,897	1,917,883	1,951,418	582,554	
c Investment earnings or losses	-3,008,032	26,576,967	12,219,063	-31,951,206	
d Grants or scholarships	-400,191	-766,331	-1,081,113	-1,194,310	
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	-4,774,612	-4,268,217	-4,036,876	-6,625,667	
f Administrative expenses	-340,050	-394,102	-634,481	-344,408	
g End of year balance	99,484,840	106,680,828	83,614,628	75,196,617	

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ 34 000 %

b

Permanent endowment ▶ 66 000 %

c

Term endowment ▶

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i) unrelated organizations

(ii) related organizations

3a(i)

☐ Yes

☐ No

3a(ii)

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

3b

☐ Yes

☐ No

4

Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI

Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b)Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		3,152,982		3,152,982
b Buildings		98,432,178	47,151,104	51,281,074
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		37,064,969	31,429,518	5,635,451
e Other		6,354,698	2,556,139	3,798,559
Total. Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				63,868,066

Part XI

Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	55,114,730
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	58,709,225
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-3,594,495
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	-4,454,785
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	19,377
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	4,945
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	9	-4,430,463
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	10	-8,024,958

Part XII

Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	37,568,532
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	-4,454,785
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	19,377
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	-4,435,408
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	42,003,940
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	340,050
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	12,770,740
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	13,110,790
5	Total Revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	55,114,730

Part XIII

Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	45,593,490
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	45,593,490
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	340,050
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	12,775,685
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	13,115,735
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	58,709,225

Part XIV

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
DESCRIPTION OF UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS UNDER FIN 48	PART X	THE UNIVERSITY IS RECOGNIZED AS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. THE UNIVERSITY MAY BE SUBJECT TO FEDERAL AND STATE INCOME TAXES ON ANY NET INCOME FROM UNRELATED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES. THE UNIVERSITY FILES A FORM 990 (RETURN OF ORGANIZATION EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAX) ANNUALLY AND UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME (UBI) IS REPORTED ON FORM 990-T, AS APPROPRIATE. MANAGEMENT HAS EVALUATED THEIR MATERIAL TAX POSITIONS, WHICH INCLUDE SUCH MATTERS AS THE TAX EXEMPT STATUS OF EACH ENTITY AND VARIOUS POSITIONS RELATIVE TO POTENTIAL SOURCES OF UBI. AS OF JUNE 30, 2012 AND 2011, THERE WERE NO UNCERTAIN TAX BENEFITS IDENTIFIED AND RECORDED AS A LIABILITY. FORMS 990 AND 990-T FILED BY THE UNIVERSITY ARE NO LONGER SUBJECT TO EXAMINATION BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008 AND PRIOR.
PART XI, LINE 8 - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS		TAX LOSS ON PARTNERSHIP INTEREST 4,945
PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS		RECLASSIFY SCHOLARSHIP & FELLOWSHIP 12,775,685 TAX LOSS ON PARTNERSHIP INTEREST -4,945
PART XIII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS		RECLASSIFY SCHOLARSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP 12,775,685

SCHEDULE E
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schools

►Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 13,
or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.
► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization
BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

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Part I		YES	NO
1 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?	1	Yes	
	2	Yes	
	3	Yes	
	4a	Yes	
2 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?	4b	Yes	
	4c	Yes	
	4d	Yes	
	5a		No
3 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 use Part II			

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any other additional information (see instructions).

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
EXPLANATION OF NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY PUBLICATION	SCHEDULE E, PART I, LINE 3	PUBLICIZED RACIALLY NON DISCRIMINATORY POLICY THROUGH VARIOUS COMMUNICATIONS. ALL MATERIALS PUBLISHED THROUGH THE NEWSPAPER OR BROADCAST MEDIA FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECRUITING STUDENTS CONTAINS INFORMATION ON THE NON-DISCRIMINATORY POLICY. IN ADDITION, THIS MATERIAL IS INCLUDED IN ALL RECRUITMENT LITERATURE, INCLUDING THE CATALOG AND STUDENT HANDBOOK.
EXPLANATION OF GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	SCHEDULE E, PART I, LINE 6	BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY RECEIVES FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM A GOVERNMENT AGENCY. BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY RECEIVES FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

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

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

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Part I

General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1

Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2

Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II

Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed ▶ ☐

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance

2

Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table ▶

3

Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table ▶

Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a)Type of grant or assistance	(b)Number of recipients	(c)Amount of cash grant	(d)Amount of non-cash assistance	(e)Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f)Description of non-cash assistance
See Additional Data Table					

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
		PART III - WORKSTUDY AND SEOG CONTRIBUTION NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS IS BASED ON AN ESTIMATE SINCE BOTH FIGURES ARE CALCULATED ON THE INSTITUTIONAL SHARE BASED ON TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDS AWARDED FOR EXAMPLE, THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF SEOG GIVEN TO STUDENTS IS \$2,000 PER YEAR AND THE TOTAL INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS GIVEN IS \$65,727 DIVIDING \$65,727 BY \$2,000 YIELDS APPROXIMATELY 33 STUDENTS PART I, Q2 OUR FINANCIAL AID OFFICE MONITORS THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS AND OTHER ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS IN THE UNITED STATES THEY REVIEW EACH STUDENT TO VERIFY THEIR ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SPECIFIC GRANTS AND OTHER ASSISTANCE

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Software Version:
EIN: 42-0680404
Name: BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

Form 990, Schedule I, Part III, Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States

(a)Type of grant or assistance	(b)Number of recipients	(c)Amount of cash grant	(d)Amount of non-cash assistance	(e)Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f)Description of non-cash assistance
SEOG CONTRIBUTION	33	65,727			
TUITION REMISSION	9	115,169			
CENTER GRANTS	21	19,243			
ENDOWED/RESTRICTED GIFTS	276	416,324			
FALL SCHOLARSHIPS	967	6,089,647			
SPRING SCHOLARSHIPS	891	5,738,078			
ACADEMIC ASSISTANTSHIPS	127	100,860			
DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS	13	1,250			
WORKSTUDY	377	148,129			
ROTC	13	78,145			
YELLOW RIBBON	1	3,113			

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

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For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

Name of the organization
BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY

Employer identification number
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Part I

Questions Regarding Compensation

		Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items		
	☐ First-class or charter travel ☒ Housing allowance or residence for personal use ☐ Travel for companions ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence ☐ Tax idemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees ☒ Discretionary spending account ☒ Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b	If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1b	Yes
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	Yes
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply		
	☒ Compensation committee ☐ Written employment contract ☐ Independent compensation consultant ☒ Compensation survey or study ☐ Form 990 of other organizations ☒ Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4	During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization		
a	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	No
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	No
c	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c	No
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III		
	Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.		
5	For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of		
a	The organization?	5a	No
b	Any related organization?	5b	No
	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III		
6	For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of		
a	The organization?	6a	No
b	Any related organization?	6b	No
	If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III		
7	For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7	No
8	Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs section 53 4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III	8	No
9	If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?	9	

Part II **Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use Schedule J-1 if additional space needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, columns (D) and (E) for that individual

(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) FREDERICK V MOORE	(i) (ii)	193,070 0	0 0	25,220 0	16,681 0	33,739 0	268,710 0	0 0
(2) DAVID EVANS	(i) (ii)	121,110 0	0 0	413 0	11,151 0	20,021 0	152,695 0	0 0
(3) ELIZABETH MERTEN	(i) (ii)	129,242 0	0 0	3,604 0	11,446 0	15,395 0	159,687 0	0 0
(4) KENNETH CONVERSE	(i) (ii)	130,279 0	0 0	2,205 0	11,650 0	17,089 0	161,223 0	0 0
(5) MARCIA NANCE	(i) (ii)	175,640 0	0 0	1,267 0	6,762 0	3,264 0	186,933 0	0 0

Part III **Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION	PART III	PART I 1A. FREDERICK MOORE, PRESIDENT OF BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY, IS GIVEN AN ANNUAL DISCRETIONARY SPENDING ACCOUNT TO BE USED FOR VARIOUS EXPENDITURES RELATED TO UNIVERSITY PROGRAMS, PROJECTS, ETC. HE IS ALSO PROVIDED A RESIDENCE FOR PERSONAL USE THAT IS ALSO USED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES. IN ADDITION, THE UNIVERSITY HIRES AN ACCOUNTANT TO PREPARE MOORE'S INCOME TAX RETURNS. THE COST OF THE TAX PREPARATION IS ADDED TO HIS W-2 AS TAXABLE INCOME.

Schedule K
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information on Tax Exempt Bonds

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 24a. Provide descriptions, explanations, and any additional information in Schedule O (Form 990).
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Bond Issues											
(a) Issuer Name	(b) Issuer EIN	(c) CUSIP #	(d) Date Issued	(e) Issue Price	(f) Description of Purpose	(g) Defeased		(h) On Behalf of Issuer		(i) Pool financing	
						Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
A IOWA HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN AUTHORITY	42-1235696	462460C46	05-01-2007	7,870,000	VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS		X		X		X
B IOWA HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN AUTHORITY	42-1235696	462460Q74	05-25-2011	15,777,321	VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS		X		X		X

Part II		Proceeds							
		A		B		C		D	
1	Amount of bonds retired	600,000		870,000					
2	Amount of bonds defeased								
3	Total proceeds of issue	8,128,590		15,796,820					
4	Gross proceeds in reserve funds								
5	Capitalized interest from proceeds								
6	Proceeds in refunding escrow								
7	Issuance costs from proceeds	85,903		155,095					
8	Credit enhancement from proceeds	8,155							
9	Working capital expenditures from proceeds								
10	Capital expenditures from proceeds	8,034,532		12,561,992					
11	Other spent proceeds								
12	Other unspent proceeds			3,079,733					
13	Year of substantial completion	2008							
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
14	Were the bonds issued as part of a current refunding issue?		X		X				
15	Were the bonds issued as part of an advance refunding issue?		X		X				
16	Has the final allocation of proceeds been made?	X			X				
17	Does the organization maintain adequate books and records to support the final allocation of proceeds?	X		X					

Part III Private Business Use									
		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	Was the organization a partner in a partnership, or a member of an LLC, which owned property financed by tax-exempt bonds?		X		X				
2	Are there any lease arrangements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property?		X		X				

Part III

Private Business Use (Continued)

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
3a	Are there any management or service contracts that may result in private business use?		X		X				
b	If 'Yes' to line 3a, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any management or service contracts relating to the financed property?								
c	Are there any research agreements that may result in private business use of bond-financed property?		X		X				
d	If 'Yes' to line 3c, does the organization routinely engage bond counsel or other outside counsel to review any research agreements relating to the financed property?								
4	Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use by entities other than a section 501(c)(3) organization or a state or local government	0 %		0 %					
5	Enter the percentage of financed property used in a private business use as a result of unrelated trade or business activity carried on by your organization, another section 501(c)(3) organization, or a state or local government	0 %		0 %					
6	Total of lines 4 and 5	0 %		0 %					
7	Has the organization adopted management practices and procedures to ensure the post-issuance compliance of its tax-exempt bond liabilities?	X		X					

Part IV

Arbitrage

		A		B		C		D	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	Has a Form 8038-T, Arbitrage Rebate, Yield Reduction and Penalty in Lieu of Arbitrage Rebate, been filed with respect to the bond issue?		X		X				
2	Is the bond issue a variable rate issue?	X			X				
3a	Has the organization or the governmental issuer entered into a hedge with respect to the bond issue?		X		X				
b	Name of provider								
c	Term of hedge								
d	Was the hedge superintegrated?								
e	Was a hedge terminated?								
4a	Were gross proceeds invested in a GIC?		X	X					
b	Name of provider			NATIXIS FUND CORP					
c	Term of GIC			1 4000000000000					
d	Was the regulatory safe harbor for establishing the fair market value of the GIC satisfied?			X					
5	Were any gross proceeds invested beyond an available temporary period?		X		X				
6	Did the bond issue qualify for an exception to rebate?	X			X				

Part V

Procedures To Undertake Corrective Action

Check the box if the organization established written procedures to ensure that violations of federal tax requirements are timely identified and corrected through the voluntary closing agreement program if self-remediation is not available under applicable regulations ☐ Yes ☒ No

Part VI

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule K (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
PART II, LINE 3	TOTAL PROCEEDS	THE TOTAL PROCEEDS DO NOT AGREE TO THE ISSUE PRICE IN PART I, COLUMN (E) DUE TO INVESTMENT EARNINGS

SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

NonCash Contributions

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

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Part I Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of Contributions or items contributed	(c) Contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining contribution amounts
1 Art—Works of art	X	2	321,000	SELLING PRICE
2 Art—Historical treasures				
3 Art—Fractional interests				
4 Books and publications	X		674	COST
5 Clothing and household goods	X		725	COST
6 Cars and other vehicles				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities—Publicly traded	X	10	126,624	STOCK EXCHANGE
10 Securities—Closely held stock				
11 Securities—Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities—Miscellaneous				
13 Qualified conservation contribution—Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution—Other				
15 Real estate—Residential				
16 Real estate—Commercial				
17 Real estate—Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts	X	1	225	COST
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ► (CAR LEASE)	X	2	15,000	COST
GIFT				
26 Other ► (CARDS/HOTEL)	X	7	3,993	COST
27 Other ► (HP SERVER)	X	1	41,671	COST
28 Other ► (RENTAL)	X	3	12,172	COST
29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement			29	
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?				Yes No
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II				
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?				Yes
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell non-cash contributions?				No
b If "Yes," describe in Part II				
33 If the organization did not report revenues in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II				

Part III

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
THIRD PARTY USE	PART I, LINE 32B	IN COLUMN(B), BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY IS REPORTING THE NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE PROPERTY LISTED

SCHEDULE O
 (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or to provide any additional information.
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NEW PROGRAM SERVICES	FORM 990, PART III, LINE 2	THE UNIVERSITY RECEIVED ITS EQUITABLE PORTION OF THE MCELROY LOAN FUND TRUST EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 2012 THE UNIVERSITY WILL CONTINUE TO USE THE ASSETS RECEIVED FROM THE TRUST TO DISBURSE LOANS TO STUDENTS AND USE THE SAME CRITERIA FOR LENDING
	FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11	BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY'S AUDIT COMMITTEE REVIEWS THE 990 BEFORE IT IS FILED THE FINAL DRAFT IS GIVEN TO ALL OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES BEFORE IT IS FILED
	FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C	EACH YEAR BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY PROVIDES THEIR BOARD OF TRUSTEES A CONFLICT OF INTEREST SHEET THAT DISCLOSES ALL THE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST ALL TRUSTEES ARE REQUIRED TO MAKE ANY CHANGES AND SIGN THEIR NAME
	FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15	QUESTION 15A - PROCESS FOR DETERMINING COMPENSATION OF ORGANIZATION'S PRESIDENT THE PRESIDENT OF BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY'S SALARY IS REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES EACH YEAR ANY TRUSTEE WITH A CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO THE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT AT ISSUE, IS NOT INVOLVED THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE ALSO REVIEWS THE SALARIES OF OTHER PRESIDENTS AT IOWA COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES EACH YEAR AND COMPARES THE COMPENSATION BEING RECEIVED BY BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY'S PRESIDENT THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE CONTEMPORANEOUSLY DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS ALL DELIBERATIONS AND DECISIONS REGARDING THE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY ALSO HIRES AN OUTSIDE CONSULTANT EVERY THREE YEARS TO REVIEW ALL SALARIES GIVEN BY THE UNIVERSITY THIS WAS LAST DONE IN 2008 QUESTION 15B - PROCESS FOR DETERMINING COMPENSATION OF ORGANIZATION'S OTHER OFFICERS OR KEY EMPLOYEES THE SALARIES OF OFFICERS OF BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY ARE REVIEWED BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES EACH YEAR AND FINAL APPROVAL IS GIVEN BY THE PRESIDENT ANY TRUSTEE WITH A CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO THE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT AT ISSUE, IS NOT INVOLVED THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE AND PRESIDENT ALSO REVIEW THE SALARIES OF OTHER OFFICERS AT IOWA COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES EACH YEAR AND COMPARES THE COMPENSATION TO THE COMPENSATION RECEIVED BY BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY'S OFFICERS THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE AND THE PRESIDENT CONTEMPORANEOUSLY DOCUMENT AND RECORD ALL DELIBERATIONS AND DECISIONS REGARDING THE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY ALSO HIRES AN OUTSIDE CONSULTANT EVERY THREE TO FIVE YEARS TO REVIEW ALL SALARIES GIVEN BY THE UNIVERSITY THIS WAS LAST DONE IN 2008
	FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19	BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY PROVIDES ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS UPON REQUEST
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 5	NET UNREALIZED LOSSES ON INVESTMENTS -4,454,785 DONATED SERVICES AND USE OF FACILITIES 19,377 TAX LOSS ON PARTNERSHIP INTEREST 4,945 TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 5 -4,430,463
AUDIT COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES	FORM 990, PART XII, 2C	THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY HAS AN AUDIT COMMITTEE THAT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OVERSIGHT OF THE UNIVERSITY'S ANNUAL AUDIT OF ITS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THE AUDIT COMMITTEE IS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR CHOOSING THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR EACH YEAR
AUDIT REQUIREMENTS	FORM 990, PART XII, 3B	BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY IS REQUIRED TO UNDERGO AN AUDIT AS SET FORTH IN THE SINGLE AUDIT ACT AND OMB CIRCULAR A-133 BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY UNDERWENT THIS AUDIT BY MCGLADREY LLP FOR 6-30-2012
VOLUNTEERS	FORM 990, PART I, 6	THE NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS WAS DETERMINED BY THE INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT OFFICE DUTIES FOR VOLUNTEERS INCLUDED ALUMNI CALLING PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS AND ALUMNI HELPING WITH EVENTS ON CAMPUS

SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)

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Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled organization	
						Yes	No
(1) BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION 610 WEST 4TH STREET STORM LAKE, IA 50588 42-1463509	SUPPORT	IA	501(C)(3)	LINE 11C, III-FI	BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY	Yes	
(2) MCELROY BUENA VIST LOAN FUND 610 WEST 4TH STREET STORM LAKE, IA 50588 42-1256053	LOAN FUND	IA	501(C)(3)	LINE 11A, I		Yes	

Part III

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership
(1) CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUSTS (13)	CHARITABLE TRUSTS	IA	N/A	T			

Part V

Transactions With Related Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35, 35A, or 36.)

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III or IV

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity

b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)

c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)

d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)

e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

f Sale of assets to related organization(s)

g Purchase of assets from related organization(s)

h Exchange of assets with related organization(s)

i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)

k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)

l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)

m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)

n Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

o Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses

p Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

q Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)

r Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

Yes

No

1a

1b

1c

1d

1e

1f

1g

1h

1i

1j

1k

1l

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No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

Yes

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of other organization	(b) Transaction type(a-r)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) MCELROY - BUENA VISTA LOAN FUND	R	427,941	CASH/RECEIVABLES
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

Schedule R (Form 990) 2011

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

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Part VII

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation	
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